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Chapter 1261: Yellow Spring Road: Sand, Purple Inferno, Double Fox Battle

"Chu Mu, what's wrong, you seem uncomfortable?" Princess Jin Rou noticed Chu Mu's expression and said worriedly.

"Nothing." Chu Mu shook his head.

Chu Mu felt bad because the soul pact shook.

Mo Xie's constantly released the power of Hades during the battle. This power to a certain extent was beyond what Chu Mu's soul could withstand. If Mo Xie powered up any further, itcould affect the soul pacts' stability.

Mo Xie's Wan Xiang City mutation truly jumped too much. After reaching spirit dominator, his strength was increasing even slower. Chu Mu's soul remembrance could no longer keep up with her mutation.

However, this spiritual impact was still something Chu Mu couldn't withstand. He still kept his Sharp Pupil, so Mo Xie could more clearly see the Seven Sin Fox Rock Emperor's actions. At the same time, Chu Mu was also using his soul remembrance to observe Seven Sins Fox Rock Emperor to remember its fighting technique and types.

Two demon foxes' battles already caused all their vision to be dazzled. Mo Xie's silver body slowly showed some blood. However, the seven sin fox rock emperor didn't have any wounds. After all, its defenses were much stronger than Mo Xie.

"However, Chu Mu's Ghost Fox Emperor seems to be slightly weaker." Leader Hai Qie said.

The great leader Xu Kuang nodded, "There's a difference in rank."

"Peng!!!!!!"

Great leader Xu Kuang was just about to finish speaking when Mo Xie's nine tails slapped across. The Seven Sin Fox Rock Emperor had no where to dodge and was slammed into the rock waterfall aside, causing water to fly everywhere over the road.

Seeing this, Great Leader Xu Kuang added, "But, Chu Mu's fox supreme's nine tails truly is a powerful defensive and offensive weapon."

"Great..... Great leader, the corpse army is nearing!" A member that went to scout came back pale faced.

"How long?" Great leader Xu Kuang asked.

"Within an hour." the scout said.

Xu Kuang furrowed his brows and specially glanced over at the fight between the two foxes.

These two demon foxes weren't very different. From battle awareness, technique, to insight, he definitely couldn't end in such a short time. However, if they delayed any longer, they'll all get devoured by the corpse army. After all, ahead of them still laid the strongest yellow spring road!

"You guys go first to the yellow spring." Chu Mu heard Xu Kuang and turned to say to them.

"The Forgotten Creek probably won't let us through, right?" Hai Qie said.

"I'll lead them away, go first." Chu Mu said.

"En, then you stay safe and watch out for the corpses." Xu Kuang said.

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Mo Xie and Rock Emperor were going back and forth. After so long, they still couldn't tell who was ahead and who was behind.

To let the navy and other people through, CHu Mu told Mo Xie to guide battle towards the Three Roads. Chu Mu believed that Forgotten Creek's arrogance and disdain would cause it to actually get tricked.

Indeed, when Mo Xie showed a flaw on purpose and was hit far away, Forgotten Creek chased toward her without any hesitation, wanting to give her a final blow with this chance.

The two sides had fought for so long without any opportunities. The seven sin fox rock emperor similarly didn't have any chance of success. Once it saw the opportunity, how could it miss it?

Seeing the two powerful demon fox already behind them now, the navy looked at the absolutely destroyed yellow springs road and still had lingering fears.

"What are you all doing, let's go!" Great leader Xu Kuang commanded.

Xu Kuang walked at the front, leading all the navy and their soul pets through the now cratered yellow spring road at top speed.

Prince Chao, Xia Zhixian, and Sang Ying all went with the army as well. The only ones left were Chu Mu and Princess Jin ROu.

"This is troublesome." Chu Mu furrowed his brows and looked at Mo Xie, who could now only passively defend.

Mo Xie showed a flaw purposefully, but even so, the seven sin fox rock emperor still caught the opportunity well. In such a well matched battle, any tiny mistake could cause the whole situation to change.

And at this moment, the situation wasn't very hopeful!

Wild sand covered the entire cave, clearly pressuring Mo Xie's purple flames. The flames were getting weaker and weaker within the sandstorm.

The thin sand were even sharper than knives, constantly flitting past Mo Xie and leaving tiny wounds. The sand was tiny but countless. As the small wounds built up, she started looking completely bloody.

Wounds and bleeding was something that hasn't happened to Mo Xie in a while. This definitely won't cause her to be discouraged; just the opposite, the stimulus of blood caused her to enter into her state even better. How could a non-bleeding battle even be called a battle?

Mo Xie's nine tails were very nimble. The seven sin fox rock emperors' densely packed attacks seemed impossible to penetrate, but Mo Xie still found an opportunity!

Just as the seven sins rock emperor would a series of attacks on Mo Xie the moment it caught a mistake, when Mo Xie found an opportunity, she wouldn't let rock emperor have another chance of hurting her ever again.

Perfect speed mixed with a well placed claw, empowered by angry purple flames that pressured and took control of the region. Her nine tails also never ceased as they started waving at high frequencies, launching attacks one after another!

The seven sins rock emperor started backing off. Based on the rock type's powerful defense, it tried to block Mo Xie's attacks but even so, the seven sin fox rock emperor suffered a large and deep wound. Blood oozed out of its dark brown skin, sticking to its noble fur as it dripped down.

The battle had a slight stop then. Mo Xie stood on the flame covered yellow springs road while Forgotten Creek stood on a rock near the underground river. Silver pupils met dark brown pupils in mid air. Even without the most direct battle, their gaze never stopped.

"Wuwuwuu~~~~~~~~~~"

Seven sin fox rock emperor lifted its head and let out a prideful call.

Its bloody fur started dancing and more sand started appearing!

"Wuwuwu!!!!!!!"

Mo Xie also let out a call. Her silver fur started waving in the air as its nine tails opened up!

Angry purple flames extended from Mo Xie's feet. This energy collided with the seven sin fox's death sand and created an intersection of purple and dark brown energy between them!

Clearly, both top tier demon foxes were conducting their final technique clash!

From the initial probing that tested speed and power, to the direct brawl of continuous attacking and defending, neither fox could get a clear advantage. Now, they were both going to release their strongest technique, one that combined all three of their main types!

Final techniques had scary destructive power. If they casted at the same time, one side will definitely be destroyed because no matter the seven sin fox rock emperor's defenses or Mo Xie's nine tails, neither could stop a technique that had been charged up for so long.

Angry purple and deep brown started colliding more and more. It was almost as if two different colored armies were charging at one another, exchanging lives in brutal combat!

At the same time the two auras collided, the seven sin fox rock emperor gathered its own three types while Mo Xie was building up its own dominant Hades technique!

The rock cave started shaking more and more as terrifying hoarse roars and groans started coming from the darkness behind them!

Chu Mu blanked for a second and stared past the clash between Mo Xie and Rock Emperor!

It's the corpse army!!

They were already here. Chu Mu could see a few large silhouettes already in the darkness!!

"Chu Mu...." Princess Jin Rou called out with unease.

Chu Mu said nothing. His attention was with Mo Xie.

The corpse army was already here. However, even so, Mo Xie couldn't stop her technique. This battle with the seven sin fox rock emperor must have a victor!!

Princess Jin Rou bit her lips and gazed further into the darkness.

There, countless corpses that nearly stuffed the entire massive rock cave was rushing forth.

Sinister bodies, corpses stepping over other corpses, the whole army rolled forth with greed and blood thirst in their eyes!

This was a hair raising scene. If the corpse army passed them, their claws and teeth could devour any living organism, leaving not even a scrap of bone behind!

Princess Jin Rou subconsciously shifted closer to Chu Mu. She could feel that the massive corpse aura was already enough to affect her fragile spirit. There were even a few soul eaters within the army that specifically eat spectral organisms like her!

The massive corpse aura welled forth, but it was unable to enter the cals between angry purple and dark brown.

Mo Xie's silver eyes remained on the seven sin fox rock emperor, not even glancing at the millions of corpses running at her.

The seven sin fox rock emperor also stared at Mo Xie. The terrifying corpses that were running at it seemed to not exist. It was neither confused nor panicked!

Finally, Mo Xie finished her technique first. Her body full of purple flames again let out a ring of energy all around her!

The corpse army was mere five hundred meters away from Mo Xie at that moment, but with this ring of energy released, all the corpses in the very front instantly disintegrated as the purple flames hit it!!

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The corpse army's seemingly unstoppable aura suddenly came to a halt with this devouring purple flame!

Angry flames burned through the place. Ring after ring expanded outwards from Mo Xie, stacking up. Every single blossom of flame is in reality a flaming lotus that covered nearly ten kilometers in range!

As the purple flaming lotus blossomed again and again, flames roared forth menacingly!

After suffering from multiple blossoms of the inferno lotus, it finally finished its technique too!

Similarly a layering and blossoming effect, a dark yellow sandstorm spiralled outwards one after another, colliding with Mo Xie's inferno lotus!

Suddenly, Mo Xie's body disappeared, leaving only a purple flame still burning where she stood.

The entire Yellow Spring Road instantly became purple with flames. These flames created Mo Xie's noble form!

Countless supreme flames and shadows darted around within the road as its long tails formed a massive fiery dragon!

Hades Incineration Realm!

Beast type energy, fire type burn, demon type illusion!

A technique created with three different types was immensely powerful. In fact, Chu Mu felt his soul pact sending painful tearing through to him under the strain of this technique.

The stronger the spell that Mo Xie casted, the harder it would impact Chu Mu's soul. Thankfully, Chu Mu wasn't any normal soul pet trainer. The half devil's mental power allowed him to completely withstand this mental strain. Any other soul pet trainer would snap their soul pact instantly.

The entire yellow spring roads became the fox supreme's inferno grounds. The three to four kilometers of the corpse army were instantly disintegrated after entering this inferno territory!!

Disintegrated corpses couldn't be revived, so Mo Xie's Hades Incineration Realm could truly kill the corpses!

The flames that killed the corpses were just side effects. Mo Xie's main target was the seven sin fox Rock Emperor!

Within the purple hell, multiple massive flames shadows brought their long tails as they leaped straight towards the seven sin fox rock emperor amidst the flames.

The seven sin fox rock emperor was half a beat slower than Mo Xie. its death sand realm was originally meant to be offensive, but has to be transitioned into a defensive technique.

Many flame foxes dashed forth, as inevitable as a meteor shower aimed at the ground. Every one of them created a massive shockwave when they slammed into the sand barrier!

Mo Xie was naturally better at being on the offense. With the rock emperor forced to defend, Mo Xie could freely use her infinite incineration realm. After the first few flame fox supremes dissipated, another large group appeared. Some of these were real, some of these were fake, all hidden within this seemingly endless hades burning realm!

"Wuwuwu~~~~~~"

Mo Xie let out an excited call, as if she was a monarch giving a command to its subordinates, dignified, angry, yet undefyable!

The hades incineration realm caused Mo Xie to become the absolute dominator of this realm. The seven sin fox rock emperor realm slowly was squeezed and it was forced to back off even more.

In the combat before, the two demon foxes couldn't really determine a victor.

However, in this final technique face off, the undead legend Hades' dominant effect was finally shown. The middle ranking seven sin fox was near undead level, but in the purest form of competition of techniques, the seven sin fox fell into complete disadvantage!

Of course, Chu Mu knew clearly when feeling the soul pacts' tearing, this was Mo Xie releasing its hades energy again!

Just how strong Hades was, Chu Mu still wasn't fully sure. He knew that only if he continued raising his soul remembrance could Mo Xie cast as she pleased!

"Huhuhuhu~~~~~"

The fire fox reached a new height. The fire fox was even more brilliant as it released its energy in inferno realm.

Seven sin fox rock emperor was already heavily burnt. Its dark brown sand territory was mere ten meters now. However, the territory remained steady, stopping the energy from breaching the final defenses!

"Hu!!!!"

Mo Xie's main body was slowly appearing amidst the purple flame. She stepped forth with proud steps, each step creating another wave of inferno outwards.

Mo Xie started pushing forth. The entire inferno realm was pushed onto the seven sin fox rock emperor!

"Beng!!!"

Finally, rock emperor backed off to where the Forgotten Creek was. It had no where to go anymore. With Mo Xie's angry roar, the flame energy slammed into the seven sin fox rock emperor!

Seven sin fox bit its teeth and endured the painful burn without letting out a single sound!

Its pair of dark brown eyes were burned to the point where it could barely open its eyes. However, facing such a dominant technique, the seven sin fox rock emperor had nothing better to do.

Mo Xie's technique cast was faster than it. With not a large difference in strength, this half second is the key to victory.

When comparing technique power, the Hades Incineration Realm was indeed much stronger than the demon dream desert!

The flames were still in the sky when the Hades Incineration Realm's illusory effects slowly disappeared. Though the flames were still nearby, there were no longer fire fox shadows flying around.

Mo Xie stepped over the angry purple carpets and slowly walked in front of the seven sin fox rock emperor. Its silver eyes weren't able to tolerate any disrespect!

"Undead legends truly are worth their title. Their species is clearly better. Even with a difference in rank, a middle fox wasn't enough to beat it!" Old Li leaped out from Chu Mu's spatial ring and sighed.

Chu Mu nodded. Up until today, Chu Mu finally got a taste of just how powerful Mo Xie was after the last mutation.

The Paramita Angry Horn Demon could cause the massive navy to lose half of its numbers. The Three Roads caused all the dominator rank experts in the navy to lose their fighting strength. There was also the more powerful Forgotten Creek. If they truly fought, the navy would have been stopped there. These three yellow spring roads' protectors were truly too powerful. Not only were they high rank, their fighting strength was also much higher than normal soul pets they've seen in the past!

This battle with Seven Sin Fox Rock Emperor for example, other than Chu Mu using Sharp Pupil to allow mo Xie to see its movements, he couldn't really command the battle normally. This level of combat was way beyond his league.

And, Chu Mu definitely didn't dare say that he had more fighting experience than the seven sin fox rock emperor. This rock emperor had definitely gotten to its position through fighting over countless other organisms.

The majority of victories Chu Mu felt was because of Mo Xie's species' superiority, the undead legend.

The flames slowly disappeared and the yellow spring road recovered its original peace. The massive army of corpses stopped for a long time but refused to go forth.

Mo Xie's technique completely stopped the corpse army!

"Wuwuwu~~~~"

Mo Xie stood in front of the seven sin fox rock emperor and gave it a call.

As long as Mo Xie extended a claw and swiped down, seven sin fox was surely dead. But, Mo Xie didn't do that.

As both demon foxes, they fought each other to compare their strengths. However, that didn't mean Mo Xie would kill her own species, especially one as powerful as the Forgotten Creek was!

The seven sin fox rock emperor didn't give up. It stood up and raised its flame scarred skull.

The two demon foxes stared at each other, one arrogant while the other was stubborn.

"Wuwuwu~~~~~" Seven sin fox rock emperor suddenly called out as if to say something to Mo Xie.

Mo Xie's expression changed but still stood there to listen to what seven sin fox rock emperor was saying.

Princess Jin Rou looked at them and said to Chu Mu, "This seven sin fox rock emperor just said he knows Mo Xie from before."

"It knows Mo Xie?" Chu Mu was slightly confused.

"Heard of, the rock emperor said it heard a friend mention it." Princess JIn Rou explained.

Princess Jin Rou's mind reading wasn't limited to only humans. She could also hear the soul pets' thoughts..

Princess Jin Rou was slightly confused.

"It's Night!" Chu Mu yelled out.

Night Thunder Dream Beast. The seven sin fox must have spoken to Night before where Mo Xie was mentioned.

Initially, when they split up at Tianxia City, Mo Xie was still a seven sin fox inferno Monarch. Night must have mentioned Mo Xie when it saw another seven sin fox.

"Wuwuwu~~~~~" Seven sin fox rock emperor let out another call.

Princess Jin Rou knew that Chu Mu wanted to know Night's news and quickly explained, "It said it admits it isn't Mo Xie's match, but...."

"But what?" Chu mu saw Princess Jin Rou immediately questioned.

"It didn't say...." Princess Jin Rou saw seven sin fox rock emperor.

At this time, seven sin fox rock emperor stepped forth into the unknown, dragging its tired body towards a certain direction.

Seven sin fox rock emperor left very quickly, as if summoned by something and having to leave immediately.

Seeing the seven sin fox rock emperor's disappearing back image, Chu Mu was lost.

After entering the demon burial mound, Chu Mu had been walking along places Night had been hoping to see something Night had been through in the past. Finally, he met a seven sin fox that knew of Night's situation but it left.

Chu Mu wanted to ask more but the seven sin fox had already left.

"Wuwuwu~~~~" Mo Xie slowly walked back to Chu Mu as if to comfort him.

Chu Mu stood in place for a long time.

Even after he got to Forgotten Creek, Chu Mu still didn't see Night. This meant that Night had gotten through Paramita, Three Roads, and even attained the respect of Forgotten Creek.....

"Did Nght lose at yellow springs?" Chu Mu was sad as he said to himself.

After this fight, Chu Mu knew the four protectors' strength even more clearly.

Knowing Night could get through the three protectors, Chu Mu's heart couldn't help but shiver as he anticipated to see Night's proud burial. Chu Mu never would have thought that Night was already at such heights!

When they left, Zhan Ye and little hidden dragon had dominator rank as the king in their hearts. Their return caused Chu Mu to nearly tear up.

However, Night, who fought much less than Zhan Ye, little hidden dragon, and Mo Xie- the king in its heart was truly immortal! Otherwise, beating the Paramita, Three Roads, and Forgotten Creek, having stood at the tip of dominator rank, why had it still stepped onto this deadly path to undead?

Most importantly, even Chu Mu himself didn't know Night's heart was this proud and burning with passion!

In the past, it had always been cold and silent. Maybe it liked to run at extreme speeds and overcome its extremes to show this heart, but this was something Chu Mu himself never saw.

Chapter 1263: Yellow Springs Path, Strongest Demon, Yellow Spring

The final path was Yellow Springs.

The navy marched along Yellow Springs Path, but after walking a long while, they still didn't see Yellow Springs Monument.

"What's happening? Why haven't we arrived at Yellow Springs' territory even after walking so long." said Leader Tie Bing.

"This is a good thing. We'll be able to widen the distance with the corpse legion. Our traveling speed is faster than theirs." said Leader Hai Qie.

Big Leader Hai Qie was still walking ahead of the team and his gaze remained fixated forwards.

Suddenly, an enormous black figure appeared!

Yellow Springs Monument!

They had finally reached Yellow Springs Monument, but the navy members were all very nervous.

If they wanted to live, they would have to defeat Yellow Springs. But when they remembered the strength of the three guardians, the navy members felt depressed.

In fact, compared to the large corpse army behind them, the mysterious and powerful Yellow Springs ahead of them made them feel even more uneasy and afraid.

This time, Xu Kuang intentionally checked to see if there was any creature on top of Yellow Springs Monument. After ensuring Yellow Spring wasn't lying on top, he finally stepped onto Yellow Springs territory.

"Big Leader, how much confidence do you have?" the adjacent Hai Qie softly spoke to Big Leader Xu Kuang.

Big Leader Xu Kuang lightly creased his brows and he said: "When it comes to Forgotten River, I only have about 40% chance of winning."

"40%?" Hai Qie was astonished. Big Leader really only had 40% chance of winning despite his strength? That meant that Big Leader Xu Kuang admitted that wasn't as strong as Chu Mu.

"What about Yellow Springs?" asked Hai Qie.

Xu Kuang shook his head and said: "The final guardian is definitely very strong, but I'm not sure how much stronger. In a one on one fight, I feel like even if I summon all of my main pets, I won't have much of a chance of victory."

"I'll give it my all." said Hai Qie.

Xu Kuang nodded his head. Although he wasn't too confident, he couldn't hesitate in his steps. If he did, it would create even larger fear in the hearts of the navy members. As a leader, even if he was afraid or nervous, he couldn't show it.

As they walked along the dusky Yellow Springs Path, everyone's mind was taught. The navy members didn't stop surveying the surrounding rugged and strange stones.

While one was nervous, it was possible to hallucinate things. The navy members felt like the rocks had eyes and were staring at them with mocking and merciless gazes.

It was no longer possible to hear the sound of the large corpse army. The entire Yellow Springs Path was scarily silent. All that could be heard were the sounds of hurried breathing, disorderly footsteps and anxious heartbeats.

"Military... Military Advisor..." suddenly, a navy member with a pale face came to report something.

"If you have something to say, just say it!" said the military adviser.

"I'm not sure where a navy member in my small team called Da Peng, went." said the navy member captain.

"What do you mean you don't know where he went? Is he a small child?" said the military adviser, somewhat angrily. There was someone left behind even at this time?

Xu Kuang heard the noise behind him. He came to a halt, turned around and asked: "What happened?"

"There seems to be someone who fell behind." said Military Adviser Huang Mang.

"Fell behind?" Xu Kuang creased his brows and looked over all of the navy members: "Did any of you see him fall behind?"

All of the navy members shook their heads.

Yellow Springs Path was very wide, and in order to prevent sneak attacks from behind, the military adviser had the navy members form a square shape as they progressed. This formation meant that if someone fell behind, others would see it. There was no reason to fall behind. Even if one's physical strength wasn't enough, he would probably tell the person next to him so that person could help him.

"Military.... Military Adviser, Xiao Shang from my small team also seems to have fallen behind..." another navy captain softly reported.

"Military Adviser... there are also people from my small team..."

"Military Adviser, I haven't seen our captain for a while now."

Continuous reports came to him; each one reported that a person was missing. Everyone felt chills in their heart!

The military adviser was at a loss and he turned to Xu Kuang.

"Military Adviser, Ocean Soldier Ma is missing... he was just behind me..." said an ocean general dripping in cold sweat.

This ocean general's words caused cold sweat to roll down everyone's back.

A person just next to someone had disappeared!

This wasn't a case of being left behind. Instead, these people were going missing under everyone's watch!!

A strange atmosphere permeated the entire legion. Yellow Springs Path grew even more quiet. So quiet that it was terrifying!

"Everyone maintain formation. You and your soul pets must be touching the person next you. Keep your eyes on the person ahead of you and the moment someone disappears from your view, immediately raise your hand!" loudly ordered Xu Kuang.

The navy members maintained formation and did as Leader Xu Kuang said. Their bodies touched another ocean member and they looked ahead at another ocean member.

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The beast type team's captain fixed his eyes on the ocean member ahead of him. He was able to see sweat roll down this member's neck...

"He's very afraid." the small team captain said to himself. Indeed, wasn't he himself also covered in cold sweat?

Time passed, second by second. The small team captain was staring when suddenly, he discovered that the member's body in front of him was slowly turning transparent!

Darkness dissolved his body and the small team captain's wide open eyes were filled with fear!

The member in front of him had disappeared right under his watch!!

The team member's breathing was about to stop. He abruptly raised his hand, wanting to inform the military adviser and big leader that the navy member in front of him had disappeared.

His hand shot up, accentuating the fear and shock in his heart.

However, the moment he raised his hands and looked up, the small team captain suddenly saw a mind-shattering scene!

Disappeared!!

Everyone had disappeared!!

All of the navy members in front of him had disappeared and so did the navy members around him. The big team captain had disappeared, the leaders had disappeared and even the big leader had disappeared. The entire Yellow Springs Path was completely dark and only he was still on it, standing there alone with his hand raised...

The small team leader collapsed to the ground. His mind was already taut. After seeing this scene, the surrounding empty darkness suddenly transformed into terrifying and demonic smiles!

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Yellow Springs Path

"Beast type team's Small Team Captain Zhan Heqing has disappeared." Military Adviser reported the person who went missing.

Xu Kuang looked at each of the navy members raise their hands and at the locations that people had disappeared at the moment they stopped focusing. There were a number of empty spots in the team.

An aura of fear enshrouded everyone's bodies. Nobody understood how these navy members disappeared, nor where these people went, if they were alive, or if they were already...

"Yellow Springs has already appeared." Xu Kuang said in a low voice to everyone.

Yellow Springs had appeared. Indeed, the moment the first navy member disappeared, it had already extended its devil claws unto the navy legion, taking away one navy member after another.

"Big Leader, what should we do?" nervously asked Military Adviser Huang Mang.

They couldn't even see Yellow Springs. If they continued like this, the navy members would eventually all disappear.

This was an unprecedented fear.

With the previous three guardians, they were at least able to see them and their powers.

However, Yellow Springs hadn't even showed its face and the navy members had disappeared one by one. The torment of these uneasy thoughts was the easiest way to break the mental of people because nobody could guarantee that the next person to disappear wouldn't be them!

Even the sound of flowing water now sounded terrifying. The navy members continuously shot up their hands and each time one did, there was a navy member and his soul pet that disappeared. Even Big Leader Xu Kuang was helpless.

There was no pattern to the people who disappeared. It could be a navy member or it could be a dominator rank ocean soldier or even an ocean general...

Obviously Yellow Springs was attacking as it pleased, just doing whatever it felt like.

"Ocean Commander... Ocean Commander Yue..." suddenly, Ocean Commander Jiang's face turned extremely pale.

Big Commander Xu Kuang instantly looked next to him and his heart went cold.

Big Leader Xu Kuang, who was the most calm among them, couldn't help but feel his hairs stand up. Ocean Commander Yue wasn't even ten meters away from him, yet he had disappeared. Moreover, he hadn't sensed any energy fluctuation. If Yellow Springs technique landed on him, would he also disappear like that?

Big Leader Xu Kuang's heart sank deeper and deeper. He thought that by combining everyone's soul pets, Leader Hai Qie's soul pets as well as Sang Ying and Xia Zhixian, they would have a chance of victory against Yellow Springs. Who could have expected that even before they had a chance to attack, this many people would have already disappeared.

"Leader Tie Bing... he also..." Hai Qie's voice entered Big Leader Xu Kuang's ear.

Big Leader Xu Kuang's forehead was now cored in a trace of cold sweat. He grit his teeth and swept his eyes over the sparse ocean members.

"Look after them. That deceiving creature... I'll go and meet it!" angrily roared Big Leader Xu Kuang.

"Big leader..." Hai Qie and Huang Mang looked at Big Leader Xu Kuang.

Big Leader Xu Kuang stepped forward and broke away from the navy legion. He was going by himself into the depths of the dusky Yellow Springs Path!!

Xu Kuang continued forward. He walked and walked and the darkness around him seemed to grow denser.

Suddenly, Xu Kuang's footsteps came to a halt. He flung his navy legion windbreaker and turned around to glance at the navy legion.

"Hmph, disappeared." Xu Kuang coldly humphed.

All of the navy members had disappeared!

Suddenly, only Big Leader Xu Kuang was left on Yellow Springs Path. He, alone, stood on this spacious path enshrouded in darkness.

Big Leader Xu Kuang coldly swept his eyes around him. He knew that it was himself that had disappeared.

"Yellow Springs, get your ass out here. Fight me, Xu Kuang!" Big Leader Xu Kuang mustered up his courage and loudly roared down Yellow Springs Path.

"Fight me, Xu Kuang!"

"Fight me, Xu Kuang!"

Xu Kuang's voice echoed through the Yellow Springs Cave and slowly spread into the distance.

Big Leader Xu Kuang continued forward.

However, the moment his angry echo disappeared, a lonely figure suddenly appeared in front of Xu Kuang!

Yellow Springs!!

Xu Kuang's eyes instantly changed. He stared ahead of him and his heart began to violently beat.

It had finally appeared!

The final guardian of Yellow Springs Path. The strongest demon of the second Demonic Burial Mound.

Chapter 1264: Yellow Springs Path, Hopeless Fight

"Where did you put my navy members. If anything has happened to them, I'll use your life as a sacrifice for them!" BIg Leader Xu Kuang pointed at Yellow Springs and spoke. He wouldn't show anymore emotion even if he had more.

Yellow Springs stepped forward and slowly neared Big Leader Xu Kuang.

A pair of extremely cold eyes pierced through the darkness, staring at Big Leader Xu Kuang.

Xu Kuang looked at Yellow Springs' eyes. There were no emotions there. No savagery, no pride, no contempt. The only thing there was a stagnant coldness and darkness.

Whether a person was an expert could be discerned through his eyes when he fought an enemy.

As for whether a soul pet was powerful could also be discerned through its eyes. The calm and unrestrained emotions in Big Leader Xu Kuang's eyes were an act; however, the coldness in Yellow Springs' eyes were not concealed to any degree. It was impossible to see any emotions in its eyes. There wasn't even a trace of hostility!

The more he looked, the more the defenses in Xu Kuang's heart would easily give way.

Xu Kuang didn't dare stare any longer at Yellow Springs. Instead, he chanted an incantation, summoning his strongest soul pet.

He refused to look down on the second Demonic Burial Mound's strongest demon.

As the incantation rapidly finished, a soul pattern appeared in front of him and a wild beast covered in armor emerged.

A Warbeast!

Xu Kuang had summoned a Warbeast.

Obviously, this Warbeast was much stronger than Border Commander Wu Zhen's. This was evident through its gait and its cracked armor!

Yellow Springs was indifferent towards Xu Kuang's summon and just calmly looked at it.

The Warbeast was savage, ruthless and emanated a wild aura.

However, no matter how much this peak dominatorank Warbeast growled and roared, Yellow Springs' eyes didn't change. It maintained its unsettling coldness.

Xu Kuang was conceited and wanted only the Warbeast to fight Yellow Springs. Yet, he knew the Warbeast wasn't Yellow Springs' opponent. The terrifyingly calm aura of Yellow Springs allowed it to look down on the restlessness and uneasiness in the Warbeast's heart.

Xu Kuang chanted another aura, this time dual summoning two high class dominator ranks.

The two high class dominators were the Light Pupil Giant and the Chaos Wood Demon.

After Xu Kuang summoned his three soul pets, he immediately discovered that Yellow Springs' eyes had finally moved.

Once the movement passed, XU Kuang suddenly discovered the hasty sounds of footsteps behind him.

Xu Kuang abruptly turned around and discovered Leader Hai Qie, Ocean Commander Hu, Sang Ying, Xia Zhixian and Chao Lengchuan all running towards him.

"Big Leader... are you alright?" worriedly asked Hai Qie.

The others all nervously looked at Big Leader Xu Kuang. Seeing that he was safe and sound, they calmed down. At least Xu Kuang still hadn't lost.

Xu Kuang gave a simple response, but kept his gaze on Yellow Springs. Feeling slightly humiliated he said: "You intentionally let them in?"

These people had all appeared after Yellow Springs' eyes had moved. Moreover, the only people that had appeared were those still with fighting strength left.

Yellow Springs' intentions were very clear. Yet, this made Xu Kuang feel humiliated and angry.

'This... this is Yellow Springs!" finally, Hai Qie discovered the lonely figure ahead in the darkness.

Only the front half of this lonely figure could be seen. The back half was hidden in darkness. But it was faintly possible to see incredible bloody marks on its face!

These bloody marks were strangely distorting and spreading over the front half of its body, making it even more demonic!

"Where are the others?" Xu Kuang suppressed the emotions in his heart and asked Hai Qie a question.

"After you left, nobody else disappeared. We organized them together." responded Hai Qie.

Yellow Springs was definitely very strong and Hai Qie felt like they had to mobilize all possible strength.

"Leave them there." Xu Kuang shook his head.

Xu Kuang wasn't stupid. He knew that if Yellow Springs wanted to, even if he organized all of his forces, it could just make people disappear again.

"Let's fight!" Xu Kuang said in a low voice to the people next to him.

Prince Chao, Xia Zhixian and Sang Ying summoned their soul pets. Hai Qie wasn't slow on summoning either and quickly summoned three high class dominator rank soul pets.

Leader Hai Qie's strength was inferior only to Big Leader Xu Kuang in 3rd Navy Legion. Her three soul pets made Prince Chao very surprised.

Xu Kuang didn't hold back and continued summoning, this time summoning two high class dominator rank soul pets.

Quintuple control was the limit of all soul pet trainers. Even if one reached higher remembrances in the spirit dominator rank, it was only possible to control five soul pets at once.

Xu Kuang had summoned one peak dominator rank Warbeast and four high class dominators. This was truly powerful!

Prince Chao had summoned his Thousand Wave Beast. After being healed by Xia Zhixian, its fighting strength recovered to about seventy or eighty percent.

Sang Ying had a water type high class dominator.

In normal border territories, possessing a high class dominator was the lowest requirement to be a Border Commander. This was already extremely strong. But in front of Yellow Springs, they were insignificant people.

"Don't be too impatient." Xu Kuang ordered the others.

Paramita, Three Roads and Forgotten River had the strength to instakill high class dominators. If any one of them were to make a mistake, there would be a soul pet instakilled!

After Xu Kuang finished speaking, he gave his Warbeast an order!

The Warbeast's speed was incapable of being compared with a peak dominator rank dominator. Nonetheless, when it ran, it was full of strength and after it locked onto an enemy, it would form an invisible pressure that prevented enemies from dodging.

Only, this pressure was ineffective on Yellow Springs.

Yellow Springs shifted its body and easily dodged the Warbeast's berserk-looking attack.

The other high class dominator rank soul pets completed their techniques already and they started attacking Yellow Springs from a distance away.

Yellow Springs swept his eyes over the onslaughting techniques. It added a bit more speed and left a beautiful series of afterimages as it slipped through the cracks in techniques...

"Hong hong hong!!!!!!!!"

High class dominator rank creature's techniques had incredibly high destructive force. They would cover the entire Yellow Springs Path.

However, they still weren't able to harm Yellow Springs at all.

"Sou~~"

Suddenly, Yellow Springs disappeared in place and the Warbeast's Steel Shattering technique was dodged again!

Immediately after, diagonal to the Thousand Wave Beast, the cold and solitary demon appeared.

A white light flashed and before the Thousand Wave Beast could react, it was struck by the quick white light!

"Pai!!!!"

The attack struck the Thousand Wave Beast's side armor and a terrifying gash appeared there. It penetrated all the way to the bone and even more terrifying, as the Thousand Wave Beast went flying, its full golden body of armor completely shattered. Even the void armor that subsequently appeared was incapable of stopping the attack!

"Beng!!!!"

The Thousand Wave Beast's enormous body collapsed to the ground. On the side of its body was a startling bloody gash that wasn't in a fatal location, but prevented it from standing up. It was unknown whether it was alive or dead.

Prince Chao was stunned. He didn't even see how Yellow Springs had attacked his Thousand Wave Beast!

Not far away, Xu Kuang glanced at the collapsed Thousand wave Beast and felt even more uneasy.

Although the Thousand Wave Beast was a high class dominator, its innate armored beast attribute made its defense higher than other high class domiantors. Added on its Void Armor technique, even a peak dominator would normally need two or three techniques to knock it down. However, the thick armor seemed like it didn't exist to Yellow Springs.

One attack and its collapsed. Who knew whether it was dead or alive.

"It... it disappeared again!" Leader Hai Qie anxiously yelled out.

"Pai!!!"

"Pai!!!"

"Pai!!!"

Three crisp sounds immediately rang out and a white light appeared on the sides of Hai Qie's three high class dominator rank soul pet standing together and releasing techniques.

The white light was as fast as lightning. After sweeping by the three high class dominators, their skins were split open and they collapsed to the ground.

Hai Qie looked on with wide eyes and couldn't believe that her three soul pets had collapsed into a pool of blood. Her eyes were filled with shock and fear.

"How... how is this possible!" involuntarily cried out Hai Qie.
Big Leader Xu Kuang saw that Hai Qie had been instantly defeated, and couldn't help but suck in a breath.

Yellow Springs' strength was more than double the strength of the previous guardian!

"Pai!!!"

Another white light flashed. Sang Ying's water type dominator that had only used one technique was smashed to the top of the cave and was firmly stuck up there.

Sang Ying looked up at his soul pet in astonishment.

"War Punishment!" Big Leader Xu Kuang angrily roared and ordered his Warbeast to attack.

The Warbeast's powerful body transformed into a terrifying execution blade that when brandished, emitted a bloody and fiendish aura. It chopped down where Yellow Springs was.

Yellow Springs body was about to dodge.

However, Big Leader Xu Kuang had already ordered his other four high class dominators to surround it and restrict its movements.

The Yellow Springs demon's defense wasn't strong. If the Warbeast was able to strike it head on, it would be able to deal enough damage.

The four high class dominators successfully managed to delay Yellow Springs' evasion. When the visibly powerful execution blade neared Yellow Springs, an invisible force appeared on Yellow Springs' body that quickly samshed towards the truculent Warbeast.

Suddenly, the Warbeast's forward charging movement came to a halt, and it was almost incapable of moving even further towards Yellow Springs!

The Demon Imprisonment was too terrifying given that it was able to lock the violent charging Warbeast in place.

As another peak dominator, the Warbeast was powerless in front of Yellow Springs.

Big Leader Xu Kuang had already prepared his heart for a low chance of victory, but he never expected the discrepancy in strength to be so large!

Chapter 1265: Yellow spring Road: Night and Yellow Spring

The corpse army was not too far away from Chu Mu. With the appearance of dominator rank corpses, the entire corpse army piled up again.

Mo Xie's energy could intimidate them for a while, but could never fully stop the corpse army's advance.

"Let's go." Chu Mu stepped forward in silver flames towards the Yellow Spring.

Little Mo Xie was tired after the battle as well. She leaped onto Chu Mu's shoulder and curled up. After sipping the medicine Chu Mu gave her, she started lightly licking her wounds to spread the medicine out evenly.

"I don't know their situation. If they haven't beaten the yellow spring yet...." Princess Jin Rou was worried.

Chu Mu looked back at the corpse army. With their speed, it wouldn't take longer than an hour to devour yellow spring's position.

After flying for a while, Chu Mu saw the lonely standing yellow spring plaque.

"No sounds of fighting, is it over?" Chu Mu muttered to himself.

Flying past the yellow spring plaque, the corpse army was thrown a good distance behind.

"Chu Mu, look." Suddenly, Princess Jin Rou pointed at the yellow spring road said.

Chu Mu glanced over and noticed that there were many navy members and soul pets laying on the ground of the road!

These navy members all were alive, but were laying on the road as if they lost their senses.

"There's more ahead." Princess JIn Rou said.

Chu Mu glanced over and noticed that almost every few meters was a member. This strange phenomenon was something Chu Mu couldn't explain.

"They aren't dead but the corpse army will still run them over." Princess Jin Rou said.

Chu Mu nodded and chanted an incantation to summon the devil tree battle soldier.

Chu Mu told devil tree battle soldier to use its roots to grab all the navy members and soul pets to drag them away.

Devil Tree battle Soldier's roots could become thousands of roots. It could grab as many navy members as it needed.

Continuing forward, the entire yellow spring road was still silent- so silent it was scary.

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"Great leader..... Give up.... We... we aren't its match." Leader Hai Qie said, utterly dejected.

Great leader Xu Kuang stood there silently, already showing despair!

A total of nine top tier dominator ranks and one top tier dominator rank, this was an absolutely formidable force that could sweep through almost any dominator rank organism.

However, they failed.

In fact, they could not even damage the yellow spring at all!

The strongest demon of second demon burial mound! This power was already beyond its superior rank. Its powerful fighting strength caused Xu Kuang to feel like a speck of dust the entire time.

All the dominator rank soul pets were already fallen. Yellow Spring was still standing there coldly. Without any emotions shown, the aura of pride already caused everyone to feel as if this Yellow Spring were a massive ice mountain, cold and insurmountable!

Great leader Xu Kuang bit down hard, and glanced behind him.

Though he couldn't see anything, he knew that there were four thousand navy members behind him!

They were all brought out of Wupan Continent and into this island to fight for him. They had sacrificed soul pets they viewed as lifelong friends. If he couldn't even bring them safely home, how was he still worthy of them?

"Great leader, Zhen Wu must have been intentionally tricking us.... He must know how powerful these protectors and yet still sent us over...." Leader Hai Qie said angrily.

This Demon Crown definitely wasn't because third rank navy wasn't strong enough. It's because these four protectors truly were too powerful. Such an organism could only be dealt with by the second rank navy!

After Paramita, Three Roads, the navy's army was already wounded. If not for Chu Mu and the others' intervention, their navy likely would have stopped at Forgotten Creek.

However, even now, so what if they could make it to yellow spring? Both were top tier dominator ranks, Yellow Spring could defeat them as if they were a bunch of toddlers.

In fact, yellow spring didn't even bother taking their lives after defeating them.

"Huhuhu"

Suddenly, a silver flame came from the darkness behind.

This flame seemed to break through some energy and fly straight towards Xu Kuang. There was a soft beautiful spectral figure beside the devil flame figure.

"Chu Mu!" Chao Lengchuan noticed Chu Mu flying over and a sliver of joy came onto his defeated face.

Since Chu Mu flew over, it must mean that he defeated Forgotten Creek.

Xu Kuang saw that Chu Mu was confused too. There should be a demon realm around this place already. Others shouldn't be able to enter at all. Yet, Chu Mu and the female demon easily broke through.

Chu Mu fell before them and glanced over them.

"What happened?" Chu Mu asked.

"We lost. Utterly. From beginning to end, we couldn't even hurt the Yellow Spring a single bit. The Yellow Spring only used a few techniques.... However, for some reason, it didn't kill us." Chao Lengchuan said in a low voice.

"We picked up a lot of navy members on the way, why were they all unconscious?" Princess Jin Rou asked.

Hai Qie explained the situation with the navy members along the way.

"It's an illusion." Princess Jin Rou said.

"What illusion?" Hai Qie asked confused.

"You may have entered the Yellow Spring's illusion at the very beginning. The members weren't disappearing one by one. They were getting their fear amplified until their minds were overloaded, and they went unconscious. They probably dropped from the team long ago and those that followed were probably just illusions." Princess Jin Rou said.

Chu Mu and Princess JIn Rou hadn't entered the the yellow spring territory for a long time, but Hai Qie just said they spent a long time walking.

This meant that they must have spent a long time on the illusions created by Yellow Spring. The illusions combined with the actual road were nearly indistinguishable!

Chu Mu and Princess Jin Rou lifted all the navy members along the way, counting three thousand people. This means that the vast majority of navy members probably weren't in the team. Maybe only the few navy members that came to report the disappearances were real.

After hearing Princess Jin Rou's explanation, Xu Kuang was in even greater sweat. He stared, shocked, at the unmoving cold Yellow Spring.

From the very beginning, Yellow Spring created an illusion. However, even until they were completely defeated did they not realize it was such a terrifying demon!!

Princess Jin Rou and the rest of them were all explaining when Chu Mu had already walked towards the Yellow Spring.

"Chu Mu.... it's very strong...." Chao Lengchuan tried to call for Chu Mu,.

Xu Kuang utterly lost. There was no chance of winning this fight.

Chu Mu ignored Chao Lengchuan and continued walking over.

A mysterious and terrifying aura shrouded the Yellow Spring. Its appearance was hidden. Only its deep and black eyes pierced through with an emotionless gaze.

"Chu Mu...."

Everyone watched as Chu Mu walked towards the Yellow Spring, their hearts lifting up into their throat.

Was Chu Mu about to challenge it?

But, after the Forgotten Creek Battle, how did Chu Mu still have strength to fight the yellow Spring?

Chu Mu seemed in a trance as he walked step by step towards the Yellow Spring. No matter how everyone else called for him, he didn't respond.

"Go check on him quickly!" Xia Zhixian hurriedly asked Princess Jin Rou.

"His consciousness is clear." Princess JIn Rou said with confidence. His gaze passed through the shroud and looked at the yellow spring and her expression changed slightly and continued, "But this yellow spring....."

"What about the Yellow Spring?" Chao Lengchuan and Xia Zhixian were both utterly lost.

"I think I've seen this yellow spring somewhere before....." Princess Jin Rou put down her head and thought for a bit.

Xu Kuang and Hai Qie were both drawn over by Princess Jin Rou's words. They all put their attention onto her.

Finally, Princess Jin Rou remembered. Her beautiful face was instantly overtaken with shock as her spirited eyes glinted with disbelief!

No one knew why Princess Jin Rou had such a sudden shift of emotions.

"I ..... I remember now!" PRincess Jin Rou yelled out.

Back in Jia City, Chu Mu used a dream beast that could harness darkness to kidnap her.

The person that kidnapped her, she naturally would never forget. Similarly, the dream beast was also someone Princess Jin Rou had a deep impression of. And in the following interactions, she could often see it used as Chu Mu's ride!

Yet at this time, she found that the yellow spring under the shadows was the Night Thunder Dream Beast. Though blood markings were all over its head, Princess Jin Rou was sure it was the same dream beast!

"Night Thunder Dream Beast!!"

"Night Thunder Dream Beast, isn't that a commander rank demon?" Hai Qie asked, confused.

"Commander rank demon?" Xu Kuang was also shocked as he looked back at the yellow spring.

Did he really just lose to a commander species rank dream beast?

Paramita, Three Roads, Forgotten Creek, any one of these protectors were at least dominator rank in species. Yet, the ifnal Yellow Spring was a commander rank demon?

That wasn't even the main point. The more shocking thing was the soul pet that chu Mu lost was a Night Thunder Dream Beast. All this way, looking around and walking the path of his soul pet, chu Mu was trying to find back the Night Thunder Dream Beast that had failed the challenge of second demon burial mound.....

Yet now, the final protector is that very same Night Thunder Dream Beast!!

"It.... Yellow Spring.... Yellow Spring is the soul pet Chu Mu was looking for. Chu Mu's soul pet is that Yellow Spring!" Princess Jin Rou pointed and said.

Princess Jin Rou's words caused everyone to be shocked as they turned their heads in equal disbelief!

At the same time, Chu Mu was in front of the cold Yellow Spring.

Though it was just a back image, they still recognized each other. Chu Mu's emotions rippled wildly.

The Yellow Spring seemed frozen, but its dark, night-like pupils quietly melted.

These eyes were emotionless no matter how many hardships, pains, bitterness, loneliness it had to withstand. Yet, when Chu Mu walked over, it couldn't stand it anymore.

Its black eyes instantly melted into tears as burning tears rolled down its cheeks! Chapter 1266: Yellow Spring Road: Ancient Raccoon Man Chu Mu's emotions were tumultuous.

The rip in his soul pact caused Chu Mu to feel painful tearing in his soul as if a person were ripping it apart!

He really thought that Night had died. He was following Night's steps to know just where it had fallen.

However, what caused Chu Mu to be elated was Night didn't fall down. It was standing right in front of him!

On Tianxia Plain, Night's running back image caused Chu Mu to tear up. Now that he saw night again, he felt a wave of excitement wash over him and his eyes were again wettened.

Chu Mu extended a hand to rub Night's Dream horn.

Today, night's dream horn was very mature with an intricate arc and complicated spirals.

Even Chu Mu couldn't remember how many years its been since he rubbed this smooth dream horn. He had brought it off of an island in eternal ocean and stepped onto the vast continent.

They fought through Luo Region together, passed through Great Chu Family, crossed Western Realm, ran around Li City during the competition, stepped through Tianxia city under the moonlight.....

Run, go beyond limits, stroll through moonlight, dart through the darkness- Night was an elegant dancer of the night, as well as a demon adept at controlling the dream realm.

Chu Mu rubbed its dream horn, touched its forehead, and stroked its neck.

He touched its malevolent red markings. Chu Mu remembered clearly that Night had a coat of soft black fur. This blood red marking didn't belong to it.

"What are these?" Old Li pointed at the blood red marks and suddenly felt a feeling of death pass through his entire body.

"Hui~~~~" Night let out a call, not letting Chu Mu touch the markings.

Suddenly, Night turned around, its white tail swaying in the darkness.

Chu Mu blanked briefly and before he could react, Night suddenly disappeared into the darkness, its white feather like tail flashing past like a bolt of lightning.

Chu Mu wanted to chase after it, but he couldn't feel any mental waves.

With the soul pact broken, Chu Mu couldn't detect Night's emotions nor detect its location. Chu Mu stood in place blankly as he watched Night swiftly disappear. He stared into the darkness absentmindedly.

"Night didn't die, but why did our soul pact break." Chu Mu said to himself, lost.

At such a rank, Chu Mu had a deeper understanding of the relationship between soul pet trainer and their soul pet.

Soul pets weren't a soul pet trainer's final servant. Many soul pets have to get through a weak phase. After they get stronger, they will still finally decide to return to their own place and sever their contract with their human.

This was demon burial mound, Night's true belonging. He brought night out from that island in eternal ocean long ago. Night didn't die but broke their contract. Did this mean that Night wanted to stay in this demon burial mound?

Chu Mu didn't chase after it because he never would have thought a soul pet he spent day and night for years would choose to leave him.

"Chu Mu..... is that yellow spring.... Is it really your soul pet?" Chao Lengchuan came by Chu Mu and asked.

Xu Kuang and the others also walked by. They similarly couldn't believe this fourth protector, Yellow Spring, was the soul pet Chu Mu was looking for. However, didn't chu Mu say it failed its challenge already?

Princess Jin Rou stared at Chu Mu. She was using mind reading to understand Chu Mu's emotions, but Chu Mu's emotions were so complicated even Princess Jin Rou couldn't describe it.

"What's happening. Is the Yellow Spring Chu Mu's soul pet, and why did it suddenly leave?" Chao Lengchuan saw Chu Mu not reply and turned to Princess Jin Rou.

"It once was. Before Chu Mu became a devil in Tianixa City, he sent three of his soul pets away. Now that he has awakened, two of those three came back, which were Zhan Ye and little Hidden Dragon. Only this Night Thunder Dream Beast remained outside. This time coming out, Chu Mu wanted to find it and get it back. However, the moment he got to the demon burial mound, he felt his soul pact break....." Princess Jin Rou said.

This was all what Princess Jin Rou heard from Ye Qingzi, the events that happened after Tianxia City's events.

"Longlonglong~~~~ Gegege~~~~~"

The cave and yellow spring road started shaking violently.

This massive shaking awakened all the unconscious members. They all thought they were dead already but woke up to being dragged around by a Devil Tree Battle Soldier.

"Corpse army!!!"

Suddenly, a navy member yelled out!

Having just awoken to face the corpse army, they panickly rode their soul pets towards where Chu Mu was standing!

The great leader Xu Kuang heard the noise behind and furrowed his brows.

If the Yellow Spring really were Chu Mu's soul pet, they still had a sliver of chance. However, if the Yellow Spring didn't let them pass the Yellow Spring Road, everyone here would have to die!

"Great leader..... Great leader..... They're coming!"

"They're about to be here!!"

The navy all yelled out in fear!

They quickly congregated around Xu Kuang. Xu Kuang glanced deep into Yellow Spring road and found that its figure already was gone. Immediately, he tried to bring everyone through the yellow spring road.

However, at this moment, Yellow spring's black body appeared again!

Xu Kuang paused slightly. After understanding how powerful the yellow spring was, he didn't dare walk anymore forward.

Facing the corpse army, they may be able to defend for a while, but they would instantly collapse in front of this Yellow Spring.

Night appeared in front of Chu Mu. After glancing at Chu Mu, it suddenly sped up past everyone towards the corpse army.

"It wants to stop the corpse army for us." Princess Jin Rou captured Night's thoughts and quickly said to Chu Mu.

Chu Mu nodded but gazed straight forward.

Night appeared again and Chu Mu saw a shadow

Chu Mu remembered that after the shadow beast was defeated, an extremely fast figure appeared to save the shadow beast.

At first, Chu Mu thought it may be Forgotten Creek or Yellow Spring. Now, he knew there clearly was a fifth protector on this road!

This figure was walking towards Chu Mu and was getting closer.....

"Humans, you shouldn't have come here....."

Suddenly, an ancient voice came from ahead!

Chu Mu, Xu Kuang, Hai Qie, Chao Lengchuan, Xia Zhixian, and Sang Ying were all stunned as their gaze fell on the figure walking over.

It was an organism that knew the human language!

A short figure with a wooden stick and a strange robe walked over. It looked like an ancient man, short and skinny.

It slowly walked out of the darkness. Chao Lengchuan, Xia Zhixian, and Sang Ying's expressions immeidately changed because they noticed that it is very similar to the Old Li that always follows Chu Mu around!

Raccoon head, short body, short limbs. Other than being slightly older than Old Li, it really was similar in many regards.

Chu Mu was also shocked!

This was just an older Old Li!

Chu Mu always thought that Old Li was a unique creature, yet an organism just like Old Li had just appeared.

"Old Li...." Chu Mu tried to call Old Li out.

Strangely, Old Li didn't appear.

Usually, Old Li always hid in one of Chu Mu's spatial rings, whether it was a soul capture ring or just a spatial ring, but for some reason Chu Mu couldn't find him no matter what, as if he disappeared into thin air.

"No need to be confused. Your human language isn't a hard one to learn." The ancient raccoon man walked before them.

"You.... you're a protector here? Those texts were written by you?" Xu Kuang asked with surprise.

This was the demon burial mound island. Those words definitely had to be written by those who know ancient human civilization. Xu Kuang was confused at first about where those texts came from too.

"Yes, because I noticed more and more humans trying to get through demon burial mound." The ancient Raccoon Man said.

After speaking, Old Li looked at where the corpse armies came from. Seeming to feel everyones' anxiety, it smiled, "Don't worry, yellow spring won't let those corpses get near. All of you follow me if you don't want to die....."

As they spoke, the ancient raccoon man walked forward with short steps deeper into Yellow Springs Road.

For some reason, the road seemed much shorter with the ancient raccoon man leading the way. It wasn't too long when they arrived at a light screen!

This light screen came down from the top of the cave, causing the entire cave to be bright!

At the center of the light screen was a rock. This rock had an arced crown on top of it!!

"The demon crown!" Xu Kuang stared at the crown and said excitedly.

Old Li looked around and let out a light laugh, "Don't even think about the demon crown. You lost already and don't deserve it."

The great leader xu Kuang opened his mouth for a moment before shutting it again.

Compared to the demon crown, Xu Kuang was more worried about how they were going to leave this place. He wasn't going to let the entire army die here!

"Alright, stay here. Don't walk into places the screen covers either." The ancient raccoon man said.

They all did as he said. After all, they had lost severely after the battles.

"Second Demon Burial Mound is a path onto immortality. Any organism can come to challenge it, including humans." Ancient raccoon man leaped onto a rock and said to everyone.

"This road has a large corpse army. They aren't just any organism; they are the failed attemptors of the challenge. Presumably you have noticed that there are also human corpses amongst the army....."

Hearing this, the members all sucked in a breath. If they had died before, would they also become thoughtless corpses with no memory or consciousness apart from devouring flesh?

Chapter 1267: Night, The Expert Standing Until the End (1)

"Through the corpse graves is Yellow Springs Path that you are currently challenging. The Yellow Springs Path is the true gate of death. All powerful demons are buried here."

"Haha, you must be surprised why Paramita, Three Roads, Forgotten River and Yellow Springs are so strong, right?"

"The reason is very simple. Paramita, Three Roads, Forgotten River and Yellow Springs are the four strongest demons chosen out of all the challenging demons!"

"Entering Immortal Heavenly Realm is easier said than done. It's more than just defeating the four guardians. All challenging demons must defeat the four guardians and then replace their guardian position. WIthin a span of four years, if they haven't been replaced by another demon, they will have the qualifications to wear the demon crown and enter Demonic Burial Mound's inner island." the old raccoon man pointed at the demon crown in the screen of light.

Defeating the guardians and then replacing them for four years was a demanding requirement. It was no wonder the second Demonic Burial Mound's precipice had so many graves.

"Long long long long long~~~~~"

The shaking turned incomparably violent and all of the navy members turned their heads in shock.

Everyone discovered that the large corpse army was no longer far from them. They could feel that an enormous bone dragon was at the front of the large corpse army, violently charging forwards.

A dense corpse aura filled Yellow Springs Path. If one were to stand there, he or she would probably choke to death.

In the spacious Yellow Springs Path, a lonely and cold figure stood there. Compared to the entire large corpse army, its body was insignificantly small. However, the demon aura it released made it look like an enormous ice mountain that the large corpse army was unable to traverse!

The boundless large corpse army pressed onwards, but the lonely black figure remained standing there, not moving an inch!

"Hui!!!!!!"

Suddenly, a demonic dream cry rang out.

The prideful noise suppressed the loud rumbling of the large corpse army. The cry was filled with power as it reverberated around Yellow Springs Path.

A black dream soul suddenly appeared. Big Leader Xu Kuang astonishingly discovered that Yellow Springs' body was enshrouded by an enormous night soul. It was like its body had transformed into a night demon that dominated everything. In its kingly state, it looked down on the restless corpse army.

Night's cry seemed to make time stop. The tide-like corpse army that devoured everything came to a sudden halt a hundred meters away from Night.

The corpse creatures leading the charge were dominator ranks. However, when they saw Yellow Springs, none of them dared show any rash movements, nor did they dare take another step forward.

It was possible to see the fear in the eyes of these savage creatures. Their bodies were unconsciously bowing down!

The thousands of spectators all showed expressions of shock after the large corpse army froze in place. This was a domineering scene. An enormous army stopping because of a single cry.

Everyone's eyes fell on Night. As they looked at its lonely figure, the shock in their hearts didn't calm for a long while.

This was Yellow Springs. The second Demonic Burial Mound's strongest demon!!

An imposing creature that could stun a large corpse army of tens of thousands!

It was a long while before Big Leader Xu Kuang came back to his senses. He knew that when he had fought against Yellow Springs just now, Yellow Springs hadn't used its full strength.

Xu Kuang looked in disbelief at Chu Mu.

This Yellow Springs was really his soul pet?

If this was the case, this fellow had a fox noble that could defeat Forgotten River and the strongest demon in the second Demonic Burial Mound. This was a terrifying amount of strength!

"Brath, you're the original master of Yellow Springs, right?" the old raccoon man's voice slowly came out.

Chu Mu returned to his senses and nodded his head.

"I've paid attention to Yellow Springs for a long time. I began to pay attention once it stepped onto Demonic Burial Mound because I smelled the scent of someone from my species. I presume that it was this fellow who guided you to Demonic Burial Mound, right?" said the old raccoon man.

"Old Li?" Chu Mu could only think of Old Li. But for some reason, this rotten old man refused to appear.

"You should understand that there are too many demons in Demonic Burial Mound with outstanding innate talent. But even if they are dominator rank species, there will be many who die a premature death. Thus, it will be extremely difficult for a commander rank demon to survive in a land of the powerful like this." "I can't help but admit that I underestimated its toughness, perseverance, and determination. When it first entered Demonic Burial Mound, it was weak. But this island that is full of opportunities and resources also gave it, an indomitable soul pet, the greatest room to grow!

"Its strength managed to fly in a short few years. It went from being on the outskirts of the island to the first Demonic Burial Mound where it stayed an entire year. Allmost every day it would attempt the precipice, trying to find a path that would allow it to enter the precipice!"

"I've been here for several hundred years and have seen countless strong soul pets. However, a soul pet as dedicated as it is truly rare."

"There was a time when it challenged the first Demonic Burial Mound's precipice and only had a single breath remaining. Hiding its aura, it hid in a tree hole. I thought that it would give up after this so I appeared in front of it and told it that reaching the peak emperor rank was enough already." slowly narrated the old raccoon man.

Chu Mu stared at Night who was blocking the large corpse army, refusing to move away.

While the large corpse army had been stunned by Night, a few high class dominator corpse leaders were letting out sharp cries. Obviously, they wanted to challenge Yellow Springs' dignity!

These corpses were all challengers who had failed. Even in death, the resentment in their souls pushed them to challenge the guardians.

Night had already been challenged by these dominator rank corpses. There were a total of twenty high class dominator rank corpses. They were looking with fear at Night, while Night calmly stood

there. It was exactly like when it had faced Xu Kuang and the others: like an unmoving and grand icy mountain!

"These reckless resentment corpses!" berated the old raccoon man.

The old raccoon man paused briefly before continuing: "You should be able to guess what happened next. Although it nearly died, after it recovered, it began to challenge the first Demonic Burial Mound precipice again."

"In the end, I ignored this obstinate fellow and instead sent the Paramita of that time to continue watching over it. Everyone once in a while, Paramita would tell me that it lost, it lost, it lost... I was confused then what made it so willing to persevere. What on earth was making it so obstinate?"

"But when I was used to its defeats, or perhaps it's more apt to say when I was just waiting for news of its death, there was suddenly a day when Paramita told me that it climbed to the top of the precipice and entered Demonic Burial Mound's middle island!"

The old raccoon man stroked his own beard. He squinted his eyes and looked with a sliver of appreciation at Night who was fighting with the resentment corpses.

"Demonic Burial Mound's middle island. This place is full of even more opportunities, but is also filled with more cruel competition."

"Once it climbed the precipice, it became a weakling again and had to seek survival again at the lowest level..."

"I looked after it a little, but whether it was able to enter the peak dominator rank ultimately was up to itself."

"Truthfully speaking, I really never thought it would be able to survive nor that its strength would fly up. This probably has something to do with its nomadic bloodline..."

At the same time, Night was weaving through the resentment corpses which would immediately shatter right after.

Night's attacks were extremely strange. Before the corpses around a resentment corpse had reacted, that resentment corpse would be instakilled. It was fast and sharp as well as without any warning.

"That's its signature technique, Demon Dream Shatter. Many dominator rank demons on the middle island that looked down on it would perish under this attack." said the old raccoon man.

Listening to the old raccoon man's description, Chu Mu was able to imagine the hardships Night endured after entering Demonic Burial Mound's middle island. Indeed, there were high species rank demons all over the middle island and it would suffer bullying, contempt and exclusion...

Night's cold eyes were not trained from slaughter, instead, they were the result of being bullied and looked down on by stronger creatures.

"Demonic Burial Mound is like this. As long as your species rank is low, you can only endure everything and carefully survive. Nonetheless, at the very end, you will be able to trample upon your enemies because there are too many unknown factors on this island!" "Night was able to kill its enemies and steal xuan items from their territories. It managed to flee from the pursuit of enormous demon armies and lower its head and swallow its words under the bullying of stronger demons..."

"I don't know if you've ever experienced this. It takes an intense strain on the mind. To obtain a xuan item, the price is a body full of wounds. Yet, because a stronger soul pet suddenly appeared, in order to survive, you must give up this xuan item."

The old raccoon man's words caused Chu Mu's heart to tremble.

The feeling it must have left was painful and disturbing. Indeed, it was already incredibly difficult to obtain a xuan item.

"It has its pride, but understood when to lower its head. This is something many demons with high species ranks are unable to do. Therefore, it managed to survive and those demons that ridiculed, looked down and bullied it were eventually trampled under its feet. Just like those pitiful resentment corpses. Why wouldn't there be demons among the corpses that once trampled it under their feet?" the old raccoon man pointed at the resentment corpses that were being defeated one by one.

The path of survival and the path of experts were filled with bumps, hardships and a mix of blood and tears. Only by surviving until the end could one become a genuine expert!

Xu Kuang and the others were listening to the old raccoon man's description. Initially, they were astonished by Yellow Springs' species rank. Indeed, the Night Thunder Dream Beast was a commander rank.

But after listening to the old raccoon man's description, they suddenly understood that the Yellow Springs of today that was powerful enough to look down on all dominator rank creatures had walked an extremely bumpy path.

Its power wasn't innate. In fact, it merely possessed a weak commander bloodline.

However, it had walked to the end!

It had become the current Yellow Springs, the strongest demon of Demonic Burial Mound's middle island!

Chapter 1268: Night, The Expert Standing Until the End (2)

"Of course, this was only part of the process. Do you know why that large corpse army is so afraid of it? Is it really because it is Yellow River?" continued the old raccoon man.

Chu Mu shook his head. He didn't understand. The large corpse army had an extremely high amount of numbers. If they wanted to break through Yellow Springs Path, Night wouldn't be able to stop them.

However, the large corpse army had stopped. It refused to move forward. Only those with higher resentment aura dared challenge Night's dignity. However, those corpses would ultimately be trampled into pieces. They weren't Night's opponent.

"This story begins from when it began challenging Yellow Springs Path..." the old raccoon man continued his story. From his tone, his admiration and respect for Night could be heard.

"This path is filled with death. Even stronger demons than there are now will die. Moreover, once you step on this path, there's no method of return because the corpses that have met their eternal rest here are filled with resentment and will not permit defeated challengers to safely return to middle island."

"Back then, it had already stepped onto the peak of middle island. I thought that it would decide to become middle island's demon king. However, when it no longer had many opponents left on middle island, it without hesitation decided to step onto Yellow Springs Path. This was even after I told it this was a path of no return... "

"When it stepped on the path, there were a total of three demons that challenged the path with it. These three demons were the strongest existences on middle island and were also demons that wanted to surpass themselves! These three demons were the Angry Horn Devil, the Shadow Beast, and the Seven Sins Fox Rock Emperor..."

"This team of demons was very strong. The Angry Horn Devil defeated last generation's Paramita, the Shadow Beast beat the last generation's Three Roads and the Seven Sins Fox Rock Emperor defeated the last generation's Forgotten River. These three demons replaced the third guardian and are now defending Yellow Springs Path."

"However, Night which had strength equivalent to those three great demons was the one to challenge Yellow Springs."

"The last generation's Yellow Springs was also respected, and were once the strongest demon on middle island. Moreover, no demon was able to even shake it. The new generation's four strongest demons didn't have a great strength discrepancy between themselves, including Night. So when it challenged the last generation's Yellow Springs, it should have lost." At this point, the old raccoon man intentionally paused.

"And then?" Chao Lengchuan pressed.

Everyone was listening to Yellow Spring's path of growth. They were listening so intently they were entranced. All of these soul pet trainers had climbed up the cultivation path and those that had climbed from the very bottom empathized with the story.

"Obviously it defeated Yellow Springs in the end; otherwise, how would it have replaced the last generation's Yellow Springs?" said Hai Qie.

Everyone nodded their heads. This should be the case.

However, the old raccoon man shook his head and continued: "You guys are wrong. It lost and was completely defeated. Ultimately, it was tossed by Yellow Springs into the underground river next to it. Its corpse was washed away with the flow of water to the grave you guys walked in front of us earlier.

"Corp... corpse? It was defeated... and then killed?" Hai Qie's face was full of astonishment as she spoke.

Night was killed by the previous generation's Yellow Springs?

But if it was killed, why did it replace Yellow Springs? What else happened there?

"It died and its soul pact ruptured..." Chu Mu muttered to himself, dazed.

"Haha, Demonic Burial Mound. The graveyard for demons. Countless demons will die here. Even those I've watched over for so many years... they will still ultimately die. I find this rather regretful, but I also know this is only normal." the old raccoon man said.

Big Leader Xu Kuang nodded his head and said: "Before it died, it became one of the four strongest demons in middle island. This is an extremely high honor for demons. Demonic Burial Mound is both the graveyard for demons and also their homes. Many demons wish to be buried here upon death..."

"Haha, does death mean the end? At the beginning I thought that was the case too..." the old raccoon man laughed.

Death doesn't mean the end?

Everyone was confused. Was Night revived? However, the revival techniques in this world were held only in the extremely strong creatures' hands. Could it really be revived?

"It hasn't revived. It's the exact same as most corpses. It became a member of the graveyard and its body was absorbed into the river, transforming into a pile of white bones - a White Bone Dream Beast. However, different from all the other zombies in the graveyard, it didn't feel dejected, frightened or panicked. Instead, the first thing it did after climbing out from the pile of bones was to defeat the corpse type creatures around it!!" said the old raccoon man.

When he heard this, Chu Mu was stunned.

He never would have imagined that Night became a pile of white bones that then stood up and became a departed spirit Dream Beast!

Departed spirit creatures didn't appear simply from the refinement of a death aura. The creature's grievances had to be enormous. If Night was able to climb out of the white bones not long after death, it meant that its grievances were extremely deep!!

"When the vast majority of demons become a pile of white bones, they will lose their consciousness or their body will be possessed by grievance, which will spill over into greed and domination. On the one hand, they are unwilling to accept the terrifying reality of becoming a pile of white bones turned departed spirit and on the other hand, the lingering feeling of death in their hearts will cause them to wallow away in despair!"

"However, it was different. After becoming a White Bone Dream Beast, its strength took a great dip and it once more descended the lowest level of this realm."

"The truth is that I think that only the undying body of a departed spirit is capable of matching its unbending willpower."

"After becoming a White Bone Dream Beast, it didn't stop climbing. With its white bones, it kept climbing no matter how high the corpse mountain was. You guys can imagine the plethora of times its body was torn and bones were shattered. It had to endure this in order to climb to the top! Then, when its body was torn and bones were shattered, it would have to find and retrieve its bones back amidst the boundless corpse slaughter..."

The white bones were endless. There were tens of thousands of departed spirits here, accumulated over countless years. In this dark and sunless precipice cave, it was possible to imagine how insignificant a defeated demon was.

Chu Mu couldn't restrain his emotions. The only thing in his mind was Night's cold and emotionless black eyes that had been baptised through its rough experiences. Whether it was the Night Thunder Dream Beast or White Bone Dream Beast, its eyes would still flicker with the strongest unbending and unyielding radiance!

"As I said before, Demonic Burial Mound is full of opportunities. As long as you are able to survive..."

"This includes surviving in the departed spirit form!"

"As it climbed, it relied on its rank superiority from when it was alive and gradually defeated the corpse type experts in the precipice cave. It relied on its willpower to stand at the very top of the entire large corpse army and became the departed spirit general among tens of thousands of corpse and the strongest departed spirit in the entire precipice of the Demonic Burial Mound.

"When I heard the news for the Seven Sins Fox Rock Emperor, the shock in my heart was difficult to describe. I thought that it had fallen, but when I least expected it to, it reached the summit. It didn't matter if it fell to the lowly departed spirit realm, it was still going to stand at the very top!"

The old raccoon man's eyes glittered as it stared at Night. It was a long while before it continued:

"Now you do you understand why the large corpse army is afraid of it?"

Everyone thought that the large corpse army had stopped in its tracks because of the intimidation from the special status of Yellow Springs. Who would have thought that this Yellow Springs had actually climbed out from the large corpse army and was once a corpse leader?!

Its tyrannical nature from its past as a corpse leader was fully displayed. Indeed, of the twenty resentment corpses, there were not even ten remaining now.

The skeletons of the ten resentment corpses were scattered over Yellow Springs Path and they were being stepped on by Yellow Springs like carpets.

Despite the initial twenty resentment corpses surrounding it, Yellow Springs only had two light wounds on its body. Thus, before it did anything more, the ten remaining resentment corpses that were greatly inferior in strength began to tremble.

Each time their body was shattered, their strengths would decrease. Therefore, these resentment corpse leaders refused to attack Night.

Behind them, the large corpse army didn't dare step forward either. The one standing in front of them used to be the strongest departed spirit and there were many departed spirits that it had personally defeated.

Perhaps against an army of tens of thousands, the strongest departed spirit would ultimately be devoured, but the grandeur and tyrannical aura from the strongest aura was capable of smashing an entire army's fighting intent. Indeed, all of the departed spirits knew that if they attacked, they would inevitably be shattered.

The old raccoon man looked at the large corpse army that refused to move forwards. A cold smile appeared on his face. Obviously, this was within his expectations.

Departed spirit creatures were innately defeated creatures that were brought back to life. Despite their greediness and ruthlessness, they were unable to free themselves of the shadow of defeat and fear. They didn't have the courage to challenge a true leader of departed spirits. If they did dare challenge, they would inevitably be shattered by its powerful strength, becoming part of the departed spirit leader's cornerstone of power and authority.

"Yellow Springs Path rejects nobody. Even departed spirits can challenge the path!"

"After becoming the leader of the departed spirits, it challenged Yellow Springs again in its departed spirits identity!"

"Yellow Springs from the last generation was very strong. After this generation's Yellow Springs' body was shattered, it was tossed again like garbage into the underground river."

"It was already a departed spirit so the shattering merely decreased part of its strength. When it recovered its strength, it challenged again and again and again.

At this point, the old raccoon man suddenly turned to Chu Mu and he said in a low voice: "Each time I saw it climb out from the pile of corpse skeletons and then silently drag its deformed body to find its scattered bones, I really wanted to know what on earth made it so resilient."

"From a weak demon to when it stepped over the first precipice. From the lowest dominator rank to the leader of the four great demons. From the lowest corpse to the leader of a mad army. All the way until the last generation's Yellow Springs was defeated by its dedication..."

"Even death was unable to destroy its conviction. But why though?"

The old raccoon man's words were directed to Chu Mu. It knew that the answer was on this human.

In the years watching over Yellow Springs, it had never seen Yellow Springs shed a tear. Only when this human walked towards it did tears fall from its cold black eyes...

What on earth made Night so resilient?

Chu Mu knew. Chu Mu knew very well.

He knew only because when Night had left him in Tianxia Plains and he watched it run off into the distance, he had said:
When I see you again, you all must become the kings in your heart!

. . . . . .

For some reason, at this moment, Chu Mu's tears were flowing like a spring.

Chapter 1269: Night's Return!

"After it defeated Yellow Spring, I gave an item to it. It was a demon tear, a true first generation yellow Spring Tear. It was a sacred item guarded by me to give to the strongest demon in middle island over the past thousand years."

Old raccoon man glanced at Chu mu and continued, "After I gave it the yellow spring tear, I didn't use it. Only when I told it that the yellow spring tear could revive demmon type organisms did it combine it with its soul."

"Yellow spring tear, you mean the real yellow spring? Undead rank Yellow Spring?" Xu Kuang asked.

Undead yellow spring, the first generation of demon burial mound protectors. If it were still alive, how powerful would it be!

Old raccoon man nodded, "Yes, other than that, what organisms have the ability to revive creatures?"

"Yellow spring allowed it to be reborn. After it was reborn, it became the protector of yellow springs road that you see now!"

Now, Chu Mu finally understood why their soul pact broke.

However, Chu Mu never would have thought that Night had such a heart-wrenching experience after their soul pact broke.

Luckily, it got the recognition that revived it from undead to demon!

"Hui~~~~~"

A loud call sounded. At the same time Night stepped forward, the corpse army slowly retreated.

Old raccoon man glanced at the retreating army and said, "You don't have the qualifications to continue on this road. Go back where you came from. This army will no longer pose a threat to you."

Hearing the old raccoon man's words, Xu Kuang let out a breath. As long as he could leave here safely.

The corpse army already disappeared into the darkness. They could feel the corpse aura slowly back off.

Chao Lengchuan glanced back at the place shrouded by a light screen and asked, "That goes to inner island, but what is in the inner island?"

"It's known as Immortal Heavenly Realm. You humans don't have the qualification to step in. All demons in middle island have the ultimate goal of entering inner island because all the demon aura and resources come from the inner island. The aura alone could create countless dominator ranks. However, dominator ranks are a pitiful rank in heavenly realm....."

"Every once in a while, demons earn the chance to enter heavenly realm. Whoever has a chance to enter is determined by me." Old raccoon man said.

Saying that, old raccoon man's eyes fell on the slowly approaching Night.

In its eyes, one could see the praise and appreciation the old raccoon man had for Night. Even without the old raccoon man making it clear, they knew that the one qualified had to be this Yellow Spring!

"Kid, your soul pact ended the moment it died. It's a free demon now. It not killing you and opening the way for you to leave is already a mercy because of your past relationship. You can bring these people and leave now. I need to put the demon crown on its head, and lead it into heavenly realm to make it an immortal rank demon!" Old raccoon man said.

Chu Mu was stunned before staring at Night, slightly spaced out.

Soul pact breaking meant their relationship was over?

Chu Mu knew there had to be such a day when he got old, and his soul pets would leave him. However, he never realized this day would come so quick! "To Night, demon burial mound inner island is probably its final destination." Chu Mu laughed bitterly.

If his own soul pets gained its own dreams and could reach a new height, as a spiritual Soul Pet Trainer, the only thing he had to do was feel proud of it.

A soul pact wasn't a slave treaty. Soul pets would risk their lives without a word just for their soul pet trainers, so why would a soul pet trainer have any reason to restrict a soul pet from going on further?

Chu Mu saw Night start walking towards him, and the piece of his heart that felt empty started hurting all over again.

Chu Mu could be open minded, but there was no way Chu Mu truly could let go easily. After all, Night had followed him for so long. Chu Mu would never be able to forget Night's elegant figure running through a dark, moonlit night.

"Hui~~~~~" Night walked by Chu Mu, and slightly lowered its head to enjoy Chu Mu's petting.

A bright blue glow appeared on Night's body, originating from its heart and spreading through its dream horn to Chu Mu's palm.

This glow caused Chu Mu to temporarily lose focus. This was the glow of a soul pact!

"Chu.... Chu Mu, it's asking you....." Princess Jin Rou said excitedly to Chu Mu.

The blue glow, the unique glow of a soul pact. Night was asking for him to sign a soul pact with it again.

Chu Mu was stunned. He never would have expected Night to bring it up proactively.

Old Raccoon man's words caused Chu Mu to almost be sure Night was going to leave him, yet now it was coming up to propose a soul pact with him.....

The old raccoon man was also confused. He quickly jumped to Night and said panickingly, "Yellow Spring, what are you doing?"

"Hui~~~~~" Night let out a call to tell the old raccoon man something.

"Chu Mu, Night is willing to come back." Princess Jin Rou quickly said to Chu Mu.

After hearing old raccoon man explain, Princess Jin Rou was also crying from hearing about Night's heart.

"You've reached the last step already. All you have to do is step forth and you'll become a member of the demon heavenly realm. You have to know that heavenly realm is gathering the strongest demons in the world. You being able to step into heavenly realm is the highest honor a demon can ever achieve!" Old raccoon man said excitedly.

A demon's greatest honor. The entire middle islands' dominator rank islands fight their whole lives for this honor. Now, Night has already gotten the final recognition and can step into the sacred halls that all demons dream of! Old Li believed that no demon could possibly reject this invitation, especially with Night breaking the soul pact with the human already.

"Hui~~~~~" Night didn't step towards the old raccoon man. It stood behind Chu Mu, its deep black eyes holding no hesitation.

"Wuwuwu~~~~~"

Suddenly, a fox call came!

A brown figure dashed extremely quickly into view with its long tail. It was the Forgotten Creek seven sin fox rock emperor!

The rock emperor stood in front of Night, and stared at Night, confused, before glancing at Chu Mu.

"Wuwuwu~~~~~" Seven sin fox let out a call that clearly was questioning why Night was giving them up for this human.

This was the unique demon home. Demons were destined to live here and enter heavenly realm. It already got the qualifications to get in, so why did it have to give up and become a slave of a human?

Seven sin fox didn't understand Night. When they first stepped into Yellow Spring Road together, they agreed to enter demon realm together. Night finally got over all the barriers and made it, yet the moment this human appears he lost his resolve?

Night didn't like to talk. It remained silent and merely gazed with its black eyes at the seven sin fox rock emperor.

They fought together in middle island and lifted each other up in this cruel world. They even stepped into yellow springs road together. This friendship was very very deep. Like Mo Xie, Zhan Ye, and Devil tree, it was truly a bond forged by blood.

But, Night's heart didn't belong in this demon sacred ground. It had a nomadic bloodline and a heart to wander. Before it became old, it was willing to continue to explore and run with Chu Mu.

Night's heart was something seven sin fox rock emperor would never understand, nor would the raccoon man. So, it didn't try to explain and instead simply told them it was his choice.

Old Racoon Man didn't know what to do anymore. It indeed didn't expect the soul pet with a broken soul pact to return to the shackles of a human.....

"Your actions always surprise me." Old raccoon man was helpless and glanced at Chu Mu, wanting to see what was special about him.

Night said nothing. Its deep blue glow became darker. Chu Mu could already feel Night's soul.

Chu Mu no longer hesitated, and chanted the soul pact incantation to reopen the already broken seventh soul pact.

Chu Mu and Night still had a sliver connected. When they both opened up their souls, Chu Mu could clearly feel a stronger connection being established between them.

A familiar feeling came from Night's soul, and this familiar feeling swiftly filled the missing piece of Chu Mu's soul!

Blue glow surrounded Chu Mu. A mark appeared on Chu Mu's forehead that belonged to Night slowly was etched into his soul.

At the same time, Chu Mu felt his soul ripple!

As the ripples got stronger and stronger, Chu Mu felt his soul rising!

Chu Mu himself was also shocked. He had no clue his soul pact healing would cause him to advance!

From fourth remembrance to fifth remembrance, Night's soul impacted Chu Mu immensely, instantly helping him into fifth remembrance.

After stepping into fifth remembrance, Chu Mu's soul was still rippling and showed signs of increasing again!

The fifth remembrance soul continued to ripple. With a blue glow that appeared, Chu Mu's soul again ascended and he reached sixth remembrance spirit dominator!

Continuous advancement!!

Chu Mu himself was in disbelief. One has to know he stepped into fourth remembrance not long ago. After reaching spirit dominator, every rank was incredibly hard to surpass. Yet, he just gained two ranks!

Chapter 1270: Eternal Ocean Son

"It's Yellow Spring Tear's effects, an item from the strongest demon in heavenly realm that benefitted you quite a bit....." Old raccoon man saw Chu Mu's surprise and said.

"Is the demon burial mound owner the legendary undead Yellow Spring?" Xu Kuang asked.

If they had this news, spreading it back to Wupan Continent would cause countless experts to be shocked!

"It is the most powerful, but it can't be called the demon burial mound's owner." Old Raccoon man said.

Xu Kuang wanted to continue asking questions but Old Li gave him no chances.

"Just like how warrior rank can never enter dominator rank, commander rank organisms can hardly ever enter immortal rank. Human, if you sign a soul pact with it, do you have the confidence of helping it into immortal rank? You have to know that the moment it puts on that demon crown, it'll immediately become immortal rank!" Old raccoon man said seriously.

Chu Mu glanced at Night and nodded, "Yes."

"You don't have to agree so confidently. The blood mark on it is an undead mark. After five years, when these blood marks cover its entire body, it will revert into a corpse type demon. If you don't want that to happen, come to demon burial mound again and find the real yellow spring to help fix it. Hopefully by then, you can enter the heavenly realm yourself." Old raccoon man said.

Chu Mu's gaze fell on Night's blood markings. These are all memories of Night once becoming an undead. Chu Mu never expected it to continue spreading and devouring Night's whole body.

"Five years.... Five years is enough time." Chu Mu said.

Five years was a long time for Chu Mu. He knew that Night would only get stronger if it stayed with him. In five years, Chu Mu would lead Night back into demon burial mound and prove that to Old Raccoon Man!

"You coming to demon burial mound may be for another reason. I feel something on you." Old raccoon man asked.

Chu Mu nodded and said, "I came to find something left here by the heaven boundary monument beast soul to defeat an ancient dragon person in a wind palace."

"Ancient dragon person..... You mean the Eternal Ocean Son?" ancient raccoon man said.

"Eternal Ocean Son?" Chu Mu paused. This was a term he hadn't ever heard of.

"In the vast eternal ocean, the most powerful few organisms are known as Eternal Ocean sons. The ancient dragon person is one of them. It likes to sleep and often sleeps for a few thousand years. It has a bad temper and becomes a cruel dominator whenever it wakes up, defeating any powerful organisms that have grown since it last fell asleep. Those that catch its attention either die or choose to swear allegiance. Death means completely disappearing. Allegiance means the next time it closes its eyes, they must fall asleep as well....." Old Raccoon Man said.

Princess Jin Rou read similar words from the text on the wall, so it seemed that this old raccoon man indeed knew a lot of things.

"You know how to defeat it?" Chu Mu questioned.

The ancient dragon person's existence was still a threat to New Moon Ground, one hidden underground. Once they woke up, any technique of it could destroy the entire insignificant New Moon Ground!

"Defeat it?" Old raccoon man suddenly laughed, as if he was laughing at Chu Mu's ignorance.

"There aren't many organisms that can defeat this organism. How could you, a human not even immortal rank, speak of that? However, since the heaven boundary monument selected you, you must have some merit with soul pets. The beast soul told you to come to demon burial mound to find something to suppress the Eternal Ocean Son?" Old raccoon man said.

"Yes." Chu Mu suddenly felt that he was selected as if by fate by the heaven boundary monument. In the past, he often saw in other legends what were so called "destinies". He never would have thought that he would become the holder of a prophecy too. Maybe this was a powerful proof of its importance. "I've calculated it before. The Eternal ocean son won't wake up in the next ten years. Come back in five years and grab it then. I'll keep the item for you until you're powerful enough." The old raccoon man said.

Clearly, the item the ancient beast soul wanted him to find was in the inner island.

This made sense. Anything that could suppress the ancient dragon person couldn't be a normal item scattered in demon burial mound's middle or outer island. Only the demon heavenly realm might have such a treasure.

"You can leave now. I actually hate humans coming to challenge, because humans never obey our demons' rules." Old raccoon man waved his hand and dragged his short body towards where the light screen shone down.

Xu Kuang, Hai Qie, and the other navy leaders naturally couldn't understand what Chu Mu and the old raccoon man were talking about before, but since they were allowed to leave, they didn't want to stay around for long and immediately started going back towards the yellow spring road.

They had no chance of getting the demon crown. The great leader Xu Kuang wasn't a greedy person. Being able to leave was good enough for him.

"Let's leave too." Chao Lengchuan said to Chu Mu.

Chu Mu nodded and glanced at Night aside him. At this moment, Night lightly lowered its body to signal Chu Mu to get on.

Chu Mu jumped onto Night's back. Compared to before, Night's body was even nimbler and sturdier now. This caused Chu Mu to feel at ease.

The great leader Xu Kuang and the others all glanced over at Chu Mu.

Chu Mu was now riding the Yellow Spring that had destroyed their entire army and was a top tier dominator rank demon. Yet, now it was this man's soul pet. The navy were all in admiration. Even the great leader Xu Kuang held some reverence.

"Wuwuwu~~~~"

Little Mo Xie leaped off of Chu Mu's shoulder, happily climbing onto Night's head as she let out small calls, welcoming Night back.

Night half closed its eyes as a glimmer of satisfaction appeared in its eyes. It used its mental voice to ask Mo Xie whether little hidden dragon and Zhan Ye were back.

Chu Mu opened up all the spaces between his soul pacts so everyone could say hi.

Of course, there was an unfamiliar face, Dead Dream.

Similarly dancers in the dark, one was in the sky, while one was on the ground. Presumably, both of them would have many common interests.

"Oh, I almost forgot, tell that little kid that follows you that the island master has forgiven him. He can come back if he wants." Suddenly, the ancient raccoon man's voice came from afar, his voice ephemeral.

Chu Mu turned around, but could no longer see the old raccoon man.

The old raccoon man's words confused Chu Mu, but very quickly Chu Mu remembered an important person - Old Li!

He remembered long ago when Chu Mu asked Old Li why he looked like a half human half soul pet, he replied that he messed up a transformation and made himself into a half raccoon being.

However, having after seeing the old raccoon man, he knew that the appearance wasn't due to a failed transformation and was instead because he belonged to a species like that.

"Old Li, it's time for you to come out, right?" Chu mu said with mental voice.

At this time, Chu Mu felt a shiver from his main spatial ring. When Chu Mu extended his soul remembrance inward, he found Old Li hiding in a corner, his body slightly shaking as he muttered to himself, "Island master has forgiven me.... Has he really forgiven me? I can go back, I can really go back now?"

This was the first tiem Chu Mu had seen Old Li like this. Presumably, he also had an unforgettable past.

Chu Mu didn't disturb him, and instead asked Night.

"Hui~~~~"

Night told Chu Mu that it was very confused when it met Old raccoon man too. He learned later that the raccoon people were a very rare species of demon. They all lived in demon burial mound and protected the heavenly realm.

When Night mentioned Old Li to the old raccoon man, the old raccoon man told Night that he was a young man in the clan that ran away from the island in fear of punishment for a massive mistake he had committed. It had been hundreds of years since then.

To species with long lives, a few hundred years wasn't much. However, a few hundred years of not returning to one's home, forced to wander the human world, that probably wasn't the best feeling.

"Old Li, do you want to go back?" chu Mu asked.

"Of course not!" Old Li said very adamantly, "Young master, don't we have a promise?"

"Promise? Oh, I remember." Chu Mu nodded.

He remembered that Old Li asked him to promise him one thing and in return, he would find all the soul items, xuan items, etc. that he ever wanted. Old Li had followed him for many years and had given him many things. Chu Mu obviously wouldn't be miserly and not help Old Li.

"Before I fix my mistake, I won't return!" Old Li said very seriously.

"Alright, tell me what to do when the time comes. However, you really are crafty. I was just a spirit emperor at the time. I thought the thing you wanted me to do was a dominator rank thing, yet never expected it to be at least an immortal rank task....." Chu Mu laughed bitterly.

Since it was something lost from the heavenly realm, it had to be at least immortal rank.

"Heihei." Old Li laughed.

In reality, Old Li never would have thought Chu Mu could step into this realm. It looked like he didn't waste all these years and actually chose the right person, because they were getting closer and closer to their target.

"Hui~~~" Night went ahead and said to Chu Mu that he left some things in middle island that might be helpful for Chu Mu's other soul pets.

Chu Mu's eyes went bright. This was great news. Most of his soul pets were still middle class dominator rank. Compared to Night, Mo Xie, they were far behind and they should indeed try to alleviate the imbalance.

Demon burial mound middle island had incredible resources. Now that Night was the strongest demon in middle island, it was basically the owner of middle island. Chu Mu could definitely use Night's authority to ravage all the xuan in the middle island he needed!