

Soul Pets Bk2 611

Chapter 611: Enormous First Rank Tribe

At the nighttime feast, the Chu Family began to discuss the imminent disaster. Nobody really had much of an appetite, and only Chu Mu's return could barely relax the mood.

Only, everyone knew that the Chu Family was facing an enormous problem right now. The top priority was dealing with this problem.

"A ninth rank disaster means that at least one peak monarch will appear." at this moment, Chu Ming spoke with a soft elderly voice.

Chu Tianheng glanced at his old man and knew that he didn't want to hide the possible enemies that could appear in this calamity.

Chu Tianheng originally hadn't planned on saying anything. After all, this was easy to shake the hearts of everyone defending the city. If he didn't tell everyone and everyone continued to defend, perhaps this could exhibit the utmost strength of this family.

However, now that Chu Ming had already exposed this, Chu Tianheng felt that speaking about it was best.

"A peak monarch... your Chu Family should be able to deal with one right?" Young Lady Xiao Yi was shocked.

Young Lady Yi Xiao clearly didn't realized how serious this disaster was. There unexpectedly was going to appear a monarch rank soul pet. One had to know that in the entire Western Region, only her father had a peak monarch rank soul pet!

Chu Tianheng and all of Chu Mu's uncles shook their heads, helpless.

"It seems that we have to invite Luo Region Sect's and Great Chu Family's experts. We don't have the ability." said Chu Tianlin.

To the side, Sun Yuan revealed a slightly shocked expression, because he didn't expected a peak monarch to appear.

Sun Yuan himself couldn't be sure if the expert he dispatched secretly had a peak monarch. If he didn't, then dealing with the disaster would be very troublesome.

"Our Chu Family cannot deal with the one peak monarch in the wilderness. As for the disaster's servant rank legion, warrior rank legion, commander rank legion and monarch rank legion, the monarch rank legion's strength altogether is probably equivalent to two peak monarchs. The commander rank legion's strength is equivalent to one peak monarch, while both the warrior and servant rank legions are each equivalent to a peak rank monarch..." Chu Tianheng said to everyone.

Everyone quickly showed shocked expressions, not understanding the meaning behind Chu Tianheng's comprehensive analysis.

Chu Tianheng saw that nobody understood what he meant and gave an explanation.

"This strength estimation was obtained from Great Chu Family by me. A ninth rank disaster is equivalent to a ninth rank community."

"One peak monarch will definitely appear. Underneath the peak monarch are high class to pseudo monarch creatures. Approximately ten of them are equivalent to two peak monarchs. In other words, adding together all of the monarch rank creatures in the ninth rank disaster, it's equivalent to three peak monarchs!"

Chu Tianheng's words immediately stunned everyone!

There were over twenty people at the table and for a moment no one said anything.

Chu Tianheng saw that the expressions on everyone's faces was one of shock. He seemed to have expected this. In truth, when he understood the true meaning of a ninth rank disaster, his expression was helpless.

"Combined, the monarch rank creatures are equivalent to three peak monarchs. Isn't this ninth rank disaster too terrifying?!" finally, Chu Ying broke the silence at the table.

Chu Tianheng bitterly laughed and continued: “This is just the monarch rank creatures. There are over 300 commanders and together they have the strength of a peak monarch. There are then 3000 warrior ranks who also have the strength of a peak monarch. Finally there are 30,000 servant rank creatures who equally are the same strength as one peak monarch. In other words, in this half a month, we will need to face an army with the strength of about six peak monarchs.”

The atmosphere at the table was originally strange. Nobody was able to find a solution. Now that Chu Tianheng had given a full explanation of the ninth rank disaster, everyone’s faces were even more shocked!!

“This... how can we possibly deal with this?!! Since you knew how terrifying it was, why didn’t you say anything earlier? You must immediately leave this place! Could it be you want everyone to die here?” Young Lady Xiao Yi immediately stood up and spoke with agitation.

Young Lady Xiao Yi’s words also caused the others in the family to want to retreat.

Strength equivalent to six peak monarchs. One had to know that the number of high class monarch rank experts the Chu Family was able to invite was only countable with one’s fingers, let alone peak monarch experts!

Right now, everyone’s thoughts were the same. Were they going to keep eating or pack up everything and leave?!

“Don’t worry. This is the combined strength over the ten days of the disaster. The ninth disaster will not turn out in full strength in one day.

If the disaster lasts for ten days, then we’ll only be attacked by 0.6 of a peak monarch army. In these ten days, everyone’s soul pets can take turns fighting.” Chu Tianheng saw that everyone’s expressions had changed and hastily gave an explanation.

Chu Tianheng’s explanation caused everyone’s expressions to ease.

Indeed, the disaster couldn’t come out in full force at once. Therefore, they would have an easier time defending the city.

“Young Lady Xiao Yi, can you invite senior city lord?” Chu Tianlin politely asked.

Xiao Yi shook her head and said: “My father cannot personally come out. If something unexpected happens, then Western Region will be even more chaotic. I can only invite two elders each with one high class monarch to help. Additionally, I can take a team of guards.”

“That would be even better. Then we’ll wait tomorrow for Luo Region Sect and Great Chu Family’s people. If they have experts, then we will have more hope.” Chu Tianheng could barely muster a smile as he spoke.

As he spoke, Chu Tianheng intentionally shot a glance at Chu Mu.

In truth, during the entire discussion, numerous people had paid attention to Chu Mu’s actions. Especially Chu Tianheng. He discovered that it didn’t matter whether he spoke of the truth behind the disaster or the problem of reinforcements, Chu Mu just sat there without changing his expression. He was calm as if things were normal. He seemed like someone who wasn’t involved in this.

“Chu Mu? Why haven’t you said anything?” Chu Tianheng couldn’t help but ask.

Sun Yuan swept his gaze over Chu Mu and in a half mocking voice said: “Could he be scared silly?”

Chu Mu was completely absent-minded to everything going on, because he was presently pondering how to get rid of the first rank tribe that possessed the spirit source, not this ninth rank community...

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Chu Mu didn’t immediately slaughter his way into the tribe because he didn’t have enough strength.

The entire tribe was enormous, and while Chu Mu could have used Mo Xie to get rid of the pseudo monarch, the pseudo monarch probably wasn’t incompetent and wouldn’t just appear to let Chu Mu kill it. Instead, it would send numerous of its troops to wear down Mo Xie’s fighting strength...

The king of hell himself was easy to defeat, but the innumerable little demons were too troublesome. The king of hell would definitely hid behind his small demons, so Chu Mu would have to carve out a path of blood in order to have a chance.

When Chu Tianheng spoke of the ninth rank disaster's numbers, Chu Mu rubbed his chin and pondered about the numbers in a first rank tribe.

Old LI had given him an approximation of the first rank tribe's numbers: Under the one pseudo emperor would definitely be three or more peak monarchs and under them would be about ten high or middle class monarchs.

Merely the peak monarchs and high/middle class monarchs combined had the strength of about 5 peak monarchs.

However, there would probably about 100 middle to pseudo monarchs. Without three peak monarchs, he would not be able to deal with them.

Therefore, in the first rank tribe, if all of the monarch ranks combined their strength and came out to fight him, they would have the fighting strength of about 10 peak monarchs.

Moreover, ten monarchs was barely comparable to a pseudo monarch!

In Chu Mu's current soul pet formation, Mo Xie was preordained to fight the tribe's pseudo emperor.

The White Nightmare was an invincible monarch but could at most deal with three peak monarchs.

With Zhan Ye's Broken Limb Rebirth and Brave Stinging Heart, it probably wasn't a problem for it to deal with two peak monarchs.

The Devil Tree Battle Soldier's group fighting was invincible and if it was thrown into the middle class and pseudo monarchs, its high class monarch strength effect would allow it to contend with a peak monarch.

If the Binding Wind Spirit and Ghost King worked together, the Ghost King would become the defensive shield, stopping the majority of attacks while the Binding Wind Spirit could use its wind

techniques to engage in group slaughter. If the two high class monarchs worked together, their strength was barely equivalent to a peak monarch.

As for the Ice Air Fairy which had reached the peak monarch rank, if it worked with the Ghost King, it was probably able to deal with two peak monarchs in a group fight.

The Night Thunder Dream Beast had the weakest effect in a group fight, but it was fast. Adding on a ninth rank soul armor, when it fought at night, it would be able to run circles around a peak monarch and could thus barely be considered a controller.

If these soul pets worked together, they wouldn't be able to fight a pseudo monarch, but they would be useful in a group fight. If they used their strength together, they would be able to fight the monarch rank legion.

Of course, Chu Mu could not summon all of his soul pets to fight. He had to think of methods to prolong the fight.

The tribe's population was enormous. Even if Chu Mu only occupied a small portion of their territory, all of the monarchs would not come out in full force just because of three invaders.

Even if they did all come out, Chu Mu could flee. Three soul pets that were very agile could only be caught by pseudo emperors and peak monarchs.

Therefore, Chu Mu only had to have enough physical strength and being able to simultaneously summon wouldn't be much of a problem.

The problem was that the tribe still had commander rank, warrior rank, and servant rank legions.

There would be 1000 commanders, and this required three peak monarchs to deal with.

There would be 10,000 warrior ranks, and this would also require three peak monarchs.

There would be 100,000, and this would require at least three peak monarchs.

Most importantly, the commander rank, warrior rank and servant ranks would definitely be mere fodder, so dealing with them would require the emperor rank Mo Xie to expend all of her physical strength.

Using Old Li's repeated warnings to explain things to Chu Mu: "If you want to deal with the first rank tribe in one go, you must have three pseudo monarchs to have a sure chance of winning. Therefore, if you don't, you must consider other options and use various unorthodox methods."

Chapter 612: High Class Monarch Rank Secondary Pet Formation

"Chu Mu, uncle was speaking to you." Chu Lang who was sitting next to Chu Mu pushed his arm.

Chu Mu was in deep thought just now, and Chu Lang's push forced him to wake up. He suddenly discovered that everyone was staring at him strangely.

"What?" Chu Mu opened his eyes wide and swept his gaze over everyone. He didn't know why everyone was looking at him like this.

Everyone was speechless. Who on earth would let their mind wander in such an important family discussion. Even if he came back to his senses and asked everyone "what", this was probably something everyone should have asked him!

The adjacent Chu Ying instantly let out white smoke and sharply said; "Uncle has called you a number of times, and you seemed to have lost your soul. You didn't even acknowledge him. What are you thinking about!"

"Oh, oh." Chu Mu then put his eyes on Chu Tianheng and said: "Uncle, what's the matter?"

"Nothing, I was only asking for your opinion." said Chu Tianheng.

Chu Tianheng understood Chu Mu and knew that he didn't really understand to respect his elders. He could see that he really was thinking of a problem just now.

"Just now what was the approximate scale of the ninth rank disaster?" Chu Mu had heard a bit when he was pondering his problem and asked a question.

“There are the equivalent of six peak monarchs over ten days of the disaster.” Chu Tianheng promptly repeated his words.

“Oh, that’s very good.” Chu Mu nodded his head.

The ninth rank disaster definitely came from the first rank tribe. If there were about six peak monarchs appearing, then this would greatly lessen the pressure for Chu Mu!

“What’s good?!!” the arrogant Young Lady Xiao Yi finally couldn’t resist, and rudely spoke to Chu Mu.

Chu Mu merely glanced at her and ignored her targeting him before saying: “Nobody needs to worry about the disaster. Just prepare the defenses you need to prepare. It will be fine.”

Chu Tianheng, and everyone in the saw that Chu Mu was so confident, and couldn’t help but muster smiles. Chu Tianying stared at Chu Mu with her phoenix eyes, wanting to know what soul pets Chu Mu had.

“So you’re saying that you’re very strong, and that you don’t even need to be afraid of this disaster?” Sun Yuan perked his eyebrows. It seemed that he was asking something harmless, but he really did not like Chu Mu’s calmness.

Chu Mu merely glanced at him, somewhat surprised that this fellow’s soul remembrance wasn’t that low.

Since his soul remembrance wasn’t low, his strength definitely wasn’t weak either. Chu Mu was silently curious as to why he came to the Chu Family. However, when he saw Sun Yuan’s look of dissatisfaction at Chu Ying’s concern for him, Chu Mu quickly understood.

“Eh, Chu Mu, you just came back. The family has encountered a thorny problem, and we want you to help everyone get rid of it. I really don’t know what to say...” Chu Ming saw that Sun Yuan was making a provocation and intentionally cut him off.

“Grandfather, don’t worry. Most of my soul pets are high class monarchs, and their group fighting abilities are extremely strong. I’ll be able to take care of one side myself.” said Chu Mu.

“That’s good, that’s good.” Chu Ming saw that Chu Mu was being very serious. Thus, he subconsciously nodded his head... however, he thought about it for a second and abruptly felt that something was not right...

“High... high class monarchs!!!”

High class monarchs!! Chu Mu had just said high class monarchs!!!

This sentence startled everyone!

The number of people in Western Region that possessed high class monarchs could probably be counted. They were all extremely famous experts. Even Xiao Yi whose father was the city lord could only have two experts with one high class monarch soul pet each to come.

If Chu Mu said he had one peak monarch, he would still have shocked everyone. However, Chu Mu had said “most of my soul pets are high class monarchs”. Everyone understood the meaning behind this!!

“Chu... Chu Mu, did I just hear correctly? You just said most of your soul pets are high class monarchs?” Chu Lang, sitting next to Chu Mu, was the first to ask and intentionally added emphasis on “high class monarchs”.

Right now, everyone’s eyes were on Chu Mu.

Chu Mu merely nodded his head with a calm face. Yet, Chu Mu’s calmness made everyone feel a bit uncomfortable. One had to know that these were high class monarchs!”

“This friend, you really have a group of high class monarchs? All at the tenth phase?” Sun Yuan asked once more.

Chu Mu looked at everyone’s shocked gazes and inconceivable expressions. He showed a slightly bitter smile on his face.

Indeed, when he mentioned his strength, they only half believed him. Fortunately he had said only high class monarchs. If he had said peak monarchs or even emperors, wouldn't they have just thought he was ill?

Chu Mu wasn't someone who would summon his soul pets to prove how strong he was. Therefore, he held back and said "most of my soul pets are high class monarchs". He never expected that mere high class monarchs would warrant such a huge reaction!

"Hmph, I'm full." Young Lady Xiao Yi suddenly stood up. She looked completely unsatisfied and left the dining table first.

Xiao Yi had already disapproved of Chu Mu's independence of action. When he mentioned "most of my soul pets are high class monarchs, people could believe whatever they believed, but Xiao Yi didn't believe it!

One had to know that the only person who dared say something like this in Western Region was her father. Yet, a young man had mysteriously appeared and said he possessed this kind of strength. This was completely impossible!

Chu Tianheng glanced at Chu Mu. He believed that Chu Mu's character made it so that he wouldn't joke about this stuff. If he said he had high class monarchs, then he had to have them. Moreover, it wasn't merely one.

Originally, Chu Tianheng had planned on thoroughly inquiring into this, but then realized there were outsiders present.

If Chu Mu had this kind of strength, protecting him was the most important because the Chu Family didn't only have the danger of the disaster.

"Everyone please settle down. We should discuss this matter again." Chu Tianheng said to everyone.

Chu Tianheng was the family leader. He clearly didn't want talk about this, yet numerous people in the Chu Family were fervently staring at Chu Mu, and it seemed they didn't really believe Chu Mu had this type of strength!

Chu Ying was the first person who couldn't help but ask. However, Chu Tianheng glared at her and she could only restrain herself. However, her eyes didn't leave Chu Mu.

To the side, Sun Yuan's expression was unsightly. On the one hand, it was because Chu Mu had indicated he was very strong. So strong that it exceeded his expectations. On the other hand, Chu Ying's eyes hadn't even looked at him once since the meal started. This made Sun Yuan very uncomfortable.

"I estimate they're all eighth or ninth phase high class monarchs. He's a soul pet trainer who focused on strengthening ranks. Although these people are not many, but there are a few of them in larger kingdoms and Tianxia City. Hmph, if I put my effort on my soul pets' ranks, perhaps they also would have reached the high class monarch rank." Sun Yuan silently came up with his own conclusion.

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After the dinner and everyone left, Chu Tianheng and Chu Tianlin immediately took Chu Mu first. Chu Lang, Chu Ying, and the other young people could only watch with disappointment as Chu Mu left. Clearly they wanted to find Chu Mu to seek the truth.

"Chu Mu, was what you said at the table true?" Chu Tianlin asked his question again.

It wasn't that Chu Mu's two uncles didn't believe Chu Mu, but that high class monarch ranks were too rare. In the entire Western Region everyone that had one high class monarch was a famous person.

"First uncle, second uncle, I came back this time in truth for the source of the disaster. In other words, that first rank tribe." Chu Mu had been planning on discussing this matter with his two elders. After all, the spirit source's business could only be dealt with by relying on the Chu Family. He would not be able to deal with it since he was travelling everywhere.

"First rank tribe? Isn't that many times stronger than a ninth rank calamity? Moreover it's said that this legion has an emperor rank creature?" Chu Tianheng's expression was that of astonishment.

"Yes, this first rank tribe has the resources I require. In the future, I will need to rely on you two uncles to help me manage it." Chu Mu nodded his head.

“Chu Mu, you’re not joking, right? We can’t even deal with a ninth rank community right now. As for a first rank tribe... we would have to mobilize every expert in Western Kingdom.” said Chu Tianlin.

“About this. First uncle and second uncle don’t need to be worried. The high class monarch ranks are only my secondary soul pet formation.” Chu Mu didn’t hide anything. After all, when he got rid of the first rank tribe, his two uncles would definitely be able to guess what kind of strength he had.

After he spoke, he could only look on helplessly because after his two elders heard him, they were extremely stunned.

“Chu... Chu Mu, you... you can’t just say this so casually. I... your second uncle... am growing older and older. My heart...can only stand so much! Chu Tianlin was extremely rigid as he spoke.

A high class monarch rank was the strongest existence in Western Region to them. This kind of expert required an enormous sum of money for their Chu Family to invite. Even if the expert was not famous at all, they would not necessarily be able to invite the expert.

It could be said that the crucial part of the disaster was Luo Region Sect and the Great Chu Family and how many experts with high class monarchs would arrive.

Whether the Chu Family would continue to prosper was all reliant on experts with high class monarchs! Therefore, each expert with a high class monarch was someone that the Chu Family had to consecrate like Buddah!

Chu Mu’s two elders thought that with Chu Mu’s current age, being able to possess a group of middle class monarchs was already extremely extremely rare. Together, they would be able to deal with a high class monarch rank.

These two middle aged men never expected that Chu Mu would have a group of high class monarchs!!

On the dinner table, the group of high class monarchs had already made their excitement hard to contain. If it wasn’t because outsiders were present, the two of them would definitely have been more excited than the younger generation. After all, this matter involved the entire family’s fortunes.

Ultimately, Chu Tianheng and Chu Tianlin hadn't even recovered from their shock of him having a group of high class monarchs when Chu Mu had told them the high class monarchs were his secondary soul pet formation. This shocked the two of them so much they both felt dizzy!

High class monarchs as a secondary soul pet formation!!

These two middle aged men had lived for over half their lifetimes already, but this was the first time they had heard someone say something like this!

Moreover, it had come from a twenty year old young man from the Chu Family. If any other Chu Family disciple said something like this, these two elders would have immediately given them a fierce reprimanding before putting them in isolation to ponder over their mistakes, and reflect on their thoughts running wild.

Chapter 613: Servant Rank Army Invasion

Chu Mu summoned Night, not letting Night use its dark aura to hide.

Night could hide its aura and strength so that none of Chu Lang and his family could see his true strength.

When the Night released its aura, it immediately caused a large surge of dark energy, sending surprised shivers down all of Chu family residence's soul pets.

Very quickly, all of Chu family residence soul pets let out calls, creating a commotion!

Chu Mu immediately told Night to retract its aura again, in case it caused any issues.

After Night Thunder Dream Beast's display, how could Chu Tianheng and Chu Tianlin not believe? They were almost tearing up from excitement!

The disaster was Chu Family's greatest issue. As long as they could fix it, Chu family would definitely develop at a flying pace in this resource rich city. It was even possible that they would become the greatest family in western region in a few years. If Chu Mu helped a little, they definitely could even take over some of their own territory.

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Late night, when everyone was about to sleep, a lady's voice came from the clan master's room.

“Tian Heng, why do I see you smiling all night, even when sleeping? I haven't seen you like this in a while.”

“Hehe, our Chu Family is going to take off.....”

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As for Chu Tianlin, he flipped over and over again on his bed. Every time he thought of Chu Mu's powerful strength that could solve the family's greatest issue, Chu Tianlin would get excited all over.

Thinking back, Chu Family was reverent towards high class monarch rank experts. Telling them to help would require a large fee, and even so they had to be careful and watch their attitudes.

Chu Tianlin knew that those experts with high class monarch ranks were all arrogant and looked down upon Chu family.

Tomorrow, these people were probably about to come. Presumably, these people would again assume an air of superiority over the little Chu Clan.

Chu Family's invitation was sent out a long time ago, yet these experts delayed their arrival until the disaster was about to happen. If the disaster had come a little early, their family would have been destroyed. THus, on the surface, Chu Tianlin was extremely respectful towards all experts they invited, but he was very dissatisfied with these people.

Now, Chu Tianlin could completely disregard them. A single Chu Mu could replace all of them!

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Morning came. On the dust covered roads, four men slowly made their way to seven color city on their soul pets.

Beside the four men, there was a beautiful lady. This lady was clearly in a hurry, saying anxiously, "Teachers, Seven Color City is almost ahead, let us hurry."

"Since we're almost there, then we shouldn't worry about catching the extra couple minutes. You go to the family first, and tell them. My devil tiger is tired from running these days. If your family has any high quality beast type soul core, prepare them. Also, get some hot water. Its fur is getting dirty, and it loves to be clean. The hot water better be laced with beast type soul liquid as well." The youngest man said.

This man was around thirty years old. With a small mustache, he looked like a unscrupulous businessman.

In reality, his nickname in great Chu Family was "profiteer"; not only was he stingy, he also took advantage of everything he could.

If not for Elder Tu's face, spending this money to tell "profiteer" to come to this rural place was no go. This was what the profiteer was thinking of right now!

This time, Chu family spent around 300 million. 300 million wasn't a small sum for the profiteer, but to run this far for 300 million to do a tough task like prevent a disaster, the profiteer felt it was not worth it.

Since it was not worth it, he of course had to find somethings from Chu Family, or else he truly would be losing money on this deal.

Chu Qian had already notified his family members. She knew that these teachers had taken a lot of effort to bring over. Though profiteer teacher was very harsh, she didn't dare say anything, only able to reply, "Don't worry, as long as teacher can help us Chu family get through this disaster, we won't ever forget teacher's deeds."

"Little girl, don't say all that right now. We'll only fight by situation. If the disaster truly is too hazardous, we suggest you evacuate." An older long haired teacher said.

Chu Qian looked troubled. This means that these teachers would all leave some power in reserve. If they did this, it was truly tough to stop a ninth rank calamity.

The other teacher was riding a terror wolf. This middle aged man constantly glanced at Chu Qian, his gaze often wandering down to Chu Qian's skinny waist and curves below. Clearly, this teacher's intents weren't pure.

This teacher's name was Zhang Ying. He was infamous in Chu family for being the ill-intent elder that harassed female disciples. If not for his decent strength, he probably would be hated by everyone by now.

Chu Qian had long since noticed that Zhang Ying's intentions weren't pure, but because of her family's situation, she had to ask him for help anyways. After all, there truly weren't that many people in Great Chu Family that were willing to help. This was after Elder Tu speaking up, or else Chu Qian wouldn't possibly be able to invite high class monarch rank experts.

As they spoke, Seven Color cCty neared. The four Great Chu Family teachers instantly saw the seven color city gate.

However, when they saw the city gate, the smiles on these teachers dropped. When they walked into the city truly, their displeasure wasn't even disguised.

"How is this a ninth rank city? Other than it being big, it isn't even as good as an eighth rank. If I knew this, I wouldn't even have come. Damn it!" Profiteer was the first to speak up, face full of disappointment.

Zhang Ying also laughed strangely and specially glanced at Chu Qian.

"With the city walls this poor, how could they defend against the disaster." Long haired old soul pet Guo Li said.

The last teacher remained silent.

Chu Qian was embarrassed, not knowing where to point. She could only change the topic by talking about their reception.

Chu Qian knew of this appearance issue of her family, indeed needing improvement. However, these were dire times.

“Second uncle.” Not long after stepping into the city, Chu Qian smiled as she saw Chu Tianlin and a group of Chu family members along the streets in welcome.

“You’re back, hehe, presumably these are the experts of Great Chu Family? Sorry to trouble you to come this far to help us. I Chu Tianlin am incredibly grateful.” Chu Tianlin came off his soul pet and said very politely to the four.

“We’re tired, bring us to rest.” Profiteer’s displeasure wasn’t disguised at all. He didn’t even look Chu Tianlin in the eye as he rode his multi colored devil tiger ahead.

The profiteer’s multi-colored devil tiger was clearly a middle class monarch rank. The other three were similar in strength as well. Having transportation soul pets of middle class monarch rank, it caused Chu family members to all sigh at the power.

If it were one day ago, Chu Tianlin would definitely be greeting them with a face full of smiles. Even if they were rude, he would feel it was worth because they were truly powerful.

Now, things were different. Facing these Great Chu Family experts with attitudes, Chu Tianlin kept a smile but said in his heart, “Attitude? Heng, once you realize you group take all our money yet are still less useful than my nephew, let’s see what attitude you put on then!”

Thinking about the moment their faces turn sour as Chu Mu embarrassed them, Chu Tianlin chuckled in his heart.

The people eating on the dinner table last night were all core family members. Chu Tianlin and Chu Tianheng had told everyone to not randomly proclaim Chu Mu’s strength. In reality, other than Chu Tianlin and Chu Tianheng, no one else knew if the news of Chu Mu having high class monarch was real, so they could only question it secretly.

The members that came out for reception weren’t at the dinner table. They naturally didn’t know that there was a young expert in their family. Now that they suddenly saw many experts riding middle class monarch ranks, they were all excited, discussing and envying them.

“We will wait here for Luo Region Sect experts. Chu Ji, you bring Chu Qian and these elders to rest.” Chu Tianlin said.

“Yes.” Chu Ji said, as he respectfully led these experts to city master hall.

“Second uncle, these teachers’ attitudes are always like that.....” Chu Qian said apologetically to Chu Tianlin in a small voice.

Chu Qian was ashamed at heart, especially when she saw an elder like Chu Tianlin lower himself for these teachers.

“It’s fine, you’re tired too, go rest. Your father and mother both miss you.” Chu Tianlin didn’t mind it.

Why would Chu Tianlin care? The more polite they are to them, these self-righteous fellows would be more embarrassed when they had to fight. Chu Tianlin was a troll too, so he knew he should disguise himself.

Chu Qian nodded, following the displeased teachers towards city master hall.

Many of the seven color city merchants had moved away, leaving the entire city dead. To the Great Chu family experts who had all grown accustomed to the bustling urban nature of Wogu City, coming to such a dilapidated place naturally ruined their moods. To them, not leaving instantly was already being incredibly nice to the small Chu family.

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"Longlonglonglong~~~~~"

Suddenly, on the south side, strange sounds appeared, as if thousands of horses were running through mountains, valleys, and slopes!

Chu Tianlin was at the north gate. When he turned around, he quickly noticed the rising smoke on the south side that almost covered the entire desolate slope. The majestic nature caused everyone to suck in a breath!

“The servant rank army appeared!”

The Chu family leaders all lost their calm and said!

”Chu Tianlin was the calmest of them all, saying, “It’s only a portion of the servant rank army. Its like a probing force. Don’t panic, family master will solve it. We just have to stay here.”

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The news of the servant rank army sending probes quickly reached the Chu family.

Family master Chu Tianheng immediately sent the command to the hired soul pet trainers at south city to go into alert.

Though the servant rank army probes were large in number, it shouldn’t be too hard to deal with for Chu family. So, other than the commotion in the beginning, there wasn’t any real impact.

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“Servant rank army? Perfect, give little hidden dragon some training. There wasn’t much chance to get so much training against servant ranks!”

In a courtyard, a black clothed young man smiled and glanced southward.

On the young man’s shoulder, a plump dragon excitedly rubbed its paws together, while grinding its cute little dragon teeth!

The second phase little hidden dragon should find dealing with a group of tenth phase commander ranks an easy task.” Chu Mu thought to himself.

Chapter 614: Little Hidden Dragon Slaughtering the Servant Rank Army

Seven Color City’s south side was a flat slope. After the slope was a grey yellow mountain.

Inside the mountain, the plants were very sparse. Most of the rocks were barren, so once soul pet clans ran past, one could definitely see them clearly.

The spirit soldiers on the city walls saw tens of thousands of servant rank soul pets start their invasion, and their faces were very grave.

These spirit soldiers were mostly soul pet trainers that were hired by Chu Family. Their average soul pet strength was around tenth phase high class servant rank, and they were around 1000 in numbers.

Every spirit soldier could summon two soul pets, so their magnitude was around 2000 high class servant ranks. Of course, spirit soldiers could switch soul pets and continue battle, so they could maintain their 2000 high class servant rank fighting strength for a while.

Yet, after glancing over, there were at least ten thousand soul pets in the servant rank army, dense and surging over violently. Though the humans had a city wall, facing the smoky onset, it still brought them immense pressure.

“Everyone, don’t fear. They are mostly middle class servant ranks. Our average strength is higher than them!” Chu Si used his soul remembrance to tell everyone, lifting everyone’s spirits.

Leading the group of spirit soldiers was the original Chu family guard leader Chu Si. Standing next to Chu Si was the original Chu family guard leader Chu Si. Beside him was the leader of these mercenaries, Zhng Nan. He was a spirit master rank expert.

Behind Zheng Nan were ten leaders, all spirit teachers.

The leader Zheng Nan was calm, showing his manner as a great leader. Facing the tide-like Black Rock Panther army, he remained calm.

Black Rock Panther: Beast World - Beast Type - Panther Species - warrior rank

Though these Black Rock Panthers were all warrior rank, none of them were tenth phase, so their average strength was tenth phase low class servant rank to top tier servant rank. If these Black Rock Panthers were all tenth phase, this mercenary spirit soldier group definitely couldn’t handle it.

“Summon your soul pets!”

Great leader Zheng Nan shouted out loud using soul remembrance.

Immediately, up and down the city wall, colorful soul pet summoning symbols lit up. In a short few seconds, 2000 soul pets appeared on the south city gate. Because their average strength is high class servant rank, they didn't lose in grandeur to the Black Rock Panther army!

In team battles, morale was incredibly important. Once their morale was up, all the mercenaries started shouting along with their soul pets, sending rumbles down the entire southside of the city!!

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The battle began immediately. Elemental world soul pets lead the attack, sending waves of all types downwards in bombardement!

Very quickly, the south city slope was covered in flying flesh and dirt, sending the situation into chaos!

After the elementals used their techniques, the beast world soul pets dashed forward, sending earth-shaking roars throughout the battlefield!!

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Chu Si stood at the top of the city building and looked over the battle situation.

Even Chu Si himself hadn't witnessed many battles as large as this one. Seeing tens of thousands of soul pets battle, it invisibly evoked a hot bloodedness in him. If he didn't have to command the entire battlefield, he probably would have leaped off and started killing these bastards that are trying to destroy Chu family's efforts!

Chu Si was just getting excited when he suddenly noticed a person taht had crept up to him without anyone noticing. Turning around, he was taken aback.

“Young master Chu, why are you here?” Chu Si immediately replied.

The person who came was the white clothed Chu Mu. For the young master Chu in front of him, Chu Si had nothing but respect. He was extremely powerful, yet he was still humble and low-profile, hundreds of times better than those young generation experts that feel self-important.

“I’m here to deal with some servant ranks.” Chu Mu said.

“Young master Chu Mu, these are all servant rank battles; though their magnitude is great, they’re small characters after all. You should save your strength for the stronger armies afterwards.” Chu Si thought that telling Chu Mu to fight was truly wasting good power.

“No worries, I’m training my new soul pet.” Chu Mu laughed and said. As he spoke, he glanced over at the thick mass of Black Rock Panthers.

Before Chu Si could stop him, Chu Mu suddenly jumped off the city wall and agilely darted through the spirit soldier and black rock panther army, reaching the densest part of the Black Rock Panthers’ formation within a few blinks of their eyes.

The great leader Zheng Nan beside Chu Si was shocked as he said, “This young man’s strength is truly exceptional!”

As the leader of the mercenaries, even Zheng Nan felt that if he didn’t summon soul pets, he wouldn’t be able to pass through a large group of tenth phase servant ranks as if entering an empty space!

“Hehe, of course, he’s our strongest member in the family, not young generation!” Chu Si said with a chuckle and a lot of pride.

Zheng Nan saw that such an expert had appeared and was secretly strange, wondering what new soul pet he was about to summon.

Since it was a new soul pet, it definitely didn’t reach tenth phase. However, by his estimate for Chu Mu, its species rank was at least monarch rank.

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Servant rank army?

Even in a commander army, Chu Mu would be able to pass freely around in their ranks!

As for the weak servant ranks, even if Chu Mu just stood there and let their attacks hit him, he wouldn't lose any blood. And, with Chu Mu's ability to shide his aura, the Black Rock Panthers couldn't even find Chu Mu.

"My goodness, who is that? He's standing in the densest part of the servant rank army! Is.....is that person still human?"

"None of the Black Rock Panthers are attacking him! How does he do that?"

At the top of the city wall, many people saw the man in white in the center of all the Black Rock Panthers!

One has to know that around him were tens of thousands of these creatures. As a human, standing ghost-like amongst all these cruel Black Rock Panthers was a shocking scene!

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"Little fellow, attack, the more you kill the quicker you grow!" Chu Mu patted the fat little Hidden Dragon on his shoulder.

"Shasha~~~~~" Little hidden dragon saw this many Black Rock Panthers and its little eyes were little crescents from smiling. It adorably jumped off of Chu Mu's shoulder and sat down on a Black Rock Panthers's back.

"Beng!!!!" Little hidden dragon's body was small, but its real body weight was released the moment it jumped down!

This sit immediately broke the middle class servant rank Black Rock Panther's back, instantly killing it!

After killing one black rock panther, the nearby black rock panthers quickly noticed the little hidden dragon's threat and let out angry attacks.

A cyan glow appeared around the little hidden dragon. This glow expanded and, as it blossomed, the little hidden dragon's body also expanded!

The Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon had a Dragonify spell that could make its body smaller. Cyan Hidden Dragons don't have this ability, but the little hidden dragon got this species technique after receiving the jade spring sacred blood.

Dragonify shrunk it. Little hidden dragon was second phase fourth stage, so its real size was near Chu Mu's height!

So, while originally the little hidden dragon wasn't even up to the knees of the black rock panther, after the cyan light, the black rock panthers only came up to the little hidden dragon's hip!

"Owooo Hou!!!!!!!!!" After its body reverted, little hidden dragon wasn't adorable at all anymore. Its fierce cyan dragon claws swiped forwards, sending five black rock panthers that were ready to attack back, knocking over a dozen black rock panthers before finally tumbling to a stop.

The little hidden dragon didn't even use any techniques. Using just raw power, the dozen black rock panthers nearby became corpses, not standing a chance!

"Cyan dragon claw!" Chu Mu commanded.

The little hidden dragon locked onto the densest patch of black rock panthers and five cyan glows lit up on its claws!

"Shua!!!!!!!!!!!"

Five cyan blades flew outwards. These five lines ripped the black rock panthers up, clearly leaving a large opening in the black rock panther army!

"Heh, this claw killed at least a hundred black rock panthers!" The big leader Zheng Nan and the other leaders discussed with a sigh.

“Indeed, that’s probably a sixth phase monarch!” Chu Si exclaimed. From his position, he could clearly see the opening in the black masses that was made, as well as the corpse heap that resulted!

“If I’m not mistaken, that’s a soul pet below fifth phase.” The great leader Zheng Nan had a well-trained eye.

“Under fifth phase? Having such power under fifth phase, this is likely a middle class monarch rank!” Chu Si said with some envy.

Chu Si only now had a pseudo-monarch rank soul pet. Yet, Chu Mu immediately brought out a middle class monarch rank. How could Chu Si not be envious?

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“Okay, try the combined power of dragon and emperor rank!” Chu Mu commanded.

“Awooo!!!!” Little hidden dragon let out a wild roar. Suddenly turning its body, its half mature wings opened up, sending a gale outwards that flipped a couple of black rock panthers away!

The little hidden dragon lifted its skull, both green dragon power and blue emperor power gathering in the hidden dragon’s mouth simultaneously!

“Aoo Hou!!!!!!!!!!”

A thick beam of dragon light spewed forth from the little hidden dragon’s mouth, forming a glamorous cylinder that travelled parallel to the ground!

The light was nearly unhindered. No matter how many black rock panthers it hit, it would pierce right through, flying from the center almost to the city walls!

On this straight line, including the collateral damage, nearly 300 black rock panthers were hit.....

These 300 black rock panthers almost fell to the ground at the same time, having massive holes in their body that gushed out blood, dying almost instantly!!!

This attack was incredibly glamorous. Many mercenaries controlling elemental soul pets on the walls saw it and shouted out loud in surprise, almost forgetting the neemies they were facing themselves.

Spirit soldiers like them did their fair share of work if they could kill 10 black rock panthers.

Yet, a single technique from another person instantly killed 300 black rock panthers. The difference in strength was truly astounding.

Of course, if these mercenaries found out that this person was merely training his “baby”, their dignities would all be shattered beyond repair!

Chapter 615: Dragon Soul Pearl, Specter Type?

“My heavens, a middle class monarch under the fifth phase able to have such powerful destructive power?” the mercenary leader opened his eyes wide

In truth, the mercenary leader wouldn’t have an issue instakilling 300 Black Rock Leopards with his main pets. However, those were all high phased commanders and monarchs. How could they have face if they competed against this infant pet under the fifth phase?

“High class monarch! This is definitely a high class monarch soul pet!” Zheng Nan’s eyes became a bit fervent as he spoke.

Only a high class monarch would be able to exhibit such destructive power when under the fifth phase. Moreover, this could very well be an expert in the high class monarch rank!

“High class monarch rank. I wonder where Chu Mu got such a treasured soul pet!” Chu Si was incomparably jealous!

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The combination of the dragon and emperor strength, further adding on an emperor rank technique, allowed the Little Hidden Dragon's Dragon Ray attack to near the full force attack of a high class warrior. Instakilling a large group of low class and middle class servant ranks was normal.

Of course, this was also the Little Hidden Dragon's strongest technique!

"Not bad. You should fight steadily and surely. Don't waste too much of your physical strength." Chu Mu praised the Little Hidden Dragon.

"Sha sha sha~~~" the Little Hidden Dragon let out a noise in reply.

However, just after replying, an azure light emerged on the Little Hidden Dragon's body. This light was much softer than the dragon strength. Chu Mu was extremely familiar with this light. It was the light of evolution!

"Second phase fifth stage!!" Chu Mu was delighted. As expected, group killing was the most effective. A mere few techniques had been used and the Little Hidden Dragon had unexpectedly evolved!

The scales on its body were much brighter and although its claws weren't completely new, they were evidently sharper. Presumably its attacking strength had risen again!

Chu Mu was paying attention to the Little Hidden Dragon's change when he suddenly noticed a pair of dragon horns on the Little Hidden Dragon's forehead. They were pale white small dragon bones that looked rather sleek.

"What is that?" Chu Mu was confused. He didn't remember the Cyan Hidden Dragon's forehead having these sleek small dragon bones.

"Sha sha sha~~~" the Little Hidden Dragon didn't know what it was either. It guilelessly used its hands to rub them. However, a group of Black Rock Leopards took advantage of this to launch a group attack at it.

The Little Hidden Dragon had a burst of anger. It immediately launched itself at them and engaged in a bloody slaughter again. It looked completely different from that guileless dragon from just now.

“Young master, those are Dragon Soul Pearls that are unique to Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragons. Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragons are called Undying Hidden Dragons because after they die, they will not completely vanish, but instead encounter a suitable departed soul environment that will transform them into Spectral Dragons.” said Old Li.

“A spectral type creature - Spectral Dragons?” Chu Mu was shocked.

Spectral Dragons were extremely rare creatures. It was said that in the past 1000 years, only a few people had seen them before. Moreover, nobody had ever possessed one before!

“After transforming into a Spectral Dragon, its strength will not be the same as its previous life. In truth, after transforming, it will pretty much become a different species and possess Spectral Dragon strength. This will be completely determined by the enemies the Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon killed in its past life.”

Old Li naturally knew this was very hard for Chu Mu to understand and continued explaining in detail: “The Dragon Soul Pearl on the Little Cyan Dragon’s forehead is equivalent to a Gathering Soul Pearl. For each enemy the Little Hidden Dragon kills, unless it tears its enemy’s soul to shreds, the deceased enemy’s soul will be absorbed into the Gathering Soul Pearl. From its birth until death, the souls of all the enemies the Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon kills will gather in this Dragon Soul Pearl. When the Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon dies, its body and soul will merge with these dead souls, transforming into another species, the Spectral Dragon. How much strength the Spectral Dragon possesses has nothing to do with the Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon itself but instead how strong or weak its enemies were and how many enemies it killed.”

“Gathering Soul Pearl. So there existed such a peculiar item. Moreover, this is the first time I’ve heard of a spectral type emperor being born like this.” Chu Mu was quite surprised. If it wasn’t for Old Li’s explanation, Chu Mu probably would have never known of the Dragon Soul Pearl’s use.

“Haha, young master it’s not that simple. The chances of an Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon transforming into a Spectral Dragon are extremely extremely low. Much of it depends on meeting several external and internal to the body criteria. It also has to die at... the correct time. This secret is something humans do not know about. If it wasn’t because I personally saw a dragon type with a Dragon Soul Pearl transform into a Spectral Dragon with my previous master, I wouldn’t have known either.” said Old Li.

Chu Mu had already continuously broadened his knowledge of soul pets. However, soul pets were boundless like the sea, and even the entirety of humanity’s civilization could not completely understand soul pets.

“Since it’s useful after death, the Dragon Soul Pearl isn’t much use to me now.” although Chu Mu was curious about a Spectral Dragon’s birth, he couldn’t have the Little Hidden Dragon end itself to transform into a Spectral Dragon.

“Haha” Old Li suddenly let out a wicked laugh.

Old LI’s laugh made Chu Mu know that the Dragon Soul Pearl wasn’t necessarily a useless species technique!

“Can the Little Hidden Dragon use these souls as its own strength?” Chu Mu immediately asked.

”Old Li shook his head and said to Chu Mu: “Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragons are bug and beast type. There is no way for them to use spectral type techniques.”

“Then how can they transform the gathered souls into strength.” asked Chu Mu.

“Young master, you forgot about attribute training!” said Old Li.

“Attribute training? Departed World’s attributes can be trained by living creatures?” Chu Mu was shocked.

Back then, the small Mo Xie’s fire attributes had been trained by Chu Mu, otherwise she would have continuously maintained her demon and beast attributes.

However, most of the time, one had to be extremely careful when adding attributes. After all, soul pets of different species possessed different species characteristics. Only by focusing on its characteristics could it manifest true effect.

Moreover, if a soul pet had no talent in an attribute, then strengthening that attribute would fail. Even if it had a bit of talent, this would strengthen a large sum of gold.

Mo Xie was able to continuously mutate, so Chu Mu hoped that she would be able to possess the fire attribute to strengthen her attacks. This addition had caused the small Mo Xie to successfully

mutate into an Evil Flamed Six Tailed Demon Fox with fire type talent. If she was still a Moonlight Fox, then adding the fire attribute wouldn't have much meaning.

Chu Mu knew that all attributes could be added. However, he had never heard that the ghost attribute, corpse attribute or specter attribute, the three great departed spirit attributes, could be added. After all, departed spirits were dead creatures. They wouldn't be assimilated into a living creature as well as elemental attributes.

"The chances are not high, but it's definitely possible as long as young master has enough specter type spirits. The Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon already has two attributes. When it evolves to the tenth phase, it will pretty much be invincible in the emperor rank. However, if you add another attribute, and if it's the outlandish specter type, perhaps after it evolves to the tenth phase, it has a chance of reaching the realm that surpasses emperors. There are very few people that possess true Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragons. Even if they do, they will not add other attributes. If young master believes this old fellow's bold hypothesis and unconventionally adds the path of the specter type, with the Gathering Soul Pearl, the Little Hidden Dragon with the specter type will definitely be invincible! It will even surpass its father!" Old Li was full of confidence as he spoke.

"Reaching the realm that surpasses emperors..." Chu Mu was overwhelmed when he heard this!

Chu Mu knew that the Little Hidden Dragon was not a true Empyrean Cyan Hidden dragon right now. It had only inherited the bloodline. It still needed to be strengthened before it could become a true Empyrean Cyan Hidden Dragon.

It was very likely that Chu Mu would have to face the existence in Soul Alliance that surpassed emperors. Therefore, being invincible in the emperor rank was not enough. Old Li suddenly mentioning this bold theory, one which other soul pet trainers may have never done before, made Chu Mu sway a little!

If it innately possessed talent, he would need approximately 0.5 to 1 times more the resources to strengthen a secondary attribute. If it didn't have talent, he would need about 2 times more the resources. If he wanted the specter type to become its main attribute, he would need 6 times the resources.

If a soul pet was a middle class emperor, 1 times more resources for it was equivalent to the resources spent strengthening a servant rank to the middle class emperor rank.

Before the emperor rank, the spirit items needed were still ok and he could find them. However, after the emperor rank, spirit items were extremely few.

“This, I still need to think...” when Chu Mu heard the multiplication of resources, he had a bit of a headache.

If the Little Hidden Dragon was a middle class emperor, Chu Mu would have to spend the resources equivalent to strengthening two middle class emperors. This was because if he wanted the specter attribute to be of any use it needed to at least be a secondary attribute.

As for strengthening it to a main attribute, six times the resources meant Chu Mu would have to strengthen six middle class emperors!

Six times the resources for a soul pet to have another main attribute. Moreover, finding the required resources was extremely difficult, which virtually increased the price. This meant that even rich soul pet trainers would go broke!

“Young master should think carefully about this. Regarding the effects of a main and secondary attribute, young master can just look at your small fox. The small fox is innately a monarch rank. However, it has two main attributes: the beast and demon types. It also has a secondary attribute of fire. Therefore, your small fox’s fighting strength rank rivals a low class emperor.

There’s still hope of finding middle class emperor spirit items. However, it may be impossible for young master to find any at the high class emperor or peak monarch ranks. Therefore, if you want to raise your soul pets by a level, it will practically be impossible at this point. However, if you develop another attribute, this will be another path for you to take. If you invest your resources in early, it will be extremely easy to bankrupt a soul pet trainer, but if you manage to persevere, at the middle class emperor and high class emperor ranks, you will gradually have a huge advantage.

Adding attributes must be done while the soul pet is evolving. It’s best at the first phase, but it’s also acceptable at the second stage evolution. However, it’s best if you don’t exceed the third phase because if you add a secondary attribute then, the effects will greatly diminish.”

Old Li’s words caused Chu Mu to endlessly bitterly laugh. It seemed that even if he had more money, it would never be enough to spend on his soul pets.

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“Ao hou!!!!!!”

The Little Hidden Dragon was still having fun killing in the servant rank legion. There probably were already 1000 servant ranks that had miserably died under its claws.

However, the Little Hidden Dragon enjoying itself definitely did not know that its master right now was having an endless headache of whether to add the specter type to it.

Chapter 616: Great Disaster, Blood Colored Sunset

Chu Mu noticed that after the Little Hidden Dragon killed an enemy, a thread of special soul essence floated into its Dragon Soul Pearl.

These dead souls were undetectable by others. Only the Little Hidden Dragon and Chu Mu whose souls were connected could see this.

Moreover, through the Little Hidden Dragon's soul connection, Chu Mu was able to approximately determine how many dead souls it had absorbed!

“Whatever, I’ll stake it all!” Chu Mu gritted his teeth, determined to add the specter attribute to the Little Hidden Dragon!

The Dragon Soul Pearl was extremely special. Moreover, after absorbing all of the souls, the specter type would naturally become a point of dominance. In order to create an even stronger Hidden Dragon, Chu Mu could only stake it all!

“Since you’ve decided, then young master needs to find a specter type spirit item before the Little Hidden Dragon evolves from the second to third phase. This specter item may be very hard to find, but if you spend a lot of money, you should be able to find one.” said Old Li.

Chu Mu nodded his head, but his heart dripped with blood!

The Little Hidden Dragon was only at the second phase, and was considered an infant pet. Its physical strength was not unlimited and after using a few powerful techniques, much of it would be exhausted. In the subsequent fight, it was only able to kill about 1000 servant rank Black Rock Leopards.

All together, the Little Hidden Dragon was able to kill 1500 enemies, collecting about 1000 servant rank souls.

Of course, for now these dead souls weren't of any use. After almost all of the Little Hidden Dragon's physical strength had been exhausted, Chu Mu didn't stay here any longer, and brought the Little Hidden Dragon back to the city wall.

Upon reaching the city wall, Chu Mu recalled the Little Hidden Dragon back to its soul pet space.

The Little Hidden Dragon had obliterated a huge group of enemies, lessening the pressure on the mercenary spirit soldiers. There wasn't much suspense in the rest of the fight, and the mercenary spirit soldiers were able to, by around noon, obliterate all of the servant legion.

After Chu Mu recalled the Little Hidden Dragon, he didn't stay any longer. He said hi to Chu Si before heading to the Chu Family residence.

After Chu Mu had left, the leaders, Zheng Nan and Chu Si, as well as the other leaders on the city wall all had rigid expressions!

A soul pet's phase and stage was approximately determined by experienced soul pet trainers through looking at a soul pet's aura and appearance. When Chu Mu's Little Hidden Dragon had been thrown into the servant rank legion, Zheng Nan, Chu Si and the other leaders had been further away. They had only guessed it was an infant pet under the fifth phase.

However, just after Chu Mu returned, these people saw the Little Hidden Dragon clearly and all had expressions of disbelief!!

”“That... that.... Is definitely only a third phase or so infant pet!!”

Previously, they had estimated Chu Mu's soul pet was a high class monarch because only a fifth phase or so high monarch would be able to exhibit such strength.

But upon closer examination, they abruptly realized it was a third phase or so infant pet. If it was only at the third phase, how high was its species rank?!!

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Chu Mu naturally didn't know that Chu Si and the others had been scared so silly by his Little Hidden Dragon that they forgot to command the battle. Instead, he just slowly made his way home.

Just as Chu Mu stepped into the courtyard to the left of the entrance, he found a beautifully figured beauty crouching next to the pond. She was panting as she struggled to lift the adjacent rock and throw it into the pond.

Chu Mu glanced at the beauty and hesitated. He decided to take another way around his courtyard, but this beauty happened to turn around and saw Chu Mu standing there. The slight sadness on her face immediately blossomed into a beautiful smile.

"Big brother Chu Mu." the beauty immediately stood up and floated to Chu Mu as if she was a spotlessly white cloud. In a very natural fashion, she grabbed Chu Mu's arm and looked at him very cutely.

The beauty in front of Chu Mu was Chu Mu's younger cousin, Chu Yishui. The last time he had seen her, she was just a young girl. But now she was lovely and beautiful, emanating with charm.

Chu Mu gave a slight laugh and said: "Why are you here by yourself all sad?"

"Hmph, it's because of Luo Region Sect's people!! Luo Region Sect's people are even more arrogant than bigger sister's teacher. They are practically like a group of bandits!" as Chu Yishui spoke, she got angry.

Chu Mu was thinking of dealing with Luo Region Sect's people, and promptly asked her what had happened.

So it turned out not long before Chu Mu had returned, Chu Mu's fifth uncle, Chu Tianqi had brought Luo Region Sect's experts here.

Luo Region Sect brought a total of ten people. Five of them were middle aged people and five were young people. Of the five middle aged people, one of them was Luo Region Sect's Hall Master. He was a mighty expert with a peak monarch rank soul pet. His name was Luo Qiufeng!

Luo Qiufeng was famous in Western Kingdom and even the masters from the Great Chu Family had to be polite towards him.

This Luo Qiufeng was naturally very unkind, and once he entered the Chu Family, he immediately started disparaging the Chu Family's shabbiness.

Luo Qiufeng was extremely strong and others could only bear it in silence. Under Luo Qiufeng were another four middle aged experts with high class monarchs. Luo Qiufeng's young brother, Luo Qiusheng, was even more shameless and said that a single one of his soul pets was as strong as the entire Chu Family.

The elders being so rude had caused the Luo Region young members to act even more arrogantly. Among them was a young man called Luo Tong. When he had been strolling around, he saw Chu Yishui's beautiful appearance and had begun frivolously flirting with her. Chu Yishui was angry but couldn't say anything. She ultimately could only run here and vent her anger on the pond.

"Big brother Chu Mu, I feel that these people from the big faction have come here not to help us but to provoke us. My father said we must bear it since they came from a big faction and naturally are unsatisfied with coming to our small family. If we contradict them, our family has no hope of stopping the disaster. Moreover, Luo Tong has bad intentions towards me, but father said I still have to swallow my words!" Chu Yishui seemed to have finally found someone she could grumble towards and spilled all the displeasure in her heart.

Chu Mu comforted the young beauty while thinking of the Luo Region Sect problem.

Luo Region Sect suddenly appearing with a peak monarch rank expert at Chu Family was probably a bit too much. This really made it difficult to believe that they didn't have ulterior motives.

The entire first rank tribe had a total of 30 peak monarchs. In the disaster, an army of six of these peak monarchs would appear.

Moreover, the group of people from Luo Region Sect weren't weak and could help him get rid of a few peak monarchs. Once the tribe's strength was weakened, Chu Mu would have even greater assurance.

"Luo Region Sect's people are too arrogant. I have to teach them a lesson!" Chu Mu silently pondered.

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The pace of the disaster was even faster than the Chu Family had previously estimated.

There were about 30,000 in the servant rank legion and that day they managed to get rid of 10,000. But on the third day, the warrior rank legion began to mix in with the servant rank legion!

There were about 1000 in the warrior rank legion while the servant rank legion had 10,000.

It was impossible to defeat this group just relying on the mercenaries. Thus, the experts who the Chu Family had recently gathered in the past few years lined up on the city wall, fighting with the warrior and servant rank legions!

This fight lasted a long time. After fighting for two days, the enormous legion seemed to show signs of weakening. Approximately on the fifth day of the disaster, the 10,000 servant rank legion was pretty much obliterated while the remaining 500 warrior ranks broke into Seven Color City. They destroyed many of Seven Color City's defenses, causing many parts of the wall to collapse.

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The fight lasted from dawn until dusk before it finally stopped!

The captivating red sunset illuminated the flowing blood inside and outside the city. It accentuated the remnants of this bitter fight in a shocking manner. Dead bodies littered the streets, walls, hills and ruins. Among them were also numerous soul pets from the human side. Occasionally one could see a few soul pet trainer corpses...

The disaster was undoubtedly very miserable. Moreover, this was merely the beginning stages. The commander and monarch rank legions had yet to appear. When that time came, the entire Seven Color City would probably run red like a bloody river.

The disaster didn't give the humans any chance to rest. Early in the morning of the sixth day, they received news from a messenger soul pet trainer that an even larger legion was attacking from the south side. It would arrive probably just before daylight!

The Chu Family never expected this disaster to be such a violent surge!

Probably in a few days, it would already be the disaster's strongest waves. Chu Tianheng had called awake the Luo Region Sect and Great Chu Family experts that night to have them prepare.

The Chu Family's four masters were lazy as they didn't seem to want to make a move this early.

The Luo Region Sect's people were even more arrogant and didn't even appear. They instead said that if the monarch rank legion did not appear, then not to call for them.

It didn't matter if the two sect's people made a move, but Chu Mu himself had to stand on the city wall.

In truth, Chu Mu had continuously stood on the city wall. The moment he discovered a creature that was overly powerful, he would have his Night Thunder Dream Beast kill it. Otherwise, the previous wave of creatures would have been mixed together with this one.

"Fellow masters, you guys had better make a move. The commander rank legion will definitely appear. If you do not make a move, we won't be able to protect this city." Chu Xian anxiously spoke to the masters.

"I know, I know. Isn't it just a commander rank legion? What is there to be afraid of?" Master Jian Shang impatiently said.

"Haha, watch the might of my Devil Tree Battle Soldier!" Zhang Ying laughed.

As he spoke of a Devil Tree Battle Soldier, the adjacent Chu Mu threw a glance at this old man with a perverted gaze.

Chu Mu had also planned on letting his Devil Tree Battle Soldier attack. Presumably Zhan Ying's Devil Tree Battle Soldier was a high class monarch. Thus, when this wave of the disaster appeared, they would be able to see whose Devil Tree Battle Soldier was even more domineering in group fights!

Chapter 617: Obstructing A Side of the Battle Alone, the Devil Tree's Might

Chu Mu wanted the Devil Tree Battle Soldier to fight, because it had had a month of ease. Chu Mu had a tenth rank wood type soul crystal. The disaster this time was so concentrated together than the Devil Tree Battle Soldier could obtain ample training time. Chu Mu planned on letting the Devil Tree Battle Soldier act as the main force. Afterwards, he would immediately try strengthening it.

If the Devil Tree Battle Soldier was able to reach the peak monarch rank, Chu Mu would have even greater hope of obliterating the tribe.

The commander legion didn't have many creatures in it. Only about 150. However, most of them were tenth phase commanders. If they were high class commanders, they would have fighting strength equivalent to Chu Mu's ninth phase monarchs from before. This was definitely not a legion that could be underestimated.

Moreover, alongside the commander rank legion, there were about 500 left from the warrior rank legion while the servant rank legion still had 5000. Although there were far from as many as the third day, their strength was much stronger than the third day!

The commander rank legion was very organized, and they weren't scattered. They also attacked like a tide. The Chu Family had set up a few defenses outside the city, but these were useless to such a large group of charging creatures!

"Master, that commander rank legion has arrived." Chu Xian spoke with a face of worry.

She was the first to summon a soul pet, which seemed to be about a tenth phase middle class commander. In the young generation, she could barely be considered remarkable. However, in the entire scheme of things, her strength was very lacking. She could only summon a long-ranged attack soul pet as she attack the enormous wave of commanders from the city wall.

Aside from Chu Xian, Chu He, Chu Lan, and the other young generation members all summoned their soul pets!

Most of their soul pets were about the commander rank. Besides Chu Xian who could quadruple control, the others could only triple control. In total, there were only a dozen or so commanders. This was of extremely limited effect against an enormous legion of 150.

“You small fellows aren’t of any use. Watch me!” Master Jian Shang faintly laughed. As he spoke, he immediately dual summoned.

Master Jian Shang had one high class monarch and three middle class monarchs. This was his strongest main pet formation. It was truly much more remarkable than the entire commander legion.

Zhang Ying, Guo Li, and the silent master all had a soul pet formation that consisted of one high class monarch and one middle class monarch.

After the four of them finished summoning, the environment immediately surged up. Especially when the mercenary spirit soldiers and Chu Family members saw these monarchs fight one against ten, they all had a whole new level of respect towards these old men. They all showed expressions of adoration.

“So it turns out they are Great Chu Family experts. I’ve been disrespectful.” the leader of the mercenaries, Zheng Nan, respectfully said.

Zheng Nan’s mercenary group’s strength was limited, and probably when the commander legion arrived, they would collapse and they would suffer heavy losses. However, once these experts participated, the situation would immediately reverse.

Jian Shang, Zhang Ying, and Guo Li all had expressions of satisfaction. They clearly enjoyed being looked at by everyone.

“150 or so commanders. Although there are a lot of them, we can deal with them. You guys can just deal with those warrior and servant ranks. Leave the commanders to us.” laughed Jian Shang.

After speaking, Jian Shang intentionally raised his eyebrows at Chu Xian. His intention was that they were about to use so much effort, so after this is over, we’ll see what your Chu Family is going to do.

“That Devil Tree Battle Soldier is very tyrannical. Even numerous commanders have been instakilled! Whose soul pet is that?!” the Chu Family disciples pointed in shock at the battlefield as they watched.

Although the battle was very chaotic, a soul pet that was able to take charge of an entire area could be clearly seen. Especially when the majority of the soul pet trainers guarding the city had split up

the battlefield into areas that they were in charge of to lessen the pressure. They would be able to tell if some powerful soul pet had appeared to help them break a siege.

When the Devil Tree Battle Soldier was mentioned, Zhan Ying's face was even brighter. The Devil Tree Battle Soldier was obviously his high class monarch. It was a famous group fighting soul pet in Western Kingdom!

"My Devil Tree Battle Soldier has definitely killed the most enemies. The fight has only persisted for thirty minutes, but at least ten commanders and 200 warriors ranks have fallen at the hands of my Devil Tree Battle Soldier." Zhang Ying proudly thought to himself.

As he was proud, Zhang Ying threw a glance at Chu Xian.

However, Zhang Ying suddenly discovered that Chu Xian's eyes didn't seem to be on his Devil Tree Battle Soldier. Not only her, but the Chu Family disciple who had just let out a cry wasn't looking at his Devil Tree Battle Soldier either. Instead, they were focused on another spot on the battlefield.

"What's the matter? Could there be two Devil Tree Battle Soldiers?!" Zhang Ying was stunned.

He turned his head and indeed, Zhang Ying abruptly discovered, in between the warrior and commander legions, a two hundred meter tall Devil Tree Battle Soldier

This Devil Tree Battle Soldier didn't seem remarkable and was easily swallowed up by the soul pets. However, its tyrannical roots were like a hundred cyan pythons that madly moved about in the hundred meters around it.

Piercing, twisting, cutting, sweeping, and whipping. When warrior rank creatures were hit by these group wood type attacks, they were undoubtedly dead. As for the commander rank creatures, if they weren't able to dodge, it would also be hard for them to escape death!

Zhang Ying was even more shocked because this Devil Tree Battle Soldier evidently possessed the poison attribute and sprinkled poison in the hundred meters around it. It was a slow-acting poison that had great destructive force on huge groups. Every once in a while, he would see creatures with serious wounds suddenly collapse for no reason, before just dying!

"Who... whose Devil Tree Battle Soldier is that?!" Zhang Ying finally asked.

Zhang Ying's words caused the surrounding people to be confused. Chu Xian confusedly asked: "Isn't that master's Devil Tree Battle Soldier? Master Zhang Ying hasn't summoned this Devil Tree Battle Soldier before. Now that I'm seeing it today, it truly is powerful!"

Zhang Ying was praised like this, and should have felt pride. However, his Devil Tree Battle Soldier wasn't being engulfed by the commander rank legion right now. How could its majesty compare to this Devil Tree Battle Soldier that was wantonly trampling the enormous legion by itself?!

Chu Xian saw that Zhang Ying looked awkward and quickly reacted. She shockingly covered her small mouth and said: "Could that not be master's soul pet?"

Zhang Ying shook his head.

Chu Xian, Chu Lang, and Chu He all stood to the side. They all knew that the Devil Tree Battle Soldier dominating an area by itself wasn't from the Great Chu Family's master. Thus, they searched the surroundings in shock, wanting to know which expert had summoned such a tyrannical soul pet that had suppressed the powerful commander rank legion outside the city wall.

"Didn't Chu Mu also have a Devil Tree Battle Soldier?" at this moment, Chu He thought of something and her gaze fell on the adjacent Chu Mu.

"Yes, Chu Mu had a Devil Tree Battle Soldier." Chu Lang nodded his head. At the beginning he seemed to have not reacted, but if one looked closely, his face was actually painted with shock!

"Could it be that the Devil Tree Battle Soldier that has killed dozens of commanders and nearly a thousand warriors is Chu Mu's?!" Chu Lang cried out in astonishment!

Chapter 618: Who's Devil Tree Battle Soldier?

"That kid? Who are you kidding? How could he have a high class monarch rank soul pet?" Zhang Ying quickly realized who the Chu Clan young men were pointing to, so he specially glanced at Chu Mu.

Chu Mu's age was only around twenty something. Zhang Ying might even double him in age. How could such a literal youngster have a high class monarch rank soul pet, one that was clearly much stronger than his devil tree battle soldier!

The other three teachers were all glancing at Chu Mu while controlling their own soul pets as well. They found it similarly hard to believe that the devil tree battle soldier came from one young man.

In the group fight, wood type always had a decisive advantage. One could say that the tyrannical devil tree battle soldier's effect was probably same as the sum of the four high class monarch ranks of the teachers.

No matter who the Devil Tree Battle Soldier belonged to, the four were uncomfortable after the situation they were supposed to control was taken over by a dominant devil tree battle soldier!

Chu Qian, Chu He, Chu Lang all kept an eye out for Chu Mu, but noticed that Chu Mu didn't seem to be controlling his soul pet, and was instead just watching the masses of creatures from the edge of the city building.

The three of them all had their own soul pets to control, so naturally they couldn't specially run to Chu Mu and ask. Though the devil tree battle soldier reduced a lot of pressure they were experiencing, getting distracted in these large magnitude battles could easily create accidents.

Yet, standing in the city building commanding the battle, Chu Tianlin smiled, not joining the fight.

From the very beginning, Chu Tianlin had noticed that the devil tree battle soldier was Chu Mu's.

Chu Tianlin already knew that Chu Mu had high class monarch rank soul pets. However, even after having mental preparation, Chu Mu's devil tree battle soldier displayed a group combat strength that caused even Chu Tianlin to gasp in admiration. Especially, this one high class monarch rank devil tree battle soldier was killing larger groups than the four high class monarch rank soul pets combined. This feeling caused Chu Tianlin to feel redeemed!

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This soul pet invasion lasted an entire day. Only until the night did it finally calm down.

Originally, when the 150 commander ranks appeared, they needed a dozen mercenaries to group up to defeat one organism, which would have made the battle even more hard-fought. However, the situation was much better than they thought due to the four high class monarch ranks and twelve middle class monarch ranks that joined the battle.

What caused the battle situation to become even better was the devil tree battle soldier that shocked everyone, who's owner was still unknown!

Someone estimated that, of the 150 commander ranks and 500 warrior ranks, this devil tree battle soldier probably killed 50 commander ranks, at least 200 warrior ranks, and over 1000 servant ranks.

Of such a large disaster group, almost a third of it was killed by devil tree battle soldier!

One had to know that the experts from Great Chu Family that they spent a lot of money on had only killed around a third of all enemies combined. By comparison, one could see just how formidable the devil tree battle soldier was!

"This devil tree battle soldier could fight an entire day, truly overpowered." Profiteer teacher said in a low voice.

Zhang Ying stiffened his face. He enjoyed feeling everyone's respectful and envious gazes. Originally, with his wood type soul pet, he could have been the most outstanding one in this life and death battle, saving countless people's lives. Yet, all of the fame was taken away by the devil tree battle soldier. Even if this devil tree battle soldier indeed was incredibly powerful, Zhang Ying couldn't have any good feelings towards it or its master.

The four teachers weren't actually that weak. After all, other than the high class monarch ranks, they each had three middle class monarch ranks.

Yet, no matter the high class monarch ranks and middle class monarch ranks, they were easily wounded in group fights. Once they were more severely wounded, they would quickly retract them and send other secondary soul pets up.

The effect of secondary soul pets were naturally weaker. However, the devil tree battle soldier's defense and life force was even more incredible; in that chaotic battle, it continued to fight for an entire day, yet they couldn't find a single mark on it. If not for its limited stamina reducing its technique casting later on, this devil tree battle soldier would have killed even more enemies!

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The fight was entering the clean-up phase, slowly calming the atmosphere.

Chu Qian tiredly retracted his soul pet, and specially glanced at Chu Mu before slowly walking towards him.

“Chu Mu.....” Since Chu Qian came back to the family, she hadn’t even had the chance to talk to Chu Mu yet.

Chu Mu smiled lightly. Seeing Chu Qian’s tired appearance, he said caringly, “You seem very tired.”

Every soul pet trainer, after a whole day of controlling their soul pets in battle, would use up most of their mental power.

“Not bad, but you.....they said you just came back a few days ago. I thought I would never see you again.....’ Chu Qian said quietly.

Noticing that Chu Mu was gently looking at her, she instead couldn’t make eye contact. A blush blossomed on her pale face. Good thing it was at night, meaning no one could see her redness.

“There were some matters I had to handle, so I came back.” Chu Mu’s original plan was to head east. But, if he did that, he wouldn’t return to the family this early.

This return to the family was truly an accident. Chu Mu couldn't say much, so he simply kept his light smile as he told Devil Tree Battle Soldier to come back.

Chu Qian didn’t know what to say for a moment. Suddenly, she noticed a green figure slowly climbing up the city wall and walking over, ending up behind Chu Mu.

Chu Qian stared blankly because she instantly recognized the devil tree battle soldier that had destroyed a third of all enemies!

This moment, the “devil tree battle god”, as Chu family members and the mercenaries called it, was right behind Chu Mu. What this meant was already clear to Chu Qian!

“This devil tree battle soldier.....it truly is your soul pet!!” Chu Qian opened her small mouth and stared in astonishment.

Chu Qian’s surprised shout quickly attracted the attention of the nearby tired soul pet trainers. Indeed, everyone on the city wall noticed that the “devil tree battle god” had returned to its owner.

And its owner was merely a twenty-something young man!

“Who is this young man? How is he so powerful, with one soul pet able to match the four great chu family experts!”

“I remember, I think its the son of the fourth brother of clan leader. He’s one of the young masters out for training, called Chu Mu.”

“I was just about to go berate the kid for standing on the city wall and doing nothing, simply watching. Who knew the devil tree battle soldier was his? Good thing I held back on the cursing.....” A Chu family member turned pale at the memory.

“If not for the devil tree battle god standing right beside him, i wouldn’t believe it is his soul pet even if you bludgeoned me to death!”

In the entire battle, the most glamorous, sturdy, and fierce member was this devil tree battle soldier.

The owner of this devil tree battle soldier was also a mystery that everyone wanted to know. Now that the answer was revealed and the master turned out to be a young man, it caused another commotion through the tired crowd!

As the discussion sounds got louder, people came to the conclusion that the man wasn’t actually young but just seemed like it. From their knowledge, not even the most powerful young generation expert in Tianxia City had this kind of soul pet.

Of course, regardless of age, someone with such a powerful soul pet deserved respect from everyone!

As for Chu Mu's age, Chu Qian, Chu Lang, Chu He, and Chu Tianlin knew the best.

After Chu Mu gave the devil tree battle soldier a recovery medicine, everyone crowded up, looking nothing like having just gone through an entire day of fighting, instead all pumped up.

"It really is your soul pet, we didn't believe it at first! Chu Mu, how did you train it, how did you make your devil tree battle soldier this powerful in such a short time!" Chu Lang was the first to shout excitedly.

"This devil tree battle soldier is definitely top five in all of western kingdom." The untalkative Chu He said directly.

High class monarch rank, one has to know that Chu Lang and Chu He were still commander rank! The distance was truly too large!!

Chu Qian's emotions were even greater. She had spent so much effort calling her four teachers over from Great Chu Family. Who would have thought that, after the eye-opening fight at Great Chu Family, this man in front of her had grown this much and completely outshined her four experienced teachers.

"The things that Chu Mu said at the dinner were all true then!!" Chu Lang's gaze was heated, as if he wanted to immediately pry open Chu Mu's soul pet space to see what other powerful soul pets he had.

"Chu Mu, what did you say at the dinner?" Chu Qian quickly asked.

"He said...." Chu Lang was just about to answer excitedly.

"Yep, what are you all surrounding Chu Mu for? The battle's over, just go take care of your soul pets!" at this moment, Chu Tianlin humphed coldly, telling off all the Chu family members that were slowly nearing!

These Chu family disciples all wanted to hear what this powerful teen had to say, yet Chu Tianlin interrupted.

Chu Tianlin couldn't possibly let Chu Mu expose his strength this early. After all, Chu Qian brought her four experts, and the Luo Region Sect people were even bigger assholes. He had to show them who was better!

The moment he thought of the words the Luo Region Sect people said, Chu Tianlin got heated!

Before when Chu Mu told Chu Tainlin that Luo Reigon Sect may have ulterior motives, Chu Tainling was in disbelief, and he was about to thank them for coming to their rescue. Now, he knew that these people were indeed with bad intentions, so he only had anger for them.

So, before Luo Region Sect fought, Chu Tianlin couldn't let Chu Mu's strength get leaked, or else how could he embarrass them?

"These teachers have truly spent great effort for this disaster. Chu Tianlin represents all of Chu Family to thank you. Presumably, experts are tired. We have prepared all the medicine your soul pets may need.....' After Chu Tianlin finished telling off the young generation, he faked politeness and said to the teachers.

"No, no, just a small help, small help." The profiteer was the first to react, laughing dryly but his tone was much more polite this time.

"Hehe, it isn't a big deal, sub clan master you are too kind." The other experts added.

Chu Tianlin specially looked at the teachers faces as surprise, embarrassment, and shame appeared. The only thing that was missing was the previous smug and condescending looks that belittled Chu Family.....

This caused Chu Tianlin to feel incredibly pleased. He had waited for this day since the moment he had to receive them!

Chapter 619: Eyeing Covetously, Soul Emperor's Lackey

At night, some of the weaker soul pet trainers controlled their plant world soul pets to start cleaning up the battle field. Soul cores, soul crystals, innard crystals, these three things dug out of the soul pets' bodies were all goodies that are used to power the economy and strengthen soul pets. Especially soul crystals; once they appeared, they gained a great amount of wealth.

The soul crystals of the 150 commander ranks were mostly ninth and tenth rank. If one had a couple, it was worth a couple 100 million in gold. To a family like Chu Family, this wasn't a small sum.

Other than collecting soul cores, soul crystals, and innard crystals, the corpses had to be dealt with as well or else the blood scent would float extremely far. Some naturally bloodthirsty beasts would get attracted, possibly leading whole clans of soul pets over. After all, to the west of the city was Qingfeng Wetland, which was directly connected to a third rank tribe Western Wetlands!

Qingfeng Wetlands was a small marsh. Under countless short grey-green shrubs, there were always hidden a few ponds reflecting the starlights.

The humidity was quite heavy in wetlands, causing it to always rain. The habitants of this area therefore were mainly lizard or humid-loving insect species.

The bleak moon was up high, scattering its mellow light down. When it was night time, the entire wetland was always shrouded with an oppression, with occasional shrieks breaking the silence, giving off a hackle-raising feel.

The cold wind blew through. In the seemingly silent wetland, one could always see the upper body of a black shadow suddenly appear to devour some water-drinking organism in one gulp, sending a shriek through the wetlands before going back to silence.

"The next time, if anyone gave me gold to watch this area, I won't do it even if they pay double!" From a bush, a low whisper came out.

"Qingfeng Wetlands isn't a safe place. Have you not heard? No one in all of Western Kingdom has ever gone through Qingfeng Wetlands to reach the deeper regions." Another man's voice came along.

"Entire western kingdom?" The grumbling man said questioningly.

"Yes, the entire western kingdom! No one had ever gotten through. Those big characters, like city master, region master, and even Kingdom master included....."

“Heavens, then how terrifying is this Qingfeng Wetlands.....I.....Why do I feel as if a lot of things over there are wriggling.” The complaining man suddenly felt his entire body shiver.

These two people were sent by Chu Family to patrol the night. The Qingfeng Wetlands were a hidden threat. Even though the main focus was the South slope, they couldn't forget about this region.

“Don't scare yourself, how could they be coming the moment we speak.....” The other patrolling man said nonchalantly. As he spoke, he peeked his head out to look further into the Qingfeng Wetlands. Yet, with this glance, his expression froze!

“There really is something crawling over!!” The two shouted and quickly summoned their soul pets.

“Sila!!!!!!”

Two claws flew past. The complaining man's middle class warrior rank soul pet that he just summoned was immediately ripped apart, sending blood everywhere over him.

The patrolling member was scared stiff. Before he was even able to run, four more shadows darted out, all very quick, killing their warrior rank soul pets in one technique!

“Aaaaaaaaaaah!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!”

A scream echoed through the night as the two patrols were almost simultaneously ripped into shreds.

As they were killed, the two patrols also saw a scene that caused them to lose all hope of escaping!

A black mass - sharp clawed organisms were wriggling through the vast wetlands in the thousands, almost like a low-hanging cloud slowly enroaching!!

If four or five could kill two warrior rank soul pet trainers in a few short seconds, how terrifying would the disaster this large army would cause!!

The moon was still hanging high as the dark tide like army slowly inched nearer to human society in the silent night. Yet, the couple regions on the south west side of western kingdom, there were tens of millions of people who knew nothing of this.....

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Seven Color City Chu Family Residence

“They truly are intolerable!!” Chu He suddenly slammed the table and stood up, face full of anger!

Of the Chu family members, Chu He was the least talkative and also the most mild in temperament. It was very rare he would be this angry about something!

Tonight, Chu Family inner members had called together a family meeting where only direct descendants of Chu family could attend.

“Everyone, I’m sorry. Though I guessed Luo Region sect would send experts here and that their motives weren’t that simple, I didn’t think they would propose such a ridiculous plan. I brought trouble to us all.” Chu Tianqi said ashamed to everyone.

Chu Mu’s fifth uncle Chu Tianqi always was abroad managing the family’s businesses. The connections the family had were all managed by him, meaning Luo Region Sect people were contacted by him as well.....

“Fifth brother, you aren’t to blame.” Chu Tianheng said steadily.

“Heng, help us defend against the disaster and give them control of seven color city so that chu family can become a subordinate of their faction? Not only are they stealing our city, they want us as manual labor as well, what kind of bullshit joke is this?” Chu Tianlin even started swearing!

A few days ago, Luo Region Sect’s Luo Qiufeng had vaguely brought this matter up, which caused Chu Tianlin to become incredibly angry already. Yet, tonight, Luo Qiufeng directly gave them the ultimatum. Not only did they laugh at Chu Family’s weakness, they even threatened them, telling

Chu Family not to be too obstinate, less they anger Luo Region Sect and have no place left to go in all of Western Kingdom as well as the nearby Kingdoms!

“Chu Mu, you guessed correctly. These bastards aren’t here to defend the disaster!” Chu Tianlin continued to say.

Luo Region Sect’s power was great and covered many kingdoms west of Tianxia City. They wouldn’t turly care about a small Chu Family’s life and death. Let alone, they sent top tier monarch rank experts. Connecting it to the issue of spirit sources, one could deduce that they were here to steal resources.

Chu Mu himself knew. If he needed spirit resources to feed his emperor rank soul pets, he must steal from some already saturated factions, so having collisions with great factions would be inevitable.

“Second uncle, that Luo Tong accidentally spoke too much to me today. Their elders’ strengths aren’t as simple as we think.” Chu Yishui said quietly.

Originally, the stronger Luo Region Sect was, the smaller the impact the disaster would have on seven color city; it was a win win scenario. However, these Luo region sect wolves were here to annex Chu Family. Even if they could defend the city successfully, seven color city would be lost. If they knew this, Chu family would have just abandoned this city instead of becoming Luo Region Sect’s labor force.

“Yishui, you try to get more information from that guy to figure out their strengths.” Chu Tianlin said. Chu Tianlin knew Chu Yishui was smart and witty since she was a child, meaning Luo Tong wouldn’t be able to get much from her.

“Oh, okay…….” Chu Yishui nodded.

Chu Mu didn’t speak from beginning to end. He at first was curious; if Luo Region sect were sending people to scout out the spirit sources, sending experts with only top tier monarch ranks doesn’t seem to be enough. It turns out these people had hide their strength.

Chu Mu could even imagine Luo Qiufeng and Luo Qiusheng’s expressions. They were definitely full of disdain and mockery as they watched Chu Clan, laughing at Chu Family’s ignorance and stupidity as they shocked the small family to silence with only a small portion of their strength.

It was good that Chu Mu could keep his composure and not reveal his strength so brashly. Or else, if Luo Region Sect secretly plotted against him or asked for reinforcements, Chu Mu would have a harder time dealing with them.

“Oh right, Sun Yuan’s helpers are here. Chu Ying, how powerful are they?” Chu Tianheng asked.

“I.....I don’t know. Sun Yuan originally said he was going to send some old henchmen from his family over. However, a young man and a couple of subordinates aged around thirty years old came instead. Sun Yuan was extremely respectful to the young man and his subordinates, calling them elder.” Chu Ying said.

“Able to take down the guest boat business for Chu family this easily and leaking that he could help Chu family grow further, this Sun Yuan definitely isn’t as simple as he’s letting on.” Chu Tianheng said.

“That Sun Yuan is a fourth remembrance spirit master. Such a remembrance level is pretty ahead even in the rankings of both kingdoms. He definitely is a young master of some great faction.” Chu Mu said lightly.

In Tianxia City, young generation members reaching fourth remembrance spirit master was incredibly rare. Able to reach such a level meant that he wasn’t a normal person. Chu Mu had guessed that early on.

“Fourth remembrance spirit master!!” Chu Ying immediately called out.

From what Chu Ying saw, able to reach spirit master was already a great achievement, let alone fourth remembrance! She never would have guessed that Sun Yuan had hidden so deeply.

“Sun Yuan probably won’t be harmful to us. If calls people over, then I can’t say for sure.” Chu Mu said.

The people Sun Yuan called over Chu Mu had seen as well. The mysterious young man Chu Mu glanced at, a sixth remembrance spirit master, which was incredibly high. No wonder Sun Yuan was so respectful to him.

As for the three subordinates that the young man brought, Chu Mu couldn't be sure of, but they definitely weren't weak. As for where they were from, Chu Mu had no clue.

“Young master, this little seven color city suddenly got this many experts isn't a coincidence. Without needing to say, ninety percent of them are here for the spirit source, all the lackeys before the soul emperors. Recently, there have been a great many disasters. As a first rank tribe continuously sends armies towards human society, their inner territories were more vulnerable and bare. Probably news of a spirit source appeared there, attracting these soul emperors' attention.” Old Li said.

One spirit source bringing in this many wolves, seems like emperor rank resources truly are in great demand.

“Thousand spirits could create a tenth of an emperor or keep an emperor rank for three years without battling. That spirit source could create thousands of spirits at once or even more, and give up a couple hundred every month after. The importance of this is very clear. Young master should know that this can't fall into other peoples' hands.

Emperor rank resources are already scarce. Chu Mu has to prepare to provide for a huge group of emperor ranks, especially the little Hidden Dragon. Chu Mu couldn't possibly let another faction take it!!

Chapter 620: Terror Seized, The Trapped Seven Color City

Chu Mu's white nightmare was already tenth phase top tier monarch rank. As long as he got the soul items, Chu Mu had hope of strengthening to another emperor rank.

Once he has three emperor ranks, Chu Mu would be even stronger. At least, single handedly taking on a first rank tribe would be no problem.

Of course, the one able to become emperor rank with the right soul items was only White Nightmare.

White Nightmare has a subtype, so it would need double the resources.

Multiple type soul pets and single type soul pets had a clear difference when it came to strengthening. For single type soul pets, Chu Mu just had to find one emperor soul item of the right type and just strengthen. One times the cost would be enough to reach emperor rank.

With multiple types, he had to find a soul item of the same multiple types, needing double the resources to strengthen an emperor rank. He couldn't split up the types and strengthen them separately.

Worth noting was, fighting ranks couldn't be split up and strengthened, because it would cause a permanent weakening of the sub types.

For example, White Nightmare was Other, fire, beast, and dark type. Its main type was Other, while its sub types from strongest to weakest were fire, beast, and dark.

If he split up the strengthening and bought other type soul items to strengthen white nightmare to emperor rank, such strengthening would bring white nightmare to emperor rank. However, the fire, beast, and dark types would permanently weaken. Compared to a monarch rank's soul pet, these sub types at monarch rank would be almost worthless, making white nightmare a normal emperor rank.

Even if he bought fire type, beast type, and dark type tri-type soul items to make up, it won't have any significant impact.

Chu Mu's soul pets in reality had examples of type weakening: Night Thunder Dream Beast and Devil Tree Battle Soldier.

Night Thunder Dream Beast's thunder type was almost gone, while Devil Tree Battle Soldier's beast type was also weakening.

Chu Mu's main soul pets were all many types. Zhan Ye was beast and insect type, Mo Xie was, White Nightmare even had four types. They were all bottomless holes. His other soul pets needed to reach emperor rank too.

Old Li only knew of one spirit source. He didn't even know how long it would take to find another one. So, missing this opportunity, Chu Mu's growth would be significantly slowed!

Chu Mu and the defector young woman's agreement was life and death within six years. In this six years, Chu Mu had to try his best to reach high class emperor rank, or else how would he be able to enslave that woman? This spirit source he had to obtain.

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While Chu Family's members were considering Luo Region Sect's take-over, Chu Mu was also naturally thinking of how to deal with these pesky Luo Region Sect people.

The discussion was clearly heavy, but Chu Tianheng didn't have any other plans. Finally, Chu Tianheng could only said: "Chu Mu, this time the family is completely reliant on you."

"En, let's plan but not act, watch and see what happens." Chu Mu said.

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Since seven color city had a lot of experts appear, the issue of the disaster was no longer the main problem.

However, something no one had expected happened!

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In the morning, all of the night patrol members of Chu Family all suddenly disappeared without contact. If not for the periodic reports Chu Tianheng required from them, Chu Tianheng wouldn't have noticed anything wrong.

The disaster mainly came from the south side, so if the south side patrols disappeared, everyone could guess that the panther species first rank tribe had dispatched their troops. However, no news came back from the other three directions either, making it extremely strange!

The same day all sides lost contact, the first rank tribe's monarch rank army brought the rest of their troops over!

With the appearance of the disaster, peoples' attentions naturally fell back onto defending seven color city.

No matter Luo Region Sect or Sun Yuan factions, if they wanted to take the spirit source, they had to use seven color city as a foundation, so they wouldn't slack on protecting seven color city.

Sun Yuan's faction actually came from merchant alliance. When the monarch rank army came, merchant alliance only told the man called Sun Pan to go forth to control the situation.

In Luo Region Sect, though everyone fought, after destroying all of the monarch ranks, they still looked very relaxed. It seems like they indeed were hiding strength. It was no wonder that even facing the commander rank army, they didn't even bother to attack for fear of tarnishing their identity.

After they solved the ninth rank clan disaster, the seven color city people all let out a breath of relief. That night, the remaining ten thousand or so residents all celebrated.

These residents mostly stayed in seven color city because they had no where to go. Since they heard that Chu family was staying, those who believed in Chu family stayed. Now that the disaster was fixed, they naturally were even more supportive of Chu Family.

The disaster was solved. However, Chu family couldn't relax at all.

That is because Chu family people have already noticed that the entire seven color city seemed to be in lock down!

Chu family had sent many people outwards to send messages, but they all disappeared once they left. No one came back into seven color city, even those who went towards the north end where there weren't any disasters.....

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Three or four days after the seven color city's calm after the disaster, the city was shrouded by a strange sense of death.

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“Clan master, the great leader Zheng Nan came back.” Chu Si reported in the Chu Family hall.

“What’s up?” Chu Tianheng hastily asked.

The mercenaries that Zheng Nan lead were all hired by Chu Family with gold. In the later stages of the disaster, their usefulness was lower, so when the disaster ended, they took the gold and left.

Chu Tianheng noticed that the surrounding atmosphere of Seven color city was very wrong, so he told Zheng Nan not to leave. Zheng Nan felt that his mercenary army was massive, so even if there was something strange near seven color city, he probably wouldn’t be stopped, so he chose to leave.

Yet, Zhen Nan who left just came back, meaning something must have happened!

“He’s unconscious right now. With him were his other leaders, all heavily injured. As for his mercenary army, none of them got back. Not sure if they left, or.....” Chu Si couldn’t continue.

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City north, a handsome dream beast nimbly travelled amongst the barren slopes.

Riding this nimble creature was a black clothed young man. His face was stern, eyes bright, with a cold glint amongst his eyes.

This man was Chu Mu. Not long ago, Chu Mu headed towards the territory of the first rank tribe.

The first rank territory was very agitated, causing Chu Mu to not dare to fight his way in. After gathering some information, he decided to return to Seven color city.

Yet, the moment he returned to seven color city, the mercenary army disappeared. Chu Mu quickly ran to the north to look and see the situation.

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Passing over a mountain, Night Thunder Dream Beast jumped to the highest point of the slope and looked down the slowly descending landscape.....

Between the hills, one could see a lot of bright red things flowing. Further ahead, scattered white things were faintly visible between hills.

The red streams were clearly blood flowing between the hills. The white stuff were the remains of devoured corpses!

Without guessing, one could know that that was the burying grounds of the thousand strong mercenary army!

“Old Li, is there something else wrong with seven color city?” Chu Mu said heavily.

“I don’t really know; I think the situation is a little out of hand now.” Old Li said.

With Chu Mu’s strength, leaving seven color city wouldn’t be much of a problem. However, Chu Mu didn’t dare to go far because he felt that there were dangerous creatures prowling all around seven color city. If Chu Mu walked far and one direction suddenly exploded, all of seven color city would definitely be killed, including all of Chu Family!

“Heng, you’ve got guts to run here.” Suddenly, a soul remembrance came from another hill.

Chu Mu glanced over and saw a soul pet trainer riding a horned beast.

This man Chu Mu had seen before; it was Sun Pan, who participated in the monarch rank disaster.

Monarch rank disaster, Chu Mu didn’t participate in. Luo Region sect and Sun Yuan’s faction were more than enough to deal with it. Chu Mu simply told his devil tree battle soldier to continue to train.

“Didn’t you go east?” Chu Mu replied.

“None of your business.” Sun Pan said mildly.

Sun Pan indeed went east to recon, but.....

Yet, this expert with hidden strength encountered a hidden clan!

Sun Pan, confident in his strength, wanted to dive right in to achieve connection with the outer world. However, the group of soul pets were far stronger than Sun Pan imagined. Sun Pan himself barely escaped from the army after getting stuck deep in it.

Forced, Sun Pan escaped towards the northwest all the way until the north face of the city before finally escaping from the group of monsters.

Sun Pan wanted to save face, so there was no way he would explain that to the young man that he escaped from the east side.

“Then how is the situation that way?” Chu Mu was incredibly wise. With a few detailed glances at Sun Pan’s horned beast, he had guessed most of it anyways.

“Not very hopeful. One could say that seven color city is completely surrounded.” Sun Pan had seen Chu Mu’s devil tree battle soldier. Now that Chu Mu was riding another high class monarch rank soul pet, he could guess that Chu Mu was probably a first tier young generation expert of tinaxia city.

While Sun Pan and Chu Mu communicated, he also rode his horned beast towards the hill Chu Mu was at.

He specially glanced at the blood flowing mountain and lost his composure for a second before slowly speaking, “You aren’t weak, so you probably guessed the situation.”

“En, it’s at least a tenth rank clan, if not a first rank tribe. No matter if you or the Luo region sect people, leaving will be tough.” Chu Mu said.

“As long as you know.” Sun Pan nodded and continued, “We come from merchant’s alliance. I heard that our family’s Sun Yuan was here, so I wanted to come along to fix your family’s issue along the way. However, we encountered this instead and are stuck in the city. Though I don’t know why these creatures aren’t attacking the city, staying here is certain death.”

“I know, if you have anything to say, just say it.” Chu Mu of course knew Sun Pan wasn’t completely truthful. Coming from merchant’s alliance, he had probably come for the spirit source as well.

“Luo Region sect’s people definitely only care for themselves, selecting a direction to escape. You aren’t weak and are still young. There’s no point in staying with such a small family and dying. You can join us and escape from another direction.” Sun Pan said.