

## Chapter 1393 Despair

It was not until now that Liam and his companions realized why the King of the Titan Bugs had always anticipated their movements.

The creature's strength wasn't at the level of a Primogem King as they had assumed. It was actually a Primogem Emperor!

With such formidable power, it was no surprise that the King of the Titan Bugs could easily detect everything within its stronghold.

At this point, even though Liam and his team hadn't conceded defeat, they felt a sense of despair.

The King of the Titan Bugs was overwhelmingly powerful, a level-four Primogem Emperor. It was beyond Liam's team's capability to defeat, even if they used the Gibson family's sword array a hundred times.

This gap in power was evident. Even if Lewis' and the others' combined efforts matched a level-four Primogem Emperor, defeating the King of the Titan Bugs was still a daunting task.

No wonder the King of the Titan Bugs had rushed to the cave without holding back. It turned out that it had the strength to back its confidence!

Everyone's eyes were filled with despair. They hadn't anticipated that their mission would lead them to such a dire situation.

Finally, they ceased all resistance before the King of the Titan Bugs.

At that moment, a hint of mockery flashed through the eyes of the King of the Titan Bugs. It then spoke in human language to taunt them.

"What a group of fools! Did you really think my strength was what it appeared? If it weren't for the fear that your Human Sovereign would discover my true power and send warriors beyond the level of the Primogem King here, why would I conceal my abilities? Since you're doomed anyway, I'll reveal the truth. I've been orchestrating a passage to your territory from within this stronghold for years. Soon, when the passageway is complete, we Titan Bugs will infiltrate your Human Clan undetected!"

It was only when everyone present heard the King of the Titan Bugs speak that everyone grasped the deception. The stronghold of the Titan Bugs had been an elaborate illusion, crafted by the King of the Titan Bugs to lower the vigilance of the Human Clan's leaders.

The stronghold was presented as a training ground for the Human Clan's younger generation, but its true purpose was far more sinister.

The King of the Titan Bugs had been secretly constructing a passage from the stronghold of the Titan Bugs directly into the Human Clan's territory.

The depth of this deception was staggering, and none would have believed it had they not heard it directly from the King of the Titan Bugs.

After all, it was inconceivable that such a passage could have been built without the Human Sovereigns noticing.

After its taunt, the King of the Titan Bugs slowly approached Liam and his team and sneered, "Now that you know the greatest secret of our kind, I can't let you live! Go to hell! And you... A human who possesses the Death Power. After you die,

I will extract that power from your body and study it!"

A tremendous force erupted from the King of the Titan Bugs, engulfing the group like a tidal wave. The immense pressure nearly crushed them to death.

Just when all hope seemed lost and the team braced for their end, a figure materialized out of thin air in the cave.

The newcomer positioned himself between the King of the Titan Bugs and Liam's team, shielding Liam's team from the overwhelming aura.

Then, in an icy tone, the person spoke. "I didn't expect you to hide for so long right under the nose of the Human Sovereigns! You really are something!"