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Chapter 91: Let's Go, Shiny Plains (4)

"Nothing in the world is unachievable for ones who set their minds to it. What happened to you? Why do you need a supreme powerhouse? For fighting?"

The tough man chuckled softly, looking a little miserable. He didn't hide the truth from Yun Feng anymore and told her everything. "Little girl, since you really want to help us, I'll tell you the truth for the sake of your kindness."

The tough man heaved a deep sigh with a hint of frustration on his serious face. "The Shiny Plains is the place that produces the most amount of ores in the Karan Empire. Even after so many years of mining, there are still new veins of ores being discovered gradually and this piece of precious land is controlled by the Mercenary Union."

Yun Feng sat there and looked at the tough man. "So, all the mercenary groups registered at the Mercenary Union can get some benefits."

The man smiled wryly as he shook his head. "Little girl, there are at least a few hundred mercenary groups registered at the Mercenary Union. Even if the Shiny Plains is two or three times larger, the ores wouldn't be enough for all the groups. Besides, the veins aren't everywhere. If all the mercenary groups swarm here, it'll be chaotic."

Yun Feng nodded and also understood the hidden meaning in his words. "So, people must have certain qualifications to come to the Shiny Plains?"

"That's right. The Mercenary Union conducts an assessment of the level of the mercenary groups every three years. Only mercenary groups rated as three-star or above are eligible to come to the Shiny Plains. The chances all mercenary groups on the Shiny Plains have are equal. Once they discover a mineral vein, they can occupy it. Of course, there's a time limit for it. The time limit is three years. After three years, they can only continue to own the mineral vein if they pass the mercenary level assessment successfully. Otherwise, not only will the mineral vein they discovered be taken, but the level of the mercenary group will also drop and they'll not be eligible to come to the Shiny Plains."

Up till this point, Yun Feng also understood. The level assessment of the mercenary groups was a checkpoint. Those who passed this checkpoint would be able to come to the Shiny Plains. If they truly found a mineral vein somewhere, that mercenary group would get quite a lot of money. Whether they sold the ores or kept the ores for themselves, it would be a great help to them.

'Looks like you're not going to pass the level assessment this time." Yun Feng said indifferently. The few of them all looked embarrassed. Being told that by a kid it was indeed a little unbearable so they couldn't look up.

"Haha, I'll be honest with you. The Red Maple Mercenary Team used to be extremely strong, but you can't always get what you want. Another mercenary group was onto the mineral vein we found. After a fierce battle, the few masters stationed here died one after another," the man said as the remaining young people looked devastated. Yun Feng couldn't help but frown. "Shouldn't the vein belong to whoever finds it? Those who see it can share it too?"

Xiao Ying gave a wry smile as she leaned backward against the chair with her exhausted body. "Belong to whoever finds it? This is the world of mercenaries. Such a rule doesn't exist between mercenaries. You can steal it if you have the strength! If you can steal it, then it'll be yours! We exerted ourselves during that brutal fight. Even though the other party lost, we also suffered great casualties."

"For a mercenary group, the loss of their elites is the most fatal. The huge loss of the elites will greatly reduce the strength of the entire mercenary group." The ancestor's voice sounded in Yun Feng's mind. It seemed that the elites of this Red Maple Mercenary Team were severely injured after that brutal fight and they still hadn't restored their strength yet. Right now, they were facing the danger of losing their eligibility to stay on the Shiny Plains.

"The new level assessment is about to begin. With our current strength, it's impossible for us to rely on our power to become one of the three-star teams, unless..." The man said as he glanced at Meatball. Yun Feng immediately understood.

"Unless you use some special means, like giving the person who assesses your level a Magic Beast?" Yun Feng lifted Meatball's neck and swung its chubby body gently. The man smiled with embarrassment after hearing that, while Xiao Ying couldn't help but shake her head speechlessly.

"There's nothing else we can do. It's not easy to catch a Magic Beast, especially a living one! Even if we spend money to buy one, it'll cost a sky-high price. The mineral vein we have right now is at the lowest level and the amount of ores we can mine is also limited. We can't afford the Magic Beasts circulating in the market at all..."

For people in this world, being able to have a Magic Beast was the highest glory. All the prestigious senior officials with a high status on the Vast Continent dreamed of owning a Magic Beast, whether it was used as a pet or for riding. With a Magic Beast under their commands next to them, people would think that they were a step closer to that mysterious and noble profession. The world knew that only the mysterious and powerful summoners could tame Magic Beasts!

Although the Magic Beasts that humans had right now were some docile species, there were also some vicious ones. However, these Magic Beasts could never become people's fighting partners, no exceptions. On the contrary, the Magic Beasts that summoners had were totally different. They used their mysterious techniques to make the Magic Beasts surrender and obey their orders completely. Such a powerful ability was coveted and touted by the world!

"Maybe the examiner of the level assessment already has a Magic Beast?" Yun Feng said. In fact, she found their idea a bit ridiculous. Bribery of the assessor, they were trying to muddle along.

"No! I've conducted a detailed investigation. The assessor doesn't have a Magic Beast. If we can give him one, he'll not make it too difficult for us for the sake of that Magic Beast!" Xiao Ying said a bit anxiously.

Yun Feng only asked calmly, "How are the levels assessed?"

The tough man glanced at Xiao Ying with a reproachful look, as if he was rebuking her for not giving up. He then smiled at Yun Feng and started explaining to her.

"There are a total of five levels in the level assessment. Each mercenary group picks their elites to form a team to compete with the others. After the first mercenary level assessment, teams rated as three-star groups will be eligible to station on the Shiny Plains. However, there's a new rule for the next mercenary level assessment. The mercenary groups of different levels can challenge those with a higher level. If they succeed, they'll gain one more star, while the group being challenged will have one star less. If the challenge fails, both parties won't be affected. You can also challenge mercenary groups with more than a level higher. As long as you have the strength, you are even allowed to challenge a five-star team."

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Yun Feng nodded. "So, the ones who issue a challenge will mostly be the one-star or two-star teams. Groups that have three stars or above rarely challenge the others."

Xiao Ying laughed with a deep voice and shook her head. "It's not like that. The Shiny Plains is huge and there's a specific area for mineral veins of each level. The areas in which the mercenary groups with more than three stars are allowed to develop and search are also different, and there will be a difference between the quality of the ores they get. Normally, three-star teams can only get ores with the lowest level, while mid-level and high-level ores are occupied by four-star and five-star groups. Even though the ultimate ores still hadn't appeared yet, I'm sure they can be found in the area for the five-star mercenary groups."

Yun Feng finally realized that the Shiny Plains was also strictly divided like that. It seemed that every level had teams that issued challenges. After all, everyone wanted to move to a higher level. Then, they would be able to go to a more favorable area and mine ores that had a higher quality. By then, the money they could get wouldn't be able to be measured with numbers.

"We were also thinking of challenging a four-star mercenary group during the level assessment this year, but we never thought that the fierce battle that time would cost us so many elites. We don't have the strength to issue a challenge anymore. And now, we'll also face the danger of being challenged by the two-star and one-star teams. If we don't win, we'll immediately be banished from the Shiny Plains."

The power of the elites of a mercenary group could be said to be the signature of the entire group. With stronger elites, they could recruit new members more quickly and would be able to increase the strength of the mercenary group. However, losing their elites didn't only bring them a huge loss, they wouldn't be able to recruit new members either. A mercenary group without the supply of new blood was destined to be unable to rise again forever.

"The Red Maple Mercenary Team always tells people that we're the most upright and fair mercenary group. Even in the world of mercenaries, we never kill, loot or suppress others intentionally. However, I can't believe this righteous group would suffer such a huge blow. Young people like us failed our predecessors..." Xiao Ying said as tears welled up in her eyes. She sat there and wept softly, while the other young people next to her remained silent with gloominess on their faces.

"That's enough, Xiao Ying. We shouldn't use those solutions. We shouldn't do it in those dishonest ways. We have to fight with dignity and honesty. Even if we lose, that's fine. We can start all over again!" The tough man yelled loudly. His voice hit these young people's hearts like bells. After hearing what he said, Yun Feng's mind couldn't help but ripple slightly. Such an upright spirit was a bit similar to that of the members of the Yun family. The Yun family was willing to make friends like this! "You're right. Why don't you fight honorably and fairly? Even if you lose, you've exerted yourselves and you won't regret anything, right?" Yun Feng stood up and agreed with the man loudly. The tough man immediately burst into laughter after hearing that. "Great, great! You're so bold, little girl. I like it!"

Yun Feng smiled and put up a beautiful, beaming smile on her little face. Meatball also turned around and looked at the man with its huge eyes. Its hostility seemed to have eased a bit.

Seeing the man laugh heartily, Xiao Ying's eyes couldn't help but turn a little red. These days hadn't been easy for her Captain and she rarely saw him laugh without restraints. Really... "Since Captain said that, we'll fight with honor and dignity! Then, we'll not have any regrets in our minds. Am I right?"

Xiao Ying stood up and so did the few young people next to her, looking emotional. "That's right! Xiao Ying is right. We have to fight fair and square!"

"We're not afraid of losing! If we lose, we'll try again next time!"

Xiao Ying swept away the gloomy atmosphere just now and walked to Yun Feng as she said with an apologetic look, "Little girl, I'm sorry about earlier. I had no choice but to come up with this idea, which defies the way the Red Maple Mercenary Team does things. However, don't worry. I won't think about it anymore. You're right. Rather than going that way, it's better for us to fight with honesty!"

Yun Feng nodded. Meatball which was on her shoulder also put away its slightly ferocious look. It also calmed down and restored its original cuteness after feeling that the other party wasn't preying on it anymore.

"Tut-tut, how confident! I already heard the bragging sound from far away. I was wondering who it was. It turns out to be the Red Maple Mercenary Team!"

The tent curtain was lifted up and a few people swaggered in with a cocky look. They all didn't seem to be good people. When they saw Yun Feng was there, they couldn't help but feel shocked. And after seeing Meatball on her shoulder, their eyes abruptly brightened.

"Tut-tut! A Magic Beast? The Red Maple Mercenary Team, who always flaunts their righteousness, are also going to bribe someone and do something they despise?" The man who was speaking had a pair of triangular eyes and his smiley face looked like he needed a biff [1. A strike.]. After hearing that, the tough man couldn't help but flush. He was actually right. They wanted to use this solution at first, but it was banned in the end.

"Li Qunou, did the Evil Wolf Mercenary Team not learn a lesson last time?"

The man called Li Qunou immediately looked cold and viciousness shot out of his triangular eyes. He chuckled with a deep voice. "What are you talking about, Captain Wang? Do you still want to fight with us with your old, weak and injured members?"

"You..." After hearing that, Xiao Ying widened her eyes furiously and her gorgeous face flushed. However, the young people next to her pulled her back and signaled her not to act recklessly.

"Li Qunou, we beat you once and we'll certainly beat you twice. Don't make trouble on my territory!" The tough man shouted as his fighting energy as a level-5 warrior burst out. Li Qunou stepped back slightly with a trace of embarrassment on his face. "Wang Ming, don't try to do this the hard way! Your elites are all dead. How would you still have the strength to fight with us? I'll watch you get out of here after the level assessment this time! If you still want to stay, I don't mind showing you the right way!"

Yun Feng chuckled as she stepped forward and looked at Li Qunou. "What way?"

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Li Qunou burst into laughter as he stared at Meatball on Yun Feng's shoulder with his triangular eyes. "Give me that thing and I'll consider lending a few people to you."

"Don't even think about it! This Magic Beast belongs to this little girl. Don't think about stealing it from us!" Xiao Ying was enraged. She immediately stood in front of Yun Feng and hid her. Yun Feng was startled. The tough man also came over.

"Li Qunou, put away your dirty thoughts. This little girl is with us. If you want to do anything to her, fight with me first!"

The few young people also surrounded Yun Feng after seeing that. Warmth couldn't help but surge in Yun Feng's heart. They were strangers whom she just met today. And now, they were stepping up for her. It was difficult for her to not be touched.

The grace of dripping water should be reciprocated by a gushing spring. Even though this favor was unnecessary for Yun Feng, she couldn't just stay out of this anymore for the sake of this sincerity!

"The Evil Wolf Mercenary Group?" Yun Feng asked.

Li Qunou laughed with endless arrogance on his face. "The Evil Wolf Mercenary Group is supported by the Murong family in Park City! We can smash your little Red Maple Mercenary Team with one finger!"

The corners of Yun Feng's mouth curled up coldly. The Murong family... Haha, the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group supported by the Murong family. They're truly aiming their guns at their enemy.

Although the Murong family had only gotten a warning from Masang School of Magic, it was far from enough for Yun Feng. Since the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group worked for the Murong family, she should take them down and give the Murong family an unforgettable lesson.

"Li Qunou, what a nice name. Since you're already here, I can't let you leave with empty hands." Yun Feng walked out from behind the few people. She clenched her fists lightly, as if she was gathering her power. Meatball on her shoulder also showed its sharp little teeth that were glittering with pale white light.

"Kid, what are you doing?" Li Qunou was inexplicably drenched in cold sweat after seeing the smile at the corners of Yun Feng's mouth. He was at the mid-stage of level 4, so logically he shouldn't be scared facing such a little kid. And yet, he was extremely terrified and he even had the thought of f**king running away!

"What am I doing? You certainly have to ask yourself." Yun Feng took a step forward slightly and her little fists were surrounded by a faint light blue color. The water element combined with physical combat perfectly once again!

"Ask myself? Ask myself what?" Li Qunou straightened his body and shouted. What the hell was he afraid of? She was just a little girl. What exactly was he afraid of?

Yun Feng chuckled as her body flashed creepily and disappeared from her original position like a ghost. The few people of the Red Maple Mercenary Team were a little dumbfounded. Xiao Ying's jaw even dropped exaggeratedly and couldn't believe what she saw.

"That... That little girl ... "

Li Qunou's eyeballs almost popped out from his eye sockets. Perhaps it was a subconscious instinct, he turned around and ran away without thinking. However, Yun Feng had already appeared in front of him creepily and punched him hard in his face!

"Argh!" Li Qunou screamed as he covered his face and fell on the ground. The few people who came with him immediately rushed over to Yun Feng together after seeing that!

"Don't even think about touching that girl!" The tough man yelled and joined the battle. Xiao Ying and the other young people also didn't want to be outdone. In a blink, the fight turned the small tent dark and shook the world. The mercenary groups in several tents nearby also poked their heads out curiously and looked at the noisy tent in confusion.

"How... How dare you lay a hand on the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group? You'll regret this!" Li Qunou fell on the ground as he clutched the side of his face which had swollen. He was in extreme pain when he spoke. Seeing the chaotic fight in front of him, Li Qunou took the opportunity to run out sneakily.

"Where do you want to go?" Yun Feng appeared ahead of him. When Li Qunou saw her, he even wanted to cry. He moved backwards abruptly, but a punch that came out of nowhere hit his ribs, making his body hurt so much that it twitched.

"Qunou, Qunou, I certainly can't let you leave without anything!" Yun Feng said with a deep voice, then swung her fist fiercely again, hitting straight at Li Qunou with a shimmering blue curve.

"Bang, bang, bang, bang!" Ten consecutive punches struck Li Qunou's chest. They came so fast that Li Qunou didn't even have a chance to defend himself and the fighting energy he originally mobilized had also slowed down strangely, having less than 1% of the normal speed!

The alternate use of water element was that it could invade a body and affect the speed of fighting energy!

"Hm, hm..." Li Qunou fell on the ground with a trembling body. He only felt that there were some biting chills in his body. He didn't even have the power to speak. Those triangular eyes stared firmly at Yun Feng, as if she was a monster.

The other people who came with Li Qunou obviously were no match for the members of the Red Maple Mercenary Team. Perhaps Li Qunou only wanted to insult and jeer at them. He had never thought he would have to fight, let alone being beaten so miserably that he couldn't even speak.

Yun Feng watched those people groan in pain on the ground with coldness in her eyes. The members of the Red Maple Mercenary Team were stunned by Yun Feng's strength. They were a bit speechless at this moment.

"How many stars does the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group have?" Yun Feng asked. Xiao Ying froze for a while and immediately answered, "The Evil Wolf Mercenary Group is a four-star group, but there are also three-star teams and quite a lot of two-star teams under the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group."

After hearing that, Yun Feng's smile became colder. She looked at Li Qunou on the ground, who couldn't speak at this moment, in disdain. "Really? After the mercenary level assessment this time, there won't be any Evil Wolf Mercenary Group in the four-star teams anymore."

Yun Feng's small body wasn't prominent when she stood among a group of people, but the momentum bursting out of her body right now made everyone stare at her. It was impossible for them to look away.

Li Qunou lay on the ground as he clutched his chest. A sense of coldness surged out from the inside of his body again like crazy, forming white frost on his eyebrows. His hair all over his body stood on end, making him look messy.

Li Qunou narrowed his eyes and barely pointed at Yun Feng with his shakey, bent finger. His lips moved, as if he was trying to say something, but he couldn't make a sound.

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Yun Feng's red lips curled up slightly and there was ridicule on her little face. "Why? Why are you still not leaving?"

Li Qunou flushed, then opened his mouth with difficulty and shouted at the other companions, who were groaning in pain on the ground, with a deep voice. "Let's... go!"

Those on the ground all stood up with difficulty. Li Qunou was lying on the ground with his body cold like ice, so two of his friends immediately came to help him up, then lifted the curtain of the tent and ran out like they were flying.

The tent was still a bit messy. That fight had just ended, but the few members of the Red Maple Mercenary Team still couldn't collect themselves after a long time. They all gazed at Yun Feng with astonishment.

"Little girl, it turns out you're so impressive!" Xiao Ying looked at Yun Feng with glittering eyes. She walked around Yun Feng a few times and nodded directly. "No wonder you have a Magic Beast with you. You're truly an early bloomer..."

Yun Feng smiled gently and felt a bit embarrassed. "If it weren't for me, it might not have been so chaotic just then."

"What are you talking about, little girl? Those people from the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group are notorious for their bad reputation in the mercenary world. If it weren't for their strength level, a lot of mercenary groups would have beaten them up fiercely! Haha, but that was truly pleasing!" The tough guy called Wang Ming burst into laughter. Everyone could tell that the fight earlier was indeed awesome.

"Now that we've completely fallen out with them, we have nothing to fear! We also suspect that the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group is behind our brutal fight with that three-star mercenary group back then. That three-star mercenary group must be under the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group!" Xiao Ying said furiously. The other young people also scolded a few words with painful expressions. "This tactic is indeed ruthless. They reduced the strength of the Red Maple Mercenary Team, so you don't have power to challenge the four-star mercenary groups in the level assessment this time. If I'm correct, the two-star mercenary groups under the Evil Wolf Mercenary Group will issue a challenge against you!" Yun Feng analyzed, while Xiao Ying, Wang Ming and the other few people all looked enraged.

"Despicable! Shameless!" Xiao Ying grumbled. Perhaps she thought of that brutal fight a while back, where the Red Maple Mercenary Team lost all their elites. This was a huge wound that wasn't easy to heal!

"No matter what our destiny will be, we must do our best. Do you hear me?" Wang Ming shouted, making everyone feel a bit spirited. Even though they had lost their elites, even though their strength had dropped tremendously, they would never back down when facing challenges!

Were they afraid? No! Even if their level would drop, even if they would have to leave the Shiny Plains and lose all the privileges, they weren't afraid. They could just start all over again!

"Alright! Let's give it our all!" Everyone raised their arms and yelled together after Wang Ming shouted as passion surged in each of their minds. Yun Feng nodded and smiled gently.

"Guys, I said something ruthless just then. Let me, this kid, do my bit as well."

Xiao Ying immediately pounced over joyfully and grabbed Yun Feng's little hands tightly. "Little girl, are you... serious?"

Wang Ming also looked delighted, but his face also became a lot dimmer. After seeing Yun Feng's strength, they certainly knew that Yun Feng was a genius and her strength was definitely unpredictable. She took the mid-level 4 Li Qunou down to that miserable look, how could she not be a powerhouse?

Wang Ming certainly wanted Yun Feng to join them. Yun Feng would be a huge force to the Red Maple Mercenary Team! The hope of Red Maple would all be put on this little girl, especially in such an important assessment period! However, Wang Ming also understood that Yun Feng was just a passersby. They couldn't drag her in against her will and force her to do something she wasn't willing to do!

"Little girl, don't force yourself to do something you don't want to. You don't owe us anything," Wang Ming said with sincerity on his face. Even though Xiao Ying didn't really agree, she couldn't say anything. She only remained silent and looked at Yun Feng with anticipation in her eyes.

Yun Feng chuckled and put up a smiley face, showing her extremely confident and bright smile. "The Yun family never goes back on our words. I'll certainly keep my promise!"

"The Yun family... Are you from... the Yun family in Chunfeng Town?" Wang Ming's face was full of excitement. He immediately walked in front of Yun Feng and sized her up several times with his eyes. He seemed indescribably moved.

"I knew it. The Yun family... I should have known that you're from the Yun family. The members of the Yun family all have such a personality. Haha, I should have known!"

Yun Feng looked at Wang Ming with a confused face and she also felt the surprised expression of Xiao Ying and the other young people. "Do you... know someone from the Yun family?"

Her, her brother and her poker-faced father were the only members of the Yun family. Was this Wang Ming an old friend of her father's?

Wang Ming shook his head and gave an honest smile. "We don't know anyone from the Yun family, but we've indeed heard everything about the Yun family and will remember it in our hearts forever!"

"Perhaps you have some kind of a relationship with our ancestor?" Yun Feng asked softly. Wang Ming looked at Yun Feng excitedly with a tremor in his voice. "The Red Maple Mercenary Team was founded by two people and one of them was the powerful summoner of the Yun family!"

Yun Feng was immediately startled. Ancestor...

"The personality of the Yun family has been continued in the Red Maple Mercenary Team for a few centuries and it's become the essence and support of the Red Maple Mercenary Team!" Wang Ming said. His eyes seemed to be a little teary. Yun Feng pondered. Right, they were as honorable, as upright and as righteous as the Yun family!

"The Red Maple Mercenary Team..." The ancestor's doubtful voice came. Yun Feng couldn't help but ask a little embarrassedly. "Ancestor, you didn't forget about this, did you?"

"Oh, haha, no, no... I remember, I remember..."

Yun Feng shook her head speechlessly. Perhaps the memory of this old man was a bit bad. He even forgot about the mercenary group founded by him?

However, Yun Feng didn't know that Yun Lan could be said to be a top figure who could do whatever he wanted. He had done a lot of things and he might have only founded this mercenary group casually, so he didn't take it seriously at all and the Red Maple Mercenary Team certainly dared not ask him for help. They just kept developing their strength. It was just that they had never thought they would be so thriving. And now, they were at the three-star level already. If it wasn't that they suffered a great loss after that brutal fight, the Red Maple Mercenary Team was confident that they could become a four-star team this time.

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"Little girl, what's your relation with the leader of the Yun family?"

Yun Feng glanced at Wang Ming. "The leader of this generation of the Yun family is my father."

Wang Ming was startled and there was a burst of joy in his eyes. "You're the Young Lady! Our commander will be really happy!"

Yun Feng was a bit confused. Lady? Why was he calling her Young Lady?

"Xiao Ying, just put the matters here aside first. We're returning to Ge Yuan immediately. I must bring my Lady back. Commander will definitely want to see her in person!"

Xiao Ying nodded and immediately went out to prepare. Yun Feng stood there dumbfoundedly. Meatball's face was also full of confusion and it rubbed its body against Yun Feng's cheek.

"Wait, what Young Lady..." Yun Feng looked at Wang Ming, who was walking around in excitement. Wang Ming burst into laughter after hearing that. "The summoner of the Yun family is the founder of the Red Maple Mercenary Team, so his immediate descendants will certainly be one of the owners of the group. It's not wrong at all to call you Young Lady!"

"Captain, we're ready!" Xiao Ying yelled happily. At this moment, she was looking at Yun Feng with a hint of friendliness and affection in her eyes, as if Yun Feng was her family.

"Alright! My Lady, let's go!" Wang Ming laughed with indescribable joy. Even though Yun Feng was still a bit confused, she also knew that the Yun family seemed to have quite a good force.

It seemed that Wang Ming couldn't wait anymore. He took Yun Feng to Ge Yuan right away that day. With Wang Ming by her side, their journey on the Shiny Plains was very smooth. In less than three hours, the two of them finally arrived in Ge Yuan, as Wang Ming rushed at the fastest speed all the way.

Ge Yuan was the only first-class city in southeast Karan Empire. As the place where the Mercenary Union was stationed in the empire, the city of Ge Yuan was full of remarkable characteristics of the mercenaries, whether it was the buildings or the people traveling around.

The buildings in this city, which was two to three times larger than Park City, were mainly rough and angular, adding a trace of coldness and seriousness to them. Mercenaries could always be seen among the traveling crowd. This was pretty similar to the sight in the outermost area of Chunfeng Town, but the levels of the mercenaries here were much higher. Many of them were at level 5 and quite a lot were at level 6 and level 7.

Wang Ming walked all the way here with Yun Feng and a few familiar faces among the mercenaries they met even greeted them. Those who greeted them were all a little curious about Yun Feng. Wang Ming then laughed and said proudly, "This is our Young Lady!"

Yun Feng shook her head speechlessly. After hearing this, those mercenaries also widened their eyes. When did the Red Maple Mercenary Team have a Young Lady? Their Commander didn't seem to have a daughter!

No matter how surprised other people were, Wang Ming kept talking without minding anyone else. He walked through many streets with Yun Feng along the way. After crossing half of the city of Ge Yuan, Yun Feng saw something like a cordon far away. It was very crowded on this side of the cordon, but a bit quiet and solemn on the other side. Only some mercenaries came in and out occasionally.

Two guards next to the cordon kept glancing over the crowd that passed through with their fierce black eyes. Wang Ming came up and showed them his mercenary badge. While he was about to take Yun Feng through, they were stopped.

"Stop right there, little girl! This is where the Mercenary Union is located. Only mercenaries are eligible to enter!"

Wang Ming chuckled after hearing that. "This is our Young Lady. You don't have to be so strict, do you..."

The guards rolled their eyes. "Wang Ming, do you think we're stupid or demented? The Commander of the Red Maple Mercenary Team only has a son. When did you have a Young Lady?"

"Brother, I'm a new mercenary of the Red Maple Mercenary Team. I still haven't got a mercenary badge."

The two guards couldn't help but glance at Yun Feng. Although they were a bit shocked, they didn't say anything. There were all kinds of weird people in the Mercenary Union, so it wasn't a big deal to have a little kid at this age. One of the guards pointed at the cabin next to the cordon. "That's the Mercenary Level Verification Office. Go there to verify your level and you'll be able to get the badge."

Yun Feng nodded and said to Wang Ming. "I'll go there then. Let's follow the rules."

Wang Ming also agreed when he heard Yun Feng. He immediately went to that small cabin with the logo of the Mercenary Union with Yun Feng. Yun Feng came to the cabin and looked at the logo of the Mercenary Union. Two iron fists intersected to form a cross. Yun Feng smiled. This was quite vivid.

Once they pushed the door open and entered, one person happened to be coming out. Yun Feng glanced at him. There was a badge in his hands. She then gazed inside. There were more than twenty people waiting to verify their levels. Yun Feng walked in and these young people waiting for the assessment all looked at her a few times. When Wang Ming entered, they seemed to understand something.

This little girl was here to accompany this man to verify his level. This should be the case.

The cabin wasn't really big. There were many chairs and a table with something on it. Behind the table was a white-haired old man wearing a monocle. Every person who came here to verify their level had a card in their hands. Yun Feng also got a number, No.22. She found a chair to sit down and wait for her assessment.

"No. 15!" The white-haired old man yelled. A young man immediately stood up and walked to the old man, looking a bit nervous. The old man didn't even look up. He pointed at something on the table.

"Infuse fighting energy."

The young man instantly did as the old man said. He infused his fighting energy into a transparent groove and saw that something rose inside, changing colors gradually. After a while, that thing stopped at one color. The old man lifted his eyes and took a badge casually as he lowered his head to look for something in the drawer. "Have you joined any mercenary group?"

The young man shook his head and the old man directly handed the badge to him. "Next! No. 16!"

Many young people went up one by one. After Yun Feng came here, more people entered one after another. The number of people only kept increasing. Yun Feng watched the verification process carefully. Almost every one of them infused their fighting energy into that groove. Yun Feng frowned slightly. She didn't have any fighting energy at all. It seemed that she must first tell the old man that she was a mage.

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"Next! No. 22!" The old man yelled loudly. Yun Feng then came up quietly with her number card. Her short body was quite conspicuous among these young people and her innocent little face also drew eyes on her along the way.

Even the white-haired old man gazed up and looked at Yun Feng. After seeing the number card in her hands, he pointed at the groove. "Infused your fighting energy."

Yun Feng stood there and didn't do anything. The old man couldn't help but look at her in confusion. Yun Feng then said, "I'm a mage. Can I infuse my mental strength?"

"Gasp..." The sound of the gasping crowd came. Almost all of them looked over because of what Yun Feng said. I'm a mage!

The old man looked up and lifted his monocle with both of his hands. He sized Yun Feng up several times. A mage came to the Mercenary Union? Didn't mages go to Masang School of Magic? Even those loners wouldn't come to the Mercenary Union. Almost all of the members of the Mercenary Union on the East Continent were warriors!

Wang Ming was also startled sitting there. A mage? Judging by her moves earlier, she should be a warrior! How would a mage have such a body, a body comparable to that of a warrior?

"You're a mage?" The white-haired old man asked. Everyone in the cabin held their breath and waited for Yun Feng's reply.

"That's right. I'm a mage."

"Are you sure you want to join the Mercenary Union?"

"Yes, I want to join the Mercenary Union. Can mages not join here?"

The white-haired old man pushed his monocle up again. "No, there's no such rule. A mage is joining the Mercenary Union. Interesting..." He murmured. The old man then pointed at the groove before him. "Luckily, this thing works on mental strength as well. Infuse inside."

The cabin became even more quiet than it used to be. Everyone gazed over to Yun Feng and her little hand which she was lifting slowly. Their eyes stared at that groove firmly. All of them were guessing in their minds. What level mage would she be? Level 2? Level 3?

Wang Ming couldn't sit quietly in the chair either. He abruptly stood up and stretched his neck to look at Yun Feng. What level mage would this Young Lady be? Level 3? Thinking that Yun Feng might be a level-3 mage, Wang Ming became extremely delighted in his mind, as if he was proud to share this honor with the Yun family.

Yun Feng put her hand in the groove and glowly released her mental strength. The liquid in the groove immediately rose to the position of level 5!

Level 5! Oh God! Everyone's pupils shrunk and even the white-haired old man was a little dumbfounded. He couldn't help but lift his monocle up with his hand, as if he couldn't believe the data shown in the groove in front of his eyes.

The liquid in the groove stopped stably at the position of level 5 and didn't move anymore. The old man repressed his emotions, then took out a mercenary badge and gave Yun Feng a friendly smile.

"Little girl, your name."

Yun Feng frowned slightly. Then, Wang Ming came up. His tall body stood in front of the table as he looked at the old man from above with red light all over his face.

"Old Deng, this is our Young Lady. Don't even think about doing anything to her!"

The old man couldn't help being startled after hearing that. He immediately chuckled. "The Red Maple Mercenary Team is truly lucky to have found such an outstanding Young Lady. Looks like you'll certainly get four stars in the level assessment this year. Well, since she's already made a choice, she's yours."

The old man took out a stamp and pressed it gently on the badge. A red maple leaf was stamped on it. The old man handed the badge to Yun Feng with a smile, acting totally different from his cold attitude towards the other people.

Yun Feng took the badge calmly and ignored the astonished gaze from everyone else, walking out of the cabin with Wang Ming. After Yun Feng left, the cabin immediately went into chaos. All the young people couldn't believe what they saw. A level-5 mage came to the Mercenary Union! And this level-5 mage was a little kid! What was worse was that this mage was recruited by the Red Maple Mercenary Team!

Wang Ming walked out of that small cabin and the smile at the corners of his mouth couldn't help but widen to the maximum. Yun Feng followed behind him and was a bit speechless, seeing the corners of his mouth curl up constantly.

They walked to the guards at the cordon and the two guards gazed at Yun Feng. Yun Feng slowly pinned her badge in front of her chest. The two guards took a look at the badge curiously. After just one look, their expressions changed drastically.

"Please!" The two guards immediately said so. Wang Ming was a bit pleased as he brought Yun Feng inside. After the two of them went far, the two guards couldn't help but glance at Yun Feng several times, then looked at each other.

"Did you see the level indicated on that badge clearly?"

The other guard nodded as he touched the sweat on his forehead. "Yes. Is that kid from a large family? Does she just want to experience and play around as a mercenary?"

"Fuck, who knows? The descendants of the large families all have nothing to do!"

Another guard chuckled. The two of them then stopped talking and continued to do their job as a guard.

In some top families in the Karan Empire, kids with outstanding talent might want to experience a different life. These large families certainly had a mercenary group that relied on them or even belonged to them in the mercenary world, so it was possible for the talented young people in these families to go and experience it a bit. There wouldn't be any danger at all anyway.

For the talented younger generation of those large families, being a mercenary was kind of their pastime. So, these pampered young people were certainly seen as some bored people for the other mercenaries, who treated this as their job and risked their lives just for a few gold coins.

Yun Feng controlled her strength on purpose during the assessment just then. It wasn't wise to expose all her power. She had to have a card up her sleeve at all times. She couldn't give those people who were a danger to her a chance to be fully prepared. Even if the other party was fully prepared, she also had to make them draw water with a sieve.

The mercenary world had always been complicated, so Yun Feng was cautious. Level 5 was neither high nor low, but it was indeed astonishing considering her age. Besides, she was even a mage.

After passing the cordon, Yun Feng finally saw the headquarters of the Mercenary Union of the Karan Empire clearly. Even though it was just the territory of a union, it was extremely huge, occupying almost half of Ge Yuan like a small kingdom. This was probably the only place where the royal family of the Karan Empire couldn't reach.

Chapter 97: Someone's Here (1)

Many individual buildings stood on both sides and the sign of each mercenary group was hung on their own building. There were a variety of them. Yun Feng counted briefly. She had already passed through more than a hundred buildings right now, but she had just walked for a while. The road ahead of her was really long.

The scale of the Mercenary Union was so large that Yun Feng was slightly shocked. With such a huge armed force located in the Karan Empire, the royal family of the Karan Empire might also be thinking of all sorts of plans to weaken or eliminate it.

Yun Feng was right. The royal family of the Karan Empire and the Mercenary Union had always had a bad relationship. They were just peaceful on the outside. Seriously speaking, neither of them would be willing to accept the other party.

This also caused the conflict between the army of the royal family of the Karan Empire and the mercenary groups. Both parties disliked each other. The Royal Army identified themselves as someone noble and they usually despised these mercenary groups, while the mercenaries felt like these soldiers were just people with an attractive fa?ade. How could they compare with the mercenaries who often dealt with death?

What made them ambivalent was that they couldn't make peace with each other, but couldn't make the situation a deadlock either. Perhaps they had been repressing their feelings for too long. There had been quite a lot of quarrels between the Mercenary Union and the army of the Karan Empire in recent years. The quarrels were even escalating gradually.

"Kid, are you a mage? But I saw what you did just then. You're obviously comparable to a warrior!" Wang Ming walked in the front to lead the way for Yun Feng and finally expressed the curiosity in his mind.

Yun Feng smiled. "I'm not a warrior. I just exercise my body more."

Wang Ming widened his eyes, then slightly looked back and glanced at Yun Feng. With that skinny and too slender body, Yun Feng indeed didn't seem like someone who always exercised. She should have some muscles no matter what. However, the power that bursts out of such a body is too astonishing! If My Lady said she's a mage, then she's mage. Why do I have to think so much about it?

Wang Ming chuckled as he looked at that sign with a red maple on it in the distance. "My Lady, we're here!"

Yun Feng looked up and saw this medium-size building. The red maple on the sign was exactly the same as the logo on her badge.

"Captain Wang, you're back? Looks like you've done dealing with the matter on the Shiny Plains and you're here to deliver good news to Commander!" Once Wang Ming and Yun Feng entered the building, a few mercenaries in the hall on the first floor smiled and greeted them, but they also glanced at Yun Feng curiously. When they saw that badge on her chest, they couldn't help but exclaim softly. Where did Captain Wang find this genius?

Wang Ming burst into laughter and shook his head a bit embarrassedly. "I haven't finished dealing with that matter, but I brought someone very important back this time. Is Commander still on the second floor?"

"Commadner is on the second floor. If he knows that you're back, he'll definitely come down to find you."

Right after that, a middle-aged man came down from the second floor. Yun Feng looked over. He had a similar age as her father and also had a slightly serious face, but his black eyes had the cleverness that his poker-faced father didn't have.

"Wang Ming, you're back. Are you here to deliver good news to me?" The middle-aged man came over with a smile on his face. There was also a sixteen-year-old young man with beautiful facial features following behind him. He yelled at Wang Ming, "Uncle Wang, you're back. Father has already become a bit anxious."

"Commander, I might have let you down this time. That matter hasn't been resolved, but I came back for another thing," Wang Ming said. The face of the middle-aged man darkened slightly, but it brightened up abruptly when he saw Yun Feng who was standing next to Wang Ming.

"Are you talking about this little girl?" The middle-aged man looked at Yun Feng. When he saw the badge on her chest, he couldn't help but feel shocked. After that, he gave a few laughs. "Wang Ming, oh Wang Ming, where exactly did you deceive this genius? Hahaha! That's great news!"

The young man behind the middle-aged man also looked over. When he saw the level on Yun Feng's badge, he frowned with deep suspicion in his eyes. Yun Feng directly ignored the almost piercing gaze of the young man. She only felt a few fiery gazes around shooting at her.

"Commander, do you know who she is? She's the daughter of the Yun family's leader of this generation. She's the Young Lady!" When Wang Ming said this, the others were all confused. Young Lady? What exactly was this about? Once the middle-aged man heard this, he was startled. He quickly walked in front of Yun Feng and looked at her with bright eyes, as if he was trying to see through her to see if she lied or not. "Little girl, what's your name?"

Yun Feng calmly looked back in the eyes of the middle-aged man and said indifferently, "Yun Feng."

The middle-aged man seemed to be thinking something after hearing that. Finally, he put his gaze on Yun Feng again with excitement that he had never felt before. "Right, there are two kids in the Yun family. One is Yun Sheng and one is Yun Feng. You're Yun Feng. That's right!"

Wang Ming kept smiling and stood on the side. The middle-aged man suddenly bent his body slightly and bowed to Yun Feng with respect on his face!

"I'm Zhao Mingqi. Nice to see you, my Lady!"

The mercenaries in the hall were dumbfounded. Their Commander was bowing to a little girl, calling her "my Lady." What... exactly was going on?

Zhao Mingqi's son immediately came over after seeing that. He wanted to help his father up, but Zhao Mingqi shouted at his son with a deep voice, "Xiao Yan, greet our Young Lady!"

Zhao Yan was still frowning after all. He didn't like this Young Lady who showed up all of a sudden at all, but since his father said so, he couldn't disobey him. He could only bend his body and greet Yun Feng reluctantly.

"Commander Zhao, what are you doing?" Yun Feng asked. It seemed that she couldn't stand to receive such a big bow once they met. Zhao Mingqi got up and looked at Yun Qi a bit emotionally, as if he was a loyal butler who finally met his master again after many years.

"Forgive me for being rude. It's just that I've never thought my Lady would be here. Please come to the second floor. I'll talk to you slowly in detail!"

Yun Feng nodded and followed behind Zhao Mingqi to the second floor. Zhao Yan was still standing there without moving at all with confusion and discontent in his eyes. Wang Ming also followed them and went upstairs. The mercenaries on the first floor watching the drama then started gossiping around Zhao Yan curiously.

Chapter 98: Someone's Here (2)

"Young Master, what's going on here?"

"Ya, why is there suddenly a Young Lady?"

"They can't call her Young Lady just because she's a master. Isn't that like a joke? What is it with Yun Feng? Are those who have the surname 'Yun' all superior?"

"Young Master, say something. What if that girl is truly some Young Lady? Wouldn't your status be insecure?"

"Right, everyone knows that the commander position is yours, Young Master. We don't want an outsider to take advantage of us!"

"That's enough. Shut up!" Zhao Yan shouted. His face had turned a lot darker because of what these people said just now. These mercenaries had no idea who this Young Lady who suddenly showed up was, but he really didn't know any more than they did.

Zhao Yan lifted his head and gazed towards the second floor with a gloomy face. His eyes glittered. Why does she have to come this time, not earlier, not later? Really, father, why do you have to call her Young Lady? How many years has the Red Maple Mercenary Team been in the hands of the Zhao family? And you're giving it away now? I truly can't reconcile myself to this!

In a room on the second floor, Yun Feng was sitting there, while Zhao Mingqi elaborated on the whole story. After hearing it, Yun Feng just thought it was a little coincidental.

The Red Maple Mercenary Team had two founders. One of them was the ancestor of the Yun family, Yun Lan, and the other was also a heavy hitter. However, after these two founders established this mercenary group, they only wanted someone else to work for them. First of all, Yun Lan ran somewhere else the next day after the mercenary group was founded. The other heavy hitter then had to take on this responsibility temporarily, but he didn't stay long either. He finally got an opportunity to choose one of the people he trusted and handed the mercenary group over to his hands. After that, he also left everything with the others.

These two founders were more like titular leaders. That person who took over the mercenary group dared not make himself superior. He managed the business of these two leaders, who threw their responsibilities to others, cautiously and conscientiously. The Red Maple Mercenary Team gradually developed and also started growing stronger constantly. The Acting Commander of each generation eagerly hoped that the descendants of the two founders would come here, but they didn't. Many years have passed and they seldom talked about the two founders of the Red Maple Mercenary Team anymore. Newly joined mercenaries didn't even know about them.

And Zhao Mingqi was the Acting Commander. He called himself the Acting Commander, but everyone else all called him Commander. He had said this many times to the others and they still couldn't change it. However, in Zhao Mingqi's mind, this Commander was the immediate descendant of those two founders. Without those two founders, how would the Red Maple Mercenary Team exist?

Generations of Acting Commanders had tried to look for the descendants of those two people, but the whereabouts of that big shot was erratic. They couldn't find him at all and something seemed to have happened to the Yun family as well. They didn't accept the kindness of the Red Maple Mercenary Team and only hid in the city.

Zhao Mingqi had never thought that the descendants of the Yun family would end up here, which made him feel complicated. He was delighted and also a bit sad. After all, he was slightly heartbroken as he was about to hand over his commander position. Even though he knew this position didn't belong to him, the Red Maple Mercenary Team was also his responsibility in his heart.

After hearing that, Yun Feng also understood what happened. She smiled at Zhao Mingqi and told him her thoughts. "You don't have to call me that, Commander Zhao. Even though the ancestor of the Yun family is one of the two founders, they never made any major contributions to this mercenary group, in

all fairness. On the other hand, Commander Zhao, the Red Maple Mercenary Team is developing very well under your guidance."

Zhao Mingqi couldn't help but feel surprised as Yun Feng said such calm and mature words with that innocent face. He also knew that this little girl in front of him had a mature mind even though she was so young. Her words gave warmth to Zhao Mingqi's heart. It was truly gratifying that his hard work throughout the years was recognized.

When Yun Feng said this, the ancestor was also a little ashamed. Especially when he heard Zhao Mingqi say that he disappeared the next day, he couldn't help refuting, "The next day? That was the third day, alright..."

Yun Feng was very speechless, but looking at Zhao Mingqi's expression, she also knew that this man had already taken the Red Maple Mercenary Team as his own responsibility. Even though they called her Young Lady, the Commander of the Red Maple Mercenary Team was still Zhao Mingqi and must be Zhao Mingqi.

"Commander Zhao, I didn't come here for the commander position. I just want to do some training and it was just a coincidence that I ran into Uncle Wang. Don't feel any pressure."

Wang Ming chuckled and admired Yun Feng's open mind. Although the strength of the Red Maple Mercenary Team had dropped, they couldn't be underestimated. How would anyone else be so calm about the commander position and not steal or fight over it?

"My Lady, don't say that. You're the owner of the Red Maple Mercenary Team. This is something that can't be changed!" Zhao Mingqi also understood what Yun Feng meant and he found this little girl in front of his eyes even more upright and kind. The members of the Yun family were all good people indeed!

"Alright, let's not talk about that for now. I heard Uncle Wang talk about that brutal fight that happened a while back and I also know that someone is behind all this. Their purpose is to make the Red Maple Mercenary Team fall from its position in the assessment which will be held very soon."

Zhao Mingqi also smiled in frustration. The Red Maple Mercenary Team had always been like clear water. In this dirty mercenary world, the Red Maple Mercenary Team was like the Yun family. They kept that righteousness in their minds after all, which certainly made them the thorn in other people's flesh.

"We've lost all our elites and the new generation isn't strong enough. What a disaster, what a disaster..."

Yun Feng pressed her lips and smiled, while Wang Ming laughed. Zhao Mingqi glanced at the two of them. "I know that my Lady has the strength of level 5, but it still isn't enough..."

Wang Ming burst into laughter again. "Commander, my Lady isn't a warrior. She's a level-5 mage!"

"What? What did you say? A level-5 mage?!" Zhao Mingqi couldn't believe it and his eyes popped out. He looked at Yun Feng. Yun Feng then slowly nodded. Zhao Mingqi seemed to feel that their originally dark future became extremely bright in a heartbeat! A level-5 mage! Even though mages were weak, they possessed powerful magic. As long as the warriors didn't get close, there would only be one ending for them when they faced the mages. They would lose!

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Level-5 mages could fight with warriors that had a higher level. So, if a level-5 mage was proficient in using magic, he could fight with a level-6 warrior!

Zhao Mingqi made plans in his mind. A two-star mercenary group wouldn't possibly have a level-6 master! So, they could keep their three-star level safely this time!

"No, it's not enough to keep our three stars. We have to issue a challenge to the four-star Evil Wolf Mercenary Group!" What Yun Feng said made Zhao Mingqi freeze for a long time. "Challenge a fourstar..."

"Commander, are you freaking out right now? If our Young Lady said we have to challenge a four-star group, we should issue a challenge! What are we afraid of?" Wang Ming hit Zhao Mingqi's shoulder hard, making this middle-aged man collect himself.

"Even though my Lady is strong enough, wouldn't it be too much... to challenge a four-star group?" Zhao Mingqi wasn't worried that Yun Feng might fail the challenge. He was worried that Yun Feng would be injured if she couldn't beat the other party, which would be bad.

"Hahaha, Commander, pluck up your courage. With my Lady here, what do we have to be afraid of?" What Wang Ming said swept away the worries in Zhao Mingqi's mind. That faint smile at the corners of Yun Feng's mouth seemed to have infinite power and gave him a strong confidence. With Yun Feng here, with their Young Lady here, what did they have to be scared of?

"Alright, I'll follow your arrangement, my Lady!" Zhao Mingqi's long-lost enthusiasm also boiled slightly. That brutal fight originally made him dispirited, thinking that they wouldn't even be able to keep their three-star level, but now, not only would their three-star level be safe, they were even going for the four-star level! Zhao Mingqi looked at Yun Feng deeply. Because of the arrival of the Young Lady, the Red Maple Mercenary Team could finally change their fate. Their Young Lady was the savior of the Red Maple Mercenary Team, a well-deserved leader!

Then, the door was knocked gently. Zhao Mingqi looked at the door. "Father, it's me!" Zhao Mingqi walked over and heard that it was Zhao Yan's voice. Even though he was wondering why Zhao Yan came upstairs, he still opened the door.

"Father." Zhao Yan said softly as his eyes uncontrollable gazed at Yun Feng sitting inside. "What's wrong?" Zhao Mingqi asked. He moved his body and let his son enter.

Zhao Yan was fifteen years old this year. He had been next to Zhao Mingqi since he was small and was also quite a talented young boy. He had reached level 3 at the age of 15. Although this wasn't a big deal in the entire mercenary group, his identity wasn't simple.

The Zhao family had taken the Red Maple Mercenary Team over for more than a decade and Zhao Mingqi's generation had also been in charge for a few decades. In Zhao Yan's mind, the Commander of the Red Maple Mercenary Team was his father. To put it bluntly, the Red Maple Mercenary Team belonged to the Zhao family!

And yet, a Young Lady suddenly showed up inexplicably today and she immediately wanted to take his father's place! There was anger in Zhao Yan's mind. What made him more furious was that Yun Feng was a little girl who was even younger than he was, but she had much higher strength. Not only that, this girl wanted to take the commander position right after she came. Compared to her, he seemed a bit too shameful to look up!

Besides, the commander position would be his in the future. Putting this aside, what made Zhao Yan the most furious was the strength gap between him and Yun Feng. To be honest, it was pure jealousy.

"Father, we'll have to submit the application form in a few days. Are we cancelling the plan to challenge a four-star mercenary group?" Zhao Yan asked with a soft voice. Even though he didn't want Yun Feng to hear him, his father had already declared his stance so he shouldn't act too obviously.

"No, we'll keep our original plan to challenge a four-star mercenary group!" What Zhao Mingqi said was immediately opposed by Zhao Yan. Although he was still young, he also had a relatively mature mind as he could be said to have grown up in the mercenary world ever since he was small.

"Father! We've already lost all our elites. If we challenge a four-star mercenary group, we won't even be able to survive the challenge from a two-star group!"

Zhao Yan said a bit anxiously and his tone also rose a bit higher. His eyes gazed at Yun Feng unconsciously. How would his conservative father possibly take such a huge risk? That new girl must have egged him on!

"Yan, you don't have to worry about it this time. I've already made up my mind. Go out." Zhao Mingqi said indifferently and was a bit upset with his son's attitude. He had indulged his son since he was a child, so his son might be a bit spoiled and didn't know his place clearly.

"Yes." Zhao Yan lowered his head and left, but with a hint of anger in his eyes. Yun Feng certainly received that obvious gaze. She immediately stood up. "Commander Zhao, I'll go out first. With me here to deal with this matter, the Red Maple Mercenary Team will be fine."

Zhao Mingqi bowed to Yun Feng respectfully. "With my Lady here, I'll definitely be a hundred times more confident!"

Yun Feng walked out of the room with a faint smile, while Wang Ming stayed and continued to talk about something with Zhao Mingqi. It should be about the Shiny Plains. Yun Feng walked to the stairs and saw someone who had been waiting for her there as expected, Zhao Yan.

"Are you really Yun Feng?" Zhao Yan stood at the stairs and sized up Yun Feng with his eyes. Yun Feng wasn't enraged at such a rule gaze. She just nodded. "You can't fake things like your identity."

Zhao Yan seemed to be completely angered by her words. He slightly straightened his body and took a few steps forward with the "clomp, clomp" sound.

Yun Feng looked at the angry Zhao Yan. She understood his anger. She only smiled faintly. She had put Meatball away from her shoulder when she entered the Mercenary Union. Although Wang Ming was a bit curious where Meatball went, he didn't ask anything. In the Mercenary Union, a Magic Beast could cause a great furor.

Without Meatball's fluffy body, Yun Feng seemed to be a bit uncomfortable. Seeing how absent-minded she was, Zhao Yan was even more enraged. "You're at level 5? Do you have extraordinary strength? Can you defeat level-6 and level-7 warriors? You want to turn the tide by yourself? Haven't you overrated yourself?" Zhao Yan said as he looked at that level badge on Yun Feng's chest with a bit of bitterness in his mouth. He regarded himself as a genius and his talent had also been recognized by many seniors. However, he had never thought the strength he was so proud of was useless in front of such a little girl!

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Zhao Yan couldn't accept such a huge gap, so he took the opportunity to make trouble with Yun Feng. He, who was usually peaceful, was quite mean when he spoke to Yun Feng.

"It's my business whether I've overrated myself. Facts can prove everything. As for the commander position of the Red Maple Mercenary Team, I don't have any interest in it at all. Replying with what you said, have you overrated yourselves?"

"You..." Zhao Yan's face flushed slightly after Yun Feng refuted him. He only felt like the smile at the corners of this girl's mouth was full of ridicule!

"Why did you ask my father to sign up and challenge a four-star mercenary group? If the Red Maple Mercenary Team suffers more losses, can you bear it?"

"Young Master Zhao, let me say something. With me here, the Red Maple Mercenary Team will be fine!"

Zhao Yan was slightly startled. He couldn't say anything to Yun Feng anymore and the anger in his mind seemed to have been put out by what she said. Right at this moment, a few people entered the hall on the first floor. The moment they came in, everyone became extremely anxious. Even Zhao Mingqi and Wang Ming on the second floor rushed out and ran downstairs right away.

Yun Feng and Zhao Yan stood at the stairs on the second floor and looked down at the same time. Three men came in. Yun Feng immediately narrowed his black eyes. The three of them all had a higher level than her!

Zhao Mingqi and Wang Ming ran straight downstairs. When they saw the three of them, they both looked a bit nervous. Wang Ming stood next to Zhao Mingqi with a slightly solemn look on his rough face at this moment. These three were superior big shots in the Mercenary Union. Why did they come to the Red Maple Mercenary Team together?

This was also a question in everyone else's mind. Zhao Mingqi first bowed to the three of them respectfully with a smile on his face. "What brings you here, masters?"

The three people were all middle-aged men at the age of around 50. The body figure of middle one was a bit more well-proportioned, while the other two were comparable to Wang Ming. Hearing Zhao Mingqi's question, the man in the middle smiled gently with faint laugh lines at the corners of his lips, making him look very easy-going.

"Commander Zhao, we're here to meet the mage who has already been recruited by the Red Maple Mercenary Team right after joining the union," the man said with a smile, which made everyone here gasp. These three people came for Yun Feng? Zhao Yan, who was standing at the stairs on the second floor, couldn't help but glance at Yun Feng a few times with great confusion flashing deep in his black eyes, while the person concerned, Yun Feng, kept looking at the three of them with her black eyes and an indifferent expression.

All the mercenaries of the Red Maple Mercenary Team were surprised. These three people were important figures in the Mercenary Union! The one in the middle was the Vice President of the Mercenary Union! And the two men next to him were the commanders of the two most powerful five-star mercenary groups!

These three people came to the three-star Red Maple Mercenary Team in person just to meet the new mage, Yun Feng!

Thinking of this, the mercenaries of the Red Maple Mercenary Team couldn't help but feel like there was light on their faces. This was something that was worth bragging about when they went outside. After all, how many people could make these three big shots come here at the same time? Even the Emperor of the Karan Empire didn't receive such treatment!

Besides, Yun Feng was a member of the Red Maple Mercenary Team. If Zhao Mingqi was right, the other two commanders of the five-star groups were here to poach her!

Zhao Mingqi chuckled after hearing that. When he was about to say something, the stout man on the left interrupted him. There was a conspicuous piercing on the man's ear and he was wearing a huge, extremely shiny sapphire.

"Zhao Mingqi, are you trying to hide the mage? You can't even let us have a look?"

Zhao Mingqi smiled wryly. Before he could talk, the man on the right spoke. Although this man didn't sound as domineering as the left one did, he also talked with a sarcastic tone.

"Commander Zhao, I'm truly curious. How exactly did the Red Maple Mercenary Team recruit such a person?"

Zhao Mingqi gave a wry smile constantly. How? Everyone knew that the Red Maple Mercenary Team didn't have anything they could show right now with their strength. They just relied on the inseparable relationship between the Red Maple Mercenary Team and the Yun family, if that really counted.

"Masters, why do you have to torment us? You all know the current situation of the Red Maple Mercenary Team. I can only say that the master has put a high value on the Red Maple Mercenary Team."

The man on the left chuckled in disdain after hearing that, "Hm, the Mercenary Union only encounters a mage once every century. I can't believe we let you take this advantage."

"Commander Zhao, we just want to meet this mage today. You won't mind, will you?" The man in the middle said. Even though there were laugh lines at the corners of his mouth, his eyes were obviously delivering a message, "You're not allowed to reject me."

Zhao Mingqi certainly understood what that meant. He heaved a few sighs in frustration and looked towards the corner on the second floor, where Yun Feng was standing. "My Lady, please come down for a second."

The three of them couldn't help but feel shocked. It was a woman? Even though men and women were equal in this world, women were no match for men in terms of physiques after all. Thinking that the level-5 mage was a woman, the three of them were more anticipated and their eyes all gazed towards the second floor.

Yun Feng stood in the corner as her red lips rose slightly. After these three old things came, they first gave the Red Maple Mercenary Team a dig. They were obviously saying that the Red Maple Mercenary Team didn't deserve to have a level-5 mage and also regretted that they were too slow. Only five-star groups could have a level-5 mage? How ridiculous! She could go anywhere she wanted. These few old people couldn't decide where she went or stayed!

Yun Feng came down step by step, making a gentle sound as she stepped on the wooden stairs. Everyone immediately looked towards the place where the sound came from, including the three powerhouses.

Zhao Mingqi watched Yun Feng walk down slowly and an inexplicable excitement surged in his mind. The Young Lady of the Red Maple Mercenary Team attracted three supreme powerhouses here in person. Those two commanders of the five-star groups must be here to poach her. If this was someone else, Zhao Mingqi would probably be worrying that this level-5 mage would leave for the others after hearing the favorable conditions offered by those two commanders of five-star groups, but this was Yun Feng. If it was Yun Feng, he didn't have to worry about that at all!