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Chapter 321: Utter Defeat

Nuolan Shan's expression was cold, looking at the footage displayed on the screen before him, he didn't have any good feelings about Luo Feng at all. Especially since after the meeting, he specifically requested for someone to write a persuasive and convincing letter to send over. Since Luo Feng didn't reply at all, this naturally pissed him off even more. Seeing Luo Feng making a name for himself displeased him greatly.

"Hm?" As he looked, Nuolan Shan revealed shock, looking at the big nosed man beside him, "This the genius you were talking about?"

From the footage, Luo Feng was being destroyed and played with!

Utter defeat!

"This is the footage from his final match." The big nosed man explained, "This youth called Crazy hasn't battled since losing this match."

"The final match's footage?" Nuolan Shan's lips curled upwards, the scene of Luo Feng completely losing, he couldn't help but laugh gleefully.

Within the battlespace, it was very empty.

Luo Feng sat alone in the arena, the Soaring Shuttle too had fallen beside him.

"How did it end up like this?"

"I couldn't even land a single blow?"

"It was complete defeat! She was only a fighter, and not a spirit reader. A Star level 1 fighter, with only a 6 star rank, she actually...made my Soaring Shuttle totally and completely unable to defend against her at all?" Luo Feng's eyes displayed pain, the scene before was simply like a nightmare.

822 wins! 1 loss!

After consecutively winning 822 matches, this level of glory, this level of confidence? Luo Feng had thought that he was an absolute genius amongst the Star level 1s, with hardly anyone that could defeat him. However earlier, meeting that dual knife wielding female fighter, he was totally humiliated, this female fighter even gave him chances time and again, letting him off even though she had the chance to kill him.

Letting him off a total of nine times at the critical moment, finally slashing between his eyebrows.

Death!

Just from that short battle, he was easily let off nine times, obviously this female fighter was only playing around, her abilities and power far exceeded Luo Feng's, like an adult playing with a child, letting him off nine times and finally killing him.

"I'm, I'm actually that weak?"

"Am, am I that weak?" Luo Feng gritted his teeth and grimaced in pain.

At that time, there were many challenge requests sent to Luo Feng, but he didn't have any heart at all to battle again, the only thing filling his mind was the scene from before...with the enormous amount of power from the swordfish formation, under the female fighter's incomparably sturdy and sharp attacks, the formation was slashed and knocked away!

With blades in both hands, it was flawless!

"How could I lose so badly? She's the same level, and a fighter! I actually..." Luo Feng could accept defeat, but he couldn't accept such an utter defeat, this loss made Luo Feng realize one thing...just within the Black Dragon Mountain Island, there were many of the same level that were much stronger than himself!

Otherwise, being the same level, how could she defeat him so easily?

In another battlespace.

Thunder God was engaged in battle with a female fighter wearing white, his battle record before too was pretty impressive, 691 wins and 3 losses, 8 star ranking! Even though he lost three times, Thunder God didn't really care about it, after all there were bound to be wins and losses in battles, the main reason for coming to the battlespace was to grow and breakthrough.

Failure was more beneficial to one's breakthrough than success!

As he had his own domain, hence Thunder God's opponents were mostly 7 stars, 8 stars and even 9 star rankers. Losing three matches was completely normal.

"Break, break break break!!!" A seemingly maddened Thunder God, completely enveloped in his domain, the raw energy battle blade in his hand too had become like lightning.

Cheng! Cheng! Cheng! Cheng! Cheng! Cheng! Cheng! Cheng!

Continuous clashing sounds.

The female fighter dressed in white battle uniform was obviously fresh and relaxed, she had no expression, eyes cold, wielding in each hand sharp battle blades. The two blades flashed about swiftly, parrying swiftly against each of Thunder God's attacks, amidst the high speed battle, the white clothed female fighter's slash actually went past the blurred images of Thunder God's battle blades, slashing his neck.

His head was cut clean off.

Thunder God, defeat!

Hong, dressed in all black, hand holding a long silver spear, his eyes gleamed, looking at the opponent before him. "Haha, thrilling, thrilling, I've battled 695 consecutive matches, compared to you, the other opponents cannot compare at all. They don't deserve to be called elites at all." Hong's words went through the virtual assistant's auto translation and was converted into universe language.

He faced a skinny white robed male, the man held a long blade, looking at Hong, "I too didn't expect to meet such an opponent like you here in the Killing Field's battlespace!"

"Let's go again." The man said softly.

Xiu!

His body became a bolt of lightning rushing forward, piercing straight towards Hong, at the same time the long blade in his hand seemed to intelligently slash in a peculiar arc, ready to attack Hong's many vital points.

"Hahaha..." Hong was exhilarated as he laughed loudly.

The spear in his hand fiercely revolved one round, almost like curling a myriad of waves and directly aiming to sweep away the enemy, at the same time, the spear entered straight into the pitch dark domain, like a deadly whirlpool within the darkness, looking to swallow the white robed swordsman before it. The white robed youth's swordsmanship was clean and precise, with sparks of electricity sparking at every arc, at the same time, the electricity domain around him was constantly expanding.

"Rumble!"

The two clashed and separated, before clashing again as quick as lightning.

Intense!

Hong's previous 695 matches had been incomparably relaxed and easy to win. This time however, he actually met a powerful and fearsome opponent! The two had clashed over and over more than a 1000 times, it was clear Hong's domain had the advantage on the opponent, but the opponent was accurate and precise, his peculiar swordsmanship was indeed powerful, causing them to be stuck in a stalemate.

After such a long battle, neither one of them had made a single mistake.

Rumble!

The two stood separately in the arena, staring at each other.

"Killer, you've earned my respect, for our this battle, let's call it even." The white robed youth swordsman said.

"You too have earned my respect." Hong's eyes seemed to have stars in them, he stared at the opponent, "After a month of hard training within the battlespace, my domain has finally entered the next level. I've yet to unleash this skill before...right now, I'll use it, treat it as my respect for you." Hong's words were translated through the virtual assistant's robotic voice.

"What?" The white robed youth swordsman's expression changed greatly.

"This move, I call it 'This Hate Knows No End'." Finishing his words, Hong's spear vibrated, the spear suddenly became like a fierce enormous dragon rushing out, with a strong revolving wave around it, adding to the already thick and dark domain around, creating an endless tornado attack, making the spear even sharper than before.

The white robed youth swordsman's eyes squinted, electricity sparking out from the blade within his hand.

Pu! Pu! Pu!

Every slash seemed to miss slightly, brushing against the spear's edge, the spear had seemed to become extremely flexible and fluid, the entire air around seemed to become influenced by it, making it unstoppable.

And the white robed youth wanted to escape but he was getting enveloped by the domain, its speed was terrifying.

He couldn't block it either.

"Pu chi!"

The powerful spear that made people's hearts tremble pierced right through the white robed youth's head, emerging from the back of his brain region.

This battle, Killer (Hong), victorious!

Within the Killing Field's big hall.

The blood red background of the hall, black tables, ice cold chairs. Luo Feng and Thunder God sat together, their moods not good at all.

"I didn't expect you to meet her too." Luo Feng laughed painfully.

"What, you met her too?" Thunder God was shocked.

"Yea." Luo Feng nodded, "That female fighter is really...I wasn't her match at all. She was completely toying with me, humiliating me. And her physical traits are only that of a Star level 1, same grade and level as me, she was actually so much stronger than me. My Soaring Shuttle was a joke in front of her!"

"Me too, I feel that she should have her own domain, but she didn't even unleash her domain, hurting me a total of nine times before finally killing me. It's too, too..." Thunder God's smile was bitter.

On Earth.

The two of them, one was a high flying absolute genius, the other stood at the pinnacle of Earth, the founder of the Thunder Dojo. Who would have thought that there would be a day that someone of the same grade and level was able to toy with them and defeat them easily.

"Second and third brother, why'd you call me out?" Hong dressed in all black came with a smile in high spirits, "Hmm, why do the both of you seem unhappy?"

"We lost." Luo Feng shook his head.

"We lost very badly." Thunder god's expression too was ugly.

"Losing is a good thing." Hong sat on the chair beside, saying, "Only through losing will one realize his weaknesses, only through that will we improve."

"But we lost too badly." Luo Feng looked at Hong, "Big brother, your mood seems really good?"

"Haha, I met an opponent, a very strong opponent." Hong laughed and glanced at Luo Feng and Thunder God, "If the two of you were in the Star Traveller level 9, I'm afraid you wouldn't be a match for him. He was incredibly strong! If not for my breakthrough after training hard in the Killing Fields' slaughter space for a month, I wouldn't have been able to win this battle either. It was thrilling to meet such an opponent."

The Killing Fields, besides the cheaper and more populated big hall, there were still some other secret 'quiet rooms.'

Within one of the quiet rooms.

A big sturdy and well built man was dressed in all green, sitting on a sofa, looking at the screen before him. On it displayed three different videos simultaneously, one was Luo Feng against the female fighter, the other was Thunder God against the female fighter and finally Hong against the white robed youth. The well built man's eyes gleamed like never before.

He stared hard at the third scene...Hong against the white robed youth.

"He actually, actually has a domain of three layers?"

"This final attack, he exploded and unleashed his domain, it's definitely a three layer domain! A Star Traveller level 9 punk, actually reached the three layer domain." The man was extremely excited.

Suddenly...

"Pa! Pa! Pa!" A knocking sound resounded.

"Come in." The tall and sturdy man said.

The door opened.

A serious looking female fighter dressed in a white robe, along with a skinny youth swordsman in white robes entered, closing the door behind. After which, the white robed female fighter bowed respectfully, "My lord, the mission is completed."

"Very good, the both of you can leave the virtual universe and return. I've already sent your contribution credits out." The tall and sturdy man said.

"Yes."

The white robed female fighter along with the white robed youth vanished into nothing, obviously their consciousness had left the virtual universe and returned to reality.

Chapter 322: Domain Lord

Killing Fields Hall.

Luo Feng was engaged in discussion with Hong and Thunder God about the previous three battles. As they sat together, they couldn't help but to talk about them. The fight with the female fighter dealt a huge blow to Luo Feng, he wasn't afraid of losing, just that that loss was too bad! This meant...that he Luo Feng, was still a lot weaker than his same level's pinnacle.

There were definitely plenty that were much stronger than him.

"Hm?" Luo Feng saw with the corner of his eye a worker from the Killing Fields approaching them.

"Hm?" Thunder God too looked over, there was only their group there.

"He looks like he's looking for us." Hong said softly.

The Killing Fields worker was a skinny man with a pointy nose, he smiled as he said, "Three sirs, there is a owner of a meditation room upstairs who has called for you three, please follow me."

"Meditation room owner?" Luo Feng was shocked, exchanging glances with Hong and Thunder God beside.

The big hall was a resting and chatting spot for many of the heirs and disciple elites.

And the meditation rooms, they were extremely secretive rooms, many powerful people specially rent rooms for long periods of times, the owners of these rooms were mostly at least a universe level, or they had an absurd amount of money.

"Please lead the way." Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God got up.

"Very well."

The worker led the way, very quickly following the winding stairs, reaching the 2nd level. The 1st level was an incomparably spacious and vast big hall, the 2nd was a serene and beautiful labyrinth, within it with meditation rooms were all about, many universe level warriors and even domain lords, or even the stronger sector lords, were within these rooms.

Within the black dragon mountain empire, the sector lords were deemed as the pinnacle of strength and power, while they mostly moved about within the virtual universe Ganwu continent, not the black dragon mountain island. After all the black dragon mountain empire had too few sector lords, to be able to meet within the virtual universe was very rare, naturally they would all move to the Ganwu continent.

Over there, the strong were plentiful like the clouds.

"This room." The worker smiled and stood at the door, gently knocking.

"Enter." A thick voice resounded.

The door was pushed opened.

The worker bowed respectfully: "Sir, I've brought the three guests." Following that, the worker left, Luo Feng and his 2 bigger brothers were carefully examining the standing tall and sturdy man within the room, his entire body was greenish black, almost like it was made of steel.

"Three of you, come in." The tall and sturdy man said.

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God didn't fear anything, walking directly into the meditation room.

Entering the room, the entire mediation room felt like it became brighter instantly, Luo Feng got a sudden shock after looking at the tall and sturdy man before him, this man's left chest, on his battle robe was a medal, the picture was...a torrent of blood with 2 planets floating.

A universe 2 star mercenary!!!

2 stars?

My God!

Luo Feng was completely shocked, to enter the universe 2 star mercenary exams, one of the conditions was to must have reached the strength of a domain lord! Hence the universe 2 star mercenaries, lowest strength was a domain lord, sometimes even sector lords.

A domain lord warrior...what was this concept?

The Silverblue Empire, or the Kaluo empire etc, the basic level universe empires, they wouldn't dare trifle with a domain lord! They were the owners of their own territories, able to gain the recognition as the strong within the universe! If the universe level warriors were able to destroy earth, they would still require multiple attacks to succeed.

But the domain lords only require one punch, with a scattered punch over the ocean, causing huge waves to drown the entire earth, causing extinction!

This was a domain lord!

An existence able to make a universe basic level empire quake in fear. Back then, the owner of the Horned dragon star, was also only a domain lord! And the one right before them...was stronger than the normal domain lords!

"We greet you."

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God exchanged glances, at the same time speaking in respectful tones.

Respecting the strong, this was the most common form of courtesy within the universe.

"I've already been observing you three for over a month." The tall and sturdy man looked at the three of them, revealing a smile, "Ever since you entered the Killing Fields, you've been in here training every day, without ever stopping a day, am I right?"

Luo Feng was shocked.

This man was at least a domain lord, and he's been observing them for over a month?

Luo Feng turned to look at Hong and Thunder God, they too were in the same state of shock.

"However, I don't understand why you keep staying here in the Killing Fields. Coming here once in awhile is fine, but staying here for long periods of time, that's a waste of time!" The tall and sturdy man looked curiously at the three.

"Waste of time?" Luo Feng's eyebrows creased.

"What do you mean?" Thunder God too creased his eyebrows.

Hong was looking silently at the man.

"Didn't your teacher ever tell you...the fastest way to evolve, the most effective way to improve is to engage in training while in life or death situations?" The tall and sturdy man asked curiously.

"This I understand." Thunder God said.

Hong and Thunder God naturally knew.

The era of which earth produced the most number of warriors was during the great nirvana, also during the Mu Ya crystals period. Back during the Great Nirvana period, within a few years, humans evolved from being weak to suddenly having a large amount of warriors, even to the point of star travellers appearing. And decades later, when the Mu Ya crystals were discovered, another large amount of warriors were produced.

"If you know, then why are you still staying here in the Killing Fields?" The tall and sturdy man asked.

"This is also a life or death battle, battles with extreme dangers." Thunder God said.

"Wrong, completely wrong." The tall and sturdy man laughed, smiling as he shook his head, "Looks like you three don't have a teacher, or, your teacher's level is very low."

Luo Feng and his brothers listened carefully.

A domain lord level warrior speaking to the three of them, this was their good fortune.

"Do you know why your powers will rise greatly during life or death battles? Quick enlightenment? Fast evolution? Do you know the logic behind it?" The tall and sturdy man looked at the three, they shook their heads, this was something they truly didn't yet fully know.

The tall and sturdy man sighed, "With life or death, there's great fear!"

"With life or death, there's unlimited motivation."

"Just like facing a needle piercing towards your eye, one would unconditionally shut his eye as a reflex! Facing death and such dangers, the body's every cell will unconditionally struggle, even the genes would race to evolve! The fear of life or death, will cause even the body's soul, to reach a peak state that one normally wouldn't be able to reach. Under these circumstances, man will easily gain enlightenment, evolve and grow stronger."

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God all held their breaths.

"This is a form of unconditioned reflex."

"Or you could call it a life reflex!"

"In the face of death, life would unleash from its deepest depth the strongest form of struggle! Some people have trained hard for decades being unable to breakthrough, maybe from just one life or death experience, that could cause them to breakthrough." The tall and sturdy man looked at the three, "There's great fear in life or death situations, with limitless energy, this is why countless warriors risk their lives and battle in these situations!"

Luo Feng repeatedly muttered to himself: "There's great fear in life or death situations, there's limitless energy?"

Hong and Thunder God too were deep in thought.

"The strong!"

"The strong I'm talking about, are universe levels, domain lords, sector lords, and even the undying!" The tall and sturdy man emphasized, "Over 99% of them join the universe mercenary alliance, engaging in life or death missions."

"The Battle-axe Colosseum, is incomparably brutal, every battle is life or death, there's always one who dies! Such a place, yet it's able to be so successful...that's because engaging in such risky battles is the quickest way to evolve! The universe warriors, how many of them haven't engaged in such a perilous journey to get so far?"

The man looked at the three of them, "That's why, I was curious, why the three of you are wasting so much time within the Killing Fields."

"Spending a few days once in awhile can be considered training."

"However the battles and training, teacher effect etc within the Killing Fields, can never fully emulate the effect of a true life or death battle. That's because...the slaughter space, the battle space, even if you die, you'll be revived in an instant. This is the virtual universe, it can never fully let you feel the dangers of life or death, naturally, you'll never achieve the full evolution effect."

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God all completely understood.

Why after so many days, experiencing so many bloody battles, especially within the slaughter space, the three had customized so many strong warriors, causing them to be extremely excited in their kills.

However...

The three's body evolution efficiency was still the same as before.

Hong was still a star traveller level 9, Luo Feng and Thunder God's bodies were still the same without any improvement. Maybe their skills and experience had improved, but their bodies and foundations haven't made too much progress.

"Right, there's no real threat in the death in the virtual universe, people do not feel the sense of danger here. After all it's a virtual world, there's instant revival after death. There's naturally no real fear, fluster, anger etc." Luo Feng thought within, at the same time roaring in his mind, "Babata!"

"Why are you shouting at me?" From his consciousness, Babata said softly.

"Why didn't you tell me all these, that spending long periods of time within the Killing Fields would be a waste of time!" Luo Feng raged.

"You cannot blame me! You already have the golden horned beast body, so you have no bottleneck to breakthrough, you can constantly improve until the pinnacle of the sector lords. Why go engage in life or death missions? Even though the evolution would be faster, but the risk of death is very high too. When your strength is higher, it wouldn't be too late to go then."

"I'm fine, but what about my older brothers?" Luo Feng asked.

"They? Huh, without the threat of life or death, the star level can be considered their peak." Babata said.

"Their peak? Why didn't you say so earlier?" Luo Feng only understood now that spending time in the Killing Fields was a waste of time for Hong and Thunder God.

"The mission the master gave me was to train and nurture you! And not to train and nurture Hong and Thunder God, when you get stronger, you can go on these life or death missions, I would remind you in the future, it's not much loss to Hong and Thunder God. The training plan has always had you as its core." Babata said it clearly and frankly.

When Luo Feng started feeling apologetic towards Hong and Thunder God.

"Life or death missions?" Hong and Thunder God's eyes gleamed.

"No wonder I've been unable to breakthrough and reach the star level." Hong said softly, "Life or death missions...yes, that's the life that suits me."

"I kept feeling there's no thrill in the peaceful life, no strength or zest in my body, so it's that way." Thunder God's eyes too lit up.

"Third brother, shall we get ready for an adventure?" Thunder God looked at Luo Feng.

At this time, the tall and sturdy man standing beside smiled, "Life or death missions are something every strong warrior has to experience! Breaking through each level, exceeding oneself, that's the path of the strong. However before that...I have to remind you a little, the importance of the body's foundation."

"Different bloodlines have different evolution efficiencies."

"Some evolve easily during life or death situations, some others have it much other even in the same situations."

"Some races, when they reach maturity, they can reach star level, even universe level or even domain lord level."

"This is the bloodline."

"Look at this list, it separates the human bloodline into 10 over different bloodlines, take a look, which of them do you three belong to, maybe I can help you evolve on the best path, taking a less windy road." The tall and sturdy man smiled as he said, pointing towards the screen, a list appeared on the screen.

Chapter 323: An Earthling's Bloodline Level

Luo Feng turned to look, Hong and Thunder God too couldn't keep their eyes off it.

The human race within the universe is extremely vast, with over tens of millions of variety, however they are sorted into these 10 large groups." The tall and sturdy man pointed at the screen and smiled, Luo Feng looked carefully, the list was extremely detailed.

Human 1st grade bloodline: Reaches Domain Lord at maturity, 1st grade.

Human 2nd grade bloodline: Reaches Universe level at maturity, 2nd grade.

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The 3rd and 4th grade, both reaches the star level at maturity.

The 5th and 6th grade both reaches the star traveller at maturity.

The 7th and 8th grade both reaches the student level at maturity.

The 9th and 10th grade, don't reach anything at maturity. However according to the training and aptitude, the probability of a warrior appearing within the races, was sorted into the 9th and 10th grade.

"Which blood grade are you all in?" The tall and sturdy man said.

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God exchanged glances, according to the list, the bloodline of earth's humans were considered the 9th grade, after all up till now, majority of of the matured humans didn't even reach anything. However...according to Luo Feng's plan, with a large amount of Purple light drink being distributed, they believed in about a 100 years, the humans of earth would be able to reach the 8th grade.

"9th grade." Luo Feng looked at the tall and sturdy man.

"9th grade?" The tall and sturdy man looked shocked at Luo Feng, before turning to glance over at Hong and Thunder God, disbelieving.

"Yes, 9th grade." Hong said too.

"So what if we are the 9th grade? We can still breakthrough on our own!" Thunder God said.

The tall and sturdy man laughed, his laughter was thick while carefree and relaxed, continuous: "I don't mean that, I was just very shocked. A race of the 9th grade, to be able to produce 2 star level 1s, along with a star traveller level 9, this...is very rare, very rare indeed."

The 9th bloodline grade, meant that the foundation was very low, it was very difficult to reach higher.

"I really respect you all." The tall and sturdy man said, "And I'd like to congratulate you all."

"Congratulate?" Luo Feng and the others were suspicious.

"Yes, your blood grade is indeed lower, this has made it so that your breaking through is exceptionally tough, much tougher than the higher grade bloodlines! However similarly...if you all use 'evolution

catalysts' to alter and evolve your bloodline, they also work better and are more effective in improving your bloodlines." The tall and sturdy man said.

"Evolution catalysts? Bloodline evolution catalysts?" A shocked voice resounded within Luo Feng's mind.

"Babata, why are you so shocked?" Luo Feng communicated telepathically.

"Luo Feng, this person talking to you, definitely comes from an enormous power! 'Bloodline catalysts' are definitely considered the top grade goods within the universe, without a certain amount of position, there wouldn't even be a pathway to buy them. Unless one spends thousands to tens of thousands of dollars to force a pathway, only through that can one probably buy 1 portion of these catalysts." Babata said, "Think of a way to get the bloodline catalyst from him, it's definitely a top grade item."

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"Bloodline catalyst, what do they do?" Hong asked.

"Our training, isn't that an evolution in life itself?" Thunder God looked at the sturdy man in front of him with confusion.

The tall and sturdy man smiled, "Let me put it to you this way, normal people's training process is like constructing a building! The bloodline is the building's foundation. When the bloodline is weak, it means the foundation is weak! Humans with weak bloodlines, training is akin to building a skyscraper constantly on the weak foundation, as it gets higher and higher, one naturally has to keep strengthening that foundation to allow it to get higher."

"However the higher the skyscraper gets, the more troublesome strengthening the foundation gets."

"And the ones with stronger bloodlines, their foundations are much stronger, they can easily build up to a hundred levels, immediately reaching the domain lord, not even having the dangers of the barriers."

"Bloodline evolution catalyst...its usage is to alter one's bloodline, akin to improving on your foundation, from a poor foundation, rising quickly to the mid level foundation, this will allow your construction of the skyscraper to be much easier. Do you understand?" The tall and sturdy man smiled.

Luo Feng, Thunder God and Hong understood fully.

"Bloodline evolution catalysts are incapable of adding to your strength by itself, however it can make your training in the future much faster and easier." The tall and sturdy man smiled as he said, "Of course these catalysts, are completely unable to be bought at any surface shops or places. This is because the cost for producing these catalysts are extremely high, they are low in quantity hence they are definitely not sold externally. Unless one is willing to fork out an exorbitant price would they be able to get maybe one portion."

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God weren't stupid.

A strong warrior who was at least a domain lord speaking so much to them, even bringing up the bloodline catalysts...

"You have to know, just who actually researched and produced the bloodline catalysts?" The tall and sturdy man said.

"No idea."

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God shook their heads.

"The virtual universe company." The tall and sturdy man said directly, "The humans within the entire universe with the most advanced technology, the virtual universe company! This evolution catalyst was something that they had researched and produced.

"The virtual universe company?" Luo Feng understood.

The network of the virtual universe company was able to allow an unlimited number of people within the vast universe to immediately enter the network and communicate with their friends, what level of technology was this? Also the most shocking thing was...the virtual universe network worked not just within the normal universe, it worked even within the dark universe, extremely shocking.

The network could even be maintained during universe travel.

What level of technology was this?

It was totally incomprehensible!

It was a profound mystery!

"Haha, I haven't introduced myself." The tall and sturdy man smiled, I am from the virtual universe company, stationed at the Black Dragon Mountain empire department, one of the external departments, you can call me Mr. Ming Yu, or Lord Ming Yu, whichever is fine."

"Lord Ming Yu."

Luo Feng and the others took bow, Luo Feng felt extreme shock within.

My God...

What Babata said was indeed accurate, this tall and sturdy man indeed came from a huge power! The virtual universe company, this was one of the 5 great leviathans from the human race within the universe, stronger than even the Ganwu universe country by many times! Even the master of the Yun Mo Planet would be considered only an ant facing the virtual universe company.

After all, the master of the Yun Mo Planet didn't even dare mess with the Ganwu universe country."

And the virtual universe company, owned and covered large amounts of universe countries.

Such level of strength and power!

Even a department within the Black Dragon Mountain empire, an external department, had at least a domain lord! How powerful, it made others tremble!

"So Lord Ming Yu actually comes from the virtual universe company." Thunder God complimented.

The tall and sturdy Ming Yu smiled.

He too felt somewhat proud about this fact, it was natural, a person from one of the 5 great Leviathans would naturally feel a sense of superiority!

"This evolution catalyst is something our virtual universe company produced." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu smiled, "However, with these level of goods, there are very few ways of getting access to them outside, even if you have the ability to buy them outside, the price would be terrifying and exorbitant. However if one joins the virtual universe company, to its own internal members...especially to the elites, they could even give it for free to them."

"Free?"

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God were taken aback.

Rich and imposing, this virtual universe company was indeed rich and imposing. It was natural, after all who could compare wealth with the virtual universe company? For example, the killing fields' slaughter space, a domain lord level 1 spirit reader would have a daily rate of 3.5 billion Ganwu dollars. Just how shocking would the entire wealth of the virtual universe company be?

One didn't even dare to imagine.

Even the master of the Yun Mo Planet probably wouldn't even compare to their one strand of leg hair.

"Right, sponsored!"

The tall and sturdy Ming Yu looked at Luo Feng and the others, his eyes gleaming, "Our virtual universe company have been collecting elites from many universe countries, and you 3, definitely count as geniuses. You...your consciousness level is extremely high, star level 1, and your battle ability amplifier exceeds 36 already?"

Luo Feng blushed with shame, the reason why his consciousness was that strong was due to the golden horned beast.

"You are not bad too, star level 1 with your own domain." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu looked at Thunder God.

"You 2, can be considered level 3 elites." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu finally looked at Hong, eyes gleaming, "Of course the most powerful would be you...star traveller level 9, not only have your own domain, but already a 3 layer domain. It's too, too...your comprehension ability is too shocking. You can already be deemed as a level 1 elite, the seed elite"

Luo Feng was speechless.

Relying on the strong consciousness of the golden horned beast, he was deemed as a level 3 elite.

"Before, I arranged for 2 of my people to battle you all." The tall and sturdy man pointed at the screen, 3 different images appeared on the screen, depicting the white robed fighter and the white robed youth.

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God were totally unfazed by the footage.

They had already guessed that the 2 powerful warriors could have been arranged by the man before them.

"She, belongs to the 'special elites' of our virtual universe company, and he, is a level 2 elite." The tall and sturdy man explained.

"Special elites?"

Luo Feng and Thunder God stared at the white robed female fighter in the screen, even the star traveller level 9 with a 3 layer domain Hong was only deemed as a level 1 elite. And the female fighter before them was actually deemed as a special elite, no wonder the female fighter could so easily beat both Luo Feng and Thunder God.

"The universe is vast. The Black Dragon Mountain empire, such a big empire, its planets are too many to count."

"Naturally there will be many geniuses."

"The seeds that our company cultivates are separated into the special elite, levels 1, 2, and 3. However this is only within the Black Dragon Mountain department! If it were the main company headquarters, their grading is even more strict and rigorous." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu said, these words made the Luo Feng and Thunder God totally dumbfounded.

In the Black Dragon Mountain department, the 2 of them were right at the bottom?

"Don't be discouraged, to be able to be deemed as geniuses by our company, even if one is the lowest level 3 elite, amongst the fighters and spirit readers, that is still the cream of the crop." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu consoled them, "As long as you are all willing to join the Black Dragon Mountain department, oh right, I still don't know your names."

"Luo Feng."

"Hong."

"Thunder God."

The 3 didn't even hesitate; they didn't have any apprehension about giving their names. To such a huge power like the virtual universe company, they probably had their data a long time ago.

"Luo Feng and Thunder God, the moment you 2 join, you'll be sponsored one portion of bloodline evolution catalyst, and you Hong, you'll be receiving one S grade bloodline evolution catalyst portion." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu looked at the 3 of them, "Are the 3 of you willing to join our virtual universe company?"

Chapter 324: Leaving Earth

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God exchanged glances.

"Lord Ming Yu, I would like to ask." Hong looked at the tall and sturdy man, "If we joined the Virtual Universe Network company, what would we need to do, what missions are there?"

"In the early stages, since your powers are weak, the company will nurture you. Hence the management will be very strict! You will have to strictly adhere to the company's orders in training, taking on life or death exams etc, however, as your power rises, your rights and privileges will constantly increase. At

Universe level, Domain Lord, Sector Lord, the stronger you get, you only need to act at crucial and critical times." Ming Yu replied directly.

Luo Feng and the others hesitated.

Under strict management?

Hong and Thunder God, they were both founders of dojos, how could they be managed and be under strict management?

"When our powers are weak, during the nurturing time, are we unable to move on our own?" Hong asked.

Luo Feng and Thunder God looked at the tall and sturdy man before them.

"You'll have holidays, fixed holidays." The tall and sturdy man emphasized, "The nurturing period when your powers are weak has very strict supervision, this point you all have to understand! Holidays? With the Virtual Universe Network, you can still meet with your loved ones and chat, so the holidays don't really mean much."

Hong, Thunder God and Luo Feng exchanged glances and shook their heads.

They couldn't accept this!

The nurturing period? Maybe the entire Star levels were deemed as the nurturing period for the Virtual Universe Network company, this could be a hundred years or more of strict management. Luo Feng and the other two couldn't accept this.

"Hm?" The external department Ming Yu creased his eyebrows, sighing within.

They can't take the strict management!

He had frequently encountered such incidents, as the external department that frequently invited geniuses to join their Virtual Universe Network company. However since they were geniuses, they'd long have powers that tried to entice them, these geniuses were all generally untamed, who would be unwilling to subject themselves to long periods of strict supervision, hence the rejection rate was high.

However...

The important internal people who the Virtual Universe Network Company cultivated had to pass very strict supervision and a tedious process.

"We are unable to accept." Hong said.

"Oh, of course..." Ming Yu smiled, "What I mentioned earlier was the internal members, our Virtual Universe Network company is separated into internal and external, there are many privileges to being an internal member, but the supervision is stricter. The external members however are much more lax, but their privileges are much smaller. They are far from the internal members."

"Like me for example, an external department person." Ming Yu smiled, "If you become external members, even though you'll be unable to receive evolution catalysts, but you'll still might be able use

money to buy them. Buying your first portion and you'll even get it at a lower price. Buying the second portion will be much more costly, a normal external member may buy up to three portions."

"How much?" Luo Feng asked.

"Bloodline evolution catalysts, buying the first portion, is priced at 100 million Ganwu dollars. If it's the second portion, it would cost 1 billion Ganwu dollars." Ming Yu said, "Bloodline catalysts are very rarely circulated outside, only one with incredible luck and skill will be able to get one outside, and the prices would be extremely absurd. At the same time, the Virtual Universe Network company very strictly forbids you all from selling them outside, if you were ever discovered to be peddling them outside secretly..."

"Death!" Ming Yu said casually.

Luo Feng immediately gave up on the thought of selling it outside.

"These are some rules regarding joining our Virtual Universe Network company, take a look, if you can accept them." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu pointed at the screen, on it appeared a large amount of rules and regulations.

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Five minutes later.

"Welcome to our Virtual Universe Network company, right now you are all external members of our Virtual Universe Network company Black Dragon Mountain Empire department, currently under my jurisdiction, drop me a mail if you have any matters." The tall and sturdy Ming Yu smiled.

"Yes Lord Ming Yu."

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God bowed slightly.

Leaving the Killing Fields, returning to their house, 9 star bay on Black Dragon Mountain Island.

"Being an external member is extremely lax."

"They actually allow us to join a few other normal organizations, even allowing us to join things like the Ganwu Dojo, it's really unbelievable." Thunder God walked along the pebble road by the lake side, exclaiming surprised, "It only forbids us from joining the Battle-axe Colosseum and other powers that exceed the Empire's power."

The Virtual Universe Network company's military department was separated into internal and external.

The internal group was the most loyal and dependable, and they were also forbidden by the Virtual Universe Network company's most important departments from joining any other powers.

The external group was much more lax.

For example, if a Sector Lord from the Ganwu Dojo were to be invited by the company, they could just leave their names in the external department. The moment an important battle or matter arises, they can let their external members go battle! Usually there weren't many limits on the external members, just as long as they don't join any similarly leveled super powers.

"The Virtual Universe Network company, doesn't even bother to notice the Ganwu Dojo." Luo Feng laughed.

"Haha, joining the Virtual Universe Network company, Luo Feng, I still thought of you borrowing some of the Ganwu Dojo's strength in the future, however since you are part of the Virtual Universe Network company's external department, with a high enough position, that's even better." Babata was very excited.

"Big brother, second brother, do you have enough money to buy the evolution catalyst?" Luo Feng asked.

"Enough."

"It's still plenty." Hong and Thunder God said.

Luo Feng felt helpless within, the main thing was that his money worried him at the moment, because he was using the 89 times efficiency metal groupings, madly swallowing to evolve his internal world...believing that it wouldn't even take a year for him to breakthrough to the Universe level. A Universe level Golden Horned Beast, the price of the metal it required, that was hundreds to even thousands of times more absurd.

Calculating his own money, he definitely didn't have enough!

"My teacher back then, probably never would have thought that his next disciple would have a Golden Horned Beast body, a Golden Horned Beast...is really a black hole for money." Luo Feng thought within.

"Third brother, after we finish out matters with the external department, I've decided to go sign up at the Universe Mercenary Alliance." Hong's eyes gleamed, "Even though I'm currently still unable to take the probation examinations, however...I can't take it anymore."

"Me too!" Thunder God licked his lips, eyes gleaming with sense of wilderness, "Dancing with blades in life or death situations, that's what I call an exciting life."

"You two..." Luo Feng was shocked.

"Third brother, will you go too?" Hong asked.

"Let's go together no?" Thunder God too looked at Luo Feng.

The fighters of Earth, how many of them were gutless?

"Go, of course we'll go together!" Luo Feng said.

"Haha..." Thunder God laughed loudly.

"Brother." Hong too patted Luo Feng's shoulder.

Luo Feng looked at his two older brothers who seemed to have a new flame ignited within them, thinking within: "Risks? Yes, I too want to take risks, the feeling of dancing with blades in the face of life and death, that was indeed a glorious feeling!" Back then in the wilderness, gambling his life in death battles with the beasts, that feeling was indeed heart stopping.

"If big brother and second brother really encounter an unavoidable danger, I can release my Golden Horned Beast body and save them!" Luo Feng thought within.

The Golden Horned Beast's existence had to be kept secret.

However if they met with an unavoidable danger, he would of course have to unleash it!

Within the hall of the Killing Fields.

An incomparably elderly green skinned old man sat in the corner, carrying a glass of water, lifting his wrinkled forehead, looking at his surroundings with his muddy eyes. He, was the main manager of the Black Dragon Mountain Island's Killing Fields...Man Luo, an elder with a renowned name around here.

At this time, the tall and sturdy Ming Yu swiftly walked over, walking directly to the green skinned old man.

"Lord." Ming Yu said softly.

"How'd it go?" The green skinned old man's muddy gaze looked at him.

Min Yu lowered his head respectfully, "The Lord guessed accurately, the three are unwilling to join the internal department, they've only joined the external department, also that Hong is indeed very powerful, Star Traveller level 9, three layer domain."

"Three layer domain?" The green skinned old man's eyes lit up, his originally muddy eyes seemed penetrating and clear suddenly, almost as though it held boundless amounts of knowledge, able to see right through a person's soul, before this old man, the 2 star mercenary Ming Yu was incomparably respectful, and this was pure respect from within.

"Hm, very good."

The green skinned old man smiled and nodded, his eyes reverted to its muddy state, "To be able to discover a level 1 elite, that's not bad. After all special elites, this can be discovered but not sought. This level of genius cannot be forced, for them to join the external department is already not bad! We'll let them expand on their own."

"Yes." Ming Yu said respectfully.

Whatever he did before, be it analyzing Luo Feng or the other two, and observing them for a month...these were all ordered by Lord Man Luo. Why would Ming Yu himself have such time to go observe Luo Feng and the other two for a whole month?

Earth.

The spring warmth bloomed, in China's Yangzhou city, a C9 grade dark blue triangular universe ship floated over in the sky above the castle, this was a ship that Luo Feng and the others had just bought, spending 11 billion Black Dragon dollars, to Luo Feng and the others at the moment, this was indeed nothing at all.

After all the planet defense system alone, Luo Feng had spent about ten times more than the ship.

"Don't cry, Daddy is just going out, and we can all meet in the virtual universe. Come, be good, give daddy a kiss." Luo Feng stood half squatting in front of his two children, the two handsome and adorable boys gave Luo Feng and hard kiss each on the cheek, hugging him tightly, reluctant to let him go.

"Son."

Luo Hong Guo patted Luo Feng's shoulders, "I won't say more, remember to mind your safety outside."

"Oh, right, where's Luo Hua?" Luo Feng looked around him.

Beside, Zhen Nan who had come to send him off said, "Luo Hua's trading and investing these few days have been a very crucial time, right now it's their time of dealings, he doesn't dare to relax even a little. Hence, he told me to send you off and he said he'll apologize again in the future in the Virtual Universe Network."

"This kid." Luo Feng shook his head and couldn't help but laugh.

Luo Feng bid goodbye to his family, beside them were Hong's family and Thunder God's family, each coming to send them off.

After which, Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God took two slaves into the universe ship.

"Hu!"

The dark blue triangular universe ship gradually rose into the sky, under the sights of the three families; it swiftly left the atmosphere, disappearing from their line of sight.

Chapter 325: Bloodline Evolution Catalyst

The universe ship travelled for about 8 hours within the dark universe, travelling through universes, reaching the Bailan Star about 118,000 light years away from Earth.

Bailan Star north region, the extreme cold district.

A dark blue C9 grade universe ship descended within the center of the warehouse base, right before the castle, the castle's guards immediately stepped forward to welcome them.

"We'll first stay at Bailan Star for 3 days, the Virtual Universe Network company requires about three days of time to send over the bloodline catalyst." Luo Feng jumped straight out of the cabin door, standing on the snow covered ground, the sound of crunching and ice breaking resounded. Behind him, Hong and Thunder God also jumped down and walked beside him.

Luo Feng was dressed in a blood red battle uniform, his waist belt tied securely, his uniform's tail swayed in the wind.

Thunder God was dressed in a white battle uniform while Hong was all black.

Luo Feng and Hong's battle uniforms were both formed from the cloud contact vine's transformation, only Thunder God's was a specially bought level 2 raw energy uniform.

"That external department Ming Yu, actually exaggerated the bloodline catalyst like it's godly and unbelievable, who knows whether it's the truth or not." Thunder God muttered, "Even in the Virtual Universe Network, we couldn't even research any news about the bloodline catalysts."

"That's just because your permissions aren't high enough." Luo Feng laughed, "Researching data in the Virtual Universe Network, using my normal status, I cannot search for anything important, nothing secret, everything is public news and easy. However some higher level data...requires a high enough permission to actually gain access to."

"Tsk, levels everywhere." Thunder God shook his head.

"What place doesn't have levels? There's rich and the poor, the people in power and the average." Hong also laughed.

On the third night of their arrival on Bailan Star, evening.

Due to the pure white snow covering the land and reflecting, the sky still seemed rather bright, a dark grey disc shaped universe ship didn't even land within the planet's docking bay, instead flying directly to Luo Feng's warehouse base. This ship had a huge Virtual Universe Network logo to represent its status.

Rumble.

The ship stopped.

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God stood on the snowy ground, raising their heads anxiously looking at the ship.

"Hua..."The cabin door opened, three members dressed in black battle uniform, led by a lady carrying a briefcase, with the other two by her side, flew over from the cabin door and landed before Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God.

The leading lady wore dark sunglasses, looking at Luo Feng and the others, numbers flitted past her lenses, data that only she could see.

"Identification confirmed, we can proceed with the deal."

"Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder god, these are your bloodline evolution catalysts." The pale skinned, cold expressionless lady immediately opened the briefcase, within it were 3 colorful glowing long syringes with colorful liquids, 'clunk', she closed the briefcase and brought it before Luo Feng and the others.

"Thanks." Luo Feng raised his hand and received it.

The three, men and lady turned immediately and flew into the universe ship, within a few seconds, the ship had risen up and flown through the atmosphere, leaving Bailan Star.

"Bloodline evolution catalyst." Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God looked at the briefcase within their hands.

"Go, let's enter." Luo Feng shouted.

"Haha, we can't wait anymore." Thunder God's eyes gleamed.

Luo Feng and the other two took out one portion each, entering their separate private training rooms.

"Bloodline evolution catalyst." Luo Feng looked at the long syringe like object with the color glowing liquid within, this liquid was exquisitely beautiful, earth shaking beauty, "Let's begin!"

Without hesitation.

He took off the cap of the needle and inserted it into his skin, gradually pushing it in. The colorful liquid within began to slowly seep into Luo Feng's body, just like aggressive cancer cells, madly swallowing every cell within his body, there was an unbelievable hacking and slicing pain within his mind.

"Damn!" Luo Feng bit down and cursed, immediately curling into a ball on the ground.

Gritting his teeth hard, shouting out, he bit so hard that fresh blood flowed from the sides of his lips.

"It hurts so bad."

"Luo Feng, bear with it, this thing changes your bloodline, changing it from the absolute deepest regions, it's indeed extremely painful. Bear with it, it'll be over soon." Babata consoled him.

"How long more?" Luo Feng felt like his consciousness was at war.

"Very quickly, not even an hour." Babata said.

"An hour?" Luo Feng could only bite as hard as he could.

No matter the pain, he still had to bear with it. Luo Feng didn't hear any cries of pain from the two rooms beside, obviously Hong and Thunder God were also fighting hard to bear with the immense pain.

"Argh, ouch!" Luo Feng's nose let out a low cry of pain.

And within his body.

Luo Feng's every cell seemed to be at war, whether it was the cells in the muscles, bones, etc, they were all battling. Human bloodline evolution, according to logic, this was a long arduous gradual process, and the bloodline catalyst, was something the Virtual Universe Network company had researched and produced, speeding up this absolute evolution process.

Every portion's cost was extremely high.

Within the training room.

Luo Feng sprawled across the floor, his clothes wet and sticking to his body, revealing his incredibly built physique, he was lying there absolutely tired and not moving at all.

"So exhausting."

"It's too exhausting."

"My entire body is gone, I don't even want to move a finger right now." Luo Feng told Babata within his mind, "however, there's a very comfortable feeling within my bones, it's really really comfortable."

"The process of the bloodline evolution is of course painful, and after the evolution, you'd naturally feel incredibly comfortable. This sort of process uses up a large amount of your life force, you'd better faster

go use Mu Ya crystals, they store a large amount of life force, treasures that can spur your life evolution. If you use it now, it'd be the best." Babata said.

"Understood." Luo Feng nodded.

"Inform my big and second brother to use the Mu Ya crystals too." Luo Feng ordered, Babata informed them through their communication devices.

Within Bailan Star.

Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God were immersed in their training, the amount stored within one Mu Ya crystal was shocking. Usually Luo Feng would spend some time everyday to absorb it, causing his body to be totally full. Today however, after experiencing the big bloodline evolution, his starving body was madly absorbing the energy from the Mu Ya crystal.

"It's incomparably splendid."

Luo Feng sat crossed legged, holding a Mu Ya crystal in his hand.

Large amounts of life force energy were being madly absorbed by his body, every cell that had just undergone tremendous change was madly devouring this energy, they were ravished! Every bit of energy that just entered his body was immediately swallowed, this process carried on continuously.

About 23 hours passed, an entire Mu Ya crystal had been completely absorbed. Luo Feng took out another Mu Ya crystal!

The process of absorbing a crystal was also a step in Luo Feng's body's evolution, with his body constantly growing and evolving, naturally, the amount of spirit energy his can take also grew, with large amounts of pure spirit energy flowing from his life's core straight into his consciousness, the amount of spirit energy in his consciousness increased more and more.

"Rumble..."

Blood red spirit energy rushed about like a tidal wave, raging within, before madly gathering, forming a large blood ball, constantly expanding and contracting, it seemed almost as though the entire world only had this one red ball, following its final contraction, his entire consciousness rumbled, a glaring miniature glowing planet formed.

Along with the original miniature planet.

Within his consciousness, the new planet revolved around the older planet, the older planet also rotated slowly, forming a two planet construct.

"Chi chi..." Extremely pure spirit energy was purified through passing through the core of these two planets, almost like a mist permeating throughout his entire existence, at the same time the Void Pagoda also began to change.

Star level 2!

Luo Feng's body had already broken through from the Star Traveller level 7 to 8. His spirit reader side had stepped into the Star level 2.

One day later.

Luo Feng stepped on the Soaring Shuttle, becoming a beam of light, swiftly flying through the extreme cold regions of the Bailan Star's northern regions. The terrifying speed caused the solid snow below to burst open, forming a deep gorge path. A frozen snow mountain was pierced by a golden swordfish madly going through it, finally it exploded from within, large amounts of snow and ice scattering about.

"Thrilling." Luo Feng stood in mid air, looking at the snow mountain crumble, extremely carefree.

"Third brother."

"Third brother."

Two voices resounded from the distance.

"Coming." The Soaring Shuttle below Luo Feng's feet became a beam of light and swiftly headed in the direction of the voices. In the distance, standing on the snow were two men, one in black and the other in white, it was Hong and Thunder God. The current Hong and Thunder God were in high spirits, when they used the bloodline catalyst before, Luo Feng had reminded them to use the Mu Ya crystals, naturally they used it immediately.

Its effectiveness was the best at that time.

Hong actually broke through and reached the Star level 1.

And Thunder God's level also raised and reached Star level 2! However...this sort of chance might not happen again, the effectiveness of the bloodline catalyst works the best the first time, using it after may not produce any results at all. However, Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God were already satisfied, after all, the most important effect of the bloodline catalyst was...

Making their evolution path in the future easier and faster!

"Third brother." Hong smiled as he looked at Luo Feng.

"Hm?" Luo Feng descended and landed on the snowy ground.

"Third brother, Big brother and I were thinking...of going to apply for the Universe Probation Mercenary Exams, what do you think?" Thunder God looked at Luo Feng.

"The Universe Probation Mercenary Exams?" Luo Feng was shocked.

That was right, big brother was already in the Star level 1 now, he could take the Universe probation mercenary exams.

This exam, was the entrance exam into the Universe Mercenary Alliance, back then their good brothers Heruo and Buleimu also went to take part in it, this entrance exam was for the sole sake of eliminating those unsuited for the life of danger!

The elimination method...many die. Those who were lucky got to keep their little lives.

Hence, this probation mercenary exam had a high death rate, it was renowned for that.

"Universe Probation Mercenary Exams?" Luo Feng repeated.

"What do you think?" Hong and Thunder God looked at Luo Feng.

"When are you thinking of leaving?" Luo Feng asked.

"Of course the earlier the better!" Thunder God couldn't help but say. "Naturally, we have things to attend to first, we first have to check in the Virtual Universe Network about the exam itself and the things we should pay attention to."

Chapter 326: To Cang Lan Star

Virtual Universe, Black Dragon Mountain Island's Nine Star Bay.

Luo Feng, Hong, and Thunder God were sitting around a table and facing a display. There was a large amount of information for those wanting to take the Universe Mercenary trainee test.

"The Universe Mercenary trainee test are all taken in the 'Sector Lord's World'?"

"Inside the world of a Sector Lord, besides the dangers naturally found within, the biggest danger are the other members taking the test? Robberies and murders can happen at any time, and people can steal away your item objectives?" as Luo Feng read the caution, he frowned.

"If a rookie Star level 2 or 3 stage is participating in the trainee test, you should find Star level 8 or 9 stage warriors to form a squad! That way, you at least can defend yourselves against those wanting to steal from you."

"No matter what, do not directly enter with just Star Traveller level 1 and 2 stages. Even if you get lucky and find the items you need, they'll just get stolen away"

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After Luo Feng, Hong, and Thunder God finished reading, they all exchanged glances and were speechless.

"So the most dangerous thing in the exam are the other participants" Thunder God shook his head helplessly.

"You can never predict the nature of others" said Hong seriously.

"Thankfully we have two servants" even though Luo Feng felt a bit of pressure, he wasn't too nervous. Because when he departed, Luo Feng brought two Star level 9 stage slaves with him just in case they run into some trouble. Keep in mind he bought a bunch of Star level 9 stage slaves.

Out of these two, one of them is a spirit reader while the other is a fighter.

And these two are the most outstanding ones!

Luo Feng passed on his secret training methods of the Yun Mo sect to these group of Star level 9 stages. Since they are slaves..... there is naturally no need to worry about betrayal, which was why Babata didn't stop it.

"Form a squad with Star level 8 or 9 stages?" Thunder God laughed, "Haha, thankfully we have two great helpers"

"Yes, so we don't need to find other people anymore" Hong also smiled.

Forming a squad.

This wasn't protected by law, so you couldn't completely trust your squad members. Making sure you don't get backstabbed is a very tiring thing! Luo Feng and the other two were lucky to have two Star level 9 stage slaves. This way, they can form a squad of five and have excellent teamwork.

In the vast universe.

Those of the same race or origin usually have deep connections. After all, there are countless amounts of species in the universe, and an even larger amount of planets.

"Daddy, daddy, what are you looking at?" the young boy 'Luo Hua' jumped over in his battle uniform.

"Daddy is busy, come, give me a kiss" Luo Feng smiled as he ran over and picked up his son.

That night, Luo Feng and the others took a spaceship and left Bai Lan star.

You must do the paperwork for the adventurer status in real life at the 'Universe Mercenary Alliance'. Only with your adventurer status can you undergo the trainee test. Luo Feng and the others' destination is 'Dragon Star'.

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Ten days later.

The Universe Mercenary Alliance station at Dragon Star basically looked like a castle. Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God, and the two Star level 9 stage bodyguards entered within.

"There's so many people" exclaimed Luo Feng.

"It's like a sea of people" Thunder God was dazzled.

Large numbers of people entered the Universe Mercenary Alliance building, and over 80% of them were here to sign up for their adventurer status! Luo Feng and the others were also in the sea of people. They lined up with all sorts of other human species and finally finished their paperwork for the adventurer status after about an hour.

"Adventurer card, this is an adventurer card?" Thunder God looked at the card in his hand.

"Don't lose it, it's quite a pain to get it" laughed Luo Feng, "Go, let's go sign up for the Universe Mercenary trainee test".

There were a lot of people signing up for an adventurer status.

But there weren't a lot of people signing up for the universe mercenary trainee test. Luo Feng and the others didn't even need to line up.

"Star level 2 stage spirit reader, Star level 2 stage fighter, Star level 1 stage fighter, Star level 9 stage fighter, Star level 9 stage spirit reader. All of you meet the requirements for the mercenary trainee test. Please pay 10,000 Black Dragon dollars per person"

"Very good".

"The specifics of your test are in here. You can read them when you have the time".

After having all five of their adventurer cards scanned, their numbers entered the 'universe mercenary trainee test' system and are eligible to participate in the test.

Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God and the others entered a bar to the side. After entering, they randomly ordered some drinks and immediately started reading about the exam.

"Enter the Sector Lord's world in Cang Lan Star and find three wind corner stones and one horn from the horned iron rhino. After that, hand it to the Universe Mercenary Alliance workers at the exit of the Sector Lord's world. After doing that, you will have successfully passed the test and will become a qualified mercenary trainee".

The missions for the test themselves are naturally made for testing purposes.

This is not a regular adventure. These missions were made to disqualify large amounts of people.

"It definitely won't be easy" mumbled Thunder God. And then he laughed, "Wind corner stone, horn from the horned iron rhino? Can't people just buy them and then claim they got it themselves?".

"Look here"

Luo Feng flipped to the sixth page of the test explanation book, "The wind corner stone is a special stone unique to that Sector Lord's world and carries the essence of that world. And the horn of the horned iron rhino 'beast' inside that Sector Lord's world have been marked by the Universe Mercenary Alliance's workers..... every time a mission is completed, the testing items are taken back".

"The Universe Mercenary Alliance is extremely strict about the items. Once someone is found cheating, they will directly lose their right to take the test forever. And for those who are selling the items, they are directly killed".

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Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God, and the two bodyguards were discussing about the Universe Mercenary trainee test that was about to begin.

"Gentlemen".

"Gentlemen" an extremely skinny man with huge ears came close with a huge smile, "Are the five of you preparing to participate in the universe mercenary trainee exam?"

"Hm?" Luo Feng and the others looked over.

"The mercenary trainee test within the area of the Black Dragon Mountain Empire is always held in the Sector Lord's world on Cang Lan Star. I have here..... a detailed map of that world, and the records and

experiences of many seniors who have completed the mercenary trainee exam" said the man quietly, "With this, your rates of success will increase by at least 10%".

"Detailed map? Experiences?" Luo Feng looked at the skinny man.

"How much money?" asked Thunder God.

"Not a lot, 100 Black Dragon dollars per copy" replied the skinny man.

"What do you mean not a lot? 50 Black Dragon dollars for a copy" said Thunder God directly.

"Deal!" the skinny man was extremely direct.

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On Dragon Star, Luo Feng and the others purchased two more books on people's experiences on the trainee exam. After comparing them, the maps were indeed exactly the same. And there were all types of 'experiences'. But as they read and read, Luo Feng, Hong, and Thunder God were shocked that..... the Sector Lord's world changes after a certain amount of time!

On Dragon Star, Luo Feng bought his bodyguards a stage two battle uniform and a stage two energy (spiritual) weapon. Maybe an extremely high quality stage two spirit weapon requires a few billion Black Dragon Dollars, but even his own weapon is a low quality stage three spirit weapon. So of course, the weapons of these two bodyguards are 'medium quality stage two weapons'.

Stage two weapons, are enough for Star levels.

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After that, Luo Feng and the others rode on the spaceship and left Dragon Star as they headed towards the even more famous 'Cang Lan Star'.

Cang Lan Star, one of the stars that can rank within the top 100 in terms of importance within the Black Dragon Mountain Empire. The master of this planet is a 'Sector Lord', of course..... this Sector Lord isn't currently living on Cang Lan star.

"Ao Gu, Tie Nan He, from now on, you two are extremely important members of our squad. When someone tries to rob us, the three of us will have to rely on you two" within the spaceship's control room, all five of them were there. Luo Feng was smiling as he looked at the two bodyguards in front of him, which were the two slaves he brought with him this time.

They had similar appearances to people on Earth.

Ao Gu, a Star level 9 stage spirit reader. He was extremely skinny and barely has any meat on his cheeks. His dark red hair was messy. He was the strongest spirit reader out of the various star level nine slaves Luo Feng purchased.

Tie Nan He, an energetic, large man. He had sunken eyes and the only difference between him and regular humans was that he had three scales on his forehead. He was the most powerful fighter within the Star level nine slaves Luo Feng purchased.

"Protecting our master is our purpose" said old Ao Gu.

"Master, don't say it like that" followed Tie Nan He.

"Don't be humble, our squad will be together for an extremely long amount of time. If our squad splits up in the future and you two are still alive, I'm still alive..... after going through so many life and death situations together, I'll choose to deactivate your microchips and restore your freedom" said Luo Feng.

Ao Gu and Tie Nan He's eyes flashed.

Freedom!

That is what every slave hopes for! However, under the control of the microchip, they have no way to go against their master's will.

Luo Feng nodded to himself. Slaves won't go against your will, but giving them something to strive for will make these two bodyguards work even harder..... Luo Feng also decided that once these two aren't strong enough to be useful and the squad splits up, it would be normal to grant these two their freedom after going through so many life and death situations together.

"We're almost at Cang Lan Star, our spaceship is right about to pass through space"

"Cang Lan Star" Ao Gu and Tie Nan He had a bit of desire in their eyes. They will work hard to protect Luo Feng with all they have.

Because once their master dies.

It's over for them!

And their hope for freedom will also disappear. Not every master gives their slaves a chance to be free.

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After passing through space, the spaceship flew towards a blue planet with unrivaled beauty.

"What a beautiful planet, it's almost as beautiful as ours" Luo Feng stood in the control room and complimented the faraway star.

"It is indeed beautiful" Thunder God also complimented, "However, it's quite amazing. This Cang Lan Star has a diameter of around 32,000 km, and the 'Sector Lord's world' hidden on Cang Lan star has a surface area of over 100 times that of Cang Lan star's. Such a gigantic world, and I heard some Sector Lords at the peak of their level can hide it within a single grain of sand".

"One grain of sand, one world, this is a powerful aspect of the sector lords" complimented Hong.

The worlds of Sector Lords are indeed mysterious.

And the universe mercenary trainee exam, will be in one of those worlds.

"Whoosh!"

The dark blue spaceship quickly flew into Cang Lan star.

Chapter 327: World of Thunder

Cang Lan Star, Luo Feng's group's spaceship just arrived and was guided towards the docking area.

"Now we can only rely on our own flight".

"It'll be fast. With our speed, we'll arrive in a few minutes" Luo Feng smiled as he headed towards the flourishing city with the other four-- Thunder City. Thunder City didn't always have that name, it's just that the world that the Sector Lord created was discovered in Thunder City.

And the Sector Lord's world was famous for its thunder, so it was named 'World of Thunder'.

"We've arrived at Thunder City".

Luo Feng and the other four descended. In the city, flying cars could be seen all over the place. Many people could be seen flying by themselves too.

"The Universe Mercenary Alliance area is 30 km away in that direction" Thunder God lowered his head and looked at the map that appeared on the mini quantum computer, and then it pointed towards the south eastern direction that corresponded with this star's magnetic field. After that, Luo Feng and the others swiftly headed towards the Universe Mercenary Alliance's area..... the Sector Lord's world was located in that area.

The Universe Mercenary Alliance area was also constructed after the discovery of the Sector Lord's world.

Luo Feng and the other four entered the Universe Mercenary Alliance area.

"If you guys keep going this way, the villa on your way that is heavily surrounded is the World of Thunder" a worker at the area pointed towards the distance. This area was extremely empty, and yet a huge number of guards encircled the isolated buildings.

"World of Thunder?".

"Villa?".

The group looked towards the villa.

The worker smiled and laughed: "The great 'Sector Lord' that created the World of Thunder back then probably lived in Thunder City in seclusion. He purchased a villa and created the World of Thunder inside it. From the outside, who could tell that this villa contained a world that was even larger than the entire Cang Lan Star? However, after countless years, the villas around it have become rubble".

"Oh?" Luo Feng nodded, and then smiled as he gave his thanks, "Thanks".

"Let's go" Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God, and the other two directly headed towards the villa in the distance.

The villa was securely guarded.

Suddenly--

The guards actually swiftly let out a path. A man with a 'one star' medal on his chest walked out and raised his head to look at the sky. The guards beside him were extremely respectful. It seems like this universe mercenary is some sort of leadership figure.

"What's going on?" Luo Feng was a bit surprised.

"Look, a spaceship is flying towards here in the sky" Thunder God pointed towards the sky. Other than Luo Feng's group, quite a few people who have arrived at the 'Universe Mercenary Alliance area' also raised their heads to look. From a distance, a spaceship appeared in the sky above them in virtually a flash. It hovered there without moving.

HUA! The hatch opened!

After that, around twenty young men and women appearing to be of various races came out.

"Mr. Jia Ya" the universe mercenary came forward.

Out of the twenty young men and women that flew down, one of them was an extremely handsome guy who was wearing a purple battle uniform set. On his chest hung a two star medal: "I'm just bringing some of my subordinates' rookies to take the 'trainee test'. A head like you didn't have to come personally greet me".

"Mr. Jia Ya saved me back then, how can I not appear when you come?" smiled the universe mercenary. After that, he looked at the group of young men and women, "These are the rookies from the Black Cloud Guild. Hm, they all seem quite good!".

"Haha, there are a few good seedlings within this batch of rookies" smiled the purple shirted man as he nodded.

After that, the purple shirted man scanned across the group of young people as he ordered: "I won't say anymore about the dangers of the Universe Mercenary trainee exam. I just hope..... that I will be able to see you guys at the Black Cloud Guild. All of you hurry into the Sector Lord's world now".

"Yes, chief instructor".

The group of young people respectfully heeded the order.

After that, they naturally split into four squads, each squad had Star level 2 and 3 stages, and also had Star level 8 and 9 stages. The four squads swiftly entered the villa. The villa wasn't even that big..... but it seemed like the twenty people entered a bottomless hole.

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The purple shirted man seemed like a venomous snake to regular people; he naturally made people feel fear.

Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God, and the other two didn't dare to approach at such a time, and just stayed in the crowd in the distance.

"The Black Cloud Guild? What is this Black Cloud Guild they were talking about?" sounds of discussions carried around the surrounding crowd.

"What's the Black Cloud Guild?" Luo Feng also looked towards Hong and Thunder God.

"Don't know".

"Master, we don't know either" Ao Gu and Tie Nan He both shook their heads.

Suddenly, the sounds of discussions to the side attracted Luo Feng's group's attention: "This Black Cloud Guild is one of the four large organizations of our Black Dragon Mountain Empire. Our Black Dragon Mountain Empire controls the entire Black Dragon Mountain region, which contains about 8,000 galaxies! Of course, the most powerful organizations are the two large sacred lands. Below them are the four large organizations and the sixteen large families".

"What are the two sacred lands?"

"You don't even know that?"

"The two sacred lands are 'Black Dragon Mountain' and 'Holy Sea of Frost'. It has been said that 'Undying Beings' were the ones that created the two sacred lands. They have quite a few Sector Lords in them too".

"Each of the sixteen families have at least one 'Sector Lord'. Sector Lords have the ability to destroy the skies and earth and to create their own world. Of course, either of the two sacred lands can easily destroy the sixteen families".

"If Black Dragon Mountain, Holy Sea of Frost, and the sixteen families belong to the government, then the four large organizations are organizations belonging to the people..... they have been around tens of thousands of years. Some of their elders from back then have even entered the Ganwu Empire".

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Luo Feng and the others were completely focused on the discussions around them.

So that was how the powers in the Black Dragon Mountain Empire were divided. The two sacred lands, the four large organizations, and the sixteen families.

"Luo Feng, here is some detailed information on the powers in the Black Dragon Mountain Empire" Babata's voice sounded in Luo Feng's mind. Suddenly, large amounts of information appeared on Luo Feng's arm guard. While Luo Feng lowered his head to look at it, he sent the information to Hong, Thunder God, Ao Gu and Tie Nan He.

After looking closely, Luo Feng was shocked.

The root of the Black Dragon Mountain Empire were the two sacred lands, 'Black Dragon Mountain' and 'Holy Sea of Frost', the government's strongest power!

And for the people were the four large organizations.

Their power spreads over a thousand galaxies, and each organization has a group of Sector Lord level fighters! In terms of power, they definitely cannot be underestimated. And the background behind the four large organizations even extend to the ultra powerful higher ups in the Ganwu Empire. So maybe the four large organizations aren't as strict as the two sacred lands.

But in terms of fighting power, they are virtually equal.

"What? Nuolan Shan is part of 'Hundred Tigers Building' of the four large organizations?" Luo Feng was shocked. In the information Babata gave was some information about Nuolan Shan and the Hundred Tiger Building. After reading, Luo Feng let out a sigh of relief, "Phew, he's only an extremely basic member of the Hundred Tiger Building and doesn't have much authority".

The four large organizations can definitely cause a huge commotion in the Black Dragon Mountain Empire.

If the Nuolan Shan family is a droplet of water, then any of the four large organizations are a limitless, raging sea! Because they are so powerful and have such a huge background, the Black Dragon Mountain Empire can only silently accept their existence.

"Nuolan Shan has such a huge background?" Thunder God was shocked. At the same time, he used his genetic energy to form a soundproof barrier.

"He's only a basic member in the Hundred Tigers Building, and not a high ranking authority" said Hong.

Hundred Tigers Building, one of the four large organizations. A Universe level 9 stage fighter is indeed a basic member.

"Three Axe Mountain, Hundred Tiger Building, Black Cloud Guild, North Dragon Castle are extremely powerful in the Black Dragon Mountain Empire" Luo Feng fantasized about him becoming a high ranking authority in one of those organizations. With one command of his, the entire Nuolan Shan family will directly become rubble and thousands of planets will surrender to him.

"WHAT ARE YOU FANTASIZING ABOUT!"

"Power is the most important thing. Once you become as powerful as your master, one word from you can make the entire Black Dragon Mountain Empire shake in fear" yelled Babata, "Who gives a sheet about the sacred lands, your master had nine Undying Beings under him!".

Luo Feng laughed.

In front of Yun Mo Planet's master, the Black Dragon Mountain Empire had to lower their heads. But to Luo Feng..... the Black Dragon Mountain Empire was still a huge being.

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"We are here to participate in the Universe Mercenary trainee exam".

Luo Feng and the others stood in front of the villa.

"Beep!"

A scanner scanned across Luo Feng's group. Only after the guards heard the beep did they nod: "Enter!". Clearly, the identity of Luo Feng's group has just been verified.

A wide garden.

In the middle of the garden was a normal three story villa. In front of the door to the villa stood two black clothed women with cold expressions on. One of the black clothed women looked at Luo Feng's group and said seriously: "Adventurers, I'm sure you all know about the dangers in the world of the Sector Lord. You can still back out now!".

"No need, open the door" said Luo Feng.

Creak!

One of the black clothed women directly pushed open the door to the villa: "The world of the Sector Lord is on the second floor of the villa".

Luo Feng's group poured in the building and entered the main lobby. After that, they went up the stairs to the second floor. All of the rooms on the second floor were quite normal, except a woman with a purple mark in the shape of a flower stood in front of one of the room's door. The woman saw Luo Feng's group and directly pulled open the door. Instantly, flowing lights poured out of the room.

"This is--" Luo Feng's group held their breath as they watched.

The flowing lights were like foam, so Luo Feng's group couldn't see into the room.

"Go in, this is the World of Thunder" said the woman coldly.

"Okay"

Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God, Ao Gu, and Tie Nan He exchanged glances, and then all of them extended their hands. All of them held hands, because if they don't, they will all be transported to different locations in the World of Thunder.

"The World of Thunder!"

"Go, go in".

Tie Nan He was the first one to enter the flowing lights, after that was Thunder God, Luo Feng, Hong, and then finally Ao Gu.

Without a sound.

The five of them entered the flowing lights and completely disappeared.

"PA!" the woman in front of the room closed the door once again.

Chapter 328: Entering The World of Thunder

The stars turned and time passed.

It was still sunny before outside the villa, incomparably crowded and bustling at the Universe Mercenary Alliance base. Within the blink of an eye, it became night!

Rumble! Rumble! Rumble! Rumble! Rumble!

Tie Nan He, Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God and Ao Gu had just entered the World of thunder, immediately dropping at a shocking speed, the five quickly controlled their internal miniature planets to change their surrounding gravitational pull, but it was still too late! Following the sounds of five heavy crashes into the floor, Luo Feng and his group stood up from the ground.

"That hurt." Luo Feng quickly stood up.

"This surface, is it covered with nails?" Thunder God too stood up.

The five stood up and began to survey their surroundings.

It was a pitch black world, only in the distant high sky was there a glimmer of light, the only thing that kept the world from being totally pitch dark. Below them, was an endless and vast black...desert!

"Desert?" Hong squatted down shocked.

"This is from the books we bought, the renowned Death Desert?"

"It is indeed a desert."

Luo Feng picked up a handful of sand, the sand grains were a dark blue color, at first glance it looked black! Every grain was very heavy, it's density was definitely at least a hundred times that of Earth's iron, the grains even had a faint sense of magnetism, causing them to all stick together. When they fell earlier, all they left were little dents in the sand.

"The World of Thunder, its gravitational force is 3900 times that of Earth's." Hong emphasized, "Because the entire world is made from the energy of the universe which the Sector Lord used to create it, the entire world's foundation is the 'Universe Crystal', it's soil, sand, rocks, etc are all affected by the universe energy's influence, much more special than those outside."

"It's indeed special, every grain is very heavy." Luo Feng nodded.

"It's indeed extravagant, to build such a big world, just how much universe energy is needed?" Thunder God couldn't help but say.

Universe energy.

Once one reached the Sector Lord level, one would be able to unleash unbelievable energies, when these energies solidify, they become universe crystals. Universe crystals are actually classified as currency within the universe. This isn't like the Silverblue dollars, the Black Dragon dollars or the Ganwu Dollars and even the currencies from other empires, but the universe energies solidifying to form!

Hence, it was usable in any universe country, between any race!

"The gravitational pull is too strong, even my spirit reading has been affected." Luo Feng creased his eyebrows.

"What's your scanning area now?" Thunder God asked.

"Not even a thousandth of what I can do on Earth." Luo Feng said.

A Star Traveller level 1 spirit reader, on Earth, can spread his spirit reading up to a 1km area. A Star level 1 can spread it over a 100km area. Yet...Luo Feng was a Star level 2 spirit reader, in the Sector Lord's world where the gravitational pull was 3900 times of Earth's, his area wasn't even 100m.

"My spiritual force can't even spread out to a radius of 1,000 meters" The old Ao Gu said.

"The Death Desert, is one of the World of Thunder's most dangerous territories." Hong said, "and right now it's late night over here, I can't pinpoint direction accurately. However the longer one stays in the Death Desert, the more dangerous it gets! We have to set off immediately, randomly choose a direction and proceed with the quickest of speeds."

The Death Desert, one of the forbidden areas of the World of Thunder, even the wild beasts didn't dare live here.

"Right, let's quickly set off." Thunder God added.

"Then this direction, let's move." Luo Feng randomly picked a direction.

Suddenly...

Luo Feng and his group floated up, despite the incredibly high gravitational pull, it wasn't powerful enough to stop a Star level warrior from being able to fly. Of course...because of the strong pull, their flying speed was much slower than before.

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After flying for 5 minutes.

Luo Feng and his group continued to swiftly fly through the death desert, suddenly, the team's strongest spirit reader Ao Gu creased his eyebrows, "Master, something doesn't feel right."

"Doesn't feel right?" Luo Feng looked at Ao Gu.

"Look behind us." Thunder God shouted.

"Behind?"

Luo Feng, Hong, Tie Nan He and Ao Gu turned to look, it was a huge sandstorm that swallowed everything, a pitch black wall of sand moving towards them at a shocking speed. At the same time below the storm, there was a group of young men and women fleeing for their lives.

"It's the death dust storm!" Ao Gu's face went pale.

"It's the death dust storm, quickly flee!" Thunder God also shouted.

"Quickly, quickly, quickly." Hong was also flustered.

Rumble! Rumble! Rumble! Rumble! Rumble!

The five quickly fled with their greatest speed, and under the worry and anxiousness of Ao Gu, he grabbed on to the slowest flyers Hong and Thunder God and flew. Luo Feng stood on his Soaring Shuttle, flying at about the same speed as Ao Gu dragging along the other two.

Luo Feng and his group had bought a book that had recorded the dangers of the World of Thunder, the death dust storm was one of them. The death dust storm was one of the three great dangers of the Death Desert, it came without any warning without any pattern. It just came suddenly, engulfing both land and sky...it made it impossible for one to dodge or hide, many earlier generations with experience had warned the later generations...

Facing the death dust storm, drilling below the storm is suicide! Flying as high as possible is also suicide!

The only way was to race against it!

If the death dust storm disperses before it catches up to you, then you'll live.

"We just entered this World of Thunder and we encounter the death dust storm, just what the hell is this?" Thunder God cursed, "Look, behind us, it looks like one of the four Black Cloud Guild groups from before that entered ahead us." One of the four groups.

Luo Feng poured his spirit energy into his soaring shuttle, maintaining his maximum speed.

"Hm?" Luo Feng turned to look behind.

There was indeed a small team of young men and women being chased down madly by the huge wall of sand! Looking at their uniforms, they were indeed one of the four groups that had entered the World of Thunder just before Luo Feng and his group, a group from the Black Cloud Guild. There were a total of six of them madly trying to flee, four men and two women.

Flee! Madly fleeing!

The Death dust storm gradually grew closer and closer to the Black Cloud Guild group, the group's last member was a thick and sturdy man with a single horn on his head, he roared out in rage.

"Chi chi..." The death dust storm finally touched this man, immediately engulfing him and twirling him into the storm.

Under the whirlwind of the universe energy infused sand grains, this man seemed to almost be like going through a meat grinder, the battle uniform he was wearing was immediately torn apart, large amounts of fresh blood and meat, bones were scattered all about.

"Ah!"

"Quickly escape."

"Quickly."

This little group from Black Cloud Guild's other five members had malevolent expressions, in the face of death, they all exploded with their fastest speeds.

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And in front of this little group, a few kilometers away was Luo Feng's little team, they were all so shocked they began to move even faster.

"Quick, quick, quick, hurry and escape."

"Don't let the death dust storm catch up."

"Damn, this death dust storm is too scary. It actually produced such a strong storm, I can guarantee, even those underground in the Death Desert would be affected by its powerful whirlwind force. No wonder the books said that even drilling underground would mean death." Thunder God was extremely anxious, but seeing as there was nothing else to do, after all, he and Hong were both being carried by the spirit reader Ao Gu.

Ao Gu alone was carrying both of them, Luo Feng on his Soaring Shuttle and Tie Nan He flying alone.

Their speed was indeed quick.

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Behind them, the Black Cloud Guild team lost another two slower members, and finally the death dust storm began to slowly slow down and descend, the sky reaching torrent began to lower, obviously this death dust storm was reaching its end.

"Phew, we've managed to escape one danger." Luo Feng took a sigh of relief.

"Look, the Black Cloud Guild group is left with only three people. A Star level 9 spirit reader and two Star level 2 and 3 youths." Thunder God looked at the three that were swiftly approaching them, amongst the three, a Star level 9 man was stepping on a round disc, carrying the two youths.

"Very normal." Luo Feng too looked at the distant three people, "The Black Cloud Guild would have organized the teams, every little team will always have a star level 9, the Star level 9 member will play the job of a nanny, the ones who are really here to train and take the exam is the Star level 2 and 3 youths. These are the real later generation elites of the Black Cloud Guild."

The three of them deliberately lengthened their distance from Luo Feng's group and headed in another direction away from them.

This sudden death dust storm had caused their team some major losses, even though Luo Feng's team hadn't had any losses, they didn't dare relax even a little.

After about another half an hour of flying.

"Master, there's a large mountain range ahead." Tie Nan He's sunken eyes could see into the distance, spotting the unremarkable mountain range.

"We've discovered mountain ranges?"

Luo Feng and his group increased their speed, as said, a long continuous mountain range that exceeded one's line of sight appeared before them. On this mountain range there were even large numbers of trees and plants, compared to the Death Desert, this mountain range seemed to be filled with vitality.

"It's really a mountain range." Hong lowered his head and looked at the quantum computer, saying, "second and third brother, according to the map, I think we should have reached Long Suo mountain range."

"Long Suo mountain range?" Thunder God rushed into the sky, flying to a high point, carefully examining the outline of the mountain range, looking at some of its special points, before lowering his head to look at the quantum computer, "Hm, this should be the middle point between the Death Desert and the Long Suo mountain range, the distance from here to one of our destinations...Demon Moon River is about 16,000 km away."

Demon Moon River was situated within the Long Suo mountain range.

It was a 100 km wide river. As there were large amounts and plentiful water sources, there were many species of ferocious beasts that gathered around the river, one of them was the "Horned Iron Rhino".

The horn of the Horned Iron Rhino was one of this test's required items.

"Big brother, second brother, we have to be even more careful in this Long Suo mountain range. The elements are the dangerous part of the desert, but in this mountain range, with many mountains and trees and plants, there are ferocious beasts about and many other participants of the test! There are many incidents of killing between humans and the beasts along with the other participants here." Luo Feng warned them.

"Understood." Hong and Thunder God nodded.

In terms of danger, the Long Suo Mountain range was the true danger.

Of course...

Within the World of Thunder, Demon Moon River wasn't the only place with the Horned Iron Rhino herd, there were other places about that had them. However, Demon Moon River was the closest location out of all the places.

"Be careful of humans, be careful of this Sector Lord world's natural dangers, especially the lightning! If there are any signs of lightning, immediately distance yourself from wherever the lightning may hit." Luo Feng remembered from the books they bought about the introduction of the place, the most treacherous and terrifying natural danger of the entire World of Thunder was...lightning!

This world was called the World of Thunder.

Mainly because the lightning of this world was too scary, far exceeding any other natural dangers! The moment one was struck, even a weaker Domain Lord would immediately be turned to dust. Star level? There was absolutely no chance of survival.

Chapter 329: The Horned Iron Rhino Herd

Long Suo Mountain range, danger was concealed everywhere.

"There are ferocious beasts 18km to the right."

"3 o'clock direction, 19km ahead there are beasts."

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Luo Feng calmly reported each and every figure, the entire little team was proceeding with shocking speed, this level of progress speed, was something a large majority of teams in the Long Suo mountain range couldn't imagine! Because in this world of the Sector Lord, one's spirit reading area was very small, and using spiritual force to search was easily detectable by the ferocious beasts. Hence usually, progress speeds were very slow.

Using one or two years to complete the Universe Mercenary trainee exams was very normal.

However, Luo Feng and his group moved extremely fast.

"Babata, your security search ability is indeed a lot more convenient." Luo Feng complemented in his mind.

"This is something I took from the Yun Mo Planet ship, it won't omit anything within an area with a 20,000 (m/km) diameter! Even Sector Lords cannot escape its search, much less these incomparably stupid beasts." Babata was especially pleased with himself.

The mountain forest was especially hard to travel.

Luo Feng's five man team was completely unable to fly, because flying within the Long Suo mountain range...was akin to becoming a target for all the beasts! The beasts herds could look up and easily spot them, one had to know...these beasts could fly too. Then, with large numbers of herds and beasts surrounding and attacking, one wouldn't even be able to escape.

Spending close to about two days of time, Luo Feng's team finally arrived at Demon Moon River.

Demon Moon River.

It was a vast and endless river, surrounding it were large empty fields of land; a few trees were already smashed from having been trampled on, obviously a large number of beasts usually frequented the river's surroundings.

"There are no beasts around." Luo Feng creased his eyebrows.

"We can't do anything about it, we just have to slowly wait," Thunder God laughed, "Waiting here would still be better than us rushing to the next spot that has the horned iron rhino herds."

"Our luck is not bad, since coming to the Sector Lord's World of Thunder, we haven't had a true blood battle yet." Hong was very relaxed, of course the main reason they haven't had a battle was due to Luo Feng's security surveillance device.

They slowly waited.

Within the World of Thunder, there were nine sun-like balls during the day, and it was pitch black at night, only having a faint thread of light leaking down from above. Within the Demon Moon River forests, they waited. During the first night, Luo Feng and the others discovered three huge lizard type ferocious beasts.

During the second day, they discovered three groups of beasts.

They even witnessed the terrifying scene of beasts fighting amongst themselves and killing each other.

During the sixth day, the nine balls of light floated high above in the World of Thunder.

Luo Feng and the other four patiently waited.

"We are hunters waiting for a rabbit? I never expected us to actually have to sit and wait." Thunder God sat on a branch of a tree, occasionally looking into the distance.

"You come down, if the horned iron rhino comes, I'll discover it immediately." Luo Feng looked up and smiled, there was some stewed meat on the ground, these were all preserved very well, "Attention all!" Luo Feng's expression grew serious, beside him lay the sleeping Hong, along with Ao Gu who was sitting crossed legged and finally Tie Nan He who was standing guard, they all swiftly looked over.

"What's the matter Luo Feng?" The others looked at him.

"The horned iron rhino has come." Luo Feng's eyes gleamed.

"They've finally come!"

The group immediately stood up.

"Follow me." Luo Feng stepped on the Soaring Shuttle, leading the way swiftly through the forest, even though there was a large number of trees and plants within the forest, Luo Feng's nimble movements never even touched a single one of them. Behind, Hong, Thunder God, Tie Nan He and Ao Gu swiftly followed, very quickly the five arrived not far off from the lakeside.

"The horned iron rhino are arriving from that direction, their speed isn't fast, they'll be here in about 5 minutes." Luo Feng pointed ahead, "There's a total of twenty one horned iron rhinos."

After a while.

Beast after beast that looked like trucks appeared within their line of sight, their rock like skin was undoubtedly solid and sturdy, that piercing blade-like single horn...reflected and gleamed with a chilly light under the sunlight from the nine light balls above, yet their eyes seemed gentle.

The single horned rhino was a very simple beast.

These ferocious beasts, the reason why they were ferocious was mostly because of their low intelligence. Within the universe, the beasts were mostly sorted into two main categories, the demon beasts and the ferocious beasts.

The demon beast race groups are directed towards species that have intelligence similar to that of the human race's student level. Like the beasts on Earth, they belonged to the demon beasts, more matured demon beasts' intelligence weren't even lower than humans! As they had intelligence, hence in the vast universe, the demon beast's race was one of the extremely huge and powerful races.

Ferocious beasts had strength but low intelligence.

They couldn't learn, be it brutal and savage, or gentle, their common point was that they had low intelligence.

Of course the beasts, besides the demon beasts and ferocious beasts, there were still the god beasts, like the space beasts that were also known as space god beasts.

"Damn, that horned iron rhino's power is very strong." Thunder God was looking at the screen on his arm, its power level.

"It's very strong, it'd be hard for five of us to deal with it, we can only think of a way to separate them. After all we just need five horns." Luo Feng communicated via spirit reading.

"Separate? These beasts have low intelligence, they should be easy to deceive."

"What method should we use?"

When Luo Feng's group was in soft discussion, Luo Feng's expression suddenly changed, saying softly: "A small team of humans is swiftly approaching, they should have discovered the horned iron rhinos drinking water." As the Demon Moon River was a lake, there weren't any things obstructing its view, even from far way, one could still see the beasts around it.

A team of humans appeared within their line of sight.

All of them were wearing the same black battle uniform.

"Kill!!"

Black terrifying silhouettes exploded with the fastest of speeds, creating air explosion sounds, directly rushing towards the herd of horned iron rhinos drinking water. The twenty one horned iron rhinos fiercely raised their heads, the leader of the herd immediately let out a strong and angry roar: "Roar!!!"

Everyone of the human team were incredibly calm, joining their hands and surrounding and attacking one horned iron rhino, killing it with the greatest speed.

There were a total of ten members in the team, they swiftly killed four of the horned iron rhinos.

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"Nine Star level 9 stages, one Star level 2 stage." Luo Feng looked at his screen, softly saying, this little team, arranged for too many Star level 9 stage warriors. The weaker one...I estimate he is probably the one with status, hence he brought so many underlings with him." Participating in the Universe Mercenary trainee test, this was extremely normal.

One had to know 99% of the strong had all experienced this.

Several large family heirs regarded this trainee mercenary exam as necessary, but for safety, they sent along a large group of Star level 9 stage warriors, this was very normal. Even though the family insists on training their heirs, over the long periods of times...several rules and methods of teachings warped and resulted in the original intended motive being far from what it was.

"Nine Star level 9 stages, they can definitely deal with the twenty one horned iron rhinos." Hong said softly.

"Damn, after waiting for so long, they get snatched away by some pampered heir." Thunder God cursed softly.

It was displeasing.

But against nine Star level 9 stage warriors, with proper preparation and coordination, what could their own little team do? They could only watch stupidly by the side.

"Hm?" Luo Feng's eyes gleamed, "Something good is coming."

"Something good?" Thunder God looked suspiciously at Luo Feng, "What good is there?"

"We might be able to get our horns." Luo Feng looked anxiously at the distance.

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"Kill!"

"Kill all of them and collect all the horns, then we'll leave immediately." The white skinned youth, wielding a long and narrow battle blade was currently engaged in battle with the smallest built horned iron rhino, this little horned iron rhino's strength was only about a Star level 1, he could indeed handle it without a problem.

"Yes." The group of Star level 9 warriors immediately complied.

Fresh blood splattered all over! Raging howls and roars resounded! Beast after beast shook the earth as they fell to the ground! This group of horned iron rhinos strongest was only about a Star level 9, the others were all weaker. Against nine Star level 9 humans, they definitely were disadvantaged, losing more and more of their fellow beasts.

"Rumble..."

The earth shook violently.

"Howl!!!" An enraged roar resounded from the forests.

The earth began to tremble violently, the remaining five horned iron rhinos immediately roared excitedly, from not far off, a huge horned iron rhino's silhouette appeared.

"Not good, let's leave quickly!" One of the nine black clothed underlings shouted.

"Lord, over fifty single horned rhinos are rushing over, the leading few are all very powerful, let's leave."

"Quickly, protect the ninth prince well."

"Quickly."

Immediately, one of the nine black clothed underlings grabbedhugged the ninth prince, stepping on a streamlined huge blade-like flying spirit weapon and escaped swiftly. And the other eight underlings fled swiftly behind seeing the remaining horned iron rhinos madly rushing at them.

"Roar!"

"Roar!"

Large numbers of enormous horned iron rhinos rushed out, every one of them eyes scarlet, seemingly mad with rage. Over fifty horned iron rhinos...obviously these were the mature males from the horned

iron rhino herd, each madly stomping through the land of the forests, madly chasing after the group of black clothed men.

Luo Feng's team of five looked at the majestic group of horned iron rhinos madly chasing after the elite team, leaving behind the bodies of the remaining horned iron rhinos.

"Quickly!" Luo Feng led the way and rushed out.

"Haha, we got it so easily."

"Which empire is that ninth prince from? A basic level empire or from the Black Dragon Mountain Empire? I think he's from a family that probably only controls one or two basic level empires. "Thunder God muttered, the group swiftly headed over the bodies of the fallen horned iron rhinos. Even though the group of black clothed men had chopped off ten horns.

There were still six bodies with their horns intact.

"Pu chi!" The Soaring Shuttle became a golden swordfish, immediately chopping off one of the horns from the forehead of a dead rhino.

Hong, Thunder God, Tie Nan He and Ao Gu too swiftly cut off and obtained their horns.

"Roar!" From the distance, among the group of rhinos chasing down the black clothed men, there was one that turned and stared at Luo Feng's group, letting out an enraged howl. Immediately, over twenty horned iron rhinos turned and rushed madly towards them, against the same race of humans that had killed so many of their fellow beasts, they were filled with hatred!

"Hurry." Luo Feng urged.

"Luo Feng, about 12 km away, a team of humans that were originally waiting by the river is approaching you very swiftly, I think they want to kill you all." Babata warned Luo Feng in his mind.

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Luo Feng swiftly moved all the horned iron rhino's horns into his storage space, and quickly used his spiritual force to say: "Let's leave quickly, there's a little team behind us coming to kill us!"

"What?" Hong and Thunder God were shocked.

They didn't have any time to hesitate, the five immediately flew into the forest beside, leaving behind the huge bodies of the horned iron rhinos. 12km, to a Star level...if it were in the outside world, they could breeze through it within a second. Even within this Sector Lord's world, with their speeds slowed, it still didn't take too much time

Within the forest.

Luo Feng, who was standing on the Soaring Shuttle flipped his hand and a shield along with an alloy battle knife appeared, he was even wearing a normal alloy battle uniform. Alloyed battle uniforms,

battle blades, even though they weren't expensive, this was mainly because they didn't have any amplitude abilities! However in terms of material, they were incredibly sturdy and reached up to D grade.

D grade alloys, if it were a universe ship, it would be extremely expensive. However the battle knife, uniform, shield and other such items were very cheap.

"Chi chi..." A blood red helmet grew swiftly on Luo Feng's head.

This was from the cloud contact vine.

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Hand wielding a six corner shield, alloy battle knife, the metal uniform wrapped around Luo Feng's body reflected the cold, at first glance, it looked almost like a fur clothing. His entire person was fast as lightning, swiftly escaping, anxious and worried within, "Babata, how is the strength level of that team?"

"Seven Star level 9 stages, one Star level 2 and one Star level 3." Babata said.

"Bastards." Luo Feng cursed under his breath.

"Their speed is very fast, they are closing the distance, 2.8km...2.6km..." Babata continuously updated Luo Feng.

"There are seven Star level 9 warriors behind us." Luo Feng used his spirit reading to inform Hong, Thunder God, Ao Gu and Tie Nan He.

"That's big trouble."

Hong and they others felt the pressure.

At the time, the team chasing to kill them from behind was constantly closing the distance, the distance slowly became not even 1km.

With a face like a blade, skin sparkling and translucent, just like precious stones, one could even see the veins below his skin. His eyes squinted, laughing like an innocent youth, he was dressed in a fur clothed like raw energy battle uniform, carrying on his back a huge battle knife that was almost as big as him. He was currently being pulled by his partner beside, using his spirit weapon to swiftly chase.

"Hmph." He looked down at his quantum computer on his arm, "Two Star level 9 warriors, along with three Star level 1 and 2 stages ? Hmph! Too weak!"

"600m, 500m, 400m..." He constantly calculated the distance.

He could already see the little team flying ahead of him.

The other eight members, many were wearing goggles, these goggles also had a screen effect, constantly flickering with numbers.

"Surround them!" He gave off an order.

"Yes!"

Seven out of the eight members all complied.

Sou! Sou! Sou! Sou! Sou! Sou!

The group swiftly separated, surrounding Luo Feng's team of five.

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Luo Feng's team stopped as they looked at the nine that had surrounded them. This was still within the forest of the Long Suo Mountain range, around them were many large trees, on the branches of the trees above there were even some scratch marks from ferocious beasts before, such solid and strong trees were rarely seen in the universe. Because of this, people couldn't help but to compliment this sector lord's work.

"Who's the head?" The youth who led the nine shouted, his gaze however staring at Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder God, sweeping through the three of them. It was very obvious, participating in the mercenary trainee exams, most would arrange for stronger warriors to protect their more important younger members. The weak ones, are usually the ones giving the orders.

"It's me."

Luo Feng stared at the youth before him, "Who are you all, what do you want?"

"Haha, your question is really stupid, don't you even know what we want?" The youth laughed, eyes seemingly arrogant and condescending, as though he was looking at a beggar, "Punk, hand over the six horns from the horned iron rhinos and we can spare your lives. If you don't..."

The youth laughed coldly.

Luo Feng looked at the group surrounding them, the screen on his arm began to display large amounts of numbers.

"Why are we bothering to talk with them, just kill them." A young lady beside the youth dressed in a black battle uniform said coldly, the youth thought to himself, "This idiot, can't she see that the enemy also has two Star level 9 stages? Even though we can win, however if we really fight it out and the enemy risks it all, even if we can kill them, we might lose some of our people too! If we can acquire the horns without anyone dying, isn't that better?"

"My partner is impatient already." The youth's gaze swept past Luo Feng's team, "Better give an answer now."

Being surrounded.

Luo Feng and his team, Tie Nan He and Ao Gu naturally looked at their master Luo Feng, Hong, Thunder god too naturally exchanged glances with Luo Feng.

"Horned iron rhino's horn?" Luo Feng flipped his hand, a horn appeared in his hand, looking at the youth before him, "A horn? We'll give you one."

"Six of them! Not one less!"

The youth said coldly.

The other eight stared at Luo Feng's team. They had all seen earlier twenty one horned iron rhinos drinking by the lakeside, of which sixteen died and ten of the horns were taken by the earlier group...hence they were very sure that this yellow skinned black haired man's team had taken away six horns.

"Black haired punk!" The young lady beside shouted, "We are from Hundred Tiger Building, hurry and hand over the horns, otherwise...hmph!"

Hundred Tiger Building? One of the four big organizations of the Black Dragon Mountain Empire?

Coming from Hundred Tiger Building, it meant that this group were well trained, at least in battle prowess, they were definitely powerful.

"Are you going to hand them over or not?" The youth too seemed impatient now.

"Don't waste your time speaking anymore." The lady urged.

Luo Feng and his team who were surrounded in by the group, felt immense pressure, Luo Feng could feel too that this group were losing their patience.

"Ao Gu." Luo Feng used his spirit reading to speak.

"Master." The old Ao Gu replied.

"The moment we make a move, follow the plan I told you before we entered this Sector Lord's world, do you know what to do?"

"Understood." Ao Gu replied.

Luo Feng surveyed the group from Hundred Tiger Building coldly, gazing past the Star level 9 stages with goggles and finally stopping at the young couple, "The horns, we'll at most give you one. If you're still not satisfied...let me warn you, there'll be no turning back from certain actions."

"Threatening me?" The youth laughed coldly.

"Hmph." The young lady turned and exchanged glances with the youth.

The two almost simultaneously retreated.

Rumble! Rumble! Rumble!...

Except for one Star level 9 protecting the two of them, the other six exploded together. And within that instant of which they exploded, Ao Gu who was standing beside Luo Feng gazed coldly, shua! A blue shard appeared from nowhere, Ao Gu's spirit reading seemed like a hand that grabbed it, grabbing it hard by it's body, revealing a blade!

This blade, seemed to have a hint of a little red.

Yes!

This was the newly camouflaged hybrid copper essence shard that was covered with a layer of alloy, only the sharp tip wasn't covered. This move...was Luo Feng's current ultimate move! Allowing his strongest spirit reader slave Au Go to use the hybrid copper essence shard, with its sharpness and Ao Gu's control, even Universe levels would be hurt!

"Xiu!"

The blue knife blade became a beam of light, flashing towards the oncoming Star level 9 enemies.

"Master, be careful, it's a spirit reader's attack." Ao Gu who had released his spirit energy earlier warned, he was using half of his spirit energy to control the hybrid copper essence and the other half on defense, this was because Luo Feng, Hong and Thunder God's soul defense couldn't withstand a soul attack of a Star level 9 spirit reader.

Chi! Chi! Chi!

Ao Gu blocked three spirit attacks.

Pu! Pu! Pu!

The blue knife blade easily flew through Star level 9 warriors after another, with its absurd speed and sharpness, the serious looking and fully confident fighters, spirit readers with goggles all lost their heads, the top of them being sliced off and flying all over. They died one by one with their eyes behind their goggles filled with fear.

"That's not possible!" The not too distant couple watching the battle who were very confident before looked on with shocked expressions and wide eyes.

Star level 9 stage warriors!

They were defeated even without a fight?

They didn't know...just how terrifying the spirit weapon and its level of sharpness was! When the Yun Mo Planet ship sped up, whatever rocks, little stars could be immediately smashed through, even a small star could be easily sliced right through! Against the oncoming rush of the Yun Mo Planet, its piercing and sharpness was terrifying!

Even Sector Lord warriors, under the speeding Yun Mo planet ship, its sharpness could easily cut right through them!

"Escape!" The youth gave an order to the underling beside him, a Star level 9 spirit reader.

The underling quickly took the youth and the young lady.

"Leave her, quickly." The youth gave the order.

"Yes."

In terms of position, the young lady was lower than the youth by a little. Also, this bodyguard was clear...the enemy's spirit reader if sped up,he wouldn't be able to escape them carrying two people. Hu! The bodyguard took the youth, stepped on the spirit weapon and swiftly became a beam of light as he escaped.

"Wait for me." The young lady's face revealed defeat, she turned her head, seeing the blue light that had killed the six Star level 9 warriors flying towards her.

The young lady panicked, her eyes filled with venomous hatred: "Chou Yu!!!"

Pu!

Her head exploded open!

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Within the blink of an eye, six star level 9 warriors including a Hundred Tiger Building elite youth, were all killed! And that Chou Yu youth and his bodyguard had escaped way out of sight.

"Stop chasing." Luo Feng said.

"Yes, master."

Ao Gu and Tie Nan He said respectfully.

Luo Feng immediately put the hybrid copper essence back into the storage ring, if he really wanted to chase after those two, he'd have to let Au Go take off by himself and chase! And Ao Gu couldn't bring anyone along, if he did, he wouldn't be able to catch up...if that happened, with only Luo Feng and the other three left behind, it was very unsafe within the Long Suo mountain range.

Also, Luo Feng couldn't possible allow Ao Gu to take the hybrid copper essence shard far way with him to chase and kill the other 2.

"Babata, is it fine for us to let them escape?" Luo Feng asked mentally.

"No problem! They have no clue about your identity or news about you, even if they knew, you don't have a fixed residence, even if you return, you return to Earth, what is there to be afraid of?" Babata couldn't care much about it, "It's akin to bare feet not being afraid of people who wear shoes, right now, you are bare footed."