# The Boss Behind The Game

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### Chapter 141: Accomplished The First Killing Attempt

Upon witnessing the scene, the expression on Little Sha's face changed. When he was about to run away, Hu He used one of his hands to grab Little Sha, saying, "Big brother, let's leave together!"

Just as Little Sha wanted to drag him up, he realized the formation and appearance of many shadows around the boulder. One of the shadow formations was the Demonic's God clone of the defeated Hiderigami.

The color drained from Little Sha's face immediately as he muttered, "Good luck, brother!" Then, he swiftly turned around and fled, vanishing from sight in a blink of an eye.

A dignified Ghost General is scared off just like this?

Hu He was heartbroken, Fuck, I wonder if he could still remember the oath that we used to pledge in the cave, promising to share sufferings and happiness together.

When the people in the Myth Guild came across the most wanted person on the server – Hu He, their facial expressions turned ferocious. They approached him at a fast pace.

This caused Hu He's heart to pound vigorously.

He knew better than anyone else that he could not die at this stage. If he was dead, then he would only respawn in the Mansion of the Dead. He could imagine the horrifying scene of being killed continuously by other players and not being able to leave the safe zone.

"Argh, dog, please let go!" Hu He slapped on the dog's head, trying to free himself from the bite so that he could escape.

Sun Qi groaned and the bite became increasingly tighter.

Having no other choice, Hu He patted his zombie storage bag to summon four zombie spirits in his hands. Three of the four Warriors of Wreckage rushed toward the crowd in

the Myth Guild. At that instant, the zombie spirit named Cha Na stretched out his arm to grab the upper and lower jaw of Sun Qi's dog mouth and he started using force.

Upon seeing Cha Na, the zombie spirit, Sun Qi immediately widened his eyes, causing his mouth to open up due to the immense force that was exerted.

"Fuck you!" Hu He who was freed from the constraint, released a forceful strike with his foot, causing Sun Qi to rise high in the air. Subsequently, he extended his hand to make finger gestures during his incantation and said, "Burst!"

The three zombie spirits which were approaching the Myth Guild exploded instantly with smoke and pervaded the air. Hu He seized his golden opportunity to run away as fast as lightning toward the east.

"Cough, cough! Such a bad smell..."

Once the people in the Myth Guild escaped from the dense smoke, they noticed that the dog was standing on the ground with his eyes wide open while Hu He was nowhere to be found.

"Where is he, dog?" Gu Yu questioned hurriedly.

"Boss, this brat is freaking audacious!" Sun Qi was already taken aback, leaving him open-mouthed.

"What do you mean? I am asking you the direction he ran toward," Gu Yu was startled.

"Boss, do you know what I saw just now? It was Cha Na. The skull of Cha Na, the symbol of our Christmas Battle Event was stolen by this bastard!"

Sun Qi remained motionless and expressionless as though he was immobilized out of astonishment.

"The skull of Cha Na?"

At first, Gu Yu was confused and before long, he revealed an astonished expression in his eyes as well.

"This bastard is really crazy! I bet this person must be tired of living for him to do that."

Thinking up to this point, Gu Yu immediately turned on the guild live chat in order to allow a player in the Mansion of the Dead to check if the skull of Cha Na on the city gate was still in place.

#### One minute later, the members of the guild uploaded a screenshot to the guild channel.

Those who had seen the screenshot were left dumbfounded.

In the photo, a wooden-carved skull of Cha Na was used to replace the original one in the Mansion of the Dead.

If it was not for Sun Qi who had realized it, no one would have found out about it even if they walked in and out all the time. At this moment, everyone was feeling strangely heart-broken.

"Oh my god! This brother is such a cruel character. He must be dreaming of ascending to heaven!"

"Chase, make sure to chase after him. If we do not make him submit, I have no idea what other off-limit things he will be up to."

After that, Gu Yu instructed Sun Qi to lead the way. The whole Myth Guild search party went after Hu He following like maniacs, swearing to eliminate this malignant player.

At this instant, Hu He's face was written with trepidation as he ran away crazily. He knew from the dog's expression that the fact he'd stolen the skull of Cha Na could not be hidden anymore. If he did not escape this time, he would surely be done for.

He fled for his life along the way. However, as he turned around, he was frightened by the sight of a group of assassin players trailing close behind him, utilizing their Shadow Steps.

"Oh my god!" Hu He hoped badly that he could have more pairs of legs so he could run even faster.

Just as Hu He wanted to proceed to escape after crossing over a boulder that was blocking the road, he suddenly felt a sense of heaviness in his body. It seemed as though he was dragged to one side by a driving force.

Hu He felt the urge to resist as his body touched the ground. However, at this moment in time, he came across an elegant and handsome man shaking his head seriously at him.

"Swish! Swish! Swish!" the group of assassins who turned on their Shadow Steps swept over their heads.

Once the man was certain that the assassins were far gone, he waved his hand at Hu He, saying, "Follow me!"

Hu He was a little baffled. Although he was uncertain of the reason why this person had come to his rescue, he still chose to tag along with him.

After crossing the crooked paths within the heap of boulders with the man, the man stopped in his tracks when they reached the empty space surrounded by the boulders.

# "You're safe now!"

Hu He was moved and he could not stop expressing his gratitude, "Brother, I truly appreciate your help!"

"Don't mention it! I feel that you've done nothing wrong. After all, it's just a game. To be happy is the most important thing," Murphy patted on Hu He's shoulder and smiled as he uttered.

"What a close confidant!" Hu He grabbed Murphy's hand promptly, showing a face full of excitement.

At this point, he finally discovered that someone could actually understand him. How lucky of him to have a like-minded comrade among the players!

## "Haha!"

At this moment, the sound of a sharp weapon piercing the body resonated through the atmosphere. As Hu He's body trembled, he turned around, looking in disbelief. He realized that a cute young lady with long hair cascaded down her shoulders was smiling while stabbing his back with a dagger.

# "[..."

Puff! The young lady removed the dagger with a smile and inserted it again.

"Brother, save me!"

Hu He thought he was tracked down by the members of the Myth Guild. Hence, he kept turning his head over, trying to seek help from Murphy, only to realize that Murphy was the one who lifted his dagger and stabbed him in the chest.

# Puff!

Hu He's face was totally perplexed. He could not understand why his initial benefactor was trying to murder him right now.

"Backstab!" a gentle shriek of the young lady from behind reverberated around the empty space. Then, a critical strike of scarlet red words appeared above his head. His vision started to blur...

"Why?" before death, Hu He fixed his gaze at Murphy as he asked in despair.

"It's just a game. To be happy is the most important thing but you upset us..." Murphy replied in a smile.

"Now I know..."

Hu He's body fell to the ground with a loud thud.

At this moment, he felt restless. His gaming experience was by far the worst for him. His sworn brother who was a Ghost General left him behind, and his so-called benefactor laid his hands on him. This world is full of conspiracy. I have no idea how a pure and innocent person like me could survive in the future.

"Little Pomelo, quickly take a screenshot!" the male assassin, Murphy promptly told the young lady.

Upon hearing that, the young lady nodded and utilized the function of the camera. She took three shots of Hu He's dead body.

Later, both of them squatted down next to each other and began to upload the photo of Hu He's murder to the forum.

[Killing target, Zombie Forgemaster, waiting for the reward...]

Crayon\_Shinchan: "Congratulations! Congratulations on your first attempt in killing! (Reward: 0.01 soul coins)"

Peppa\_Boar: "Such a refreshing feeling. Let's wait for him to respawn in the Mansion of the Dead! (Reward: 20 soul coins)"

Xueli\_The\_Strongest: "Wah, the malignant guy is finally killed. I was so infuriated when I saw people discussing this guy who stole the skull of Cha Na in the forum. I'm surprised to find out that this guy was murdered so fast. Give you a like! (Reward: 1 soul coin)"

Ye\_Xueer\_is\_the\_cutest: "Bravo! The whole world is searching for him right now. The first person attempting to kill him must receive a like from me! (Reward: 100 soul coins)"

Broke\_Trash: "I don't mind the fact that he has created the invasion of the evil apocalypse. But I have never thought that he would dare to steal the symbolic item of our battle event, the skull of Cha Na. This is a big deal! Good shot! I'm poor but I'll still give out a reward. (Reward: 10 soul coins)" Grasshopper\_Captain: "No point saying much, keep your reward nicely. (Reward: 10 soul coins)"

Watermelon\_Taro: "This is my effort from laboring for money. It's little, hope you don't mind. (Reward: 3 soul coins)"

After the screenshot of Hu He's death was uploaded, the forum became active. Obviously, everyone was elated.

From this, one could tell how much the players hated this malignant player.

At this time, Hu He quit playing the game, took off his virtual reality headset, and stared at the screen blankly with his hollow eyes.

He seemed to be able to imagine the scene of him being enveloped by the players' army within three hours.

Lightning flashed and thunder rumbled in the sky along with a downpour.

The trees in the forest swayed vigorously due to the strong wind, forming a rustling sound as they hit each other. It sounded like weeping or probably more like it was recounting a tale.

On the muddy ground, two slim and weak figures snuggled together. The howling wind caused them to tremble and they leaned closer to each other.

At this moment, the boy's thin shirt was torn apart. The back part of his body had a shocking wound. With his skin torn and flesh being exposed, blood ran down his back quietly, forming a tiny stream on the muddy ground.

The color drained from the boy's face. His lips quivered due to the excruciating pain and he pursed his lips to prevent himself from bawling in agony.

"Little Pomelo, I think I am about to die," the boy murmured weakly to the girl in his embrace.

"It won't happen. We promised to escape together and you even said that you are going to tie the knot with me," the girl's face revealed her hope for a wonderful future life. However, deep in her eyes, it was visible that she could not make sense of the situation before her.

Upon hearing that, the boy twitched his pale lips and reached out his hand to caress Little Pomelo's face.

"You must escape from here. Promise me to live your life well."

## "Alright, let's get out of here together!" the girl asserted.

A huge amount of blood continued to ooze out. The boy could no longer withstand it, hence he began to gasp for breath.

At this moment, he was so desperate to carry on living his life and to be able to be by Little Pomelo's side to grow older with her and spend his entire life taking care of her.

However, his life seemed to have come to an end at this juncture.

I am not willing to give up... I only hope that... Little Pomelo will be able to escape from here... after I am dead... I beg for your mercy, God...

The boy's vision turned blurry and his head hung low. At this point in time, he seemed to have heard the voices of those people. A scene of the world of blue in the cultivation pool emerged in his eyes.

"What a perfect body experiment... it is something so rare in this Dharma-ending age... in this regard, your serial number will be 410 from now on."

"Having a stable life form... included a trace of extrasensory perception... let's see if it's possible to awaken the special characteristics of his body composition... such a pity, it seems like we have failed this time... 410 you'd better not die... you need to at least last for ten experiments..."

"This is your roommate. Her name is called 423. Both of you'd better not get into a fight, or else you'll know the consequence of it..."

"This is such a shocking discovery... 423! Perhaps we can rely on the special characteristics of her body composition to study the secret of cultivation... you are indeed more powerful than the useless 410..."

"Hahaha... 423... the special characteristics of your body composition have been awakened... you have successfully been integrated with the extrasensory perception... hahaha... we are about to succeed!"

"It's so unexpected to know that the useless 410's special characteristics of body composition have also been successfully stimulated... such a shocking surprise... both you and 423 will become our babies in the laboratory next time..."

The memory before death was leaping and flashing like a film in reverse. Other than the experiments that frightened him, a gentle and soft voice of a girl popped up in his mind.

"410, will we die here?"

## "Please don't address me, 410. I have a name, call me Murphy!"

"To be honest, I am not called 423 either. My name is actually Little Pomelo."

"Why do you keep staring at me?"

"I can't see you, I can only feel your presence. Hee-hee."

"Murphy, why do they want to treat us like this? I feel so painful, very painful!"

"Little Pomelo, hang in there! They said you will surely be successful, you won't die!"

"Murphy, I feel like I can't bear with it anymore. It seems like I'm going to die soon. I'm in great despair!"

"Little Pomelo you must persevere. I will surely bring you out of this place!"

'Seriously?"

"I promise!"

"Okay, I believe in you!"

"My mum told me to get married to a man I'm fond of when I grow up, so Murphy I just want to tell you that I like you!"

"Once we have escaped from here, I will marry you!"

"Yes, we will certainly get out of here together."

"Little Pomelo, I can feel that my body is getting stronger. I believe we can leave here soon, very soon!"

"But Murphy, why is my strength not getting stronger? I can only sense as though I have become two of me. It's so weird!"

"Probably, because I am a boy, hee-hee."

"Murphy, are we serious about escaping? But I don't have a clear vision so I can't see the road clearly. What to do?"

"I'm your pair of eyes!"

"It's good to have you!"

Not knowing how long it had passed, Murphy felt as though something was crawling on his face. He slowly opened his eyes to find Little Pomelo sweeping her strand of hair on his face.

"I'm not dead?" Murphy asked in his husky voice.

"Murphy, we will share a life in the future. You are me, and I am you. We will never get separated again!" Little Pomelo held Murphy's hand as she giggled.

"How did you do it?"

"Because I don't want to let you die. Your body slowly turned cold and I almost cried my heart out. I keep telling myself that you must not die, then the other me just entered your body. So, now we share a life together!"

As Little Pomelo was speaking, she stretched out her hand to pinch his cheek.

"Do you feel pain?"

Sensing the slight pain emerging from his cheek, Murphy revealed a smile on his face. He knew for sure that they were together this time.

"So painful, I must pinch you back!" Murphy smiled as he pinched her cheek.

"No way, Murphy, you bully me! I want to pinch you back as well..."

Two bodies who shared a life held their hands together as they stepped out of the forest, moving toward a whole new life.

In such a cruel world, they were determined to survive.

They used to be bullied, experienced hunger and were even cheated before, but they still lived a happy life because they had each other's company.

They thought of going home, returning to their parents' sides. However, on their journey back home, they realized that both of them could not separate from each other. Hence, other things were no longer important anymore.

He was her pair of eyes that could show her the way, brightening up her initial world of darkness.

She was his life that could come to a halt for him, ready to be his gentle harbor.

Out of coincidence, Murphy knew about the existence of a game named Online Battle and realized that this game was like a real world. Hence, he used up all his savings to buy two sets of virtual reality devices, thinking of bringing her in to the real world. "Murphy, I am getting angry now. You used up all the money and we are going to starve to death soon!"

"Little Pomelo, I heard that one can earn money through this game. I won't make you starve. You need to know if you get hungry, I will certainly be hungry as well."

"I am so sad to realize that you always feed me just to ensure you don't starve yourself."

'That's right so you'll have to make sure to fill your stomach up all the time."

"Alright, I'll listen to you this time."

In order to understand clearly about this game – from ways of earning money to the most profitable character class, Murphy will frequent the forum to seek advice from the experienced players, hoping to get some help.

After receiving a useful hint from Crayon\_Shinchan, they found out that assassin players could earn the most money.

After coming into contact with the game content, this was the first time that Little Pomelo had ever experienced a world full of colors. This had resulted in her being deeply into it and once she knew that Murphy chose the position as an assassin, she followed suit. This was all due to the fact that she wanted to earn money with him and work hard together for their happiness.

Thereupon, the game had serial killer couples that accepted Reward Quests.

The strange soul of Murphy and Little Pomelo had indeed attracted the attention of Lu Wu. Hence, he asked Bei Li for more information.

According to Bei Li's explanation, their souls have actually combined with each other and formed an inseparable existence called twin souls.

As Lu Wu was curious, he used to ask a question related to how long they would stay that way.

Bei Li replied, "It will last longer than eternity. Even if they were to be reincarnated and reborn, they are fated to be together forever."

Out of curiosity, Lu Wu paid attention to these two individuals.

There was once during the sunset by the sea, Lu Wu witnessed the scene of both of them holding hands and slowly got out of sight with only a trace of a shadow that came into view.

## Chapter 143: How To Maintain The State Of Combat

The safe zone of the Mansion of the Dead, Beiqi.

A dense crowd of people gathered around the resurrection point, waiting patiently for the presence of the hated player.

After waiting for about three hours, a figure that everyone anticipated had finally appeared at the resurrection point.

Once he entered the game, Hu He was taken aback after witnessing a large group of players gathered together there waiting for him. He revealed an awkward smile on his face and quickly quit the game, vanishing from sight.

Everyone was speechless.

"Damn it! Did he just run away? He didn't even allow us to vent our anger!"

"Idiot, I thought of asking him to return the skull of Cha Na. What's the point of waiting when he'd just run away like this?"

"I don't believe this brat will ever get back online. C'mon, it's time to fight..."

Therefore, the players started keeping their guard up and Hu He did appear at the resurrection point a few times within this period. However, Hu He would go offline when he found that the group of people there still hadn't dispersed.

After enduring for half a day, Hu He reappeared again, but this time he did not go offline. Instead, he fixed his gaze at everyone with a dispirited expression on his face.

"Hello everyone, don't you find it boring?"

Upon hearing that, some players fetched their chessboards and started playing chess, some players fished out their tea set and began making tea, while others gathered together to play poker cards. All sorts of entertainment were available and no one seemed to have the thought of leaving.

Hu He was dumbfounded at the sight of this. He swore in his heart. What a way to play this game! So, they seriously want to confine me in the safe zone.

Looking at this, the only choice he had was to wait until they exceeded their time limit to be online in order to escape secretly. Hu He felt sad to even think about it.

### At this moment, a group of people was approaching from afar.

"Hey brothers, it's time to change shifts. Go ahead and complete your quest if you have one and go hunting if needed."

Once the people surrounding the resurrection point heard that, they packed their things and rose to their feet. One after another left and a new batch of people sat around the resurrection point.

Hu He was utterly out of words.

"Just give up. Every major guild has come into a consensus to be on duty for turns of 24 hours without resting at all. Are you prepared to surrender?"

Gu Yu from the Myth Guild walked a few steps forward and proceeded toward the resurrection point to pat on Hu He's shoulder.

"Isn't it interesting?" Sun Qi asked as he sat by the side of Gu Yu's leg and gnashed his teeth.

"It's so immoral for you all to do that!" Hu He was overwhelmed with sorrow and anger.

"Immoral?" Gu Yu was left stunned upon hearing that. It seemed a bit awkward to hear a word coming out from a person who had dug his own tomb.

"Where was your morality when you stole the skull of Cha Na and replaced it with a wooden-carved one?" Sun Qi who was beside Gu Yu grit his teeth as he retorted.

Hu He waved his hand, indicating that he was extremely dejected. He sat down at the resurrection point without saying a word. He kept looking into the eyes of Gu Yu and the others, making it seem like he was trying to convince them of his sincerity.

"Oh yeah, tomb-digging guy, what did you dig, causing you to be in such great trouble?" Gu Yu and Sun Qi asked out of curiosity as they were playing chess.

This made Hu He recall Hiderigami of whom he almost laid his hands on. He could not help but heave a deep sigh.

"I nearly obtained Hiderigami and almost became the most invincible player. If I possessed Hiderigami, I would never be afraid of anyone and I could do whatever I liked. I was so close!" as he mentioned it, he used both his index finger and thumb to make a gesture, indicating a very short distance.

"Hiderigami!" upon hearing it, Gu Yu felt refreshed all of a sudden.

Even though his Demonic God's Apostles were the strongest in the inherited character class, the disadvantage of his character class was that the progress of development was not systematic. Hence, if he could not develop himself in the long term, then he would certainly be surpassed by latecomers.

Hiderigami was the key to his class development and also his most important task at hand.

"Where is Hiderigami?" Gu Yu questioned hastily.

"He's in Evil Nightmare City. He was trying to recuperate through energy intake from the seal. I wasted a lot of energy to dig him out. Who knows how the fragile seal just broke apart. I feel infuriated just thinking about this," recalling the past provoked Hu He's rage.

"How did you get into the place?" Gu Yu was astonished.

He led a few people to go in with him a few times but they were all blocked by the Zombie Poison Formation. They all died even before entering the place.

"Have you been there as well?" Hu He was startled.

"Quick, tell me! How do you get in?" Gu Yu asked eagerly.

As he listened to this question, Hu He seemed to have thought of something, hence he chuckled as he uttered, "One needs to possess a certain skill to get into the city. Since you're not part of our zombie forging community, for sure you don't know how to be flexible. It's very hard to enter but if you bring me along, I can help you to get in."

Hu He's statement caused Gu Yu to have conflicted feelings.

He finally found out about the way to enter Evil Nightmare City, but it seemed like this awful player was the only one who knew the way. As a result, it left him wondering what he could do.

"Brother, if you want to enter the place, you need me. You can think about it first. I can obviously see through the desire in your eyes," as Hu He knew that the possibility was high, he grinned from ear to ear.

"Boss, we can't let go of this guy. If not, our guild will be done for!" Sun Qi interjected promptly to discourage the seemingly interested Gu Yu from having such a thought.

Gu Yu certainly knew the repercussions. Now, the major guilds came to an agreement to take turns in defending the area so if he released him without authorization, he would surely be besieged.

It was so rare to see hope for class development, hence he did not want to give up too easily.

After much consideration, Gu Yu created a live chat group and added Chen Ziyu, Wu Guoyi, Lu Zhan, Liu Chai, and other leaders into the live chat channel.

Gu Yu: "Fellow brothers, I have something to discuss with all of you!"

Ye Xue'er: "What's the matter?"

Chen Ziyu: "I'm in the midst of killing a ferocious spirit. I'll talk to you later!"

Liu Chai: "Same question, what's up?"

Seeing that the leaders from each major guild were already in the group, Gu Yu started to explain his intention.

Gu Yu: "Fellow brothers, I have something to discuss with all of you! Can I borrow the most-hated player for a bit? I guarantee that I won't let him run away!"

Ye Xue'er: "No!"

Liu Chai: "No +1"

Wu Guoyi: "No +2"

Chen Ziyu: "No +3"

Gu Yu felt a headache when he saw the replies of disapproval from all of them.

But he was not ready to give up the chance for class development. Therefore, upon further deliberation, he tried to explain again and come clean about his difficulty for class development. Without Hu He, it was unlikely that he would be able to accomplish it successfully.

Upon witnessing Gu Yu's sincere manner, the leaders of the major guilds began to hesitate.

As the saying goes, strike the iron while it's hot. Hence, Gu Yu proceeded to promise some benefits and assured the rest that he would surely send him back to the safe zone when they were done. After all his efforts, they finally agreed reluctantly to let him borrow Hu He for a short period of time.

After receiving approval by the major guilds, Gu Yu heaved a sigh of relief. He then averted his gaze toward Hu He.

"Let's go, bring me to Evil Nightmare City, but to ensure you don't run away or go offline, you need to maintain your state of combat."

Upon hearing Gu Yu's statement, Hu He showed a surprised look on his face while thinking of how foolish it would be to not escape.

However, once he heard Gu Yu mention maintaining the state of combat to prevent him from going offline, he was stunned for an instant.

"How can we maintain a constant state of combat?"

"Simple, let the dog bite you along the way!"

Both Hu He and Sun Qi didn't know what to say.

At the outskirts of Beiqi's Evil Nightmare City.

The Myth Guild led by Gu Yu was slowly making their approach.

The current area around Nightmare City was undoubtedly where evil raged the craziest. In order to avoid attracting the attention of evil spirits, Gu Yu did not bring along with him the entire guild. Instead, he only brought about a few dozen of their most elite players.

As they got nearer to Nightmare City, Gu Yu and the others also noticed a Zombie Energy Pillar which was shooting up to the sky like a smoke signal. At the peak of the Zombie Energy Pillar, dark shadows were continuously falling from it.

Those who saw this could not help but turn their heads and glare at Hu He.

Hu He gave an awkward smile. He stretched his hand out and shook Sun Qi who in turn increased the grip of his teeth which was still clamped on his arm.

"Guy who plays with corpses, how do we get in?" asked Gu Yu who had turned to look at Hu He when they were at the city gates.

"Ahem. The layout of the area around this city gate is fake. It is actually a Zombie Poison Formation. Once a person enters, the zombie poison will penetrate his body and he will most likely die. Thus, we need to take special measures."

When Gu Yu heard this, he felt that this kid actually had some tricks up his sleeve.

"Therefore, we will have to make our way through there!" as he spoke, Hu He pointed at the hole which he dug previously at the side of the city wall.

No one realized how easy it could have been.

"That's it?" Gu Yu was shocked.

"Yes," Hu He nodded.

"Kill him and send him back!"

When the guild's subordinates heard this, they all lifted their huge blades and approached Hu He.

The veins on Hu He's forehead were pounding, "Wait, please don't. It's very dangerous inside as it's all littered with traps. Without me, you guys will never be able to get very far."

"Are there really traps in there?"

"Yes, there are a lot of traps in there. Danger is basically everywhere!" Hu He appeared very serious.

"Alright. You lead the way. Get in!"

Then, the gamers from the Myth Guild followed Hu He as they all squeezed one by one into the hole below.

After they went through the hole, they all realized that the entire Nightmare City was covered with zombie energy. There was a very thick layer on the ground to the point where it reached their knees. Their vision was also blocked by the thin zombie energy sinking from the sky. They could only see things which were about ten feet away from them. From afar, evil low growls were even more frequent than before.

"Big Boss Gu, I've already helped you find Hiderigami so can you let me go now?" Hu He turned his head and asked.

"We'll talk after we find him!" Gu Yu gave him a glare.

Hu He sighed. He then took out a pouch of powder from his bag and gave it to Gu Yu, "Big Boss Gu, this is Loose Zombie Powder. I used a part of Cha Na's head to make this. Once you coat yourself with this, evil will not be able to notice you."

"Oh right, don't use too much of it as I only have this pouch," Hu He said with pain laced in his voice.

When Gu Yu heard this, he accepted the Loose Zombie Powder and poured some out to be applied on his body. Then, he gave it to the person next to him.

## [Used Loose Zombie Powder. Buffer shall remain for 30 minutes!]

"You do know some things. You must be a grave robber in real life too, right? It must have also been your ancestors' job, or else how could you have created this class?" Gu Yu asked out of curiosity.

When Hu He heard this, he merely chuckled in reply.

According to the ancient book, those who forged zombies were far more vicious than grave robbers as digging up someone's ancestral tomb was a common occurrence. Moreover, when they were fighting against enemies, they would secretly go to their enemy's ancestral tomb and dig up their ancestors to forge zombie spirits out of them before fighting them head on.

Although Hu He had never felt the feeling of controlling ancestors to beat up their descendants, the thought of it was enough to pleasure him.

After everyone had applied the Loose Zombie Powder, Hu He was shocked to see that Gu Yu had thrown the leftovers into his own private space.

"Big Boss Gu, that is mine..." Hu He said with pain in his voice.

"I know. I'm just afraid that you will run away after this. When all this is done, I will return it to you. Do you not believe me?"

"I do!" Hu He grit his teeth.

Then, Gu Yu and the rest followed where Hu He pointed to begin their path toward the center zone of Nightmare City.

Due to the effects of the powder, during Gu Yu and the others' journey, although they met with a lot of evil spirits, they all avoided them when they smelled their scent and did not make a move toward them.

"Why does this Loose Zombie Powder have this effect?" Mo Lingtian who was right behind Gu Yu could not contain his curiosity any further and asked.

"This powder was made through grinding Cha Na's head. I added in some spiritual materials which I found in order to imitate an evil scent. After applying this, those brainless spirits will think of us as evil as well. Moreover, we would be high level evils, so naturally they would not make a move on us."

When Mo Lingtian heard this, he nodded. However, the way he looked at Hu He changed. After all, which normal person would research these things?

After arriving at Nightmare City's center zone, Hu He's heart was beating fast. Now, what he was most afraid of was that Hiderigami would be gone.

Actually, he also had his own selfish reasons for bringing Gu Yu here.

What Gu Yu wanted was to kill Hiderigami while what he wanted was Hiderigami's corpse. Both their aims could be said to not be in conflict with each other.

If he could truly obtain Hiderigami's corpse, then even if he had to be killed and brought back to the city, he would be willing.

His thoughts were simple. After obtaining Hiderigami's corpse, he would return to the city to concentrate and study meticulously in order to forge Hiderigami's corpse into a zombie spirit.

When that time comes, he could leave the safe zone whenever he wanted. No one could stop him even if he wanted to go out with a handstand.

After pushing away the thick fog, the familiar bloody coffin appeared before everyone's eyes.

Hu He took a few careful steps toward it. He nervously peeked his head out to look within it.

However, when he saw what was inside, Hu He was shocked.

All he saw within the bloody coffin was his sworn brother Little Sha lying peacefully within.

At this moment, Gu Yu and the rest walked forward as well. They, too, peeked their heads to look within. When Gu Yu saw Little Sha who was within the bloody coffin, his expression changed.

"Big Boss Gu, don't be too hasty!" Hu He could sense a murderous aura, hence he quickly placed his hands on Little Sha's head before giving it a strong shake.

When he felt someone shaking him, Little Sha opened his sleepy eyes and looked at Hu He in confusion.

"Good brother!" life was gradually returning to Little Sha's eyes.

If it wasn't because he couldn't beat him, the current Hu He really wanted to start a fight with him. Why did the word brother sound so cheap when it came from his mouth?

"Brother Little Sha, where is Hiderigami? Where did Hiderigami go?"

When Little Sha heard this, he sat up slowly from the bloody coffin, revealing a hole at the bottom of the coffin. Everyone could see that Hiderigami was stuck inside and that he was glaring at them with his head raised high.

Everyone was perplexed.

He took Hiderigami as a cushion?

A common thought appeared in everyone's head, and that was that this kid known as Little Sha was really brave!

"Brother Little Sha, quickly pull Hiderigami out. We need him urgently," Hu He said with bright eyes.

"No! No!" Little Sha shook his head.

"Why?"

"I've turned Hiderigami's body into a plug to block the Yin Soul Eye. Although this cannot stop the flow of zombie energy, it still has some effect. If you pull him out, the seal will be completely destroyed."

They were confused, "Hiderigami? Plug?"

"You're not afraid that he would ingest the zombie energy and recover?" Hu He could not help but ask.

"No. After all, I'm still here. The more zombie energy Hiderigami absorbs, the more I will absorb from him. I can guarantee that he will not recover!" as he spoke, Little Sha rubbed his chubby cheeks.

"Is there no room for negotiation?" Hu He was still slightly unwilling to take this as an answer.

Little Sha shook his head once again.

When Gu Yu saw this, he quickly cast a look at those behind him. The members of the guild then immediately understood what he meant and surrounded the bloody coffin.

Chapter 145: Listen To My Explanation

Looking at Gu Yu who was about to take action, Hu He swiftly turned around and stopped him.

Gu Yu and others were not aware of Little Sha's ability. However, how could they not? Little Sha might look chubby and harmless, but the capability he revealed when breaking open the coffin still remained fresh in Hu He's memory.

As Hu He saw the suspicious look on Gu Yu and the others' eyes, he lowered his voice as he spoke, "Hehe, he is a Ghost General, so guys, don't look for trouble!"

Upon hearing it, Gu Yu and others quickly turned on Observation Mode.

[Evil Ghost General (Ghost General Peak)]:

Character Details: The masterpiece of the crazy Zombie Forgemaster. He can still maintain his consciousness after absorbing a great amount of zombie energy and the evil spirit so he is known as the Master of Evilness. He was later summoned to surrender to the King of Beiqi and was conferred as an Evil Ghost General. He has been guarding the Yin Soul Eye Seal in Evil Nightmare City for about 40,000 years.

Looking at the Analysis Menu, Gu Yu and the others widened their eyes and slowly released their weapons at hand.

This is too powerful, we can't bear to offend... can't bear to offend!

"What do we do now?" the depressed Gu Yu looked toward Hu He as he asked.

Hu He stretched out his hand to swing his left arm which was bitten tightly by Sun Qi.

"Boss Gu, take it easy. Believe in me!"

Hu He who was grinning ear to ear gazed at Little Sha. He then opened his mouth, saying, "Brother Sha, are we still brothers?"

"For sure we are brothers. We have become sworn brothers in the cave, certainly, we are brothers for life," Little Sha replied straightforwardly.

Upon hearing this, Hu He gave out a smile, "Big brother, I believe you must be willing to lend a helping hand when it comes to the matter of vital importance to me."

"That's for sure!"

'Give Hiderigami to us!"

"No way!"

"Please give him to me, if not I will be a dead man. You'll never see me again," Hu He pleaded in sorrow.

"Still no way!"

Just as Hu He did not know what to do, Gu Yu shoved him away and looked toward Little Sha with a smile, saying, "Brother Little Sha, do you know what this is?" Gu Yu fetched out a bead condensed with the zombie spirit point from his personal channel.

[Zombie Spirit Bead]: This is obtained after purifying the evil zombies in the refined morgue. The zombie spirit point on the inside is up to 542 points.

Looking at the zombie spirit bead, Little Sha showed his look of desire as he rubbed his hands.

"It looks so delicious."

Gu Yu nodded, "It's indeed tasty. Since fate has brought us together, why don't I just give this to you?"

Little Sha nodded hastily, "You'll also be my brother in the future. Quickly hand it over to me!"

Upon seeing his reaction, Gu Yu passed the zombie spirit bead to Little Sha.

Little Sha experienced a surge of excitement. He swallowed the zombie spirit bead once he had taken it from Gu Yu and revealed a sense of satisfaction.

Seeing that Little Sha got hooked on that, Gu Yu fetched out another zombie spirit bead from his personal channel.

"Brother, are you done eating? I still have more!"

"Quick, give it to me now!" Little Sha opened his mouth in amazement.

Without hesitation, Gu Yu handed another zombie spirit bead over to Little Sha.

As he watched Little Sha swallow the bead, Gu Yu thought that he should strike while the iron's hot.

"Brother, I still have lots of them, do you want them all?

Little Sha nodded instantly.

Right after consuming two zombie spirit beads, he was surprised to find that his cultivation of Ghost General Peak showed signs of improvement. He was filled with

desire for the zombie spirit beads in his heart. As someone who was simple-minded, he did not realize that Gu Yu was actually trying to set a trap for him.

"I left the rest of my beads outside the city. We can go collect them together."

"How about Hiderigami?" Little Sha revealed a doubtful expression on his face.

As Hu He realized the plan of Gu Yu, he quickly opened his mouth, saying, "Big brother, I can help you to keep an eye on this place. As your brother, I'll make sure to guard this place well."

"I thought you wanted Hiderigami?" Little Sha looked confused.

"Even if I longed for Hiderigami, I'll still need your approval before I can get him. So, feel free to go and collect your beads. I'll discuss further with you when you get back."

"Alright!" Little Sha replied instantly with joy.

"C'mon, let's go and get the beads," Gu Yu said to Little Sha after casting a glance at Hu He.

Little Sha nodded his head and then grabbed Gu Yu's shoulder.

"Let me take you there!"

He took hold of Gu Yu as he was speaking. The two figures soared into the air toward the outside of the city.

As the two figures vanished from sight, Hu He quickly summoned the zombie spirit of Cha Na to proceed and embrace the skull of Hiderigami. He then exerted great force trying to pull it out.

The rest of the people from the Myth Guild felt the urge to help out. However, at this point in time, Gu Yu's voice resounded in the live chat channel.

"Brothers, please don't help, please don't!"

"Why are you just standing there? Faster come and help!" Hu He yelled as he was trying to drag Hiderigami with all his might.

"Ouch! My stomach hurts!"

"Same thing here, my stomach really hurts. Perhaps we are poisoned by the zombie poison."

"Ouch, ouch, ouch! Me too, my stomach is aching so badly."

Hu He was dumbfounded to find the people from the Myth Guild squatting down while holding their tummies. He then turned his gaze toward the only person who was still standing, Mo Lingtian.

"I... I also have a stomachache," Mo Lingtian smiled awkwardly as he gradually crouched down with his head lowered and hands clasping on the head.

Aren't you having a stomachache? Why on earth do you still have time to squat down with your head lowered and hands clasping the head?

Hu He then averted his gaze to the dog who was biting his left arm.

"Ouch, I have a toothache!" the dog mumbled while sobbing.

"I don't care anymore!" Hu He's eyes only had Hiderigami at this time. He used up almost all his energy just to slowly pull Hiderigami out from the cave below the blood coffin.

"Bang!" the ground trembled as a result of Hiderigami's enormous body landing on the ground.

At this moment, the blood coffin changed into twelve spinning beads. Then, these beads started to shake, slowly floated up in the air and suddenly shrank and collided with each other.

"Boom!" a dense surge of zombie energy approached, causing everyone to narrow their eyes.

"Buzz! Buzz!"

The twelve beads spun in a counter-clockwise direction, soar into the sky and exploded when they reached high up the sky. These beads were similar to meteors as they fell upon the same direction of the Land of Beiqi.

Promptly, as everyone was still under amazement, a total of twelve Zombie Energy Pillars from afar shot up to the sky.

[Server Warning: The Evil Seal has been damaged by the player, Hu He, causing the emergence of twelve new Zombie Pillars. Other players, please be cautious as the outside world is extremely dangerous!]

[Game Notification #1: The situation of evil invasion deteriorates and the Zombie Pillars need to be ruined to crack the case of invasion this time. Take note that every Zombie Pillar is guarded by an Evil Ghost General at the initial stage of its ability!]

[Game Notification #2: The Mansion of the Dead is most likely to encounter the invasion of the Evil Army on a large scale. All players, please be ready to defend yourself!]

As these twelve Zombie Energy Pillars appeared, a bigger scale of Evil Yin Soldiers fell upon the ground like raindrops. Many players in the wild were attacked under a state of confusion. They were all killed by the Evil Army, transformed them into rays of light and instantly removed them from the game.

At this moment, it dawned on Mo Lingtian and the others of their boss's effort. They felt lucky to escape from being included in the list of the Server Announcements. What a close call!

The initial smile on Hu He's face when he thought he had successfully obtained Hiderigami froze instantly.

After that, he turned his shoulder over to stare at the people from the Myth Guild in grief and fury.

"I don't know. I'm not part of it, I'm not!"

"It's also none of my business. Don't you see that the message only stated your name?"

"That's true, this is a living thing, too. You can't put the blame on us. If we were not having a stomachache, we would surely help you out."

"Yes, yes, this is part and parcel of life. We can't resist it. My condolences to you."

"Brother, endure your grief. Embrace a new life with a smile on your face!"

Hu He felt as though he was going to explode in rage at this moment.

Am I done for this time? I have caused one huge commotion after another. Do I still have a foothold in this game?

"Ahhhhh, I don't care anymore!" thinking of this, Hu He's eyes reddened and he averted his gaze toward his one and only hope, Hiderigami.

Just then, a shadow landed from the sky. He ran clumsily toward the side of the blood coffin, looking rather hopeless as he turned facing out.

"Big brother, please listen to my explanation!"

Chapter 146: Plan To Annihilate Their Clan

Big Brother, Please Listen To My Explanation!

## Looking into Little Sha's bloodshot eyes, Hu He hurriedly defended himself.

"Explain yourself!" Little Sha's hands slowly clenched into fists.

"Hiderigami started it first!"

"Right after you left, Hiderigami suddenly began to move. He rose to his feet before he escaped from the hole. I wanted to stop him. Unfortunately, I am not capable of doing it with my ability."

"Besides, I also suspect that Hiderigami has been concealing his strength. He's not as weak as he appears. He's been looking for an opportunity. After our big brother left, Hiderigami must have thought that it was his chance to run away. Therefore, he released all his remaining power at once."

Hu He explained with a somber expression, coupled with a few relevant gestures, as if what he said was the exact truth.

Little Sha was glued to the ground upon hearing Hu He's story. Confused, he turned to look at the members of the Myth Guild.

Mo Lingtian and the rest immediately answered with a nod.

"Really?" Little Sha struggled to believe their words.

"No, it's not real..." Hiderigami, who was still lying on the ground, could not hold back any longer.

All of a sudden, the air was filled with awkwardness.

"Big brother, do you believe Hiderigami, who has attacked you, or me?" Hu He questioned furiously.

The innocent Little Sha was stuck in a very difficult position, not knowing who to trust.

After pondering for a moment, Little Sha lifted his gaze to look at Hu He.

"I trust you. You're my brother!"

Upon hearing Little Sha's answer, Hu He was immediately relieved.

"Idiot!" Hiderigami, who was still lying on the ground, was flabbergasted as he heaved a sigh of disappointment.

"Do you see it now, big brother? He's insulting you!" Hu He seized the opportunity to fan the flames of hatred.

"Hiderigami, you tried to harm me. I'll fight with you!" appearing enraged, Little Sha was ready to charge toward Hiderigami.

At this moment, Gu Yu, who was standing aside, acted before Little Sha could, as he rushed to Hiderigami. He lifted his fist and began to thrash Hiderigami.

After landing a few punches on Hiderigami, Gu Yu turned and glanced at Little Sha.

"Let me handle this, brother!"

As he finished his work, he continued to attack Hiderigami mercilessly.

However, Hiderigami had an extremely strong body. Despite the fact that Hiderigami was very weak now, Gu Yu's strenuous punches did not even leave a mark on Hiderigami's skin.

"Aren't you tired?" Hiderigami asked in an indifferent manner.

"Tired, my ass!" Gu Yu, who refused to admit defeat, activated the state of evil body. Immediately, all his attributes were boosted significantly before he landed another powerful punch on Hiderigami.

Being in the evil body state, Gu Yu was burning in a crimson fire. A horn slowly grew from his forehead.

Upon witnessing this scene, Hiderigami and Little Sha's eyes popped out of their heads.

"Demonic God!" they exclaimed in unison.

Hiderigami was especially astonished. Although he knew that he was currently very weak, he was not afraid that he would be killed at all.

After all, he was a zombie. He had been focusing on cultivating his physical body. With his strong physical body of Ghost Emperor Realm, he was confident that no one, including Little Sha, could break his superficial defense.

However, at this moment, fear could be seen in his eyes.

The person he was the most afraid of across the entire Land of Beiqi was undoubtedly the Demonic God.

The existence of the Demonic God was beyond the Ghost Emperor Realm. He was a true God whose name was recorded in the Underworld God List.

Hiderigami had learned about the god's true strengths from his previous fight with the Demonic God's clone. Although it was only a clone, Hiderigami was no match for it. If the Great Emperor of Dong Yue did not stop them toward the end of the fight, he believed that he would not have stayed alive until today.

As a result, Hiderigami was swamped by the fear of death when he, once again, witnessed the power of the Demonic God.

Being under the fearful eyes of Hiderigami and Little Sha, Gu Yu continued his arduous attack.

As time passed, Hiderigami had recovered from shock and appeared rather indifferent now.Read more chapter on vipnovel.com

"Huff!"

After a good ten minutes of assault, Gu Yu was panting as he finally stopped his actions.

"Aren't you tired?" Hiderigami repeated his question in an unsympathetic manner.

Feeling exhausted, Gu Yu wiped off his sweat.

Hiderigami's strength was beyond his imagination. He had drained every bit of his energy, yet Hiderigami remained absolutely unharmed.

Gu Yu got to his feet before he turned to look at Little Sha, "Is there a way to kill him?"

"No!" Little Sha's answer was succinct and straightforward.

"Then, why did you say that you were going to fight with him?" Gu Yu was bewildered.

"I was merely saying words. He is the elitest of the Ghost Emperor Realm and has been focusing on cultivating his physical body. There's no way for me to break his defense. The best I can do is to land some punches on him to vent my anger."

Upon hearing that, Gu Yu pulled a long face. Then, he turned to look at Hu He.

"What about you? You have been studying about dead bodies. Do you have any idea how to defeat him?"

"Not now. We have to find a quiet place first. The Loose Zombie Powder on us is going to expire soon. Let's leave this place immediately. I'll see if I can temper him with my inherited skill," Hu He answered excitedly, knowing that it was his time to perform when Gu Yu asked for his opinion. Gu Yu was flustered by Hu He's answer. Yet, he seemed to have run out of other options. Therefore, he could only nod and agree to Hu He's suggestion.

He waved his hand and said, "Please help and move Hiderigami away."

"Beep! Beep! Beep!"

At this moment, Gu Yu realized that he was unexpectedly added into a live chat channel.

Chen Ziyu: "Boss Gu, please explain! (angry emoji)"

Ye Xue'er: "Didn't you say that you'll send him back here immediately?"

Liu Chai: "It's complete turmoil out there. Boss Gu, we're waiting for your explanation!"

Wu Guoyi: "Where is he? Where's the player you borrowed?"

Being questioned by the others, Gu Yu was immensely perturbed.

He quickly explained, "Brothers, I'm so sorry. I've accidentally lost him. I didn't expect the player to be so shameless that he'd destroy the seal and jeopardize Beiqi. I will bear the responsibility. I'll provide you with an explanation later. I'm trying to hunt him down and I'll get back to you all soon..."

Then, Gu Yu exited the live chat channel.

Although he had provided an explanation, Gu Yu was wretched, knowing that he would have to spend a huge amount of soul coins to compensate the other guilds. However, he had no choice but to spend the soul coins in order to achieve his class development.

Besides the guild leaders who were affected, the forum was in a state of tumult as well.

Crayon\_Shinchan: "Didn't the player stay in the safe zone? Who can explain what happened?"

Xueli\_The\_Strongest: "Apparently, Boss Chen knows what happened. However, he refused to tell me when I asked him. Sigh~ It seems like something strange happened."

Watermelon\_Taro: "This common player has fainted in the toilet due to excessive crying. Our lives are so tough. I hope this survival mode can end as soon as possible. Anyone wants to join me in destroying the Zombie Energy Pillars?"

Peppa\_Boar: "You guys are so cowardly. The air is full of evil now. It's a good time to earn some points now. For those who have been complaining about their lack of points, it's time for you to work."

Crayon\_Shinchan replied to Peppa\_Boar: "That's right. Our Fourth Disaster Army is not afraid of evil! We should start making an arrangement for the evil spirits. (laughing emoji)"

Broke\_Trash: "Let's do it. It's time to carry out our plan to annihilate their clan (laughing emoji)!"

Chapter 147: The Fire Of Revenge

The invasion of the evil spirits had reached a worrisome stage when the seal was completely broken.

All the players who were exploring with their respective parties, were either ambushed and killed by the Evil Troopa or struggling to survive as they made their ways back to the Mansion of the Dead.

Many players were taken aback by the significant yet unexpected increase in the difficulty of the survival mode.

Now, Hu He's reputation as the malignant player had been made famous across the server. He was deemed by the players as an antagonist who was more terrifying than the Ghost King, and had become public enemy number one in the game.

However, the increase in the difficulty had also united the players once again. They began to assemble at the safe zone of the Mansion of the Dead to discuss how to destroy the Zombie Energy Pillar and how to survive through this crisis.

After the discussion, the players decided that it was time for the Beiqi Army of millions of soldiers to go to war again.

At this moment, the members of the Myth Guild, who destroyed the seal, together with Hu He and the rest, were carrying Hiderigami's body as they headed for the Cliffs of Desperation.

Everyone seemed excited when they arrived at the cliffs.

They found a secluded place after they left Evil Nightmare City for Hu He to temper Hiderigami.

Initially, Hu He was extremely confident. However, he began to despair after multiple attempts.

As his character class had been digitised, there was a progress bar on top of him as he tempered the dead body.

When he tempered the skull, the value of the progress bar was slowly increasing.

However, when he tempered Hiderigami, he made absolutely no progress. Although he had applied all the methods that he'd learned from the ancient books, with his current ability, he could never temper Hiderigami, the elitest of the Ghost Emperor Realm.

Eventually, Hu He gave up as he could not even break Hiderigami's defenses, let alone temper him completely.

In fact, he had thought of collecting some herbs that were mentioned in the ancient books to help with the tempering. Yet, his idea was denied by Gu Yu.

Gu Yu reckoned that, with the players' current abilities and Hiderigami's strong physique, there was no way the players could defeat him.

Yet, he knew there was a certain place to bring Hiderigami to. At that place, it would no longer be an issue to break Hiderigami's defense.

Having to carry Hiderigami's heavy body, they were worn out. During the journey, Little Sha had also helped them a couple of times. However, they still had no idea how to carry Hiderigami up the mountain. The journey was thrilling as Gu Yu and his crew were surrounded by innumerable lingering evils. Without the help of the Loose Zombie Powder, they could have been easily swamped by evil.

When they were halfway up the mountain, Gu Yu waved his hand, gesturing the team to take a rest.

Upon getting the signal, the team immediately let go of Hiderigami's body, causing it to fall violently onto the ground.

He took a peek at the Attributes Menu and noticed the red alert on their endurance. Gu Yu wiped off his sweat before he took out some food from his personal channel.

"Have some food, everyone. Our endurance has turned red and we still have a long way to go."

The rest of the team followed suit and took out their food. They found a place to rest before they began to fill their stomachs.

"Boss, apparently there's a hut and it seems occupied!" the guild members exclaimed as they discovered the white-haired old man's hut.

Knowing the place rather well, Gu Yu nodded before he strode toward the hut.

The dog saw what was happening, immediately released its bite grip on Hu He, and followed closely behind Gu Yu.

When he arrived at the front door of the hut, Gu Yu gave it a thought before he reached out to knock on the door.

"Old man, are you there?"

A moment later, the door was slowly opened before the disgusted face of the whitehaired old man was revealed.

"Young boy, you're bored and want to hike again?"

The bulging veins on Gu Yu's forehead throbbed and pulsated.

"I happened to pass by and wanted to pay you a visit."

"Now that you've seen me, can I shut my door already?"

The white-haired old man's mean reply had taken Gu Yu aback. He regretted deeply having knocked on the old man's door for no good reason.

"Hey! Isn't this the dog? Why? You want to have another fight with me?" the whitehaired old man suddenly noticed Sun Qi's presence.

"I'm not afraid of you! The one who gets drunk first is the loser!" Sun Qi, who refused to take things lying down, snapped at the old man.

Upon hearing this, Gu Yu glared at Sun Qi, "Drink the wine and see what will happen."

Sun Qi was immediately intimidated by Gu Yu's words. He vaguely remembered how he infuriated Gu Yu the last time he was drunk.

Although Sun Qi wished to taste the white-haired old man's wine again, he understood that they had more important business to attend to. Therefore, he had no choice but to give up the wine.

At this moment, a silhouette appeared at the doorstep. Little Sha stared at the whitehaired old man, appearing stunned.

"I think I've seen you somewhere before!" Little Sha, who seemed startled, exclaimed.

"Where?" the white-haired old man narrowed his eyes.

"I've no idea and I can't recall anything. However, my instinct tells me that I should be afraid of you."

Little Sha raised his quivering hand as he spoke, as if he was trying to prove his statement.

## Both Gu Yu and Sun Qi were rendered speechless.

"Can you guys stop acting like fools? Have the evil spirits polluted your brains with their zombie energy?"

The white-haired old man stared at Little Sha as though he, who was still quivering and appearing extremely frightened, was a madman.

"They're real fools!" a disappointed sigh came from the distance.

Everyone turned to find the source of the voice, only to see Hiderigami, who was still lying on the ground, looking in their direction.

When the crowd was dispersed, Hiderigami could finally take a good look at the whitehaired old man's face. Immediately, Hiderigami put on a somber expression.

"You…"

Slap!

A clear and loud slap resonated across the atmosphere. The onlookers were shocked to find a red slap mark on the cheek of Hiderigami, who was supposed to be indestructible.

The slap, which appeared out of nowhere, had absolutely stunned Hiderigami. When he finally regained his composure, he seemed enraged.

"You…"

Slap!

The shadow of another palm was born out of thin hair before it struck across Hiderigami's cheek mercilessly, causing his head to reel.

At that moment, the white-haired old man's voice rang in Hiderigami's head.

"Do you believe that I'll kill you if you make another heedless statement?"

Although Hiderigami was furious for being threatened, he remained quiet, knowing that this old man truly had the ability to kill him.

He knew that the old man, just like himself, had also achieved the Ghost Emperor Realm. Therefore, he might not even be able to defeat the old man even if he was at the peak realm.

Gu Yu and the rest were stunned by the scene, not knowing where the slaps came from.

## As they pondered the questions, they turned to gaze at the white-haired old man.

The white-haired old man wore a solemn expression.

"It seems like the power of the Demonic God. I reckon that the Demonic God's seal has become loose."

Gu Yu was flustered.

He then asked in a skeptical manner, "It's really the Demonic God?"

"I suppose it's the Demonic God. Otherwise, how did the energy come from nowhere?" the white-haired old man experienced no flushed cheeks and palpitation as he lied, as if he was merely stating the fact.

The old man's statement further confused Gu Yu. Although the shadow of the palm appeared when Hiderigami was staring at the white-haired old man, it seemed like the languid and weak old man did not have the ability to hurt Hiderigami physically.

"Anyway, don't disturb me. I need to sleep now. There are evil spirits everywhere out there. So, stay on your guard."

The white-haired old man took a glance at the crowd and his eyes eventually fixed on Hiderigami. He gave Hiderigami a menacing glare before he returned to the hut and conveniently shut the door behind him.

A grin appeared on the white-haired old man's face after he entered the hut.

"The evil spirits, Mu Zhiguang, and Hiderigami have all appeared. It's getting merrier now. I am anticipating a good show! Hehe!"

At that instant, Gu Yu and a few others approached Hiderigami who appeared nervous and awkward.

They asked, "Who slapped you?"

Hiderigami did not answer their question. Yet, there was a hint of rage in his eyes.

Seeing that he was receiving no reply, Gu Yu did not dwell on it. He waved his hand and immediately the others went forward to carry Hiderigami's body before they continued their journey to the peak.

After they walked on the mountain road for half an hour, they heard an old hoarse voice in their heads.

"Hiderigami!"

Hiderigami widened his eyes in vigilance the moment he heard the voice that he was rather familiar with. It was from the person whom he was most afraid of — the Demonic God.

"Haha! You actually have the guts to come here. Hahaha!"

It was a hysterical laugh.

"Demonic God, my boss, I've carried out the task that you assigned to me. Yet, I failed to kill him. Therefore, I've brought him to you," Gu Yu quickly explained.

'Good job! You didn't disappoint me. Hahaha!"

Then, a black fog appeared beneath their feet and they immediately lost their balance. The clouds around the mountains ran past their sight as they rode on the black fog and headed for the mountain peak speedily.

Hiderigami was perturbed.

Although the Demonic God had been sealed, they were in his territory and he God could, more or less, release some of his energy. He would be doomed if he was brought to the peak of the mountain.

#### "Roar!"

Hiderigami's face was flushed red as he put in a strenuous effort to release the original Power of Blood Qi from his blood core. He had to escape from the restraint of the black fog even if he had to break his blood core.

However, when he finally released his Blood Qi, it was immediately subdued by the black fog.

"Hiderigami, stop struggling. There's no way for you to run away from me since you're already here. Nevertheless, you're merely a weakling."

Being called a weakling by the Demonic God, Hiderigami was not furious at all. Instead, he was overwhelmed by immense fear.

Within a blink of an eye, they had gone through the clouds and arrived at the mountain peak. Then, the black fog was dispersed.

At this moment, in front of the pillar pagoda that was built on the mountain peak, a pair of crimson eyes, which were concealed by the black fog, was glaring at Hiderigami.

"Hiderigami! Hiderigami! Hiderigami!"

The overlapping voices resonated in everyone's head. Some voices were mumbling, some were yelling, and some were roaring. The voices triggered their negative emotions before the crowd fell to the ground, one after another, with a stoned expression.

However, the crowd was merely affected by the lingering negative emotions. The main target of the negative emotions was Hiderigami, who was already lying on the ground.

At this instant, the bloody sea within Hiderigami's head was raging with furious waves. The laugh of the bloody boy continued to ring by his ear. He felt like a lonely yacht that was sailing the bloody sea and would be engulfed by the bloody waves at any time.

His fear was growing.

Under the attack of the Demonic God's negative emotions, the fear within Hiderigami was continuously being magnified. He grimaced in pain. Eventually, he could not endure it any longer and began to cry in agony.

"Hahaha. Hiderigami, look how pathetic you are. What happened to your egoistic self who used to be able to manipulate death? You once told me that being weak is a sin. Look at you now, weakling. Hahaha!"

After sensing the fear within Hiderigami, the Demonic God began to laugh hysterically.

He had been waiting for this day for a very long time. He almost thought that he would never be able to take revenge.

This moment was what kept him hopeful as he suffered through the innumerable days within the seal.

The Demonic God was extremely satisfied and pleased as he watched Hiderigami who was shivering in fear.

Despite the fact that they were only suffering from the lingering negative emotions, the players could not deal with it anymore.

Gu Yu begged, "Demonic God, please stop the energy. We can't take it any longer!"

The Demonic God did not answer. He turned to stare at Gu Yu with his crimson eyes silently yet menacingly.

Then, the negative emotions started to fade. Their faces were no longer pale. Yet, there was still a bit of fear that remained on their faces.

They felt as though they had just returned from death's doorsteps.

Among them, Little Sha was suffering the worst. Not only his hands, but his whole body, was quivering.

Witnessing the power of the scariest demonic deity of the Land of Beiqi, his heart almost stopped. This time, he did not even have the strength to run away. He squatted down as he massaged his cheeks, appearing as though he was going to die of fear.

They heard that Gu Yu addressed this man as the Demonic God and had already figured out who the owner of this pair of crimson eyes was. Nevertheless, they had watched the video of the fight between Hiderigami and the Demonic God.

However, save for Gu Yu and the dog Sun Qi, the others only understood the power which was presented by the Demonic God's clone.

"Demonic God, is the mission considered accomplished?"

"Yes, it's accomplished. After we kill Hiderigami, I'll teach you the secret to develop the Blood Seed."

Gu Yu was happy as he heard the Demonic God's answer. He knew that this was his opportunity to grow stronger.

At this moment, a man appeared bashfully beside Gu Yu.

He asked, "Can I have his body after you kill him?"

The crowd remained quiet and curious.

Everyone, including the Demonic God, had their gaze fixed on Hu He.

They were rendered speechless by this man who was obsessed with dead bodies.

"Are you a descendant of the Zombie Forgemasters?" the Demonic God threw a glimpse at Hu He and he immediately unearthed Hu He's background.

Hu He giggled as he scratched his head.

"Sure!"

Hu He was overjoyed upon listening to Demonic God's answer. Yet, Gu Yu was astounded.

He had seen a part of the Demonic God's memory and understood how much hatred the Demonic God held against Hiderigami. He reckoned that the Demonic God would certainly dismember Hiderigami, and did not expect the Demonic God to willingly hand the body of Hiderigami to Hu He. "Temper it into a zombie spirit and forbid it to rest in peace. That's such a great idea! He can't die so easily. This idea is surprisingly good!"

The Demonic God's reply had answered Gu Yu's doubt. He instinctively turned to look at the gleeful Hu He.

When this boy obtained Hiderigami's body, he might not be able to do anything to the dead body currently. However, if he succeeded in the future, Gu Yu could not imagine how powerful this player would become.

An indestructible body would be turned into a terrifying zombie spirit. Then, he would be basically peerless.

However, as the Demonic God had agreed and Hu He had helped throughout the mission, Gu Yu did not want to go against them.

He said, "Demonic God, do it now!"

The Demonic God, once again, shifted his gaze back to Hiderigami, who seemed extremely agonized and terrified.

The mountain peak briefly quaked before Hiderigami was enveloped and swallowed by a crimson fire.

The fire was extremely domineering. The skin of Hiderigami of the Ghost Emperor Realm immediately split open. Meanwhile, his blood, which was oozing out of his skin, continued to fuel the flare.

"Aaahhhhhh! Demonic God!" the physical pain had awakened Hiderigami's consciousness. He opened his crimson eyes and glared at the Demonic God.

"Enjoy the gift I prepared for you. I've been waiting for this day for a very long time. I didn't expect to be able to hand it to you personally."

After the Demonic God finished his words, a blood pattern appeared beneath Hiderigami's body. A cross with many metal chains slowly materialized at the center of the blood pattern.

"Let me feel your fear before you die. Ha!"

The burning metal chains ensnared Hiderigami and tied him to the cross.

The flare continued to rage as the shadow of the Demonic God slowly appeared behind the burning cross...

#### Chapter 148: Class Development

The Demonic God had spent millions of years to prepare the fire of revenge. At this instant, the angry fire was finally blazing as it ignited and engulfed Hiderigami's body mercilessly.

The burning flame stuffed the negative emotions into Hiderigami's head, causing him to cry in agony. His soul was broken by the fire before it turned into smoke and left his body. Then, his soul was absorbed by the Demonic God's shadow.

Gu Yu and the rest were shocked by the scene.

However, they were puzzled as the flame did not harm Hiderigami's physical body and they didn't feel any heat from the fire. However, Hiderigami seemed to be getting increasingly weaker within the fire.

"His soul is burning! Is this how gods deal with their enemies?" upon witnessing the scene, Little Sha was terrified.

The fire continued to rage and Hiderigami could feel that he was at death's door.

At that moment, Hiderigami could see his heyday, when he led the zombie troops to the war, in the raging fire.

His lips curved into a smile as he mocked himself.

Despite the fact that the commoners respected him as if he was a fiery God, he failed to become God and had to live humbly like the ants.

Crack!

His soul was completely broken at this moment. The reputable drought demon, who used to loiter around the underworld, had now been utterly defeated.

"I'll collect your soul and often replay the scene before you die to watch your fearful face. I think I'll never feel lonely again..."

The shadow of the Demonic God slowly faded off before the burning cross broke and turned into shining stars.

Thud! Hiderigami's body fell to the ground.

Hiderigami no longer showed any sign of life. Upon seeing that, Hu He went forward to grab one of Hiderigami's arms before saving it into his personal channel.

## "Young boy, you have done a great job! This is what I promised you!"

At this moment, the pillar pagoda began to shake as a force emerged abruptly. Everyone was suffocated by the pressure, as though they were trapped within a cave.

Messages popped up in Gu Yu's mind.

The artifact turned automatically as it digitized all the messages. Then, the messages appeared in the form of an Analysis Menu in Gu Yu's brain.

[Bloody Body of the Demonic God (First Stage of Class Development)]:

Class Description: Players will obtain a gift from the Demonic God after accomplishing the mission assigned by him. Then, the first level of class development will be completed.

[Blood Qi]: The skill can release the player's basic energy. After the player's energy is exhausted, it will recover by two percent for every minute. Players can consume the Blood Qi to boost the recovery of their energy.

Class Ability: the Demonic God's Blessings, Evil Body, Flame of Blood, Sucking of Blood, Evil Eye Stare, Growth of Blood, and Blood Core.

[Demonic God's Blessings (Special Passive)]: With the blessings of the Demonic God, a god listed on the Underworld God List, players' health will recover by two points for every second.

[Evil Body (intermediate)]: Activate this skill and it will consume 35 percent of the player's Blood Qi. Meanwhile, all the attributes of the player will be increased by 180 percent and the effect will last for 30 minutes. At the same time, the derivative abilities of the player can be released.

[Flame of Blood (First Stage)]: Players will be able to summon the Naraka flames and burn a large area, with the player as the locus. The damage can be done within a radius of 25 meters. This skill can only be used when Evil body is activated, and will consume 30 percent of the player's Blood Qi.

[Sucking of Blood (First Stage)]: Within a radius of 25 to 50 feet, all blood can be absorbed into the player's body after this skill is activated and help to recover the player's Blood Qi points and health points. This skill can only be used when Evil Body is activated, and will consume 10 to 45 percent of the player's Blood Qi.

[Evil Eye Stare]: After the Evil Eye Stare is activated, all the targeted opponents who exchange gazes with the player will be affected by negative emotions. The opponents will usually experience confusion, weakness, and other discomfort. This skill can only be

used when Evil Body is activated, and will consume 40 percent of the player's Blood Qi. (The effect may differ depending on the target's willpower.)

[Growth of Blood (Golden Growing Skill)]: Every time the player kills an advanced creature with abundant Blood Qi, the player will be rewarded with two to eight random attribute points of the creature. (The higher the level of the blood core, the higher the limit of the attribute points.)

[Level-one Blood Core (0%)]: The Seed of the Blood Method has unlimited potential. (The player will gain more experience pointst as the player collects Blood Qi during the Growth of Blood.)

Gu Yu was overjoyed after he read the Attributes Menu and the method to develop his character class, knowing that his efforts were not in vain.

With the class development, not only would his skills improve, but he had also discovered the potential and the future development of his character class.

He was especially thrilled to learn about the Growth of Blood, the Golden Growing Skill. Nevertheless, he felt as if he had hit a jackpot when he found out that he could earn attribute points by killing the creatures of Blood Qi.

"Demonic God, where can I find creatures of Blood Qi?" Gu Yu lifted his gaze excitedly as he asked.

"As long as you can kill an elite of Ghost Commander level and above, you can, more or less, absorb their Blood Qi. However, the best choice is definitely creatures of Blood Qi, like Hiderigami."

Upon listening to the Demonic God's explanation, Gu Yu replied with a firm nod.

Facing the invasion of the evil spirits, there were monsters of high levels everywhere and also plenty of Ghost Commander level spirits. Gu Yu was very excited to flaunt his newfound strength.

"Fine, young boy. You've helped me as I took revenge. Therefore, you can seek help from me if you face any doubt during your cultivation. For now, get lost!" the crimson eyes began to fade away before they disappeared into the pillar pagoda.

"Boss, did we win or lose?" Sun Qi asked curiously.

"We've earned a great profit!" Gu Yu answered with a grin on his face.

Sun Qi put on a grin after he heard that they had earned a profit. Knowing that he had contributed to the quest, he was expecting a handsome reward.

"Shit. Boss, the malignant player has escaped!" the guild members suddenly exclaimed.

Gu Yu turned around and realized that Hu He, who was previously standing there, had vanished from sight.

"Damn!" Gu Yu's good mood was instantly ruined.

"This player…" Gu Yu could already imagine the headache that would haunt him later.

However, this was not a safe zone and they should not stay here for long. After a brief consideration, Gu Yu waved his hand.

"Let's leave this mountain and return to the Mansion of the Dead. It's time to shed some blood for them."

Upon listening to Gu Yu, Sun Qi heaved a sigh of relief. Initially, he thought that he would be condemned by Gu Yu. However, Gu Yu was apparently in a good mood and Sun Qi was lucky to have escaped punishment.Visit web novel. live If You like manga, comics

Following Gu Yu's lead, they headed for the Cliffs of Desperation.

After Gu Yu and his team left, the white-haired old man appeared at the mountain peak.

He strode toward the pillar pagoda before he reached out to slap on it.

"Does revenge feel good?"

"It's not bad!" the crimson eyes of the Demonic God reappeared.

"I can sense that the ruthlessness in you has faded off. I reckon we will be freed soon. That's worth celebrating," the white-haired old man stretched his body as he giggled.

"Are you not afraid that I'll kill you when I get out?"

"If you don't have ruthlessness in you, then I've accomplished the mission she gave me. Following her orders, I'll have to let you out. However, with our close relationship, are you apathetic enough to kill me?" the white-haired man spoke in a melancholic tone as he patted the pillar pagoda.

"That's your promise to her and it has nothing to do with me. Since you're the guard of the seal, you are my enemy, too."

"If that's the case, I will not release you."

"Go away!" the Demonic God's voice resonated across the atmosphere once again.

## The white-haired old man giggled as he disappeared into the distance.

Approximately half an hour later, another silhouette appeared at the mountain peak. The owner of the silhouette was none other than Hu He.

He nervously studied his surroundings. After he was certain that he was alone, he burst out laughing.

"Indeed, I've successfully escaped. All of you will idolize me when I finish tempering Hiderigami!"

In the future, he would be able to bring along Hiderigami to fight the Rock Ghost King and defeat the Sea King in the future. Thinking about how the other players would admire him after he won the fight, Hu He was pleased with himself.

After Hu He left the mountain, the crimson eyes of the Demonic God showed up again. He stared at the path Hu He took, appearing astonished.

"How did he make it? Is this the power of reincarnation?"

Hu He was wary throughout the journey as he occasionally checked his surroundings to prevent himself from being ambushed by Gu Yu. He took six long hours before he finally left the mountain.

Hu He wore a broad smile as he stared at the green mountain forest in the distance, feeling as if he had just been reborn.

From now on, the sea is mine to swim and the sky is mine to fly. I will be the hero of the future and my existence will be omnipotent.

"Backstab!" at that moment, a gentle cry came from behind. Hu He was stabbed at his back when his guard was down.

# "Pfft!"

The sharp dagger penetrated his back muscle before Hu He turned around, disbelief plastered on his face.

Just as he expected, the attacker was the adorable female assassin.

"It's you again..."

"Pfft!"

At that instant, Hu He felt a sharp pain in his chest.

"Brother, this is not how you play the game..."

Hu He stared at Murphy, the smiling assassin who was standing before him, he had an urge to cry, thinking about how he fell into the hands of these two again.

"You're worth a lot of money..." Murphy was smiling ear to ear.

"Weapon strengthened! Backstab strengthened!"

A silver gleam was immediately cast over the dagger in Little Pomelo's hand before she charged forward with the strengthened stab.

[-198 critical hit]

Wearing an agonized expression, Hu He slowly fell to the ground.

"Life is full of ups and downs and surprises. You'll have to learn to deal with it," Little Pomelo took out a notebook, flipped through the pages before she quoted herself in a charismatic tone.

His vision turned black and white. As he expected, the two killers began to take pictures of him after they killed him, and uploaded it to the forum.

After he exited the game, Hu He quickly logged into the forum. Indeed, many players had commented on the thread posted by the assassin couple.

Hu He became more resentful when he saw the picture of his dead and despaired face that was uploaded to the forum by the assassins.

Why didn't they filter the photo?

Why!?

[Another successful kill. We're waiting to be rewarded. We are also accepting assassination missions with guaranteed efficiency!]

Crayon\_Shinchan: "That's great! The malignant player has been killed! We can't let him out of the safe zone ever again! I'll give you a like! (Tip: 0.1 soul coin)"

Watermelon\_Taro replied to Crayon\_Shinchan: "You're so stingy!"

Crayon\_Shinchan replied to Watermelon\_Taro: "(rage emoji)"

Xueli\_The\_Strongest: "You're so skillful! You did both the first kill and the second kill. Are you a killer in real life? (laughing emoji) (Tip: 10 soul coins)"

## Invincible\_Loneliness (Gu Yu): "You're destined to die. Hahaha! (Tip: 588 soul coins)"

Watermelon\_Taro replied to Invincible\_Loneliness: "Big Daddy!"

Instant\_Coffee: "Bro, are you taking new jobs? I have an enemy. I'll pay you 30 soul coins after you kill him! (Tip: 10 soul coins)"

Ganiran: "Please watch him carefully! I'm really afraid now. Two times, I've been killed by the evil spirits, which came out of nowhere, when I was hunting in the wild. I have the urge to cry every time I recall the incidents. (Hiding my face) (Tip: 20 soul coins)"

Broke\_Trash: "You're so strong. Brother, since I've tipped you, please don't accept any mission that requires you to kill me. (Tip: 30 soul coins)"

Looking at the amount of soul coins that continued to increase, Little Pomelo laughed gleefully.

"Murphy, we are rich now!"

"Yes. I hope he can continue to be on the run. Then, we will utilize your skills to track his location, and earn more!" Murphy said as he ruffled Little Pomelo's hair.

They exchanged looks as they giggled.

Chapter 149: The Construction War

Beiqi, at the periphery of the Ghost Mountains.

There were innumerable evil spirits loitering around the massive Zombie Energy Pillars. Within them, an evil spirit, with its head lifted, was breathing the zombie energy as it continued to absorb the energy into its body.

At that moment, the earth began to quake. The spirits turned to look at the source of the quake.

A crowd of players came into sight.

The players followed Wu Guoyi's order and stopped in their tracks when they saw the Zombie Energy Pillar.

The players in the livestream channel had reached a staggering number of 2.3 million. The main objective of the expedition was to destroy the nearest Zombie Energy Pillar to the Mansion of the Dead.

Recently, the players had been mercilessly abused by the evil spirits. Therefore, they were all rather grudgeful. When Wu Guoyi and his team were trying to recruit people for

the expedition, the players were eager to join, wanting to show the Beiqi Army's strength.

"Brothers, we will launch the attack following our plan. The warriors will raid them directly, while the assassins can linger around and kill the remaining spirits. The mages can stay at the back and showcase their skills. The other unique character classes can help according to their respective skills and categories."

Seeing the innumerable amount of evil spirits that began to charge toward them, Wu Guoyi lifted the greatsword in his hand.

"Fall in!" they were about to show evil who would bring the world the real calamity.

"Roar!" the players howled in synchrony.

Then, the mages took a step forward before they began to simultaneously summon the Yin soldiers. Right at that moment, uncountable Yin soldiers were brought to the surface before they climbed out of the ground and formed a blockade of a skeletal army before the troop of players.

# "Attack!"

Under Wu Guoyi's command and the mages' manipulation, the Yin soldiers charged toward the evil spirits.

The warriors quickly followed behind the skeletal Yin soldiers and lunged forward.

The Evil Apocalypse and the Fourth Disaster had their first large-scale conflict.

A war had erupted. Not long after the confrontation commenced, the skeletal army, which was acting as a blockade, was immediately defeated and fell to the ground. Following that, the warriors, who were all ready to fight, performed a Groundbreaking Slash upon receiving Wu Guoyi's command.

The red energy arrived in the form of a massive wave before it swamped the evil spirits at the front line and sent them flying.

However, the players were not done yet. At that moment, many water balls took form in the sky before they gathered above the evil spirits, fell onto them and bashed them mercilessly.

Knowing that they had the upper hand, the players were excited.

The amateurs, who had never joined a large-scale battle before, were especially elated. They had previously watched videos of the Beiqi Army's expeditions, but this was their first time participating in one.

## "Roar!"

At that moment, the evil, which was hidden in the Zombie Energy Pillar, let out an angry howl, causing the Zombie Energy Pillar to shudder. Unnumbered evil spirits appeared above the players before they rained down behind them.

Upon witnessing this scene, panic was immediately plastered on Wu Guoyi's face before he shouted into the live chat channel.

"Assassins, please return to take care of the evil spirits. Meanwhile, mages, please stay vigilant."

The mages were busy dodging the raining evil spirits. In the meantime, some Five Elements Warlocks, knowing that they could never run away, quickly activated the gold state. Meanwhile, the assassins promptly acted upon Wu Guoyi's command and rushed to the back of the array.

Under Wu Guoyi's lead, the troop of players continued to amend their military tactic. They wiped out the evil spirits at the back of the array before they returned to being aggressive and focused on attacking their enemies.

At that moment, a gigantic silhouette escaped the Zombie Energy Pillar and soared into the sky before it rushed toward the troop of players.

"Everyone, stay vigilant! The Ghost General is here! Brace yourselves!"

## Boom!

Immediately after the Evil Ghost General appeared, the array, which was formed by the warriors, was disrupted. Many of the players were killed.

Yet, the players did not fret. Once again, they gathered together and charged toward their enemy.

The players had even defeated Cha Na who was an elite Ghost General. Therefore, they were not afraid of the evil spirit, who was merely a beginner among the Ghost Generals.

All of a sudden, they began to attack the Evil Ghost General heedlessly, assaulting him with overwhelming energy and turning it into a light man.

The Evil Ghost General could not endure such a fierce attack for more than five minutes before it nervously escaped the crowd and returned to the Zombie Energy Pillar.

The players were extremely satisfied by the outcome of their raid.

Their joy lasted for merely a few seconds before the Evil Ghost General, once again, escaped from the Zombie Energy Pillar and soared into the sky before it lunged toward the players.

The players were astonished to discover that the wounds on the Evil Ghost General had completely healed.

"Fuck. That's cheating! How can it heal just by inhaling two breaths of Zombie Energy?"

"I'm going to report this! This is unfathomable!"

"I think we should destroy the Zombie Energy Pillar first. Otherwise, we would never be able to kill all the monsters. If we aren't quick enough to kill them, they will just revive again."

When the players were discussing their strategy, they attacked the Evil Ghost General with their respective skills.

Similarly, the Evil Ghost General did not last for more than a few minutes before he hastily returned to Zombie Energy Pillar to recuperate again. The players were significantly troubled. They reckoned the Evil Ghost General was cheating.

They forced the Evil Ghost General back to the Zombie Energy Pillar again. However, unlike the previous times, the Evil Ghost General did not rush back into action. Instead, it stayed within the Zombie Energy Pillar as it howled to the sky.

The players seized the opportunity to get closer to the Zombie Energy Pillar.

They had finally learned the fact that, only by destroying the Zombie Energy Pillar, they could remove the Evil Ghost General's source of healing. Then, they could regain the upper hand in the battle again.

At that moment, two black meteors struck across the sky and landed beside the Zombie Energy Pillar. Then, two puffs of black smoke signals rose into the sky, forming two huge new Zombie Energy Pillars.

The players were astounded as they saw innumerable evil spirits fall from the top of the Zombie Energy Pillars. Then, two Evil Ghost Generals materialized from their respective Zombie Energy Pillars.

"Fuck!"

### Upon witnessing the scene, Wu Guoyi cursed instinctively.

According to their stratagems, they were supposed to attack their enemy in sequence. However, the players were caught off guard by the evil spirits' unusual retaliation that went beyond their expectations.

Three novices of Evil Ghost Generals were as powerful as an entire Evil Troop. This put Wu Guoyi in a critical situation.

After he reconsidered the situation, Wu Guoyi thought it was necessary to amend their strategy. Otherwise, the players would soon be worn out, having to fight against Evil Ghost Generals, who had a stronger healing power.

"Everyone, we'll execute Plan B! The construction war!"

Upon receiving Wu Guoyi's command, the warriors moved forward, while the mages and assassins stopped in their tracks. They took out the mahogany hut from their personal channel and tossed it to the ground. Immediately, many mahogany huts materialized behind them.

"Summon the Door God!"

Many shadows appeared in the sky above the mahogany huts as the players slowly retreated.

"Warriors, stay behind the hut and summon your mahogany huts as well."

The warriors followed Wu Guoyi's order and promptly retired.

The formation was instantly ruined before the evil spirits howled as they pounced toward the troop.

Yet, the Door God struck an attack by throwing one after another ball of energy toward the evil spirits, who were approaching the players, and sent them flying.

The warriors, who were retiring, quickly summoned their mahogany huts to expand their defensive formation.

This was the players' last resort to fight evil — the construction war!

This was suggested by a professional player when they were discussing how to confront the evil spirits.

The Door God summoned by the mahogany huts had the strength to suppress the evils. Meanwhile, the mahogany huts were unyielding and were able to endure the attack of the evil spirits. Stationing Door Gods at the frontline as their first defense, with the players releasing their strengths at the back, they would certainly become an impregnable and sturdy opponent.

At that moment, that one professional player's idea was proven useful in actual combat.

Many Door Gods formed a blockade and stopped the flock of evil spirits at the periphery. There was no way the spirits could break the barrier formed by the Door Gods.

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The blockade formed by the Door Gods was unyielding. Seeing that the evil spirits were forced to retreat, the players cheered gleefully.

"Brothers, those who have enough soul coins to spare, please level up your Door God. We are depending on our Door Gods to win the war!"

After Wu Guoyi spoke, flashes of white light were continuously lit from the array. Many Door Gods were leveled up and their virtual physiques began to expand and solidify.

"Spend all your soul coins to level up your Door God. Stop hesitating! This is the time!"

"Our almighty Door God!"

"It's time to showcase the power of the Beiqi Army. Level up! Level up!"

"Spend all the cash to enhance our strength!"

"Cash grants me power!"

"Can anyone lend me some soul coins? I need 10 more soul coins to level up. Someone, please help me!""read comics on our webnovel.live"

Many of the players opted to level up their Door Gods and white light continued to flash around them.

The leveled-up Door Gods had become more powerful. Some players had unexpectedly cultivated some special abilities within the Door Gods. Door Gods, who were now stronger than ever, mercilessly eliminated the evil spirits that were charging toward the players.

"Follow our strategy. The players at the back, keep your huts and gradually move them forward, one step at a time!"

Upon receiving Wu Guoyi's command, the players at the back promptly stowed their mahogany huts before they rushed to the frontline and resummoned the huts.

With the power of their Door Gods, the players had, once again, launched an aggressive attack. Meanwhile, the evil spirits were incapable of breaking the Door Gods' defenses and could only retreat.

As the Door Gods were battling evil, the mages created a new safe zone. Before long, many Magic Towers were built. The war had been upscaled.

Upon seeing that, the Evil Ghost Generals could no longer take it lying down. They escaped the Zombie Energy Pillars again and rushed toward the blockade formed by the Door Gods.

Before the evil spirits could land, the Door Gods had fastened them in the middle of the air, before they launched energy missiles and forced them to retire.

"Go back and heal yourself!" the players burst out laughing, looking at the frustrated spirits who were trying to run away.

At that moment, the players were rather satisfied with the outcome of their attack. They felt comfortable to launch their attack as they stayed under the Door Gods' protection. Not only that, they could also earn soul coins and gain experience as the Door Gods killed the evil spirits on their behalf. It was as though they had activated a bot to earn more soul coins.

Every time they eliminated a group of evil spirits, the players would move their construction forward as they slowly approached the Zombie Energy Pillars.

At that moment, the players saw a gleam of hope, thinking that they might be able to win the war.

The war between the two disasters continued to expand. One party focused on healing and creating new forces, while the other party was in defensive mode as they attacked steadily with the help of the Door Gods.

The players seemed to have the upper hand in the battle.

Lu Wu, who had been watching all the while, was impressed by the players' resourcefulness.

Lu Wu's perspective was broadened as he saw how the players attacked by pushing their construction toward their enemies. This further assured him that the players had infinite potential when they were given complete freedom to perform. Facing the players who practiced constant withdrawal as their defensive tactic, the evil spirits howled furiously before they launched multiple attacks at the players. Yet, they failed to destroy the fence that was built by the Door Gods.

Under such circumstances, the three Evil Ghost Generals abruptly stopped in their tracks before they returned to the Zombie Energy Pillars and let out an angry roar.

"Attention, brothers! They're calling for support!" Wu Guoyi quickly warned the players upon seeing what happened.

Just like what they expected, before long, a large number of black shooting stars struck across the sky and fell on the periphery of the players' array. Immediately, the Zombie Energy rose into the sky.

This time, there were a total of twelve Zombie Energy Pillars. The scene had immensely stunned the players.

Aren't we going to handle them one at a time? What are we supposed to do now?

Initially, the players thought that they were being ruthless toward the evil spirits as they were respawning with the help of tools.

However, the Evil Troop repeatedly called for support and created multiple Pools of Revival and Evil Factories, making the players think that the evil spirits were, in fact, more shameless than them.

With the sudden increase in the number of spirits, Wu Guoyi, as the leader, immediately rushed from the back to the center of the array before he yelled his command, "Form an all-around defense. We've been encircled!"

Upon listening to Wu Guoyi's words, the players quickly reduced the size of their line of defense. Leaving the mahogany huts outside the perimeter, they formed an all-around garrison to defend against the evils with a sudden explosion of numbers.

The sudden increase in size of the Evil Troop had once again put the players at a losing position. The players were now struggling to defend themselves.

Occasionally, the players' mahogany huts were ruined. They had no choice but to splurge their soul coins to repair the huts before putting them to use again.

From having the ascendancy to being slightly disadvantaged, the players did not despair. They considered this as a chance to earn money. They continued to assault the enemies outside the periphery with their respective skills, killing the monsters, and earning soul coins.

Under the current circumstances, the common evil spirits were incapable of breaking the line of defense. However, the twelve Evil Ghost Generals were working together to fight the players. The players, who had gotten ready for the fight, gathered their strengths to drive off the twelve Evil Ghost Generals. They had truly become undefeatable.

(Note: The strength of an Evil Ghost General was equivalent to that of a novice Ghost General. They were far weaker than Cha Na, who was about to surpass the Ghost King Realm.)

Soul coins became a very important factor in the war. The soul coins the players earned from killing the evil spirits were spent on leveling up their Door Gods or repairing their mahogany huts. The fight had reached a stalemate.

An hour later.

"My experience has increased by two levels. That's so great! I've just been staying at the same spot as I killed the monsters!"

"The experience of my Door God has increased by two levels. That's so exciting! I hope that these Zombie Energy Pillars can continue to birth more evil. If this persists, we might be able to reach Level 100 collectively."

"I somehow feel at ease. Little evil spirits, please stay strong and continue to throw yourselves at us."

"Spirits, keep it up!"

"Brothers, focus on leveling up your Door Gods. The more powerful your Door God is, the more efficient it is to kill the monsters, and the more experience gained and soul coins earned."

"You're right. Let's level-up our Door Gods first. Activate the bot!"

"I'm somehow envious of the mages. They are able to attack physically alongside the Door Gods and gain experiencee. We, the warriors, can only attack from afar. There's no way we can leave this perimeter."

"I told you that the game is biased toward the mages. They are the strongest character class!"

"Have you not realized that, other than the few professional players, the rest of the players on the leaderboard are all mages? It's true when they say that the mages are the most powerful ones."

"They are only good at killing monsters. The warriors are still the best at one-on-one battle. I think that needs no further elaboration!"

"You're wrong. That's only because you haven't met a Cursed Apostle who has comprehended the Prajñā Scarification. They are, as of now, the most unfathomable beings."

As the players attacked the Evil Ghost Generals, who were charging toward them, they were chattering within the line of defense, and eventually started to compare the different character classes.

Lu Wu was flustered and, at the same time, entertained by the scene.

The only thing that mattered to him was the amount of soul coins in his artifact that continued to grow.

He was trying to feed one war with another. Lu Wu earned commissions when the players killed the evil spirits, leveled up their Door Gods and repaired their mahogany huts. Lu Wu was pleased with the outcome and was finally hopeful about reviving His Excellency Cangxu.

Seeing how his profit grew, Lu Wu was also glad to witness the relentless birth of the evil spirits, which benefited both the players and him.