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Chapter 641: Fury (1)

The moment Shen Yanxiao appeared, Du Lang and his men immediately made way for her.

Su He and his team were on stretchers, and each of them had several arrows on their bodies. It was evident that archers had injured them. Dozens of stretchers were laid horizontally around them. Blood had soaked their clothes, but the arrows embedded in their bodies had yet to be pulled out.

Su He had taken more than forty men when he set off, but only a dozen of them had returned. There were also about 200 demons that tagged along with the team, which included two high-level demons.

The moment they saw Shen Yanxiao, they immediately knelt on one knee and cried, "City master, it is our fault. We did not manage to protect them. Please punish us!"

Shen Yanxiao's complexion turned blue as she looked at Su He and the rest of the team. They were still unconscious, so she suppressed her internal rage and asked, "What happened?!"

The two high-level demons looked guilty as they answered, "We were headed toward the new mine but we were suddenly ambushed. Hundreds of archers had appeared, and they started to attack the humans. They did not attack any demon, so it was clear who they had targeted."

Shen Yanxiao gritted her teeth. Demons had a powerful perception, and two high-level demons could cover hundreds of meters of distance. However, they did not even see their opponent's tracks. It was apparent that the attackers had done something to avoid the demons.

Shen Yanxiao immediately thought of the bewitching powder. It was the only thing that could completely avoid a demon's detection.

"Get them treated and the rest of you, follow me"!

Her heart burned with rage when she saw the pale faces of Su He and his team.

Even though she had bought them as slaves, she had treated them fairly as ordinary people. More than 20 lives were lost in one single ambush; if she could overlook that, then she should not be Shen Yanxiao.

After Su He and the others were sent for treatment, Shen Yanxiao immediately gathered the Cave Wolves Mercenary Group and all the high-level demons in the Sun Never Sets.

"The other three forces must have done this. However, it seemed like they had deliberately concealed their movements. They even launched their attack from a distance and immediately retreated after that. It would be hard to determine their origin." Du Lang furrowed his eyebrows. That attack was a massive blow for them.

They did not even know if the rest of the mining team had survived the attack.

Shen Yanxiao was extremely furious. She had always been able to protect her own people; as long as it was someone from her city, she would never let anyone harm them.

"Identity? I don't care who launched that attack. None of those three forces will escape the blame!" Shen Yanxiao's murderous tone exclaimed.

"It must have been because of our rapid development. They wanted to hinder us. Due to the agreement between the four countries, we cannot afford to act so rashly. If they can find our weakness, they'll use it to suppress us." Du Lang knew that Shen Yanxiao was angry, but it was a complicated situation.

Even though the attackers had launched a sneak raid, they could already guess the culprit behind that. However, they had no concrete evidence, and even if Shen Yanxiao wanted to take revenge, it would most probably backfire.

If that were to happen, even the emperor of the Longxuan Empire would not be able to protect her. The other three countries would use it as an excuse to launch a joint attack on the Sun Never Sets.

Chapter 642: Fury (2)

The Sun Never Sets' city walls were nearly completed. However, if the three countries were to launch a joint attack, the walls would not hold.

"Am I supposed to swallow this anger?" Shen Yanxiao narrowed her eyes. Her head was filled with images of the injured miners. How could she be the city master if she could not protect her people?

"We have no other viable ways right now. We can speed up the construction of the city. It won't be too late to take our revenge after the wall is completed. They must have attacked us because they wanted to hinder our progress. Dealing with them now will cause a delay in our construction." Du Lang looked angry too, but he knew the consequences of their action.

"Reporting to the city master, another three teams have returned to the city. All of them were attacked too." A high-level demon swiftly made his way in and reported another terrifying news.

Shen Yanxiao took a deep breath. It seemed like their opponents were dead set to hinder the construction of her city. It looked like the other teams would have suffered the same fate as well.

They had lost too many people to the series of attacks, so they could not continue their work. Fortunately, they had enough obsidians to complete the rest of the walls.

However, Shen Yanxiao would not let that debt go unpaid!

"Bear with it? If I were to bear with it, does that not mean that I allowed them to harm my people in my own land? Since they dared to attack our teams in the eastern area, do we want to wait for them to cause trouble in my city?! They'll get even more fearless to bully us!" Shen Yanxiao could not swallow that anger. She went to the Forsaken Land to build a city and not to be humiliated as such.

Slaves were human, too, and she would never let them die in vain.

"If I do not take revenge, wouldn't that make my people lose faith in me?" Shen Yanxiao shut her eyes. If it were not for her identity, she would have just brought the Vermillion Bird to wreak havoc on the other three cities for their actions.

Du Lang sighed. He knew that Shen Yanxiao was someone who would always protect her people; she would never swallow that anger.

"However, the other three cities are already deeply rooted in the Forsaken Land. Even if you wish to take revenge or have three mythical beasts, how could you possibly rival against them? They might also

have mythical beasts and other experts. If you were to rush into a trap, then there would be no hope for Sun Never Sets!" Shen Yanxiao was the backbone of the city, and without her, how would they persist? Without her, would the demons still get along with the humans there?

In any case, nothing bad should happen to Shen Yanxiao. Absolutely not!

"Please think thrice!"

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Humans and demons knelt before Shen Yanxiao as they pleaded for her not to be rash.

She was their only hope, and if something were to happen to her, the city could not reconstruct again.

"What's wrong? Did someone bully our Xiaoxiao? Which fool had such courage to do so?" A languid voice echoed from behind the crowd, and that familiar voice caused Shen Yanxiao's heart to jump.

Chapter 643: Phantom's Reunion (1)

The next second, five familiar figures entered her line of sight.

Their beautiful and handsome faces and straightened posture made them seem like they were not of that world.

They were Qi Xia, Yan Yu, Tang Nazhi, Yang Xi, and Li Xiaowei. Those five animals had unexpectedly traveled over land and water to her desolate city. At that very moment, all of them stood before Shen Yanxiao, and a familiar smile could be seen on their faces.

"You... why did you all come?" Shen Yanxiao looked at her five comrades in astonishment. She could hardly believe what she saw.

Qi Xia looked at Shen Yanxiao with a smile and lazily said, "Our little sister came to such a remote place on her own, so how could we let her be? We had some unfinished things to deal with, so we could not tag along the day you left. Since we've completed our tasks, naturally, we had to come here to rely on you. We hope that this small city's master will take us in."

"Speaking of which, Xiaoxiao, you've lost weight in the one month we've not seen you. Is there nothing delicious to eat here?" Tang Nazhi teased Shen Yanxiao, but his smile would make one want to beat him up.

"I see that the city walls are nearly completed. It must have been hard on you this month." Even though Yang Xi had a cold expression on his face, his words were of care and concern.

"Tang Nazhi is right. You've lost weight. I'll just have to fatten you up now that I'm here." Yan Yu said gently.

The comrades that she had not seen for a month had appeared in front of her. Shen Yanxiao's eyes watered when she heard the concern in their voices. The Forsaken Land was not a fun place, and she still remembered how much they disliked it when they talked about it in the past.

However, they had given up their luxurious lives to go to the Forsaken Land because of her.

Shen Yanxiao was shocked by their actions, but at the same time, she rejoiced. She was happy because she had friends like them.

"You... Enough of that. Aren't you afraid that your family heads would come here and drag you back? Are you sure it's not a problem for you to come here?" Shen Yanxiao's nose tightened. She had always been alone, especially since her reincarnation. She had achieved so much by herself.

However, she had not only gained a group of loyal followers, but she also had a group of comrades who would do so much for her.

"We've already made arrangements for that. Won't you come over to look at the presents we brought for you?" Qi Xia chuckled as he pulled Shen Yanxiao toward the street.

Hundreds of carriages were parked there, and each one had about five to six young men.

"Who are they?" Shen Yanxiao was dumbstruck.

"We know that you're building a city, and so, we brought you some help. All of them have their own strengths, from construction to sewing. It would be sufficient for you to build up an entire city." Qi Xia smiled as he said.

Ever since Shen Yanxiao's departure, the five of them had not been idle. They started to recruit various elites from within the Longxuan Empire, and they finally managed to gather a group of people in a month. They had expended a massive deal of effort and energy to persuade those people to go to the Forsaken Land. Not only that, they had suffered no lack of problems to dig up talents from all the different fields.

"Rest assured that they do not belong to our families. No contracts or families restrict them. From today onward, they are under your jurisdiction." Qi Xia raised his hand to pat Shen Yanxiao's head.

Chapter 644: Phantom Reunion (2)

Shen Yanxiao opened her mouth in surprise. No words could describe the shock she had experienced at that moment. She had fumed with rage just moments before, and she had wanted to attack the other three cities. Then, her comrades had suddenly appeared with a large number of resources and talents.

She never expected someone would support and help her like that.

"You all are jerks. Even if you do this, I am still not moved!" Shen Yanxiao gritted her teeth to stop her tears.

"Ha! Who wants gratefulness? Silly girl. We've brought all of our belongings to come under your wing, so you'll have to take good care of us in the future!" Qi Xia stroked Shen Yanxiao's nose tenderly when he realized that she was about to cry.

Shen Yanxiao was not one suited for such an expression. She should jump around all day with a heartless attitude and do things that would shock the world.

"Hey! Do all of you honestly intend to stay here?" Shen Yanxiao sniffled. It was hard for her to accept what they had said. All of them were already contracted to the mythical beast of their family; they were

meant to be their family's head. It seemed like they had abandoned their family and academics to be with her. She was worried about them.

"Of course! It's a rule for all members of our Phantom group to enjoy blessings and endure misfortune together. We can't possibly leave a small girl like you to suffer here, right?" Tang Nazhi smiled. He sounded like an older brother.

Li Xiaowei stood at the side as he listened to their conversation. Tang Nazhi had dragged him along to join the Phantom, and so he had spent quite some time with them. He had seen those young masters run around for the past month. He was curious about their relationship; he wanted to know why they would give everything to help Shen Yanxiao.

Perhaps it was friendship.

The kind where you called them brothers-in-arm.

Du Lang was shocked by Qi Xia and the others' arrival, but they soon recognized those young men's identities.

"The Azure Dragon Family, the White Tiger Family, the Black Tortoise Family, and the Qilin Family... the young masters from the five great aristocratic families of the Longxuan Empire are all here!" Du Lang was shocked. Those five great families represented the top forces of the Longxuan Empire, and there were rumors that they did not get along with each other. However, he did not expect he would have the opportunity to see them gathered there that day.

Furthermore, they were there to help Shen Yanxiao to rebuild her city!

They were the most elite and influential families in the Longxuan Empire, and they had extremely terrifying abilities that no one could imagine.

"Are they here to help us?" Evil Wolf gulped. For a mercenary of his level, he was rarely in contact with anyone from the five great aristocratic families. Therefore, he found the scene hard to believe.

"Since they came here to help the city master, it means that they are here to help us!" Du Lang was filled with all sorts of emotions. It meant that they could finally speed up the construction of the city; their immediate problems would be resolved!

The three countries would not attack them if they had the support from the five great aristocratic families in the Longxuan Empire.

Furthermore, they had brought more talents with them!

With their help, the speed of construction of Sun Never Sets would take a qualitative leap!

Chapter 645: Phantom Reunion (3)

Shen Yanxiao's friend brought about 6700 people from various fields and even more materials with them.

She immediately arranged work for them when she had gone through their abilities. She also told them that the demons in the city would not attack them, and they would also have to be friendly to the demons.

When the new arrivals heard about that, they were shocked. Fortunately, members from the Cave Wolves Mercenary Group explained the situation to them. It seemed like they would be able to adapt to the new environment pretty soon.

"Xiaoxiao, are you serious? The demons here will not attack humans?" Tang Nazhi looked at Shen Yanxiao with a pale face as he felt that everything was too unbelievable.

Just as Shen Yanxiao was about to answer him, the graceful Yao Ji brought a plate of fruits to them. She smiled at the five handsome young men before she took her leave. She even swayed her hips as she walked.

Tang Nazhi's eyes nearly popped out.

What was going on? How did their Xiaoxiao manage to find such a beautiful lady in the city?

Shen Yanxiao looked at Tang Nazhi and slowly said, "Her name is Yao Ji and she's one of the city's 200 high-level demons."

"..." Tang Nazhi felt as if his budding new crush had been crushed into pieces.

"How did you accomplish this feat?" Yang Xi already sensed something amiss the moment he entered the city. He had seen no lack of demons, but they did not harbor any ill intentions toward their group. On the contrary, they had kept their distance.

Shen Yanxiao shrugged her shoulders and said, "I found a method to feed the demons."

"Feed... feed the demons?" Tang Nazhi felt that Shen Yanxiao could amaze the world with a single feat. No one could accomplish what she had done.

First, she had studied to become a Warlock. Then, she went to the Forsaken Land and researched on how to feed the demons. It felt as if she could not rest if she did nothing to surprise other people!

"That's right. The demons were from the devil race, and there were no humans in their homeland. They rely on dark elements for survival, and I found something that could produce dark elements, which basically means food for them. Therefore, they are no longer interested in humans." Shen Yanxiao was honest with her friends.

Qi Xia and the rest had abandoned everything to go to the Forsaken Land for her. Therefore, there was no need for her to conceal anything from them.

"This is indeed a novel idea. It is astonishing that you could accomplish this feat." Qi Xia did not have any reaction about that piece of news, and instead, he found it fascinating.

"Oh right, it seemed like you were in the middle of a discussion when we arrived. You looked angry too. What happened?" Qi Xia asked as he remembered how Shen Yanxiao had looked before that.

The smile on Shen Yanxiao's lips immediately disappeared the moment he mentioned that. Then, she told them about the attacks that the mining teams had encountered.

The five jerks quietly listened to her and only spoke after she finished her explanation.

"Du Lang's suggestion is quite reasonable. However, that type of tolerance is not in line with your personality, and secondly, it would also encourage the enemy's morale. Therefore, you should not go with that decision." Yan Yu analyzed the situation calmly.

"They had reservations because you were the only ones with overwhelming abilities. They did not dare to make you take the risk. However, it is different now. We're here now, so why don't we just toy with them to their deaths?" Qi Xia quirked his brows. Those who dared to mess with their sister should wash their necks and make preparations to die!

Chapter 646: Mythical Beasts for Sale (1)

Shen Yanxiao laughed when she saw the righteous rage in her friends. They were even more anxious than her about that problem.

"Yes, I was overtaken by rage, so I could not think of a good idea. Since you're all here, I have a better plan now." Shen Yanxiao smirked.

"Share your idea with us?" The young men raised their eyebrows. They were extremely familiar with that smile of hers. Every time that little girl smiled like that, they knew that it was an unlucky day for someone.

Shen Yanxiao hooked her finger and motioned for Qi Xia and the others to get closer to her.

"Since they want to stop my teams, let's send some people to them so that they could have their fill."

The five jerks were dumbstruck when Shen Yanxiao said that. Had she gone crazy? What kind of stupid idea was that?

"Are you sure?" Tang Nazhi looked at Shen Yanxiao with doubt.

"Let me finish. They could avoid the demons because they used a special powder on themselves. Therefore, those demons could not sense them. However, they only know one trick. They can avoid the demons, but not mythical beasts."

The young men were no fools, so they immediately knew what she meant when she said that.

"You want to put us into your teams?" Qi Xia quirked his brow. Those who had a mythical beast in the Longxuan Empire were all in the Sun Never Sets. Altogether, they had five mythical beasts with them.

"Yes. Tomorrow, each of us will lead a team. Summon your mythical beast before we set off, and if they discover the enemies' tracks, don't alarm them first. Wait until they're in our attack range before we do anything. I will remove ten miners from each team and replace them with members from the Cave Wolves Mercenary Group. They have experience in combat, and with your mythical beasts, how can we possibly fail?" Shen Yanxiao had a smug expression on her face. Since her opponents had dared to use underhanded means, then she shall let them know what it meant to be shameless!

"However, you send out around twenty different teams every day, and we only have five mythical beasts here." Yang Xi pointed out the problem with the numbers.

"Well, with the ambush that we've encountered, I would have to reduce the number of teams to ten due to the lack of miners," Shen Yanxiao said with a smile.

"But, we are still unable to cater to all the teams?"

"Oh, I forgot to tell you that I invited two Phoenixes to join us," Shen Yanxiao calmly mentioned it.



Li Xiaowei had kept up with the conversation, and he had the same reaction.

"You have another two mythical-level Phoenixes?" Tang Nazhi felt like he was about to die. He thought Shen Yanxiao's city would lack talent and resources. Therefore, their grand arrival would be a massive boost to the city. However, they never expected that the little girl had a card up her sleeves. Other than the Vermilion Bird, she still had two more mythical beasts!

Had mythical beasts decreased in value? How did that little girl pick up so many of them?

"I think I can also contribute one more." Li Xiaowei could hardly suppress his excitement as he looked at the rest with hesitance.

"You have one too?" Tang Nazhi glared at his older brother, and he nearly swallowed his tongue.

Chapter 647: Mythical Beasts for Sale (2)

Li Xiaowei scratched his head in embarrassment and said, "My teacher had given it to me, but our relationship is not as good. I will have to discuss with it."

He even had to consult with his mythical beast before he could make a decision? None of them had ever encountered that situation, and thus, they were amazed.

The Vermilion Bird, who crouched beside Shen Yanxiao, revealed an expression of grief.

How different was it with another master! He even asked his mythical beast's opinion before he made a decision. His tyrannical female master did everything according to her own accord!

Even though Li Xiaowei hung out with ordinary folks with his mother, he got to know a rather powerful Great Archarcher. His teacher taught him well, but unfortunately, he had passed away due to an illness. His teacher had given his magical beast to Li Xiaowei just before he died.

Tang Nazhi knew about that, but he had never seen Li Xiaowei summon his magical beast. He also did not know the level of his magical beast.

He had only learned that his brother's magical beast was of mythical level too!

"What magical beast is it?" Shen Yanxiao was rather curious. There were only a few mythical beasts in the Longxuan Empire, and those who owned one were all from the aristocratic families. Had Li Xiaowei's teacher been so low profile that no one knew about him?

"It's..." Li Xiaowei looked at them and said, "I better summon him. I can also discuss it with him in passing."

The rest of them nodded in unison. They were extremely curious about what other mythical beasts there were in the Longxuan Empire.

Li Xiaowei took a few steps back and slowly summoned his magical beast.

A dark fog hovered in mid-air before it gradually settled into a human form.

A tall, frosty-looking young man appeared in front of them the very next second.

The young man had a headful of black hair down his back. His complexion was pale, and he only wore a pair of elegant and loose black trousers. There was also a gold belt that hung loosely on his waist.

His jaded-green snake eyes looked exceptionally enchanting.

"Stinky brat, why did you summon me?" The snobbish, extremely cool, and explosive mythical beast stared impatiently at Li Xiaowei.

It was indeed hard to determine the beast and the master from their interaction.

"Brother Orochi, my friend has something to discuss with you." Li Xiaowei looked bitter as he spoke nicely to the magical beast.

"Orochi? Could this be the Yamata no Orochi from the legends?" Qi Xia quirked his brows as he realized something about the magical beast.

When he heard someone call out his name, Orochi glanced at him. Its vertical pupils were incredibly creepy.

As he glanced at the humans, a certain glimpse of a figure had attracted Orochi's attention.

Similar to a ghost, Orochi's tall statue flashed past and appeared before Shen Yanxiao in a blink of an eye.

His slender and white fingers lifted Shen Yanxiao's jaw. He narrowed his eyes as he looked at that exceedingly gorgeous human.

"I've not seen such a delicious human for a long time." An ambiguous smile blossomed on his lips.

That scene had shocked everyone on the spot!

It was their first time seeing a mythical beast teasing a human!

"You motherf*cker had better loosen your hands!" The Vermilion Bird immediately exploded and shot two fireballs to greet Orochi.

Chapter 648: Mythical Beasts for Sale (3)

Orochi immediately dodged the Vermilion Bird's attack.

When he looked at that furious little guy, Orochi stroked his chin.

"You look familiar."

The Vermilion Bird sneered and said, "What a joke! It's a pity this lord did not bake you lecherous snake back then!

Orochi raised his brow.

"You are Vermilion Bird?"

"That's me!"

When she realized that Orochi and the Vermilion Bird were about to start a fight, Shen Yanxiao did not care that she had been 'teased." Instead, she was more interested in what the Vermilion Bird had said.

"The both of you knew each other?"

"Yes." The Vermilion Bird snorted unhappily as he tried to wipe Shen Yanxiao's chin with his small hands. It was as if he wanted to wipe where Orochi had touched.

"Seems like you do not have a good relationship." Shen Yanxiao allowed him to do as he wished.

"This jerk is on the Devil clan's side in the past," the Vermilion Bird said.

"Devil clan?"

When he saw that everyone was looking at him, Orochi shrugged and said, "Each to its owner. Unfortunately, that master of mine did not manage to escape, and he passed away in the human world. Therefore, I was left to his descendants."

Tang Nazhi gulped as he looked at Li Xiaowei.

"Brother, was your teacher a descendant from the Devil clan?"

That piece of news was too sensational.

"I don't know." Li Xiaowei was also in the dark about that.

"Even if he was a descendant from the Devil clan, he was still human. After so many generations of reproduction and integration in human society, the Devil clan's bloodlines should be close to none." Qi Xia kept his cool.

"So, why did you summon me? If you have any requests, I can help you, but I want this human." Orochi pointed at Shen Yanxiao.

"You motherf*cker..." The Vermilion Bird almost pounced on him again, but fortunately, Shen Yanxiao managed to stop him.

"Brother Orochi. You won't be able to want her. Other than the Vermilion Bird, she has two other mythical beasts..." Li Xiaowei could not bear Orochi's flirting, so he decided to be honest with him.

He knew that Orochi could not afford to provoke that beautiful girl. She had three mythical beasts with her, and they could slaughter Orochi in minutes.

"Oh?" Orochi raised his brow.

Even though he was lecherous, he was no fool. Therefore, he obediently skipped over that topic. Of course, if he dared to continue teasing Shen Yanxiao, the few young men there would have summoned their mythical beasts to deal with him.

Li Xiaowei told Orochi about Shen Yanxiao's plan. It did not seem like he had any problem with it as he had only one question. "Can I eat them?"

"..." Shen Yanxiao was speechless. He did not expect the mythical beast to be so direct.

"Yes." Alas, Shen Yanxiao nodded. She did not intend to let any of her enemies go anyway.

"Remember, after we left the city, if you encounter an enemy, don't let a single one go. Slaughter every single one of them!" Shen Yanxiao narrowed her eyes. It was her first time with an order to kill. She understood that her hands would be stained in blood after that.

However, so what?

"Even with your two Phoenixes and Orochi, you still lack two more to lead the team," Qi Xia said.

Shen Yanxiao smiled and said, "The Vermilion Bird shall lead a team, and Little Feng and I will lead the other two teams."

Chapter 649: A Taste of One's Own Medicine (1)

Meanwhile, at the Fantasy Devil City, Geng Di had just received a report from his subordinates. He could finally smile after a few gloomy days.

"We've killed hundreds of them? Haha, well done."

Qu Rui was secretly delighted as he listened in on their conversation and as he sang praises to Geng Di's plan.

"You are very wise, City Master. It doesn't look like they suffered small losses."

Geng Di waved his hand and said, "How could I be the only one? I heard that the other two city masters had also done the same thing. I did not expect we'd have the same plan. With attacks from all three sides, I'd like to see how long can Shen Yanxiao survive. If she wants to build a city in the Forsaken Land, she'll still have to ask for our permission!"

Qu Rui hastily added, "That's right. How can that witless young girl be your match? Thanks to your keen observation, we were able to pass the information to the other city masters in time so that they could send some men to monitor the situation there."

If Geng Di had not ordered his men to spread the information, the God Wind Alliance and the Seventh Kingdom would probably still be in the dark about the eastern area's situation. They would not be able to hinder Shen Yanxiao's progress.

Geng Di chuckled and said, "It's natural to share such information. Those two men had built their cities in the North and West much earlier, and so they had better foundation than us. With their help, they had saved me some trouble. Let's continue sending those men to attack the mining teams. We'll see if Shen Yanxiao and her people would dare to leave their city in the next few days."

Those three forces had uncommon might. They could sever the Sun Never Sets' connection with the outside world. The moment someone left that city, their enemy would attack them immediately. No one would dare to leave the city after that, which meant the city's construction progress would be stopped.

Even if she had many workers, even the most intelligent housewife could not cook without rice. Eventually, they would run out of food, and if they could not get help from outside, they would be forced to a corner. They could not even continue to stay in the Forsaken Land, let alone to build a city.

The bodyguard then left to pass Geng Di's orders to his subordinates.

They would continue to attack the Sun Never Sets.

In the afternoon, the Sun Never Sets' mining teams set off once again. Their opponents' man, who stood guard outside the city, saw them as they left. The man immediately sent a signal to the rest of his team, who laid in wait for an ambush.

"Looks like they are a fearless bunch. They still dared to leave the city even though we attacked them yesterday," one of the men snorted.

"What can they do if they don't leave the city? I don't think they have any other option. It looks like they had to put the construction on hold. If they don't leave, then they won't be able to continue with the walls," another man said.

"In any case, they're at a dead end. No one would care about their struggle. No one from the Longxuan Empire had successfully built their city in the Forsaken Land yet. They have only themselves to blame for their untimely arrival. The current situation here is not something they can afford to get involved in now."

"I heard that the other two cities also took the same action. They had sent many intermediate and advanced level archers for the attack. Their victims were destined to be a hedgehog."

The man laughed. "One of my brothers was outside the city, and he said that their city master is a charming little beauty."

Chapter 650: A Taste of One's Own Medicine (2)

"Really? A woman? A woman would dare to come to the Forsaken Land to be a city master? She must be sick of living."

The group of men, who were stationed in and outside of the city, continued to gossip to the extent they did not a team was approaching from afar.

The other men looked common enough; fifty of them carried some tools on their shoulders as they walked. A high-level demon and five intermediate ones led the way while more than a hundred low-level demons trailed behind them.

If the gossiping group of men paid any attention to the new arrivals, they would notice a black-cloaked petite silhouette hidden amongst them.

The figure was wrapped in a black cloak, so she did not look too different from the demons around her.

"Xiu, in a short while, activate your perception and pay attention to any movement around you." The petite silhouette belonged to Shen Yanxiao, who was there to protect the team. Due to her short height, she could only pretend to be a demon with a bent spine and trailed behind the group.

Almost everyone opposed her idea when she said that she would lead a team of her own.

She was only an advanced Warlock if she did not have the Vermilion Bird or two Phoenixes with her. It was rather difficult for them to sense any hidden enemies in the wasteland. Her friends almost tied her up to keep her from going with her plan.

Shen Yanxiao had assured repeatedly that she could deal with it, but she was pressured into bringing six wolves in her team. It was then that her friends had reluctantly allowed her to go off on her own.

Shen Yanxiao did not actually need a mythical beast because she had Xiu with her. He had even more powerful perception abilities than the mythical beasts.

That was something she had not revealed to anyone as it was her biggest secret.

She did not even dare to reveal a single word to those five jerks.

"About one kilometer ahead, a hundred archers are hiding behind the southeast mound." Xiu did not disappoint as he quickly detected those bastards.

In comparison to a mythical beast, Xiu's perception abilities could be described as terrifying.

Shen Yanxiao narrowed her eyes, and her pitch-black silhouette stealthily flashed past the demons, similar to a light breeze.

Evil Wolf was walking at the front of the team when he felt an immense pressure on his back.

Not only did they have to deal with the enemies, but they also had to pay attention to a certain city master's safety.

The other teams had the mythical beasts to support them, but their team was rather pitiful. Even though they had advanced level experts with them, they had only intermediate-level magical beasts with minimal perception abilities. It would be difficult to detect the whereabouts of their enemies.

They honestly felt like crying. Their city master had crossed the line. They thought it was better to reduce the number of teams than to let her take the risk alone, without the help of her mythical beast. If she were to lose even a single strand of hair, Du Lang would probably scold them to their death, and the demons in the city would also tear them to pieces.

There were also those handsome and influential young masters! From their attitude toward Shen Yanxiao, they would probably kill the wolves if they did not take good care of that little lady!

Just as they wanted to weep, Shen Yanxiao's voice suddenly sounded in their minds.

"There are a hundred archers hiding behind the southeast mount, about one kilometer ahead. Everyone, prepare yourselves." The Cave Wolves Mercenary Group's members changed their positions as they prepared to welcome their enemy.