

## The Lord 831

### Chapter 831: Little Nine

Zhao Fu's sight extended outside the Legacy Land into the outside world. His mind only had the true experts of the various races, and Zhao Fu did not put the human world's Legatees in his eyes at all. Destroying them was simply a matter of time.

Zhao Fu turned into a ray of light and disappeared over the horizon, allowing everyone to let out a sigh of relief. The people from the various schools and sects had wanted to come over and talk with Great Qin's Legatee to improve their relations, and some were even interested in submitting.

However, Great Qin's Legatee's terrifying aura had caused their bodies to freeze up, making it so that they did not dare to take a single step close to him.

After arriving back at the Great Qin City, there were only a few minutes until it was midnight. Tomorrow, it would be the New Year Festival, which was another group festival. Zhao Fu decided to spend his Virtue Points today or else it would be a waste.

Because one could only earn points for themselves in individual festivals, the number of points that one could gain was much less than in a group festival, so all items were much cheaper. The next festival would be a group festival, so all of the rewards would require a large number of points. If Zhao Fu allowed his current Virtue Points to be converted at a 10:1 ratio, he would not be able to buy anything at the start of the New Year Festival anyways.

Zhao Fu had long since decided how to spend these Virtue Points. He came before the Exchange Stone Stele, and since the focus of the Disaster Festival was medicinal pills, there were many things related to medicinal pills for sale.

Zhao Fu decided to spend his Virtue Points on Stage 4 spirit grass seeds. Great Qin was still using Stage 3 medicinal pills made from Windbell Fruits, and it was time to upgrade to better medicinal pills.

Great Qin already had pill recipes for Stage 4 and Stage 5 medicinal pills, but they lacked spirit grasses, so they naturally could not refine them. Zhao Fu had a look at the Exchange Stone Stele and saw a large amount of Stage 4 spirit grass seeds, so he decided to mass-purchase them.

Great Qin now had a massive population, so he needed to buy in large quantities, or else they would have to wait for a long time before they could finally mass-produce new medicinal pills.

After spending all of the Virtue Points, Zhao Fu ended up with 200,000 or so seeds. The other Great Qin City Lords had also killed some Disaster Beasts and obtained some Virtue Points, so Zhao Fu also had them exchange for Stage 4 spirit grasses.

However, their gains were not very great, as they mainly focused on killing Level 10 Disaster Beasts, so they barely killed anything else.

After collecting all of the seeds, Zhao Fu gave them to the Medicine Department and had them mass-plant them. Also, Yao Shi, the short fatty, was indeed quite capable and had helped Great Qin make some variations to medicinal pills, making them much more powerful.

At the same time, he had provided Great Qin with some rare medicinal pill recipes, which had greatly helped Great Qin.

Soon, it was 12 AM. The big, round moon shined down moonlight, illuminating the dark blue sky, and there were also a few stars around it.

Suddenly, the temperature became cold as snowflakes slowly floated down from the sky. Zhao Fu looked up and saw that the whole sky was covered by descending snowflakes.

It seemed that it was going to snow again for the New Year Festival. Even though it was quite unnecessary, it provided a certain atmosphere that made people think of the New Year. Following this, Zhao Fu started to prepare for the New Year Festival.

Two days later, the Six Day Festival finally ended, and the human world's final festival concluded. There would no longer be any system events, making Zhao Fu feel a bit disappointed.

Great Qin's gains in the last two days were quite good, obtaining some General Fates, which Zhao Fu gave to the various indigenous resident Generals, giving them the Fates of historical Generals.

Zhao Fu also exchanged for a Historical Grade Pill for Li Si, which was a medicinal pill that could increase the Grade and Fate of a historical figure. Zhao Fu finally raised Li Si to SSS grade, finally doing something that he had wanted to do for a long time.

As for Zhao Fu's gains from the Trial Festival, there was now a three or four-year-old girl clinging onto Zhao Fu's body. Her skin was very white, and she looked incredibly cute. She had an innate charm to her, which made people's souls tremble when looking at her.

She wore a red dress and had nine snow-white tails. Her two little hands were around Zhao Fu's neck, and her body clung onto Zhao Fu.

Apart from this, there was also a little dog. The little dog had three heads and was black-colored. It also had small fangs and a pair of large eyes, and the little dog gave off a faint sulfuric smell. It looked both ferocious and cute.

It affectionately stood beside Zhao Fu, rubbing its little head against Zhao Fu's leg. It then barked a few times cutely.

They were naturally the Nine-tailed Devil Fox and Hell Cerberus. When Zhao Fu had exchanged for them, they had only been eggs. However, Zhao Fu had discovered spirit liquids that could greatly decrease their incubation period, so Zhao Fu had bought them and hatched them almost immediately.

Zhao Fu was not too surprised at the appearance of the Hell Cerberus, but he had been quite startled by the Nine-tailed Devil Fox's appearance. She had appeared in humanoid form, which Zhao Fu had not expected at all.

Ordinarily, devil beasts could transform into human form, but that required an extremely high Cultivation. This Nine-tailed Devil Fox was born in human form, which Zhao Fu felt quite surprised about, and he had asked the golden dragon about this.

The golden dragon had not been too surprised, and it simply replied that some races had the ability to transform into human form from the very beginning, such as snakes, dragons, phoenixes, cats, foxes, and raccoons. They could all transform into human form quite early on, and the ones with the most potential were cat devils and fox devils.

The Six Day Festival had only just ended, and they had not been alive for very long. Because Zhao Fu had used his blood when incubating them, both of them were quite affectionate towards him.

This was especially so for the Nine-tailed Devil Fox, which he named Little Nine – she was incredibly clingy, and with a high-grade bloodline, she was incredibly intelligent. Zhao Fu had given her a Language Stone, allowing her to quickly grasp the human language, but she could not speak fluently quite yet.

As for the Hell Cerberus, Zhao Fu had decided to name it Hell Dog. It was also quite intelligent, and its innate attributes were very powerful.

Now that the Six Day Festival had just ended, there was a mountain of things for Zhao Fu to take care of. There were many things that had accumulated during the festival, many of which were incredibly important.

“Little Nine, come down for now; I have some things to take care of,” Zhao Fu said as he smiled and looked down at Little Nine.

Hearing this, Little Nine pouted, looking quite unhappy as tears appeared in her eyes. She looked incredibly pitiful, causing Zhao Fu’s heart to tremble, and he comforted her a bit.

At the same time, Zhao Fu remembered that the golden dragon had told him about how Little Nine had an innate charm to her that was formless and could not be defended against. It was an extremely profound charm, and in the Heaven Awaken World, Nine-tailed Devil Foxes were quite dangerous.

It seemed that Zhao Fu needed to be wary around her.

## Chapter 832: Ghost Soldiers

Zhao Fu gave the two pets over to others to take care of while he went to deal with the matters that had accumulated during the festival. The first thing was the Flower Devils.

Great Qin now had a Lord class Flower Devil Seed and many ordinary Flower Devil Seeds. He wondered if they would look like the Flower Devils from the event, but Zhao Fu mainly cared about their strength; everything else was of secondary concern.

Zhao Fu looked at Great Qin’s map – if he wanted to nurture a large number of Flower Devils, they would require a large area just for them, and Zhao Fu soon found a large plains area.

Zhao Fu first used the Flower Domains, which could aid in the growth of Flower Devils and make sure that flowers would never wilt. This covered everything within 100,000 kilometers, and it would turn this place into an ocean of flowers.

The Flower Domain that Zhao Fu used was the white Japanese rose. Zhao Fu placed it on the ground, and it quickly grew countless roots and stabbed into the ground. A white light rippled out, and Zhao Fu could immediately sense a faint domain power covering the surrounding 100,000 kilometers.

Following this, Zhao Fu took out the Lord class Flower Devil Seed, dug a hole, put it in, sprinkled some water from the Fountain of Life on it, and covered it up again.

Zhao Fu also brought some other people to come and help, because it would take far too long for Zhao Fu to plant all of the Flower Devil Seeds himself. Everyone planted the Flower Devil Seeds at certain distances away from each other and sprinkled some water from the Fountain of Life as well.

Following this, Zhao Fu took out a gray ball, which was the World Flower Seed. With the Flower Domain, as well as countless Flower Devils, it would be perfect to plant this World Flower Seed here.

After dealing with the things from the Ten Thousand Flower Festival, Zhao Fu started to look for places with Yin Qi to create Ghost Soldiers. Soon, Zhao Fu found a suitable place in a region called the Nether Province, where there was a valley with a large amount of natural Yin Qi.

Zhao Fu brought some people and changed the shape of the terrain, making it flatter. They then set up a Yin Qi Formation that gathered all of this region's Yin Qi, which would be used for converting Ghost Soldiers.

The Yin Qi Formation was extremely effective, and Zhao Fu was quite glad that he had exchanged for it. With the Yin Qi Formation set up, the surrounding Yin Qi quickly gathered and formed a dense fog that covered the surrounding tens of thousands of kilometers.

Following this, some spirits and monsters were attracted over, greedily trying to devour the dense Yin Qi. However, after Zhao Fu set up a stone stele, a formless King's aura rippled out, scaring the countless spirits and monsters into immediately running away.

After setting down the Ghost King Gravestone, no ordinary spirit or monster would dare to come close. Zhao Fu also placed the 12 meter tall Ghost Army Flag there, causing Yin Qi to gather even quicker, and an aura of killing was also gathered, causing the gloomy fog to have a hint of bloodthirstiness.

Zhao Fu also set up the Ghost Marquis Gravestones nearby, increasing the power of the domain.

Next, Zhao Fu thought about how to use the Ghost Commander Seals, Ghost Marquis Seals, and Ghost King Seal. The Ghost Soldiers would only have an innate battle intent, and even though they used to be Great Qin's soldiers, they would not immediately follow Great Qin's orders.

As such, they needed to use the Ghost Seals to control the Ghost Soldiers. Zhao Fu planned to use the Ghost Seals to create a formation that would allow Great Qin to control the Ghost Soldiers as soon as they were created in order to avoid anything unexpected.

Zhao Fu set up a Ghost Seal Formation with the Gravestones at the center. Within the gray magic formation, he set up the Ghost Commander Seals on the outside, the Ghost Marquis Seals on the inside, and the Ghost King Seal at the very center.

After setting these things up, Zhao Fu ordered people to bring out hundreds of coffins, all of which were made out of Yin Wood. These coffins helped with converting Ghost Soldiers and would preserve as much of their strength as possible.

Within the coffins, there were armored corpses holding weapons; they were all soldiers who had died in battle while fighting for Great Qin.

The reason that they were still wearing equipment was that when they became Ghost Soldiers, the equipment they had would absorb a large amount of Yin Qi, so Zhao Fu would not have to prepare any equipment or weapons for them.

They only had this many soldier corpses right now; Great Qin's soldiers who had died in the past had all been given burials. Zhao Fu did not want to disturb their rest, and he naturally would not dig their bodies up; after all, they were soldiers of Great Qin.

If it was anyone else, in order to obtain these benefits, Zhao Fu would not even hesitate to dig up their corpses. However, Zhao Fu had his own principles, and he would never lay his hands on his own soldiers.

He even considered making enemy soldiers into Ghost Soldiers, which would be able to greatly boost the Ghost Soldiers' numbers, but it was possible that things could go wrong, as they had been killed by Great Qin and could still harbor resentment towards Great Qin.

At the start, they could be controlled by the Ghost Seals, but once they became more powerful and their hatred exploded, they could rebel.

This was something that Zhao Fu was quite worried about – if many Ghost Soldiers rebelled and ferociously attacked, Great Qin would suffer great losses.

Suddenly, Zhao Fu thought of something and smiled. The corpses that Great Qin had were not only Great Qin's soldiers but also corpses from the battle between the Dark Demon race and Spirit Light race. Great Qin had also obtained a large number of corpses from the battles between the human world and the Fish Scale world.

Great Qin had not killed these soldiers, so they would not feel any direct resentment towards Great Qin. Even though they would not be as loyal as Great Qin's soldiers, they could still be controlled by the Ghost Seals.

When he thought of this, Zhao Fu grinned and ordered people to prepare even more coffins. Great Qin could command 25 million Ghost Soldiers, and Great Qin had 700 million corpses stored up. Taking out 25 million corpses to become Ghost Soldiers would be no problem at all.

After placing all of the coffins within the formation, they could only wait, so Zhao Fu turned his gaze to the things from the Divine Fish Festival.

There were three main things that he needed to take care of from the Divine Fish Festival: one was the Deep Sea Tree Fish, one was the Mermaids, and the last one was choosing 36 Mages.

Deep Sea Tree Fish were extremely precious cooking materials, so their living conditions were incredibly strict. Great Qin did not have any seas, but it had some saltwater lakes, where they could raise these Deep Sea Tree Fish. At the same time, they had all sorts of spirit liquids that they poured into the lakes in order to help with the growth of the Deep Sea Tree Fish.

As for the Mermaids, Zhao Fu created another ten or so Mermaid Villages that could spawn ordinary Mermaids. They could give weak blessings, which had to do with their bloodlines.

The two male Mermaids that Zhao Fu had obtained at the start had fairly pure bloodlines, so their blessings were stronger. Zhao Fu wanted to nurture more Mermaids and obtain higher-grade bloodlines that would improve their blessings.

### Chapter 833: Big Matter

The third thing for Zhao Fu to do was to find owners for the 36 Fish God Magic Staffs. Zhao Fu picked out 36 people who performed quite well and converted their professions to professions related to water. The Fish God Magic Staffs' forbidden skill had to do with water, so this would increase the forbidden skill's power.

After completing the things for the Divine Fish Festival, it was time for Zhao Fu to take care of the things from the Disaster Festival. Zhao Fu had obtained five Level 10 Disaster Beast Crystals, which were of metal, wood, water, fire, and earth elements.

With these Level 10 Disaster Beast Crystals, Zhao Fu upgraded the ten Disaster Cavalrymen into high-grade Lord class creatures. Their auras were now only a bit weaker than the boss monsters of a region, and each of them could control 300,000 Undead. With the ten of them, they could control three million Undead.

The next thing to take care of was the Disaster Seeds. Great Qin had many Gold grade cities as ordinary system main cities were all Gold grade.

Zhao Fu chose a city at random to fuse with a Disaster Seed, turning it into a Disaster City, giving it powerful disaster power.

After dealing with all of these matters, Zhao Fu finally breathed out in relief and returned to Great Qin to rest to recover from the exhaustion he had built up.

A day after the Six Day Festival, a big matter shook the entire world, changing the status quo in the whole world.

On that day, Zhao Fu became mad with joy, and all of his subordinates also looked delighted, as they had never thought that something like this would happen. It was simply too sudden and too important, causing many people to laugh in joy.

What had happened was that 600 or so City Lords had decided to join Great Qin. Indeed, 600 system main cities had decided to submit to Great Qin and become part of it.

Just the population alone of 600 or so system main cities was around 300 million, and they had around six million Stage 1 soldiers. No matter how calm and collected Zhao Fu was, hearing that such a large force had decided to join Great Qin, he could not help but madly laugh.

The main reason for this was because most of the system main cities had relocated and gathered together so that it was not just three or four system main cities per region.

There were now often more than a hundred system main cities gathered together, forming a massive cluster of system main cities.

There were two main factions among these clusters. One hated players and wanted to kill all players, viewing players as evil creatures that had to be eliminated.

The other faction treated players better and gave all sorts of benefits, but the prerequisite was that one had to be loyal to them and sign a contract. They did not allow any players who were not loyal to them to enter their territory.

This meant that ordinary players had lost the protection of cities and could not freely visit system main cities, which had dealt a heavy blow to them.

People could do anything they wanted outside of system main cities, making the world truly chaotic.

Killing people and committing arson was fine outside of the system main cities, but within system main cities, they had to follow the rules already established. Now that many system main cities had relocated and gathered together, players could do whatever they wanted in the empty regions.

Killing, stealing, pillaging happened everywhere, and nowhere was safe. There was no place where they could receive protection, and those who were the most scared were, of course, the ordinary people.

The larger factions had the power to set up new rules and maintain peace in their territories, but places without big factions were places of danger where the strong devoured the weak.

Zhao Fu did not have the time to care about what was happening in the rest of the world. Now that 600 or so system main cities had joined Great Qin, Great Qin's strength once again greatly increased.

Great Qin now had one billion people and 160 million soldiers. There were 130 million or so Stage 1 soldiers, 4.2 million Stage 2 soldiers, 400,000 Stage 3 soldiers, and 15,000 Stage 4 soldiers.

Great Qin originally controlled 160 regions, but as the cities around Great Qin either moved away or joined Great Qin, many of the regions around it had become empty.

There were around 260 of these empty regions in the east, west, and south of Great Qin. Zhao Fu did not count those in the north, because any further north was the territory of Vietnam.

Now, Great Qin's job was to clear out these 260 regions. If they could do that, Great Qin would be able to control 420 regions, which was a shocking number.

Right now, Great Qin had four Capital Cities, 2,072 Great Cities, 39 Cities, 280 Towns, and 28,489 Villages.

Great Qin's strength could now rival that of a large nation in the real world, and Zhao Fu now felt immensely confident.

The reason 600 or so City Lords had been willing to join Great Qin was because of Great Qin's foreign policy and its strength. It was only because of this that Great Qin had been able to attract so many people.

What had caused this was fear of not being able to use the neutral mode in the future, which would allow players to gather together to destroy system main cities. This was why the system main cities had all mass-relocated. If they lost neutral mode and were too spaced out, they would definitely be attacked by countless players and destroyed.

They were already afraid, so they had to gather together, and that was why the 600 or so system main cities had joined Great Qin. There was no time for any hesitation, and if they did not join any alliances, they would have to join Great Qin.

When he thought of this, Zhao Fu made preparations to properly welcome the new City Lords. He then returned to the real world and ordered people to collect information on this.

As expected, many players had the same thoughts and gathered together to attack some of the system main cities that had not yet relocated. However, they found that neutral mode was still there, and a powerful defensive barrier covered the entire system main city.

After finding out about this, Zhao Fu felt a bit surprised. However, he understood that even if the system main cities still had neutral mode, this would not last for too long. They had made this move ahead of time in order to not be caught out when neutral mode was gone.

The fact that the neutral mode of system main cities was about to disappear meant that the real world would soon be devoured by the Heaven Awaken World. There was less and less time.

At the same time, Zhao Fu found out that it was not just Great Qin who had benefitted from this. The various other Dynasty Legatees had attracted many City Lords to join, and they had become much more powerful as well.

#### Chapter 834: Great Wall

It was not just Zhao Fu who realized that the real world would soon be devoured; others also realized this, so they started to make all sorts of preparations in advance.

Soon after Zhao Fu had returned to the real world, the Ying family's family leaders came to visit him. One of the family leaders courteously smiled as he said, "Zhao Fu, the real world is about to be destroyed; when can the Ying family join Great Qin? Our Ying family is ready at any time."

They had come over especially for this matter: their Ying family was the imperial family of Great Qin, yet they had never even been to Great Qin yet. As such, they felt quite awkward.

They were willing to give everything to Great Qin and listen to all commands of Great Qin's Legatee. They were willing to talk with Zhao Fu so courteously so that they could assimilate into Great Qin and restore their status as the imperial clan of Great Qin. Great Qin and the Ying family could not be separated.

Zhao Fu thought about this for a while. Right now, he did not want anything to affect Great Qin. For all this time, Great Qin had been ruled by Zhao Fu, and if other factions joined, this would create an obstacle to Zhao Fu's rule.

However, since the Ying family was the imperial clan of Great Qin, they had to join Great Qin sooner or later. Zhao Fu himself had the Ying family's bloodline as well; this was something that could not be changed.

"Mm! Great Qin's Legatee will organize a time for the Ying family to join Great Qin. There's nothing for you to worry about!" Zhao Fu replied.

Hearing this, brilliant smiles appeared on the family leaders' faces, and they felt much more at ease.

At that moment, one of the family leaders said, "Zhao Fu, does the Legatee know of our Ying family's young masters and big misses? Ying Xi and Ying Qiu are the women with the purest bloodline, and they're extremely beautiful as well. We've discussed for them to serve the Legatee and become his concubines."

Zhao Fu felt quite startled but understood what the family leaders wanted. Zhao Fu was only from the collateral family and only had a bit of the Ying family's bloodline. He had only been able to obtain Great Qin's Legacy because he was quite lucky.

The Ying family's main family had the purest bloodlines, and they wanted to become closer with Zhao Fu and make Zhao Fu truly a part of the Ying family.

Zhao Fu was not very familiar with Ying Qiu, but he knew Ying Xi quite well. Back then, he had only survived because of her protection.

Even though she seemed quite kind and gentle, she only saw Zhao Fu as a chess piece and did not truly care about him. In fact, she could even just casually hand him over to Wu Qingniang.

Zhao Fu knew clearly what Ying Xi thought. Back then, when his status was lowly and Great Qin had not developed yet, he could not change anything, so he had had to submit to her.

However, Zhao Fu felt some gratitude to Ying Xi; after all, it was only because of her protection that he had been able to stay alive.

Hearing that Ying Xi would be sent by the Ying family to serve him, Zhao Fu thought about it and replied, "I will report this to the Legatee to consider; don't do anything for now."

Hearing this, the family leaders were slightly disappointed, but they still happily smiled because at least Great Qin's Legatee was willing to accept the Ying family into Great Qin.

After sending off the family leaders, Zhao Fu had a bit to eat. As he was about to re-enter the Heaven Awaken World, a bodyguard reported that Zhang Hongmei had come to see him, and he allowed her to enter.

Zhang Hongmei's face was slightly red, and her eyes were hazy. Her legs were tightly pressed together, and she shyly looked to the side, not daring to look at Zhao Fu directly.

Seeing this, Zhao Fu sighed!

After returning to the Heaven Awaken World, Zhao Fu made plans to properly digest those 600 or so system main cities and truly assimilate them into Great Qin.

At the same time, Zhao Fu started clearing the surrounding regions. Great Qin now had 160 million soldiers, and he split 150 million of them into 15 teams to clear out regions, while the other ten million defended the Great Wall.

With their various buffs and methods, the 15 teams simultaneously cleared out regions. Each team could clear out a region in a week, so in one week, Great Qin could clear out 15 regions. It would take roughly a month to clear out the surrounding 60 regions. In that case, clearing out all 260 or so regions would take roughly four months.

The Great Qin City had already obtained a lot of EXP previously, and after obtaining the EXP from 600 or so system main cities joining, it would be able to level up to a Level 6 Capital City after clearing out some regions.

When that time came, Great Qin would be able to restore its empire and officially establish a Kingdom in the Heaven Awaken World. With 420 regions, Zhao Fu decided that they would have to

build a second Great Wall. Great Qin's Inner Great Wall only surrounded 31 regions, which was simply too small. As such, it was necessary to build a second Great Wall.

This Great Wall would surround and protect all of the regions that Great Qin had devoured, truly turning them into Great Qin's territory.

Those 420 regions would not only cover Great Qin's regions in Chinese territory but also Great Qin's regions in Vietnamese territory as well.

There were around 350 regions in Vietnam's territory, and there were 11 or so of them near Great Qin that were without system main cities but still had a large number of Vietnamese players.

Great Qin had greatly expanded to the east, west, and south, so of course it would expand towards the north as well.

Zhao Fu had already made plans to devour 120 regions in Vietnamese territory, which was equivalent to a third of Vietnam. As soon as the neutral mode disappeared, the pieces that Great Qin had hidden in Vietnam would be of great use, allowing Great Qin to easily take down those regions.

Adding on another 120 regions, Great Qin would control 540 regions. Constructing a Great Wall that contained all of these regions would be a monumental task and would require a significant amount of time.

As such, Zhao Fu decided to start constructing the Great Wall now along Great Qin's eastern, western, and southern sides. They would build the Great Wall as they cleared out regions. After clearing out the regions, the Great Wall would soon be complete.

Moreover, as the system main cities gathered together, forming large factions, there appeared many of such factions around Great Qin.

The largest faction in the west was made up of 900 or so City Lords, the largest faction in the east was made up of 700 or so City Lords, and the largest faction in the south was made up of 600 or so City Lords. The two largest factions in the Vietnamese territory to the north were made up of an alliance of 200 City Lords and an alliance of 180 City Lords.

Of the four directions around Great Qin, the weakest one was the northern side, as there were only 380 cities in total. Vietnam had been forced into a very disadvantageous position by Great Qin and was naturally the weakest.

In order to have time to clear out these regions and safely build the Great Wall, Great Qin continued to send out ambassadors with gifts to express their goodwill.

#### Chapter 835: Level 6 Capital City

Even though the factions around Great Qin were all quite powerful, Great Qin was still the most powerful. Right now, Great Qin had 2,000 City Lords, and its might covered the surrounding 1,000 or so regions. It had to be known that China's northern side only had 2,000 regions or so in total.

With Great Qin expressing its goodwill, not a single faction did not dare to accept it. Even those who hated players had to choose to establish friendly relations with Great Qin.

With the appearance of harmony on the outside, Zhao Fu started to clear out regions and construct the Great Wall. Great Qin once again fell silent, quietly expanding as it waited for its chance to bare its fangs.

A few days later, Great Qin prepared 250 million coffins and placed them in the Yin Qi Formation in an orderly fashion. The soldiers lying in the coffins all gave off a faint might, as they were all Stage 1 soldiers. Such a massive gathering of corpses was quite a spectacular scene.

When so many corpses were placed in the Yin Qi Formation, an extremely terrifying shockwave rippled out as if there was something terrifying being birthed, and the entire region was covered by this terrifying aura.

Traces of Yin Qi rose up from the ground, and ordinary people who stepped into this region would feel an extremely cold chill, making them tremble. No amount of clothes could stop this coldness, and if they stayed here for a long time, their bodies would be corroded by the Yin Qi, resulting in death.

This region had already become a region of Yin Qi, and no living creature could reside here. Zhao Fu had long since relocated all of the people here to another region, and all of the wild beasts had sensed the danger and escaped as well.

Sensing this shockwave, Zhao Fu felt quite surprised because he could sense that what the Yin Qi Formation was producing was not countless Ghost Soldiers, and the shockwaves were not caused by the corpses.

Traces of aura floated out of the coffins and gathered at the center of the Ghost Seal Formation. A large portion of the Yin Qi gathered by the Yin Qi Formation was absorbed by the Ghost Seal Formation, and much of the aura of bloodthirstiness gathered by the Ghost Army Flag and various Gravestones also gathered within the Ghost Seal Formation.

The Ghost Seal Formation was at the center of those terrifying shockwaves, and the thing being produced was going through changes because of the countless soldiers' auras, the boundless Yin Qi, and aura of bloodthirstiness. It would be an extremely terrifying thing.

Zhao Fu looked at the Ghost Commander Seals, Ghost Marquis Seals, and Ghost King Seal, and there seemed to be no problem with them.

At that moment, the Ghost King Seal suddenly gave off an intense gray light, and it seemed to start to melt. This made Zhao Fu feel quite startled – if the Ghost King Seal melted, what would happen? Zhao Fu did not know what was happening, so he prepared to stop it.

“Wait!” the golden dragon suddenly said.

Seeing that the golden dragon had stopped him, Zhao Fu wondered if it knew something and asked, “What’s going on? Why is this happening?”

The golden dragon replied simply, “I have no idea either!”

This made Zhao Fu roll his eyes, and he said, “Why are you stopping me if you don’t know what’s going on either?”

The golden dragon replied seriously, “Even though I don’t know what’s going on, my instincts tell me that it’s best not to stop what’s happening. Within this valley, the Yin Qi Formation, coffins, gravestones, and flag have all fused together and are absorbing Yin energy from the Underworld.

“If you stop this, something might happen, and everything here might be destroyed.”

Hearing the golden dragon's words, Zhao Fu could only stop. He sighed and asked, "What should I do? I can't just stand here and watch; who knows what will happen?"

The golden dragon thought before replying, "Zhao Fu, take out some of your blood and fuse it with the Ghost King Seal. No matter what happens, you'll be in control."

Hearing this, Zhao Fu nodded. He cut open his palm, causing blood to flow out and turn into an orb of blood, which he controlled and fused into the Ghost King Seal.

Nothing surprising happened, and there was no resistance. After absorbing Zhao Fu's blood, the Ghost King Seal seemed to give off an aura of delight.

After a while, Zhao Fu stopped giving out blood because the Ghost King Seal seemed to be content. Zhao Fu's face was quite pale and he looked slightly skinnier. He quickly took out some recovery medicinal pills and consumed them.

Zhao Fu looked heavily wounded, as he had let out so much blood.

The Ghost King Seal was still changing, and even greater Yin Qi started to gather. Zhao Fu was not sure what sort of terrifying thing was being created, but he hoped it would not affect the creation of Ghost Soldiers.

After returning to the Great Qin City, Zhao Fu focused on recovering, and his complexion regained some color. Following this, he started to take care of other matters.

A month later, Zhao Fu was sitting under a tall willow tree as he fished in a small creek when he suddenly received a system announcement, "Congratulations! Great Qin has leveled up into a Level 6 Capital City!"

Hearing this system announcement, Zhao Fu felt delighted and put away the fishing rod before going to the City Hall to look at the Great Qin City's new stats.

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Village Name: Great Qin City (Epic)

Level: Level 5 Capital City (628,000/1,200,000,000)

Village Area: 429,400 square kilometers

Village Territory: 32,421,800 square kilometers

Residents: 3,492,950/80,240,000

Military: 892,640/32,482,000

Popular Support: 86

Village Special Stats: Territory Crop Output +250%, Territory Crop Growing Time -250%, Population Limit +160%, Residents' stats can randomly +19, Soldiers' stats +20%, Population Attraction +190%, chance of attracting higher grade population +190%

Subsidiary Village Limit: 446,930

Subordinate Villages: Logue Village, Jean Village, Dorun Village, Li Family Village, Wolf Village, Ferocious Tiger Village...

The Great Qin City was finally a Level 6 Capital City. Zhao Fu felt an incredible sense of achievement: Great Qin had become a Level 6 Capital City from just a Basic Village. After experiencing so much, they were finally about to establish a Kingdom.

They now required 1.2 billion EXP to level up from a Level 6 Capital City into a Royal City. After obtaining this amount of EXP, the Great Qin City would be able to become a Royal City.

Even though 1.2 billion EXP was an enormous figure, it was the final step. Great Qin had fulfilled all of the other conditions and only lacked EXP. Zhao Fu did not feel worried – Great Qin had been able to obtain 800 million EXP for the previous level-up quite easily, so 1.2 billion EXP would not be too difficult to obtain either.

After a month, Great Qin had only cleared out roughly one-third of the empty regions, and there were still many regions to be cleared out, which could give Great Qin a large amount of EXP.

Over the past month, countless system main cities became unable to use their neutral mode. Some players paid a heavy death toll to finally attack the system main cities, and Zhao Fu prepared to officially make a move against Vietnam. This would also provide Great Qin with a large amount of EXP.

## Chapter 836: Northern Side

In Vietnam's territory to the north, Great Qin's biggest obstacle was not the system main city faction, as there were only about 380 system main cities. Great Qin could destroy them all in one fell swoop, but the countless players would be quite troublesome.

They could unlimitedly revive, and even though Great Qin had Reality-Harming Talismans, if they forced the players into a corner, they would still retaliate. Great Qin wanted to devour a third of Vietnam's territory in one go, and this would result in retaliation from all Vietnamese players.

Zhao Fu and his Generals summarized their plan into two major steps. The first was to get rid of the players. Because they were quite spread out throughout the various regions, Great Qin could not get rid of them quickly. If Great Qin could not get rid of them, it would not be able to devour so many regions and would definitely be obstructed.

Comparatively speaking, even though the many system main cities were much more powerful, they were all gathered together and would be easy to get rid of quickly.

The first step was to get rid of players while the second step was to get rid of system factions.

Of course, Great Qin could not personally act in getting rid of the players or else all of Vietnam would vigorously retaliate. This would be a foreign invasion and would invoke the fury of all Vietnamese players.

However, Great Qin did not have to act at all – it could rely on its chess piece in Vietnam, the 'Vietnamese Guard.' Great Qin had set up this piece from the very beginning and had invested a lot of resources into it; they couldn't just have it sit there.

Zhao Fu had invested quite a lot of money into the Vietnamese Guard, and it was now the number one faction in Vietnam, surpassing even the governmental faction. With how kind and just it looked, it was loved by countless Vietnamese people.

From invasions from other countries to the system main city factions slaughtering players, it had stood up for Vietnamese players. It was a flag of light for Vietnam, and all Vietnamese people took delight in it.

Ly Qinqian, as the leader of the Vietnamese Guard, was loved by countless people. With her looks, she was publicly acknowledged to be the number one beauty in Vietnam. No one could compare to her looks, and many men from noble families pursued her.

However, she had refused every person, saying that with Vietnam's matters at hand, she had put aside her own feelings and decided to give her life to Vietnam.

Such patriotism earned her the respect of countless people, and she was now the most popular woman in Vietnam.

However, no one could imagine that Ly Qinqian would be looking at a man seated above with such a flirtatious gaze. She was completely different from the righteous and selfless Ly Qinqian that the Vietnamese people knew.

After three years, she was no longer that innocent and naive woman. In terms of her temperament and abilities, she was completely different.

"Your task is to clear out all Vietnamese players; I will give you a large amount of money to mobilize the Vietnamese players," Zhao Fu said to Ly Qinqian.

Ly Qinqian charmingly smiled and said in a soft voice, "Your Majesty, I will definitely accomplish this. However, Your Majesty, can't you spoil me just this once? I've been preparing my body for Your Majesty this entire time."

Everything that Ly Qinqian had was given to her by Zhao Fu; she clearly understood how much authority Zhao Fu wielded. Moreover, whether it was Zhao Fu's looks or his power, they were all incredibly alluring. However, Ly Qinqian, of course, did not feel any deep love for Zhao Fu.

In this world, how many people could truly love with all of their heart? Even though humans loved to believe in this sort of love, it was not very common in reality.

To Ly Qinqian, Zhao Fu was someone who was worthy of making sacrifices for, worthy of loving, and worthy of accompanying. She quite liked Zhao Fu, but that did not have much to do with love.

Most of the women by Zhao Fu's side were like this – they did not truly love Zhao Fu, as that was not very realistic. Apart from in novels, which man could make every woman truly love him? It was just that to them, Zhao Fu was the most suitable person.

Zhao Fu naturally understood this, so he did not let himself be affected too much.

Hearing Ly Qinqian's words, Zhao Fu lightly laughed and nodded.

Ly Qinqian felt quite satisfied and smiled as she bowed before leaving, preparing to carry out what Zhao Fu had ordered.

Soon, a public notice sent Vietnam into a frenzy: 'Vietnam is currently chaotic and without order, filled with crimes and immorality. The Vietnamese Guard will restore order for the future of Vietnam, punishing all evildoers and creating a bright future.'

The Vietnamese Guard was the largest faction in Vietnam, and with Great Qin's support, it had surpassed the governmental faction. It now had ten million people, about one-eighth of the total population.

Now that it had made this public announcement, it naturally created large waves. This was largely supported, as everyone wanted for the light to cleanse the darkness.

For the ordinary people, they just wanted to live safely and peacefully; none of them enjoyed the chaotic situation of the world.

The Vietnamese Guard first cleared out the regions closest to Great Qin. There were still many Vietnamese players and indigenous residents there.

People from the Vietnamese Guard went to those regions and made announcements, saying, “All Vietnamese players must leave this place. The Vietnamese Guard will provide teleportation channels and some compensation. We need to construct defenses to defend against Great Qin here.”

Using defenses against Great Qin, many people were in support of this plan. Right now, Great Qin was their greatest threat, making all of Vietnam quite unsettled.

Even the governmental faction did not dare to openly go against Great Qin, yet the Vietnamese Guard had dared to do this. They were immediately praised, and their reputation surpassed that of the governmental faction.

Some people had been unwilling to leave, but after hearing that the Vietnamese Guard would be providing teleportation channels and compensation, most people were willing to cooperate and leave to other regions.

Just like that, the 15 regions near Great Qin were all mostly vacated, with just a small portion of people who would not pose much of a threat left.

Just like that, Great Qin was able to easily obtain 15 regions without using a single soldier, just some money. Now, there were still 105 regions to go.

The Vietnamese Guard put up an act of setting up some defenses, such as ghost formations and demon formations. All of them were to scare people, and they made countless people believe the Vietnamese Guard’s words.

The Vietnamese Guard not only had to convince the Vietnamese players, but it also had to convince the Vietnamese Guard’s members. Even though the Vietnamese Guard was controlled by Great Qin, it had only gathered so many Vietnamese players because of its rally of patriotism. Those Vietnamese players were loyal to Vietnam, not the Vietnamese Guard and Great Qin.

Over the next few days, the Vietnamese Guard made a big fuss in those 15 regions and did some rough checking. There was nothing unexpected, and they started to clear more regions.

Chapter 837: Five Legatees

As they expanded out from the 15 regions, they found some regions with some Dynasty Legatees. Of course, they were not gathered together and were instead scattered. There were Five Legatees in total who occupied 20 regions.

Each of them only controlled two or three regions, and some of them were not even fully controlled. There were also some regions between them, so if one had to draw a circle around them, there would be 20 regions in total.

They were the most powerful ones in those regions; not only did they have powerful indigenous residents, but they also had gathered many players. They had decent strength, but that was only in comparison to other Nation or Dynasty Legatees.

The Vietnamese Guard had no reason to attack these Dynasty Legatees because if they could not give a good reason, other people would feel threatened if they did so. After all, the Vietnamese Guard was already the largest faction in Vietnam.

If they casually destroyed a Dynasty Legatee's faction, everyone would feel threatened and ally together to attack them. It would be the same situation as Great Qin in China.

As such, it would be better to have Great Qin destroy those five Dynasty Legatee's factions.

The first was the Tran Dynasty, which was created in 1225. When Ly Chieu Hoang ceded the throne, Tran Thai Tong was enthroned. Because he was surnamed Tran, the Dynasty was called the Tran Dynasty.

The Tran Dynasty lasted for around 170 years, and in 1400, Ho Quy Ly dethroned the last Tran Emperor and declared himself Emperor, establishing the Ho Dynasty and causing the Tran Dynasty to perish.

The Tay Son Dynasty was established in 1771 when Nguyen Nhac, Nguyen Lu, and Nguyen Hue started peasant rebellions and attacked various cities, overthrowing the Quang Nam Quoc. Because the home district of the rebel leaders was Tay Son, the Dynasty came to be called the Tay Son Dynasty.

However, the Tay Son Dynasty was soon overthrown by Gia Long with French assistance. In May of 1802, Gia Long established Vietnam's last Dynasty – the Nguyen Dynasty.

The Dinh Dynasty was a vassal state created by China. Its creator, Dinh Bo Lin, unified Vietnam by defeating all the rebellious warlords and proclaimed himself Emperor in 968. In just 12 years, in 980, he was assassinated, and Le Hoan, the commander-in-chief of the army, dethroned the new child Emperor, causing the Dinh Dynasty to perish.

The Mac Dynasty was a Dynasty during the Southern and Northern Dynasties period. In 1527, Mac Thai To, a captain of the imperial guard of the previous Dynasty, usurped the throne and established the Mac Dynasty. In 1592, the Mac Dynasty was overthrown by the Later Le Dynasty. The Mac Dynasty's imperial family retreated to Cao Bang in the north of Vietnam until 1677 when the Later Le Dynasty assisted the Qing Dynasty to settle three rebellions and officially destroyed them.

The Trinh Lords were a noble feudal clan who were the de facto rulers of Northern Vietnam. It was controlled by the Trinh family and participated in the Later Le Dynasty overthrowing the Mac Dynasty.

Trinh Bong was the last of the Trinh Lords. Because of conflict with Later Le, he ruled for only one year before disappearing, and the Trinh Lords fell out of power.

Great Qin had precise intelligence on the five Legatees. The Tran Dynasty had a population of four million, nine City Lords, and 200,000 players; the Tay Son Dynasty had a population of three million, eight City Lords, and 250,000 players; the Dinh Dynasty had a population of five million, ten City Lords, and 300,000 players.

The Mac Dynasty had a population of four million, seven City Lords, and 150,000 players; the Trinh Lords had a population of five million, nine City Lords, and 400,000 players.

That was the strength of the five Legatees. In total, they had 43 City Lords and 1.3 million players, a total military force of about four million or so.

How could Great Qin care about such a meager force? Great Qin already saw them as something it had conquered already.

Since Great Qin was going to destroy them, the Vietnamese Guard did not have to care much about them and continued to expand outwards to 50 or so regions, which were controlled by system main city factions.

The players in those regions suffered a lot of hardship: they were forced to either submit to the system main cities or be slaughtered. There were only those two choices; there was no option for remaining neutral.

Taking away the original 15 regions, the 20 regions that the Dynasty Legatees occupied, and the 50 other regions out of the 120 regions that Great Qin wanted to take over, there were still 35 regions.

The system factions were incredibly savage to the players, making the players angry, but because the system factions had all gathered together, the players did not dare to attack. They could only hold in their anger.

Now, the Vietnamese Guard started to exaggerate the threat of the system factions. The Vietnamese described the system factions to be violent, cruel, and inhumane, comparing them to demons. They urged players to quickly leave and gave a notice that they would construct a Great Wall to prevent the system factions from suddenly attacking ordinary players.

This was supported by many Vietnamese players. All players knew about the system main cities slaughtering players, and since they were such a great threat, choosing to construct a Great Wall was a good idea.

Following this, the Vietnamese Guard started to construct the Great Wall – which was actually for Great Qin to defend against Vietnam.

Indeed, this Great Wall was for Great Qin rather than Vietnam; otherwise, why would Great Qin have the Vietnamese Guard construct it? After devouring so many regions, Great Qin would definitely be retaliated against by all of Vietnam, so Zhao Fu wanted to construct a Great Wall in advance.

In actuality, it would not be too difficult for Great Qin to wipe out Vietnam. However, if it really did this, how could the countries around Vietnam feel at ease? They would all ally together and attack Great Qin.

Zhao Fu did not want them to drag down Great Qin, so he could only do things one step at a time. That way, the matter would not be too serious and would not make others feel so threatened so quickly.

As they constructed the first Great Wall, the Vietnamese Guard then continued to make excuses and started to construct a second Great Wall beyond the 35 regions. That way, all 120 regions that Zhao Fu wanted would be within his grasp.

Because there were not enough people to build the Great Wall, the Vietnamese Guard hired many players to help out, giving them good wages.

There were naturally many people who were willing to participate, as they could earn money, protect their own safety, and help out Vietnam. They would be helping to re-establish order and build a brighter future – however, they had never expected that these two Great Walls were actually for the enemy.

By the time they found out, it would be too late, as these regions would belong to Great Qin. The regions that Great Qin devoured would become its strength and would never be able to be taken back. All there would be were regrets.

The Vietnamese Guard first reduced the threat of Great Qin, then reduced the threat of the system factions. Both of these were great threats to Vietnam, and now that the Vietnamese Guard had done this, its reputation skyrocketed, and countless people praised it.

## Chapter 838: Three Million

“Luckily Vietnam has the Vietnamese Guard, who are so righteous and selfless, willing to give up so much for Vietnam. I feel so moved; I love the Vietnamese Guard! They are the pride of Vietnam!”

“The Vietnamese Guard is so good that there’s nothing more to say. Think about everything the Vietnamese Guard has done over these years and how many people they’ve helped. The people need factions that are willing to walk the walk and make sacrifices for the nation. The governmental faction can’t compare to them at all.”

“My big bro’s in the Vietnamese Guard. They’re all incredibly strict of themselves and value the common people above all else. They’re willing to help all who need them. They are our light, and I’m simply too blessed and happy to have a big bro like him.”

“Not gonna lie, the Vietnamese Guard should be recorded in history forever for all the things they’ve done for the people and Vietnam so that future people can learn to be like them.”

Over the past three years, the Vietnamese Guard had garnered immense reputation and had an incredibly deep foundation. It was loved by all Vietnamese people and praised so highly.

Those in the Vietnamese Guard all felt incredibly proud to be part of it. In fact, many people felt hot-blooded and yelled, “Alive, I’ll be a member of the Vietnamese Guard; dead, I’ll be a ghost of the Vietnamese Guard!”

In fact, it was very likely that if the Vietnamese Guard wanted to replace the governmental faction, there would be many people in support. However, Zhao Fu did not plan to do this, or else they would be exposed sooner or later. Once they found out that the Vietnamese Guard was controlled by Great Qin, everything would be turned upside down.

They would instantly go from being patriotic heroes to shameless traitors, and none of the Vietnamese players would continue to work for the Vietnamese Guard.

The two Great Walls were simultaneously built incredibly quickly. The regions in front of the first Great Wall would be dealt with by Great Qin, while the Vietnamese Guard would be responsible for the 35 regions further behind.

For those 35 regions, the Vietnamese Guard could not continue using the excuse of having them leave to avoid danger. Instead, they declared that they were sweeping away all evil and worried that they might harm ordinary players, so they asked the ordinary players to leave first and return once everything was in order. This once again made the Vietnamese Guard seem incredibly caring of the ordinary players.

However, only a small portion of people complied this time. Vietnam did not have that many regions, and if they continued to retreat, there would be many people squeezed into very few regions. Moreover, many people did not want to leave, and it was the same with some factions.

Some people believed that the Vietnamese Guard would only protect them and would not harm them, so there was nothing to worry about.

Soon, it was May, and spring had passed. The weather became hotter and hotter, and the Vietnamese Guard was currently making announcements with an immense sense of justice.

“It has been about a month since our Vietnamese Guard gave the warning. All evildoers have had time to repent; if you are willing to walk towards the light, please leave these regions. From today onwards, the Vietnamese Guard will send soldiers to cleanse all evil from those regions.”

It had been a bit more than a month, and both Great Walls had been built to a certain extent. As such, Zhao Fu had the Vietnamese Guard start to purge these regions.

The Vietnamese Guard’s people looked incredibly excited and hot-blooded. They were fighting for Vietnam, for righteousness, and for order.

The Vietnamese Guard’s ten million people split into three teams that cleared out three regions and called for more people to join.

As for who was evil and who was good, that was up to the Vietnamese Guard.

This purge was led by Ly Qinjian herself. In fact, even Zhao Fu himself came to ensure that the plan was carried out successfully. He did not have much to do anyway.

The first three million strong army gathered at the ex-location of a system main city. Even though the system main cities had all relocated, they had left behind many structures.

This place was managed by a few large factions who exploited ordinary players and often bullied them.

Ly Qinjian stood in the air with ten or so City Lords behind her. 70% belonged to Great Qin and only 30% belonged to the Vietnamese side. Because of how big the Vietnamese Guard was now, the higher-ups could not all be indigenous residents or that would be too suspicious.

As such, the Vietnamese Guard had promoted some talented players into the higher-ups; only then would they be able to gain the trust of others.

There were roughly three million soldiers below clad in armor and holding all sorts of weapons. They gave off a harsh and austere aura as they surrounded this place.

There were hundreds of thousands of people gathered on the city walls, with five or six City Lords standing in the air, facing off against the Vietnamese Guard.

“Right now, you are to submit not to the Vietnamese Guard but to the common people. I will give you one more chance: will you surrender? Will you admit your wrongdoings and turn over a new leaf?”

Ly Qinqian was now the City Lord of a Great City, and she gave off a powerful aura. There was an air of righteousness about her, no longer having a trace of flirtatiousness as she shouted loudly.

“Hahahaha... what a hypocritical, disgusting woman! This world is a world where the strong devour the weak; we haven't done anything wrong. Stop pretending to be an agent of righteousness; we don't believe you at all!” a gloomy-looking young man loudly laughed as he replied.

Ly Qinqian said, “Everyone, the Vietnamese Guard is here to bring justice and order. Everything we do is for you; do you still want to help them commit tyranny? Do you want to continue to be oppressed by them?”

Ly Qinqian's goal was to convince the ordinary people here to resist these factions and work together with the Vietnamese Guard to destroy these factions.

Ly Qinqian was incredibly famous, and all Vietnamese players naturally knew about her. They understood that she had come for them, the helpless ordinary players. The Vietnamese Guard had brought three million soldiers and ten or so City Lords, so they would evidently win.

“Kill! I've had enough of these people, acting all high and mighty all day long and not treating us like people. Are we still going to endure this? Let's help the goddess destroy these people!” a young man with messy hair stood out and yelled. Many other ordinary players agreed – they had been bullied all this time, and now that they had people helping, they would definitely win and not have to continue to endure.

The ordinary players started to attack the factions' players on the City Walls, and seeing this, Ly Qinqian smiled and also ordered the Vietnamese Guard's people to attack.

“Kill!!” Three million soldiers charged, giving off a massive aura as they flooded forwards. Waves of arrows shot towards the City Walls, and many soldiers quickly reached the bottom of the City Walls and used various methods to scale them.

The factions' forces were already at a disadvantage, and now with players behind them attacking as well, they were instantly suppressed and suffered countless injuries and casualties. Seeing this, the leaders, who had wanted to resist the Vietnamese Guard for a while, could only give the order to retreat.

The City Lords immediately turned and ran because they had no hope of winning, while the Vietnamese Guard's City Lords had only started to attack.

## Chapter 839: Eliminate Evil

Zhao Fu was hidden in the air nearby and did not plan to act. There was no need to arouse unnecessary suspicions, and he primarily came to prevent anything unexpected from happening as opposed to killing people.

There were only 100,000 or so people on the City Walls, and after a wave of arrow rain, countless cries sounded out as blood splattered everywhere, killing many of them. The Vietnamese Guard's people quickly scaled the City Walls and swung their weapons, starting to fight with the players from those factions. The Vietnamese Guard not only had the numerical advantage, but it also had much higher morale as well.

The ordinary players, who had been abused, attacked like mad, venting all of their hatred towards those people from the factions.

"Zhan Xiaotou! I'll bite you to death today! Your elder still remembers that time you made me kneel!" A short young man looked at his enemy, and after his weapon was knocked away, he sprang up and started to bite.

"Niu Mo, your elder's gonna kill you today!" A middle-aged man slashed his large saber into another man's stomach as he laughed loudly.

"Liu Dong, how the tables have turned!" a young man said condescendingly as he chopped off another man's head.

Under the Vietnamese Guard's ferocious attacks, the factions suffered heavy casualties, while the ordinary players also vented out their hatred. Very soon, the people from the factions were killed with no one being spared.

The City Lords from the factions were also surrounded by the Vietnamese Guard's ten or so City Lords. After a drawn-out battle, both sides had been greatly weakened. However, the Vietnamese Guard had more City Lords and better equipment. While a middle-aged man from the factions was defending against someone else, a spear pierced through his chest, killing the first City Lord.

Following this, the other Vietnamese Guard City Lords continued to kill the other factions' City Lords. A few of the people from the Vietnamese Guard were injured, but the battle had finally ended.

Ly Qinqian gave off a powerful aura and stood in the air. Because of Great Qin's nurturing, even though she was not immensely powerful, she was not weak either.

The battlefield was incredibly bloody and gory, but no one cared. Everyone looked up in respect and awe – it was Ly Qinqian who had ended all of this. She was the one who had brought the Vietnamese Guard to defeat these evil factions.

Someone yelled, "Goddess! I'm willing to join the Vietnamese Guard and serve Vietnam!"

Ly Qinqian smiled and said, "Our Vietnamese Guard welcomes everyone with ambition. I hope that you can all follow me to cleanse Vietnam of evil and protect order. Everything that we obtain will not go to Vietnam but to everyone who helps us!"

"Thank you, Goddess!"

"Goddess, you're too good!"

"Goddess, I love you!"

Hearing Ly Qinqian say this, everyone became incredibly excited and cheered. They knew that the factions had many good things that were worth a lot of money. Even though they respected Ly Qinqian, giving them some money was the best way to motivate them.

Ly Qinqian had long since relocated the factions' Cities, and all of the EXP had gone to Great Qin. They had also taken in all of the remaining people from the factions in the name of protecting them.

As for the goods, they were given to the countless ordinary players. Great Qin did not care about those things, so they gave them out to encourage more people to join them.

After giving out rewards, everyone had received something, and everything of value had been taken. Ly Qinqian led the army onto the next location.

They had not lost many people over the course of this battle. Instead, they had gained even more people. Moreover, Ly Qinqian declared in the name of righteousness that they were going to cleanse away evil, attracting even more support. Without making the others seem evil, how could the Vietnam Guard seem so good?

The Vietnamese Guard honorably cleaned out region after region without hiding anything, and not many people were against this. Those with power came over to help, and those who did not dare to come cheered for the Vietnamese Guard.

Now that the Vietnamese Guard was standing on the side of justice, the various factions did not dare to say anything. If they dared to speak out against the Vietnamese Guard, they would face backlash from all of Vietnam. As such, they could only support the Vietnamese Guard, while those who felt strongly about justice joined the Vietnamese Guard.

The Vietnamese Guard continuously swept through regions in the name of righteousness, becoming more and more powerful. There were not only players but also indigenous resident soldiers, and the three teams had increased in size to 30 million or so people.

Of course, the reason why so many people joined was because of the massive benefits. Whenever they took down a faction, all of the goods would be split among those who had helped. They were standing on the side of righteousness to purge evil, but in reality, they were simply just pillaging.

The Vietnamese Guard was incredibly powerful and had a big advantage, and they could gain great benefits, so all of their members were eager to participate.

Ly Qinqian led her group to another region and yelled out about clearing evil, maintaining order, and helping the ordinary players.

These words were words that she had to yell every time – they boosted the morale of her own soldiers while shaking the hearts of the enemy. The people gathered in those places were usually split into two groups: players from factions and individual players. The players from factions naturally often bullied those who were not part of a faction, resulting in great tensions.

“Kill!!” After Ly Qinqian shouted out, the massive army rushed up and ferociously attacked. The Vietnamese Guard’s City Lords also flew over, and sounds of shouting and fighting could be heard everywhere as the smell of blood filled the air.

After dealing with this region, the three teams obtained 89 City Lord Seals, most of which were the City Lord Seals of Basic Cities. By now, they had cleared out 15 regions.

Out of the original 35 regions, they still had 20 to go. Seeing how unstoppable the Vietnamese Guard were, the remaining 20 regions felt quite scared. If Great Qin had dared to do such a thing, they would be rebuked by countless people and would be suppressed by a big alliance.

While Great Qin was viewed as evil, resulting in it being suppressed, the Vietnamese Guard was viewed as righteous, so things were completely different.

The Vietnamese Guard stood on the side of justice to take down the various factions. Anyone who helped those factions was counted as evil and would be attacked as well.

The 20 regions were between the first and second Great Walls, and they were completely isolated; they could not escape even if they wanted to. The most absurd thing was that anyone who the Vietnamese Guard said was evil was evil, and anyone who they said was good was good.

No one dared to ally with them, because once they allied with them, the Vietnamese Guard would accuse them of assisting evil. No one wanted to make trouble for themselves.

Indeed, the Vietnamese Guard did not attack factions that treated players well and promoted order – this proved that the Vietnamese Guard only took down evil factions, making them seem more trustworthy.

This made it so that the evil factions could not gather together and were all spread out, making it easy for the Vietnamese Guard to devour them. There were no obstacles in their way, which was why it was so successful.

Chapter 840: Evil Wolf

After a few days, the Vietnamese Guard finished getting rid of the 'evil factions,' netting them 158 Cities. 80% of them were Basic Cities, and 20% of them were Great Cities.

The Vietnamese Guard's actions aroused a lot of dissatisfaction and hostility. Even though the ordinary players were in great support, some of the factions started to become displeased with the Vietnamese Guard, as the Vietnamese Guard started to threaten them. No one would welcome anyone one felt threatened by.

Zhao Fu did not plan to have the Vietnamese Guard leave the second Great Wall because their primary job was to clear out 35 regions. However, since they had now cleared out the evil factions, it was time to get rid of the good ones too.

Zhao Fu did not care about which factions were evil and which ones were good: all of them were enemies to Great Qin.

The Vietnamese Guard once again split into three teams and began their operations. However, some members started to question these orders – why did they originally say those factions were good but now say they were evil?

Even though some members felt confused, they still obeyed these commands because many of them had obtained great benefits. They did not care who they attacked as long as there was money to be made.

The Vietnamese Guard's higher-ups started to make announcements that these factions were evil as well, cheating and exploiting commoners and doing all sorts of other deeds. The Vietnamese Guard claimed that they were villains who pretended to be noble, and they were supposedly much worse than the other evil factions.

After hearing these announcements, some people in the Vietnamese Guard believed them, but others didn't, as they were not complete fools. They could judge what was true and what was false.

The other factions started to feel quite startled, as they could now tell that the Vietnamese Guard's goal was not so simple anymore. They were planning on getting rid of all of the factions without any regard to goodness or evilness. Now, the Vietnamese Guard could be said to be completely unrestrained, and the various factions started to discuss how they could put an end to this.

Those factions between the two Great Walls felt incredibly furious. They had not done anything at all, yet the title of 'evildoer' had been placed on them by the Vietnamese Guard. They felt disgusted that they had believed that the Vietnamese Guard would not do anything to them.

By now, the Vietnamese Guard had already started to attack. They split into three teams and cut them off, making it so that they could not join up.

"Kill!!" Shouts shook the surroundings as the Vietnamese Guard's tens of millions of soldiers charged at a Basic City. They shot countless arrows at the City Walls as soldiers scaled the walls before attacking the defenders.

A slightly skinny young man furiously blocked a strike with his sword as he yelled, "Isn't the Vietnamese Guard meant to be an army of compassion and justice? Why are you attacking us for no reason? We actually trusted you and respected you, yet you're trying to kill us!"

"You say we're evil, but what have we done? Are you blind? You people from the Vietnamese Guard are the vilest!"

The resolute-looking young man who was attacking could not help but doubt whether what he was doing was right or not. The core tenets of the Vietnamese Guard were justice, kindness, and order, but what they were doing seemed to violate those things.

Seeing that everyone in this City was resisting the Vietnamese Guard, this meant that those who were living here lived decent lives. Those in charge seemed quite popular, which was why so many people were willing to support them.

Logically, this sort of faction should not be counted as evil, so many members of the Vietnamese Guard could not understand why the higher-ups had listed them as evil.

However, the resolute-looking young man still raised his saber and rushed up because this was something that the higher-ups had decided, and ordinary soldiers like them had no say in it.

"Arghhh!!" A pained cry sounded out as the City Lord of this City was killed by the Vietnamese Guard's City Lords. His corpse fell from the sky, and the City's resistance immediately drastically weakened.

The Vietnamese Guard quickly took control of his City. Those who had come out of greed started to pillage anything of value. The members of the Vietnamese Guard who had been with the Vietnamese Guard for a while looked at the helpless people, who looked at them with fear, making the Vietnamese Guard members feel a strange sense of discomfort.

Before, wherever the Vietnamese Guard went, they would be welcomed by countless people with looks of joy on their faces. However, the only emotions they could see were fear.

Many people started to suspect what they were doing was wrong. They had joined the Vietnamese Guard out of their sense of justice, which was at the core of the Vietnamese Guard. They had been proud to join the Vietnamese Guard, but what they were doing now made them feel guilty and felt opposite to the justice they had desired.

“Kill!” After going through this City, the Vietnamese Guard went to another faction and started to ferociously attack.

“Why are you attacking us? Vietnamese Guard, give me an explanation!” the City Lord roared in anger, feeling incredibly wronged.

This made some of the higher-ups in the Vietnamese Guard hesitate and wonder if what they were doing was wrong. Wasn't the Vietnamese Guard supposed to bring about a bright and orderly future? Why did they seem like they had become wanton slaughterers?

It was only those at the very top who determined who were good and who were evil; they had no idea about any of this.

A bearded man coldly harrumphed as he stood in the air and said, “What's the first rule of the Vietnamese Guard?”

This made those who were hesitating start attacking again because the Vietnamese Guard's first rule was to obey all orders; those who refused would be heavily punished.

“Don't kill me, I beg you!” After the faction's City Lord was killed, the others knelt in fear and pleaded for mercy. They were indigenous residents, and dying meant a true death. This made the Vietnamese Guard's people feel quite uncomfortable, but they still followed their orders before continuing on to the next region.

The Vietnamese Guard madly killed with unstoppable momentum, and the remaining factions hurriedly responded, forming three groups that resisted the Vietnamese Guard's three teams.

However, they were not even half as strong as the Vietnamese Guard. The Vietnamese Guard had already gone through those regions once, and now that they were going through it a second time, there was much less resistance.

Even if the 'good' and 'evil' factions had banded together at the very beginning to resist the Vietnamese Guard, they still would not have been able to win, as Zhao Fu would have acted. They had always been destined to lose.

"The Vietnamese Guard is the greatest evil. Now, you've shown all of your ambition while putting on an appearance of righteousness. You're extremely disgusting and hypocritical!"

The City Lords resisting the Vietnamese Guard could long since see the Vietnamese Guard's aim, which was to control these 35 regions and clear out all other factions.

Clearing evil? Restoring light? Maintaining justice and order? All of that was a lie. They had been like idiots and believed the Vietnamese Guard, making them feel incredibly regretful. However, this was only natural, as the Vietnamese Guard had put up a front for three years, doing all sorts of good things to win people's trust and respect.

It had suddenly revealed its great ambition and its true fangs. In that moment, the gentle lamb suddenly became an evil wolf, ravenously devouring everything.