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Chapter 101: A Chance Encounter with Instructor

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“Mhm.”

“Where is he right now?”

“I don’t know, I had him escape to the Safety Shelters by himself,” Lin Yuxin answered.

When Yang Zuohe had heard that Lin Yuxin had not let the Underground Holy Spring fall into the hands of the Black Vatican, he looked as if he was relieved from a burden. However, after learning the Underground Holy Spring was in the hands of a student whose location was unknown, his entire being felt completely gloomy.

“Mr. Yang, why do the Black Vatican want their hands on the Underground Holy Spring? What is their objective of calling over a group of Magical Beasts to attack Bo City?” Lin Yuxin asked.

“The reason why they have destroyed Bo City is something we don’t know yet. However, them wanting the Underground Holy Spring is to completely eradicate Bo City,” Yang Zuohe said with his voice carrying a hint of anger.

“Why?”

“The Underground Holy Spring is a several thousand year-old heavenly treasure. The Commander level Magical Beasts are immensely attracted to it. Through the abuse of the pups of the Darkwing Wolf and the Violent Rain, they gave rise to this calamity. However, from the start until now, the Darkwing Wolf still hasn’t extinguished Bo City yet. Their plan is to release the Underground Holy Spring’s gigantic pond to entice other Commander level Magical Beasts to attack Bo City. The Magical Beasts have an innate instinctual thirst toward these kind of treasures that could allow them to greatly expand their strength. Once the Underground Holy Spring’s pond is released, the Commander level Magical Beasts within a hundred kilometers will be drawn here by the smell. Bo City’s defense line is already approaching a crisis, and those Commander level Magical Beasts who possess a certain intelligence will definitely profit from our misfortune. When that time comes, Bo City will become Hell on Earth,” Yang Zuohe said.

As Lin Yuxin heard this, she trembled in fear.

The Black Vatican was too cruel!. Not only did they entice the Darkwing Wolf and its clan, but they wanted to attract even more Commander Magical Beasts. This would turn Bo City into a city of corpses!

“We must find that student called Mo Fan before Black Vatican does,” Yang Zuohe said, gravely serious.

“I’m sorry, I didn’t know that the Underground Holy Spring would influence such a big...”

“You made a sensible choice. The Underground Holy Spring being in the hands of that student would at least indicate that it hasn’t fallen into the hands of the Black Vatican.” Yang Zuohe could only pray quietly in his heart that they didn’t find Mo Fan first.

“Let’s not be too optimistic for now. I’m afraid the people from Black Vatican have guessed that I have given the Underground Holy Spring to Mo Fan, I reckon they have already dispatched people to search for traces of him in the city,” Lin Yuxin said with a calm and steady voice.

“There’s no time to lose, let’s go find Mo Fan.”

“If he was eaten by a Magical Beast, then isn’t it better that a Magical Beast has acquired the Underground Holy Spring, rather than the Black Vatican?” Lin Yuxin suddenly asked.

Yang Zuohe was stunned.

“That would indeed be true...”

In Mingyuan District, Mo Fan was walking along and suddenly sneezed, “Achoo!”

He rubbed his nose, wondering where that came from. Perhaps someone was concerned about him.

The appearance of the Warrior class, Bone Thorned Fierce Wolf severely blocked their progress. Everyone waited until the dreadful creature was far away before they picked up the courage to continue their journey.

On their own, they encountered an One-eyed Magic Wolf. Fortunately, the nine people took action and settled the matter before it was able to attract other Beasts.

Xu Zhaoting was a Lightning user. He first used Lightning Strike: Mad Whip to restrict the One-eyed Magic Wolf, followed by other people immediately beginning their bombardment with Magic. When the One-eyed Magic Wolf was about to recover its movement, Mo Fan used a Lightning Strike: Wrath Shock. The One-eyed Magic Wolf did not have an opportunity to take action, he was directly turned into a tender carcass with a crispy crust.

A team in possession of two Lightning Magicians did indeed have a strong and fierce battle prowess. As long as the Magical Beast was not prepared to fight against them, they could basically decrease the danger level considerably.

“We’re almost there, thank the gods! Do you guys see the erected shelter lightscreen that is as tall as the city walls, that’s the one!” Zhang Xiaohou was standing on top of an electric pole as he excitedly told everyone.

This three kilometer death route was indeed not very easy for these Magic Students who had yet to graduate. Now that they were about to arrive at the Safety Shelter, they were naturally wild with joy.

“Don’t lower your guard, there’s still six hundred or so meters,” Mo Fan said calmly.

The nine of them continued advancing. In front of them was a river that was beginning to stink.

The river channel couldn't be considered as very wide, the two sides had willow trees growing on the banks. The original parasol cafeteria was no longer compact and aesthetic, it had been turned into a completely mess.

The stinking river had two Colossal-eyed Ape Rat in it. Fortunately, they didn't stay for long, and began to swim further away.

The nine people cautiously crossed the bridge. The bridge had some visible damage, probably the result of a fight between a Magician and a Magical beast. Beneath the bridge was a disposed fire was still burning.

"Mag... Magical Beast!" Just as they made it to the center of the bridge, a deep blue Wolf-shaped creature appeared on the other side.

It was different from the One-eyed Magic Wolf, which stood on its two rear legs. This deep blue creature's four limbs were on the ground, The hair from the back of its head stretched all the way to its neck and shoulders. It was distinctly different from the savage One-eyed Magic Wolf that everyone had encountered before.

Everyone was stunned at first, but after they realized there was a man sitting on the back of this Spirit Wolf, they all displayed delighted smiles, especially the students.

"Instructor Bai, isn't this Instructor Bai!?"

"Thank heavens, we unexpectedly found a person from the Army at a place like this." Xue Musheng seemed as though he was relieved from a great burden.

Mo Fan looked over and discovered the person sitting on the Spirit Wolf was indeed the one of the Practical Instructors, Bai Yang.

It is precisely that unusual Summoner, whose Spirit Wolf that had been used to train everyone was killed by Mo Fan.

Bai Yang didn't seem like he only had a single Spirit Wolf... It was just unfortunate that this one's physique and aura was slightly inferior to the one which Mo Fan had slaughtered.

"How come you guys are here, didn't retreat in time?" Bai Yang said to everyone from atop his Spirit Wolf.

Wang Sanpang, Xu Zhaoting, and He Yu saw the brave appearance of Bai Yang's domination over the Spirit Wolf, their face displayed adoration.

Summoners were so cool, they could even tame Magical Beasts. In this kind of area where all transportation is completely blocked, a Spirit Wolf that could freely travel back and forth was more important than anything else.

"No one from Tian Lan Magic High was able to retreat in time, the number of people was too excessive. The main group is roughly a kilometer behind us. They are following our Vanguard Squad to evacuate toward the Safety Shelter," Xue Musheng said.

“Oh, I will contact the Army Chief to dispatch reinforcements to protect them. Your group and I will stay here and wait, there are a few Magical Beast in front of us that are a bit hard to deal with.” Bai Yang took off his army hat and revealed a gentle smile.

“Instructor Bai Yang, do you know how much danger we’ve encountered on the way here? The unfortunate thing is that Zhang Yinglu was killed, but fortunately, Mo Fan had experience in dealing with Magical Beasts, or else we wouldn’t be able to reach here,” Wang Sanpang immediately said to Bai Yang, unable to stop his mouth from running off.

Seeing the Instructor here, everyone was naturally able to heave a sigh of relief. After all, this Summoner Instructor’s battle prowess exceeded that of a Magical Beast. If he had more summoned beasts, then dealing with a few more Magical Beasts wouldn’t be a problem.

“Oh? Mo Fan!?” Bai Yang’s face had a distinct change, his gaze landed on Mo Fan’s body.

Mo Fan was puzzled. Why was this Bai Yang staring at him?

Bai Yang jumped down from the Spirit Wolf’s back as he strode in front of Mo Fan. His eyes were fixated on Mo Fan as he said, “We are all looking for you.”

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“Looking for me?” Mo Fan said, feeling increasingly puzzled.

“Oh, you don’t know? It’s like this. This calamity was caused by the Black Vatican. Not only did they lure the Darkwing Wolf over, they are planning on luring over even more Commander level Magical Beasts with use of the Underground Holy Spring to completely eradicate Bo City,” Bai Yang said to Mo Fan gravely.

“So it was the Black Vatican, those things that can’t even be called animals!” Xue Musheng said, indignant at the injustice.

“Vice-Captain Lin Yuxin should’ve handed the Underground Holy Spring to you, right?” Bai Yang continued.

Mo Fan didn’t reply, he was just looking at Instructor Bai Yang.

Bai Yang looked at Mo Fan up and down, he was wondering whether this thing had been properly protected before he continued, “Give the Underground Holy Spring to me. I’ll immediately deliver it to Boss Zhankong. This thing is extremely important, if it lands on the hands of the Black Vatican, then our Bo City is finished.”

Everyone’s gaze also landed on Mo Fan. They had never thought that Mo Fan was actually guarding such an important thing.

“Mo Fan, so you were actually secretly protecting the Underground Holy Spring. Fortunately, we have met up with Instructor Bai. Give the Underground Holy Spring to him, and we should also hurry to the Safety Shelters,” Xue Musheng said.

Bai Yang was so excited that he took a few steps forward, he practically wanted to snatch the Underground Holy Spring from Mo Fan’s hands. Unfortunately, he didn’t see where the Underground Holy Spring was .

Mo Fan attentively watched Bai Yang and said, “It is also very safe with me, it’s better if I personally give it to Boss Zhankong, please hurry and guide us on the way, Instructor Bai Yang.”

Bai Yang was clearly stunned, followed by his face filled with a smile, “That makes sense...”

It was clear that Bai Yang hadn’t finished talking, he slightly stopped. The warm smile he had on his face instantly froze, his gaze suddenly displayed an ominous glint. His face actually seemed somewhat twisted.

“Then, you can go and die!” Bai Yang coldly said.

As his voice faded, the incredibly meek Spirit Wolf suddenly took a big stride toward Mo Fan. Its sharp claws were raised, it was actually going to slam right into Mo Fan.

As this unexpected thing happened, everyone was completely dumbstruck.

“Mo Fan!” Zhoumin cried out in alarm, yet she could only helplessly watch as the Spirit Wolf’s heavy claw was about to seize Mo Fan’s life.

“Instructor Bai, what are you doing!?” Xue Musheng shouted loudly.

Bai Yang completely ignored him. His Spirit Wolf didn’t have the slightest intention of being lenient.

Not a single student would be able to survive from an attack from this distance.

Swoosh!!!

As the claws slammed down, it seemed to carry the anger of Bai Yang within it. After all, his previous Spirit Wolf was killed by Mo Fan, and now he finally had the opportunity to take revenge for that.

Naturally, taking revenge was just one part of it. The Underground Holy Spring was the more important reason. If he give it to the Red Cloaked Deacons, then this Bo City would also...

How...How is this possible!?

Bai Yang was expecting the boy’s blood to dye his entire body. However, a solid Bone Scythe Shield was erected right in front of Mo Fan. The Spirit Wolf’s claws slammed onto the Bone Scythe Shield, causing both Mo Fan and the shield to be struck flying without claiming his life!

Bone Scythe Shield! Bai Yang clearly remembered this was something given to Mo Fan by Zhankong. The question was, how did this kid have the time to prepare? He shouldn’t have had the time to activate his Magic Equipment when suddenly attacked at this distance, unless he was already suspicious about Bai Yang’s identity!

After the Bone Scythe Shield had blocked a heavy claw strike, it turned into numerous bone splinters as it dispersed into nothing. Mo Fan, who was knocked ten or so meters away, also stabilized his body.

Raising his head, Mo Fan's face was stern. The heaving of his chest displayed his current rage.

As expected, this Instructor Bai Yang did have a problem.

"F***king sh**!" Mo Fan spat as he ruthlessly cursed.

"Hahaha, who would've thought? I can't help but be curious as to why you are suspicious about me. I'm your instructor, after all." Bai Yang began to madly laugh. The gentle and attractive appearance from before had now turned into a twisted lunatic, no longer having the admirable light which caused infatuated the young women!

At this kind of time, how could Mo Fan be in the mood of explaining to this spy of Black Vatican about this kind of stuff.

His gaze swept past his companions who were standing to the sides as he hastily shouted to them, "Be careful, this guy's summoned beasts are not alone..."

Instructor Bai Yang's face immediately sank, an ominous glint in his eyes flashed.

On the other side of the bridge, two slowly wiggling shadows quickly flew out. Their particularly sharp, long, and narrow forelimbs were like two sickles chopping toward Zhang Xiaohou and He Yu that were closest to them!

Bai Yang's sudden betrayal came too quickly. The others were unable to react, much less to speak of being mindful of the two creatures that had jumped out from the two sides of the bridge.

With a ghastly monkey face and an abnormal human body, its body was completely black. It looked as though it was wearing some kind of tight leather clothing. Extremely ugly, this was precisely the symbol of Black Vatican, a Dark Beast Monster!

Mo Fan saw one of the Dark Beast Monsters was jumping toward Zhang Xiaohou, his heart began to beat fiercely.

Currently, he really wanted to finish his Star Path in less than a second and directly turn that Dark Beast Monster into dregs. However, his magic casting speed was not that fast.

In the end, Zhang Xiaohou was still somewhat pure. He couldn't be like Mo Fan, who already had a wariness toward Instructor Bai Yang. If it was any other student, then they also wouldn't have any bit of suspicion toward their own instructor.

He wasn't able to cast his Wind Track this time, and when he turned around, he had already discovered that the incredibly ugly black creature had already pounced in front of him...

Am I gonna die like this?

Zhang Xiaohou was unable to believe this.

He had gone through the dreadful three kilometer route of death with Brother Fan, and was close to arriving after overcoming great difficulties. In the end, he was going to die at the hands of his own instructor.

Zhang Xiaohou closed his eyes.

Puuuchii~

The warm blood suddenly sprinkled over his face, Zhang Xiaohou's heart felt helpless.

This animal has opened my chest, its speed was so quick that I felt the blood sprinkling on my face before feeling my chest being shredded open.

After one more second, Zhang Xiaohou still didn't feel any pain. He was puzzled as he opened his eyes.

As he opened his eyes, he had discovered that the ghastly beast that was attacking him had been sent flying away and had slammed heavily into a motorcycle.

I didn't die?

Then this blood...

Zhang Xiaohou turned his head around, his entire being stunned.

That was a deathly pale face, it was cold and dismal and it made people want to hold her in their arms.

Blood was spurting from her body, it was warm, it was so warm that it caused Zhang Xiaohou's entire being to burn.

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"He...He Yu!!"

Zhang Xiaohou wanted to scream out from the depths of his throat, however, his throat was blocked by a fierce pain, unable to make a sound.

Numerous water droplets were sprinkling in front of Zhang Xiaohou, they were like He Yu's life as they fell onto the ground and quickly dispersed.

"Wind Track! Wind Track! Wind Track!!!"

Zhang Xiaohou tried to connect his Star Path while his heart was feeling a fierce pain, and at last, a wind coiled around his body.

Using the Wind Track, Zhang Xiaohou frantically stole the completely bloodstained He Yu from the other Dark Beast Monster's claws.

Relying on Flash Steps, he carried He Yu as he darted to a location far away. However, the blood was also sprinkling all over the ground...

It was completely unable to stop. A Dark Beast Monster was specialized in slaughtering, capable of accurately finding a creature's arteries. Once it cut, the blood would certainly flow without stopping.

"Why did you use Water Barrier to protect me, you should've protected yourself! You're not even able to protect yourself, you blockhead!"

"Mr. Xue, please hurry and save He Yu, I beg you, please save her! There must be a way!"

"Shit, shit, shit, I will slaughter you bastard!"

The sound of the shouts fell into everyone's ears, just like how everyone never thought that Instructor Bai Yang was someone from the Black Vatican, they never thought that He Yu would protect Zhang Xiaohou like this. Captivating scarlet blood was everywhere. Upon seeing it, everyone's heart tightened.

Zhang Xiaohou held He Yu, and He Yu looked back at him. Her pale face was turning purple.

Her eyes were wide open, her black pupils contained a mix of feelings in the last moments of her life. Perhaps it was a trace of gratification because she was able to finally cast Water Barrier in a critical situation and protect a person's life according to what Mr. Xue had said. There was also peace, the skinny boy in front of her risked his own life to save her during Practicals and today, she had also saved him. But most importantly, it was yearning; like other girls, she had far too many wishes which hadn't been fulfilled yet.

"Hahaha, it seems like you brats have also progressed a bit. I thought that the second Dark Beast Monsters made their move, the two of you would definitely lose your lives, I never thought that one of you would survive. However, your Instructor, I, have taught you one more lesson, and that is to never trust someone that easily. Unfortunately, this could very well be the last class of your life, because none of you will live to cross this bridge!" Bai Yang stood in the center as he shouted, looking quite demented.

As he was talking about surviving, the two Dark Beast Monsters once again pounced toward the other students.

The Dark Beast Monster's physique was not much different from humans. Their speed was twice as fast as Colossal-eyed Ape Rat, and once they scuttled into a shadowy place, it would be too difficult to see their figure.

This kind of excessively nimble creature could be called the executioner of rookie Magicians. They were capable of killing you with a single attack before you could finish casting your Magic, and they could easily avoid the frantic attack of a Magician!

"Retreat!" Xue Musheng shouted.

Everyone had just experienced how formidable Dark Beast Monsters were. Once they approached any of the students, the next moment, they could become like He Yu; unable to stop bleeding.

On the other side, the robust Spirit Wolf was precisely obstructing Mo Fan by standing in front of him. This savage creature most likely had hurt itself immensely after striking his Shield, and was unable to

attack Mo Fan again for a short period of time. Nevertheless, it used its pair of vicious eyes to deathly stare at Mo Fan.

Mo Fan was breathing fiercely, his chest heaving. After hearing Zhang Xiaohou's grieving scream, a raging fire began to fiercely burn within his abdomen.

From He Yu's perspective, seeing Instructor Bai Yang was equivalent to being safe. However, who would've thought that Instructor Bai Yang was actually even more ruthless than a Magical Beast. Seeing his face still ridiculing them, it made him to really want to smash his fist into the man's face!

"Roaaaar~!"

The Spirit Wolf opened its mouth, and from within the depths of its throat something was surging. Following the roar, a turbid air wave viciously drove toward Mo Fan.

Flying Sand Stones!

This was Spirit Wolf's special skill. Even if it could not use its claws, it could still attack the enemy from afar.

The scathing yellow Flying Sand Stones were flying over, but Mo Fan was already well prepared. He nimbly rolled to the side and quickly hid himself behind an abandoned van.

The Van's steel layer began to shriek as the Flying Sand Stones hit its surface, the rocks penetrated through the van and left behind numerous holes. The entire van began to shake repeatedly.

Mo Fan leaned against the van with his back, his eyes were already emitting purple radiance. This radiance turned increasingly stronger, and began to form a beautiful streaking purple Star Path around Mo Fan's body.

The seven stars were dazzling within the Star Path, they were transmitting Lightning to each other and quickly condensed into a raging and twisting Lightning pattern around Mo Fan's body.

"Hu!"

Mo Fan let out a long breath, he turned around before the Flying Sand Stones had completely stopped. He directly faced the Spirit Wolf.

"I slaughtered a thing like you a year ago, and today, I will kill you like a dog!" Mo Fan said in rage, and in his eyes was not a single trace of fear.

He raised one of his hands, and suddenly clenched his fist, a command of Lightning was passed. The agitated and unstable Lightning Elements in the air turned into an indignant sharp weapon as they fell on the Spirit Wolf.

The Spirit Wolf attempted to evade, but Mo Fan had already predicted the place it would be when it dodged.

Lightning Strike: Wrath Shock inherited the transitive effects of Lightning Strike: Mad Whip. As long as a single Lightning arc came in contact with the Spirit Wolf, then the rest of the Lightning Strike would be

absorbed into the target's body like a magnet as it was ferociously scourged and the Lightning ruthlessly penetrated into its flesh!

There were many purple Lightning arcs. They covered the entire body of Spirit Wolf, and it incessantly emitted a painful howl.

The Spirit Wolf's movement capabilities immediately disappeared, it was no longer able to approach Mo Fan with a single step.

Mo Fan coldly smiled. Not seconds after he cast Lightning Strike, a scarlet radiance flashed within his pupils. Not knowing when, his other hand was actually already holding a ball of flames.

First, Lightning!

And then Fire!

The godforsaken Spirit Wolf was about to have a taste of the two Magics that held the strongest power within the realm of Elements.

His anger was like fire and lightning, the ball of flames in his hands was thrown by him in anger. Everyone could see that the ball of Fire Burst was directly thrown toward the mouth of the Spirit Wolf that was howling in pain.

After a great amount of practice and real experience, Mo Fan was able to cast the Fire Burst even more accurately. As expected, the small ball of fire immediately struck the head of the Spirit Wolf that was slightly raising its muzzle, and then floated into its mouth.

"Rupture!" Mo Fan's gaze was like a torch as he said this, his control of the third level of Fire Burst's Rupture had achieved a complete synchronization.

The small fireball did not look very strong at all. However, it ignited after Mo Fan's cry, and exploded mightily within the mouth of the Spirit Wolf

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The strength of the rupturing wave of flames instantly burned into the Spirit Wolf's muzzle. You could distinctly see the Spirit Wolf's mouth bones severely deform, and furthermore, its jaws were quickly swallowed by the fierce flames.

The fire didn't stop there. It tyrannically expanded down the Spirit Wolf's throat, and crammed into the Spirit Wolf's abdomen. This caused its belly to immediately bulge, it looked as though it was going to explode.

Booooooom!

A loud sound finally erupted, and the vicious Spirit Wolf was turned into grilled, stinking meat by the Rupture exploding inside it. Its body landed heavily in front of Bai Yang.

Bai Yang's sardonic smile immediately turned stagnant. His gloominess fell to a terrifying level.

His previous Spirit Wolf's bloodline was superior to this one, and he'd been able to nurture it into an extremely powerful summoned creature, but it was accidentally killed by a Practical student. The killing that time could be said to have used all kind of tricks. The Spirit Wolf this time was directly bombarded by his opponent's powerful dual Elements Magic.

"I admit that you are indeed different from the majority of the students whose limbs turn weak when they encounter a Magical Beast. You're not worse than any other veteran magicians. However, you will still die! I will use your corpse to feed my next summoned beast!" Bai Yang covered his chest with one of his arms, his face ghastly pale as his twitched uncontrollably.

In the end, that Bai Yang underestimated this student. Lightning Strike: Wrath Shock and a Fire Burst: Rupture might be able to heavily wound a Spirit Wolf in normal circumstances, but would not be able to directly kill it. This student had his Fire Burst enter the mouth of the Spirit Wolf and instantly slaughtered the Spirit Wolf. This kind of handiwork was not something a normal student would think of, or was capable of doing!

However, so what if the Spirit Wolf died? As long as he got his hands on the Underground Holy Spring, he, Bai Yang's, status would be completely different. For a great Summoner like him, by then, a tiny Spirit Wolf would no longer be good enough for his standards.

"You two, kill him!" Bai Yang's gaze turned cold as he viciously ordered the two Dark Beast Monsters.

The Dark Beast Monsters were chasing other people when they heard their master's command, and immediately turned toward Mo Fan.

The Dark Beast Monsters are much more nimble than Spirit Wolf. They are able to directly jump from the roof of vehicles, and they could use the cars to continuously change their locations.

The two Dark Beast Monsters clearly knew how to cooperate to hunt for their prey. They divided to the two sides of Mo Fan. Even if Mo Fan used Lightning Strike to suppress one of them, the other Dark Beast Monster would certainly pounce on Mo Fan and cut his throat!

The two Dark Beast Monsters was getting closer and closer. Mo Fan, who didn't have the Bone Scythe Shield anymore, only had the time to complete a single Magic Star Path.

Mo Fan didn't have the time to think too much as he didn't have enough time, Mo Fan subconsciously condensed one more ball of Fire.

The rupturing effect of Fire Burst could maybe allow him to slightly dodge this. It was just that dealing with these two extremely fast Dark Beast Monsters after that would be very hard to do.

"Mr. Xue, cast Brilliant Light!" Mu Bai shouted toward Xue Musheng from not too far away.

Xue Musheng glanced at Mu Bai, and realized his hands had a quickly condensing blue star radiance. The experienced and knowledgeable Xue Musheng immediately understood, and began to cast his own Light Magic without hesitation.

Brilliant Light: Blind!

If he properly cast this immensely strong radiance, it would be able to blind one of the Magical Beasts and make it lose its combat prowess.

Feeling the strong radiance appearing, Bai Yang slowly turned his face to the other side, displaying some disdain.

This kind of radiance didn't have the ability to wound anyone. If you didn't directly look at it, then you could quickly restore your vision. As for his two Dark Beast Monsters, don't be stupid. They were creatures from the Black Vatican, they didn't have eyes. They were unable to feel the blinding effects of the radiance.

"Black Ice Chop!"

A voice was heard behind Bai Yang. In the next second, a tremendous cold intent came down the back of his neck.

From the tip of the milky white radiance, a pitch black sword emerged from nowhere. Its cold tip flickered as it emitted a piercing chill. It split open the air as it chopped down at Bai Yang's body.

Bai Yang was actually very sharp, standing beside a car when he didn't have a summoned beast accompanying him so he could avoid any sneak attacks from the students. However, it didn't matter to the Black Ice Sword that there were things blocking its way. It directly chopped the car in two while at same time splitting open Bai Yang's back!

The cut was sharp and filled with power. It cleanly chopped apart Bai Yang's left shoulder.

As the blood dripped down, the cut on his body froze under a layer of ice. Bai Yang slowly fell to the ground as he looked upwards, his face frozen in disbelief.

He, a Summoner who had tamed three summoned beasts, was actually killed by students who pissed their pants after seeing Magical Beasts just a year ago?

Deathstrike Magic Equipment. Why did a student who hadn't even graduated yet have such a precious piece of Magic Equipment, and even use it in such a sudden manner? It was so sudden that he didn't even have the opportunity to use his own Defensive Magic Equipment!

The distracting radiance of Xue Musheng's spell began to dim. Mo Fan was able to see that the two Dark Beast Monsters had suddenly stopped their movements amidst the brilliant light.

The Dark Beasts were clutching their throats, their bodies twisting in pain. What stunned Mo Fan even more was that their pitch-black bodies looked like they had encountered something with a high temperature, as they slowly began to melt.

Not even five seconds later, the two Dark Beast Monsters who had wanted his life had dissolved into a vile black liquid, that even emitted disgusting bubbles.

"The Dark Beast Monsters are interlinked with their masters. If the Master dies, they are also destroyed. This is why they are the Black Vatican's most devoted evil creatures," Xue Musheng explained as he wiped the sweat off his forehead.

The other students walked over one by one, glancing at He Yu's corpse, and then at the two pools of dark liquid pus, their faces exhausted.

After annihilating the Magical Beasts, they could perhaps come to connect with each other to a certain level. However, after these actions by Practicals Instructor Bai Yang, it had shaken their trust in human nature. No one knew how long it would take before they could adapt to it.

“The Deathstrike Magic Equipment that my uncle gifted to me on my eighteenth birthday has finally been put to use,” Mu Bai said with a bitter smile, as saw everyone staring at him.

Deathstrike Magic Equipment was an Attack-type Magical Equipment. After activating it, it would be able to emit a huge burst of killing power, but the mana it used was equally large. At the same time, Deathstrike-type Magic Equipment was much more precious than Magic Armor. Even a Magician was unable to buy it, much less common people.

What Bai Yang really was unable to predict was that there would be a student among them that would be in possession of a Deathstrike Magic Tool. After all, even a wealthy Family would not just casually give out this kind of Magic Tool to a student who hadn’t graduated yet.

No matter what, Mu Bai’s Deathstrike Tool had saved everyone. They might not have been able to deal with the extreme speed of the two Dark Beast Monsters.

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Chapter 105: Drank it Like Water

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“Good job, Mu Bai!” Zhao Kunsan jumped out from a corner, his face filled with excitement.

“That was scary, I feel like I will never trust another person again.” Mo Fan let out a long breath and glanced toward the Green Tea... oh, Mu Bai.

This time it was all thanks to the Wealthy Magic Second Generation. Without his extremely extravagant Deathstrike Magic Equipment, who knew how many of them would’ve died before they were able to get rid of this Instructor Bai Yang.

“Are the others all right?” Xue Musheng asked.

The students hiding in the surroundings assembled one by one. Only Zhang Xiaohou was standing by the fence, completely spaced out.

The battle has ended, and He Yu’s blood has also run dry. Seeing the red blood puddle that was like a scarlet carpet, grief once again enveloped everyone.

“Monkey, let’s go.” Mo Fan walked up to Zhang Xiaohou, he didn’t know what to say to comfort him.

As Zhang Xiaohou saw Mo Fan, his state of mind seemed to collapse. Teardrops began to rush forth.

“Brother Fan, I want to become stronger...” Zhang Xiaohou did his best to wipe the tears, he practically vowed as he growled, “I will definitely, definitely become stronger!!”

Zhang Xiaohou's unforgettable words were echoing in his ears, Mo Fan was feeling somewhat stunned.

Seeing this guy who was like a foolish brother to him...

At the moment he was crying like a little child. However, beneath the flowing blood, his heart was fiercely undergoing change!

That's right, you are only able to protect the people next to you if you become stronger!

After passing through the bridge, the light screen wall that was as tall as the city walls had finally entered everyone's sight.

The remaining eight people's tired faces squeezed out traces of a smile. This time, they were clearly able to see Magicians who wore the Magic Association uniform guarding the place.

The three kilometers of road was way longer than any of the experiences they'd had to go through in their seventeen years of living. No matter what, they had still arrived.

"The main group is only half a kilometer away from us, I hope they can safely arrive here," Xue Musheng turned around to look behind them.

Zhou Min, Xu Zhaoting, Wang Sanpang, Zhang Lihua, and the others also nodded. They had gone through with their responsibility as the Vanguard Squad. After going through that kind of dangerous life and death road, they sincerely hoped that the main group would be able to smoothly arrive. They didn't want to see more lives wasted.

"Who is Mo Fan?" asked a man with the symbol of the Army as he walked up in front of everyone..

"I am." Mo Fan raised his head, still dripping with sweat. He was exhausted.

"Come this way, the Chief wants to see you," the man said.

Mo Fan nodded obediently, and followed the man from the Magic Association toward a watch tower that was created by a Earth Magician.

The watch tower was very tall. As they followed the coiling staircase upwards, they kept walking for a long time before they finally arrived at the top of the tower.

At the very top was a spacious area. A fierce wind from the high altitude was blowing into this place, it was so strong that his cheeks felt painful.

The watchtower didn't have a protective rail, yet a man with a clear windbreaker was standing there with his hands behind his back, his unruly hair moving along with the gale.

To the left and right sides of the man were a few Battlemages who were also wearing clear windbreakers. Their hoods were raised up, and their bodies were completely still as they stood at the very edges of the watchtower. They were not angry, but possessed a trace of power as they stood there like statues. Chief Zhankong, who was standing in the middle, gave people a sense of admiration. This was very different from the shameless Instructor Zhankong who Mo Fan had met in the past.

The row of ten Battlemages by Chief Zhankong's sides were all emitting extremely powerful auras, they were all at least Intermediate Mages!

They looked into the distance, their gazes were like swords pointed toward the dome of Silver Commerce Tower, toward the ringleader behind the calamity of Bo City— the Commander level Magical Beast, Darkwing Wolf!

“Chief, Mo Fan is here.” The man saluted, and then slowly retreated.

Zhankong didn’t turn his head around, the entire watchtower entered a moment of silence.

“Seeing you alive makes me very happy.” Zhankong’s tone was no longer the same sloppy tone as he had before, even saying the word happy did not have any sort of feeling to it.

The current Zhankong was not the same Chief Instructor that Mo Fan knew, or this could be the real him, dignified and aloof!

“Do you know what I want to do the most when I see you?” Mo Fan asked.

“Shower me with curses. Bai Yang being part of the Black Vatican did indeed surprise all of us. Fortunately, you were suspicious of him, and you saved your own life,” Zhankong said evenly.

Zhankong already understood what had happened from the reports of his underlings, and Zhankong had not expected any of it. Not even the Army was able to sense the Battlemage Bai Yang’s evil heart. So why was Mo Fan suspicious of him?

“Did you even think about it?! Back when I was at the cavern in Practical protected by Instructor Bai Yang, I saw the pond there had traces of being drunk by animals. It wasn’t just a single one, and after that event, I asked Instructor Bai if he had any other summoned beasts, and he replied he didn’t.”

“Over such an irrelevant thing, you assumed he was a problem?” Zhankong laughed involuntarily.

“The sudden berserking Spirit Wolf back then was also a problem. In fact, I also wasn’t willing to believe that Instructor Bai was a spy, and I also wasn’t able to confirm it. I only put it at the back of my head. Who would’ve known that he would actually take actions against us,” Mo Fan replied.

Mo Fan was actually only somewhat suspicious. If he really was sure there was a problem, then he would’ve warned the surrounding people the instant he saw Instructor Bai. Furthermore, Mo Fan didn’t calculate on the appearance of the Dark Beast Monsters.

“Where’s the Holy Underground Spring, then?” Zhankong didn’t want to continue discussing that spy as he switched to the most important topic.

“I was thirsty, so I drank it,” Mo Fan replied playfully.

Chief Zhankong was standing by the edge of the watchtower, and almost slipped to his death. The dignified aura he was emitting just now was completely gone.

Zhankong turned around as he looked at Mo Fan with his eyes wide.

Shit, are you messing with me? Are you regarding the Underground Holy Spring like Nongfu Spring Water, and drank it when you were thirsty? This is genuine article of a thousand years of Bo City! Even if it isn’t as miraculous as it was back in the days due to the passage of time, it is still a yearned-for cultivation treasure of the Magicians in this country. Yet, this was... it was drunk by this kid like water?

“This is not the time to joke around.” Chief Zhankong’s expression was solemn as he stared at Mo Fan.

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“I’m not joking, did you think I could safely arrive here while carrying something like that? Carrying the Underground Holy Spring would make me the same as the meat of Tangseng, attracting all kinds of Magical Beasts... But I also did not dare to throw this thing away, in case something big happened. It just happened that I was so scared that I got a little thirsty, so I drank all of it without leaving a behind a tiny drop,” Mo Fan solemnly replied.

After finishing what he was saying, Mo Fan took out the bottle that used to contain the Underground Holy Spring, and threw it to Zhankong.

After Zhankong received the empty bottle, and looked inside as an odd expression appeared on his face.

You... you really freaking drank it?!

Even he, who was a descendant of a great military leader and had a certain amount of authority in the country’s politics, have never taken such a luxury before!

Zhankong took a few steps away in order to not fall over the edge of the tower.

Only after a while was Zhankong able to regain his calm. He helplessly said, “If this was before the Calamity, you’d be burned at the stake, and be treated no different from the Black Vatican... However, I, Mu Zhuoyun, Yang Zuohe, Old Zhu, Deng Kai, and the others were hoping that the Underground Holy Spring wouldn’t fall into the hands of the Black Vatican, and furthermore... It was also going to dry up in the next few years, so we wouldn’t be able to use it many more times, anyway. If there’s none left, then that’s it, being able to save Bo City is the most important thing.”

“I also had that premonition, that’s why I directly drank it. Even if the Black Vatican finds me and opens up my corpse, they will at most find an especially foul-smelling urine.” Mo Fan sneered.

“This kid...” Zhankong shook his head with a smile.

Zhankong didn’t actually care too much about what had happened to the Underground Holy Spring. In fact, he didn’t necessarily believe what Mo Fan had said. However, the Underground Holy Spring that was drying up had brought a disaster upon Bo City, rather than a good fortune. Even if Mo Fan was a sneaky little thief and had actually secretly hid it, then it could be counted as his reward for saving Bo City. After all, him being a student who hadn’t even graduated his third year of high school was able to protect such an important thing, and see through Bai Yang’s betrayal. If it had been anyone else, then the Underground Holy Spring would perhaps have fallen into the hands of the Black Vatican.

If he really drank it, then that’s good. If he hid it, that’s fine as well. It doesn’t matter now.

Since they had confirmed that the Underground Holy Spring hadn't fallen into the hands of the Black Vatican, and also confirmed that the one they had to face was a Commander-level Darkwing Wolf, then it was time for them to put an end to this calamity!

Commit a crime against people, and I'll put you on stake for show. Wherever you run, I, Zhankong, will definitely cut your head in twain as a tribute for the deceased souls of Bo City!

"Heed my order!" Zhankong's gaze was like lightning as he suddenly shouted out loudly.

The motionless Intermediate Magicians to the side suddenly put on their battle faces, a stern feeling instantly pervaded the whistling wind.

"Kill the Darkwing Wolf, no rest until death!" Zhankong yelled out once more, his voice was filled with killing intent.

"Kill the Darkwing Wolf, no rest until death!"

"Kill the Darkwing Wolf, no rest until death!"

"Kill..."

The nine people under Zhankong's direct command simultaneously answered with a vigorous fervor. Mo Fan was unable to sense a shred of fear in their voices; all there was, was a mission, and the courage of the men of the Army!

After the steel-like voices had dispersed in the wind, Army Chief Zhankong took a step forward. His azure Military windbreaker was blown high.

Fall, Chief Zhankong fell off from the watchtower just like that. Before Mo Fan was able to recover from the shock, white wings emerged in his line of sight...

Wind Wings!!

This was Mo Fan's second time seeing Wind Wings, the shock in his heart was not any less than the last time.

In the dusky weather, and the bloodstained city, between the heavens and the city, a shadow that was carried by the Wind Wings was free and untamed.

In front of this kind of disaster, everyone seemed exceptionally miniscule... except for him, the man who had Wind Wings.

He dares to say he is going to kill the Darkwing Wolf!

He dares to say that he will protect the city!

Huuuuu~~ The wind from his wings was directly blown over.

After Zhankong flew away, the nine people under his direct command also jumped down. Soon after, Mo Fan saw nine great white eagle-like birds carrying the officers flying toward the Silver Trade Tower in the gray sky.

Those were Heavenly Eagles, only allocated to high-ranked Military Officers, and the symbol of the Army.

As Chief Zhankong flew by himself with the Wind Wings, and the nine Heavenly Eagles soared through the skies with the nine Military Officers, a thunderous shout rose from the protectors within the Safety Shelters.

The Calamity would finally come to an end!

In the days of a Blood Alert, the role of humans was to be food, and run away, weak and scared. However, that did not mean that humans were extremely weak, and were poultry who were confined to the city!

Within the ranks of humans, there was a certain kind of people. They were known as Magicians!

Their mission was to use the power that was given to them by nature to battle against the invasions of the Magical Beasts!

Ruthlessly...

Ruthlessly slaughter Magical Beasts!

Within the Safety Shelters, there was an youth, his body tanned a dark brown.

He helplessly sat amongst the group of protected people, perplexed and mediocre.

However, he raised his head to see the shadows above the city, saw the nine eagles streaking across the sky, heard the loud shouts of all the Battlemages within the Safety Shelters. It was just like beating military drums... all their eyes were thoroughly drawn toward the scene, their pupils expanding.

Ever since the moment He Yu died, his eyes had never regained their senses, until now. Now his eyes felt like they were simply combusting!

His heart was surging like the beating of the drums, following the ten streaks that were flying toward the Darkwing Wolf. He had found the place where he belonged.

“If you knew that the weak boy that you sacrificed yourself to save is able to become a Battlemage that can watch over the city, and use his own powers to save millions of beautiful girls like you, then the you in the heaven will be smiling in gratification, right?...”

The weak boy gripped his fist; he already knew where he should go, and what he should be doing in the future.

Mo Fan walked down from the watchtower, and after arriving at the very bottom, he happened to see the female instructor, Pan Lijun.

In the past, Pan Lijun had a stiff face. Today, it looked like she held a grief that had been there for a long time. It seemed like the her who used to be very well-trained was somewhat weak at the moment.

“A scouting squad member took a risk to bring back news. Many caverns outside of the Safety Shelters have a distinct traces of being dug out,” Pan Lijun solemnly said to the headband-wearing man next to her.

“So that means the sudden appearance of all these Magical Beasts in Bo City is mostly because the many tunnels outside of Bo City lead to the water tunnels beneath it. The Magical Beasts used those tunnels to walk past our Safety Shelters to directly enter Bo City?” headband man solemnly asked.

“Yes, our top priority is to find a few Magical Beast caverns and have those tunnels directly filled and destroyed, or else Bo City will have unending amount of Magical Beasts appearing. It’s just, we currently are not sure on where those tunnels that leads to Bo City lie.” Pan Lijun was at her wit’s end at this moment.

The attack of the Magical Beasts was too sudden, and the entire City had gone into chaos. Finding a Magical Beast entry point in a large city like this was definitely not an easy matter.

As he heard these two discussing this, Mo Fan’s thoughts suddenly flashed.

Cave, water tunnel, sewers... This meant that there was a creature specialized in digging causing mischief!

Colossal-eyed Ape Rat!

In his year with the Hunter Squad, Mo Fan and the squad members had killed a large number of Colossal-eyed Ape Rats within Bo City.

At this moment, he finally understood why there were so many Colossal-eyed Ape Rats going rampant in Bo City for the past year!

Heavens, they were the signs of this disaster to Bo City!

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Chapter 107: Magical Beast Entrance

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“Instructor Pan, I think I know where the clues are.” Mo Fan hastily interrupted after hearing the two people talking, realizing something important.

“Where?” The two looked at Mo Fan in confusion.

“The City Hunter Squad,” Mo Fan replied.

The discussion between the two could be said to have been an influence for the flash of an idea in Mo Fan’s head.

The invasion of the Magical Beasts this time seemed to be unexpected. The truth is, Mo Fan who was on the City Hunter Squad had vaguely understood some of the situation of Bo City, and the most distinct one was the rampage of the Colossal-eyed Ape Rats!

The Colossal-eyed Ape Rats were experts in digging, from this, it was easy to understand that the magical beast tunnel leading into the Bo City from the outside was the doing of the Colossal-eyed Ape Rats.

Every time the City Hunter Squad hunted a Magical Beast, they would record it. Surely they would be able to find the location of the Magical Beast Entrance from the recent activities of the Colossal-eyed Ape Rats in Bo City!

The two people looked at each other as they realized the same thing.

It was impossible for the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat to have dug a tunnel leading into Bo City without any kind of activity. The ones who understood the problems that existed within Bo City best were naturally the City Hunter Squad!

They'd be able to obtain some accurate clues from the City Hunter Squad!

"Good, I'll go and contact the people from the City Hunter Squad immediately," the man with the headband nodded repeatedly.

Pan Lijun turned her head around in astonishment as she looked at Mo Fan. She never imagined that this student's few words could be so important.

"The truth is, I am a member of the City Hunter Squad. After returning from the Practicals, I realized that my own strength was far too weak, thus, I joined one of the City Hunter Squads. However, I currently do not know where they are," Mo Fan explained with a forced smile as he saw Instructor Pan staring at him.

"You really are unfathomable," Pan Lijun forced out a smile.

"Instructor Pan, how's the situation at Snowy Peak Mountain Station? My father is there," Mo Fan asked.

"Don't worry, that place is even more secure than Bo City, your dad will also be all right," Pan Lijun assured him.

"That's good, could you help me with another matter?"

"Tell me, little hero."

"The Safety Shelters are like a huge camp, there's simply too many people. I am unable to find my family members who have withdrawn to the Safety Shelters, could you help me ask about their current whereabouts?" Mo Fan asked.

"Alright, that won't be a problem. It will most likely take Instructor Cheng some time to find the people from City Hunter Squad."

With the Magical Beasts invading the city, the normal communication devices were basically not functioning.

Not much later, the headband-wearing Instructor Cheng had already returned. Besides him were a few people, and among them were Xiaoke and Xu Dahuang, who Mo Fan was familiar with.

Xiaoke was currently holding onto her mini-notebook as she quickly searched for the Magical Beast Record which she had put into the computer.

“Right now, I have located a few areas where the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat has appeared. The first one is Beiling Area’s park, a Colossal-eyed Ape Rat that injured a human appeared there. The very first discovery of the Magical Beasts invasion should be at Beiling Area,” Xiaoke said to Instructor Cheng.

“Beiling Area has currently been occupied by the Magical Beasts,” Instructor Cheng noted thoughtfully.

“Following that is Guangshang Heavenly Street, and then Lufeng town and...”

“Has there been a place with a distinct burrow?,” Instructor Cheng spoke up.

“Oh, yes there is... Beneath Mingwen Middle School’s cafeteria was a burrow. There was a girl who went missing back then, and there are many Magical Beasts in Mingwen Area. I reckon there is definitely a Magical Beast Entrance there,” Xiaoke said.

“That rings a bell, I remember that was when Fan Mo had just joined our squad. We just happened to find a Colossal-eyed Ape Rat inside Mingwen Girls Middle School. Following that, the police discovered a burrow. We all suspected the girl had been dragged into the burrow and eaten there...” Feishi hurriedly said.

They were talking as they were walking. Xiaoke and Xu Dahuang clearly did not see Mo Fan, who was standing nearby, and listening very attentively to them.

Currently, the Hunter Squad knew that Mo Fan was Fan Mo, and they would have been surprised to find that Mo Fan was not cultivating within the Underground Holy Spring. How had he come here?

“Mingwen Area has a Magical Beast Entrance? Did the people in Mingwen Area escape already?” Instructor Cheng asked the Maga to his side.

“There’s currently not any information on their evacuation.”

Everyone sunk into silence.

After a while, Xu Dahuang creased his brow and said, “It seems like Mingwen Area does indeed have a Magical Beast Entrance, and furthermore, the entrance is within the Mingwen Girls Middle School. No wonder why they felt that the school was vibrating like there was a construction work happening nearby. It turns out that it was actually the Colossal-eyed Ape Rats that were digging.”

“No one has evacuated? Did you read that wrong, are you sure no one has evacuated from there?” Mo Fan’s gaze was fixed on the Maga who was talking just now.

“Mo Fan, calm down.”

“Yeah, if we’re not wrong, then the Magical Beast Entrance should be near Mingwen Girls Middle. Thus, Mingwen Area should also be connected, which is why it’s not an easy matter to evacuate from there.”

Mo Fan’s soul sunk.

He clearly remembered that Ye Xinxia had told him that their school had frequent vibrations occurring. That would definitely mean the Colossal-eyed Ape Rats were digging underground.

If the Magical Beasts directly climbed up from there, then the entire school would be instantly destroyed.

Presently, all of Bo City has entered a crisis, just who would be able to care about whether a middle school had been able to evacuate or not?

“Commander Cheng, as this is a matter of the utmost importance, we will dispatch a squad of people over. We must immediately destroy the Magical Beast Entrance!” Pan Lijun said.

Since they had found the Magical Beast Entrance, then naturally they had to set off immediately. They didn’t have any time to waste.

“This number of people on this squad can’t be too many. Although these Magical Beasts don’t have a high intelligence, once they discover that there are a large group of people advancing toward their entrance, we will definitely attract a large number of Magical Beasts and expose our objective,” the female Maga told all of them.

Commander Cheng swept his gaze past the present people as he said in a serious voice, “Let’s immediately deploy people.”

“Commander, we will go with you. As the Captain of the City Hunter Squad, I am definitely more familiar than you with battling against Magical Beasts within the city,” Xu Dahuang said.

Xiaoke glanced at Xu Dahuang, she didn’t know whether she should make a decision or not.

“Alright, with an Elite Hunter Squad, the chances of success will definitely increase by a lot. The mission this time is fairly dangerous, everyone still needs to be cautious,” Commander Cheng said.

As everyone had just finished discussing this, and as they were just about to prepare to leave, a person happened to stand in front of them.

“Fan Mo?! Oh no wait, it’s Mo Fan!” Xiaoke and Xu Dahuang exclaimed, astonished.

(Ed. Note: yep, they’re a little blind not noticing him talking to the Maga...)

Mo Fan looked at the two people, and then at Commander Cheng, who was responsible for the mission this time.

Pan Lijun was also shocked as she said, “Mo Fan, don’t tell me you also want to join?! You have already successfully helped the people of Tian Lan Magic High to evacuate, and destroyed the plans of the Black Vatican. It’s better if you just stay within the Safety Shelters and rest. We will take care of this!”

“Yeah, you are already the hero of our Bo City, let alone this mission... Even nine deaths and one survivor could’ve been described as doing really well,” Commander Cheng nodded.

Hero of the City?

Mo Fan didn’t think that way.

If she died, then he would be a waste through and through.

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Chapter 108: Leaving the Shelter

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“Isn’t that Mo Fan?... Are you kidding me, what’s he going to do outside now that he has already arrived at the Safety Shelter??” Xue Musheng was resting in the camp to the side as he happened to see Mo Fan leaving the Safety Shelter.

“Shit, I will never think about leaving this place in my lifetime.”

“Yeah, Mo Fan is far too courageous.”

For the students, the other side of the Safety Shelters was a nightmare which they would never forget. They had finally reached this place after great difficulties, no matter what people said, they would not tread a single step outside.

They were unable to understand just what exactly was giving Mo Fan the courage to once again tread outside of the Safety Shelter?

The truth was, Mo Fan also thought that he wouldn’t take another step outside after he arrived at the Safety Shelter. After all, anything could be put to the back of his head compared to his own life, so how could he have the intention to bitterly save people?

Regretfully, he didn’t think he was qualified. He was unable to achieve the stage Xu Dahuang was at.

However, in his mind floated the girl who couldn’t walk, lingering in the area with the highest number of Magical Beasts. Her pure eyes were filled with fear and helplessness, and just like Zhang Yinglu, leaving this world with a yearning and not knowing what had happened.

A lot of people think they have an insignificant role within society, and they are unable to do anything about matters with high principles. They would even sigh in admiration over the fact that there are people that would do things without a care for their own lives... In reality, there are many things in their hearts that had already surpassed others. What they don’t realize is that being able to make a quick decision during the time of crisis is a kind of instinct, and whether that action affects their life is something they had no second thoughts about.

The current Mo Fan was like that.

He never thought about whether he should go out of the Safety Shelter or not, his mind was already occupied by the scary thought. All of the molecules in his body were telling him to not let such a tragedy to befall Xinxia!

Thus, when the squad was telling Mo Fan with certainty that the girl he was looking for had most likely died, and him going out was also a futile action, Mo Fan still decided to go with the squad to Mingwen

Area with a fixed resolution. Even if the probability of finding her in this disaster was very low, even if the hope of her still being alive was uncertain...

Xu Dahuang has an adequate understanding of the entirety of Bo City, and having him as their guide would avoid many unnecessary inconveniences.

In the end, the Water Magician of the Hunter Squad didn't choose to follow them out. Every individual had their own choices, neither Officer Cheng nor Xu Dahuang were forcing them.

Going along with this mission were the two Instructors that Mo Fan was familiar with, Luo Yunbo and Pan Lijun. The one who was responsible for the squad was precisely that Officer Cheng who is an Intermediate Magician.

Officer Cheng was an official protector of Bo City, and this incredibly difficult mission had to be handled by him personally.

There were a total of eight people in the squad, not a large number. On one hand it was because having a large amount of people might easily allow the Magical Beasts to sense their actions. On the other hand, there were no other people they could dispatch with them. Being able to dispatch an Intermediate Magician could already be considered a really good thing. After all, there were many Warrior-class Magical Beasts roaming around Bo City, and only Intermediate Magicians were able to handle those Magical Beasts.

Meixin Highway was the best shortcut from the Safety Shelters directly to the Mingwen Area in the city.

The highway bridge has already been turned into a mess by abandoned cars, completely impassable. One could vaguely see a few Magical Beasts' figures scuttling on top of the cars on the highway bridge; looking for the citizens who thought hiding in their cars would be safe.

At this moment, on the chaotic highway bridge, eight black motorcycles were silently and flexibly following along the pedestrian sidewalk at the side of the bridge, which was basically unobstructed. The cycle's steel was very flat, they looked like eight African panthers running around from afar. The dim lights from the after rain would barely reflect from its luster.

"Although this kind of motorcycle that was made with black stone will not be discovered by Magical Beasts, it is still clear that riding a summoned beast gives you a certain advantage in this kind of situation!" Officer Cheng said.

"Unfortunately, the Summoners also have their own missions to attend to," Pan Lijun replied.

Officer Cheng nodded, no longer saying anything.

In this moment, Mo Fan was also operating a black motorcycle, he had grasped the technique of riding one back in middle school.

The teachers in the magic schools had told them that all kinds of Magical equipment could easily attract Magical Beasts. After all, phones, computers, cars, and motorcycles were all created using different elemental magic blueprints. They all needed the energy of magic stones to operate.

The energy from the Magic Stones could easily be sensed by Magical Beasts.

The Magical Stones made into scientific equipment might not have a huge attraction to the Magical Beasts, but Magical Stones that had a fast movement... those were different. Just like how many animals have no awareness of immobile things, but once something starts moving, they would also start to chase. This was the same reasoning with the Magical Beasts and vehicles.

Thus, other than the equipment that had been custom modified by the military, using scientific equipment would definitely attract the Magical Beasts in the surroundings. The radius of influence depended on the Magical Beast's senses.

After a discussion between a few soldiers, Mo Fan came to understand a very important piece of information, and that was a Magician's personal tool of transportation was usually a summoned beast. The summoned beast's aura was similar to a Magical Beast, those who rode a summoned beast outside of the city wouldn't be easily found by a Magical Beast.

Unfortunately, the vast majority of first Elemental Awakenings would only be of a basic Element. The Dimensional Element of Summoning Magic could only be awakened when you reached the Intermediate or Advanced level. Thus, Summoned Beasts weren't actually that common.

After passing along the Meixin Highway, their progress could be considered very fast.

However, as they were about to arrive in Mingwen Area, the bridge had collapsed ahead of them, probably because a Warrior-class Magical Beast had passed through this place.

Thus, they had no choice but to abandon their cycles and walk instead. The technological means of transportation was inconvenient from this point onward, as it relied too much on the road.

After abandoning their vehicles, the eight people continued to advance. Instructor Luo Yunbo was a Wind Magician, he was scouting a path for them forwards.

Luo Yunbo's experience was far more abundant than Li Wenjie. He knew how to use his own Wind Trail Magic to lure the Magical Beasts away, allowing them to directly pass through and not take detours.

This kind of Wind Magician was very important to a squad, as they would be able to save a lot of time and everyone's energy.

The road was quite long, there were too many things standing in the way of everyone. If they were able to save their energy, then they should!

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Chapter 109: Abandoned by the World

To the south of Mingwen Girls Middle was a very extravagant shopping mall.

Normally around this time, the shopping mall plaza would be occupied by a large group of aunties, all formed into a colony under the melody of Little Apple.

Today, there was not a single soul in this plaza. The aunties who once disregarded the weather to be here might never dare to take make a show of their happiness here again. This was because just the night before, they had seen a group of Magic Wolves swallowing their dance partners in single gulps.

The bloodstains had already been washed off by the rain, and what remained on the ground was the remains of humans. Seeing this made many people feel like vomiting.

In the surroundings of the plaza a few low growl and roars arose, and occasionally there'd be a miserable shriek breaking through. With that, one would immediately know that there was one more person being eaten by a Magical Beast.

The large shopping building occupied one-third of the plaza. This was a new shopping mall, but due to the Magical Beast's recklessness, it had been turned into ruins. Shards of glass could be seen everywhere, as well as shattered walls, and the floor tiles were a mess.

The floor beneath the plaza was precisely a Walmart supermarket. Human food was not a big attraction to the Magical Beasts, or else they would have gathered down there.

The Supermarket was very fortunate, you needed to take an elevator down, so it hadn't been discovered by the Magical Beasts yet.

The people hiding within the supermarket were all sitting on the ground. The only thing they could do was pray; pray for the beasts to never find this place.

"We couldn't have been abandoned like this, right?" asked a girl holding her knees as she sat in the corner, sobbing softly.

"Most of the people in the outside world have died, us being discovered here is something that will happen sooner or later." The manager of the supermarket said apathetically as he sat on the ground..

"We can't. Sitting here will only result in waiting for death, we must go outside. Going out will give us a sliver of hope." said the man who was responsible for transporting the goods of the supermarket.

"I am a pipeline worker, I have been working like this for several tens of years. Follow me to the underground sewers and you won't encounter any Magical Beasts," said a skinny middle-aged man wearing a blue work uniform.

As everyone heard what the man said, their eyes began to shine.

According to a youth who had escaped to here, the outside world was filled with Magical Beasts, and if they were to go to the surface, they'd be eaten by a Magical Beast within seconds. If they were to use the underground sewers, they would be able to easily reach the Safety Shelters from the Mingwen Area. To actually have a worker who was familiar with the drains of the city present, that would prevent them from getting lost.

"Go, let's hurry up and go. I don't wanna stay in this place."

"Yeah, under the Blood Alert, not evacuating to the Safety Shelters in time would basically mean there's no hope for survival..."

"Go, hurry up and go. This place will be found by a Magical Beast sooner or later."

There were around fifteen people within the supermarket. After they heard there was a pipeline worker who could lead them out, their eyes began to flicker with a hope for survival.

Fortunately, the supermarket had an entrance directly to the sewers. This way, they would finally have hope to make it to the Safety Shelters.

Everyone quickly packed up, they all followed behind the pipeline worker as they walked toward the underground sewers.

“Wait, hold on everyone. Can someone come and help, there’s a girl sitting in a wheelchair. She probably can’t walk...” a petite girl hurriedly said toward the group of people who were about to leave.

“Are you out of your mind, with the situation like this, who has the time to care about her?”

“Yeah, you can’t pass through the underground sewer with a wheelchair. Little girl, you should just hurry up and come with us,” the fat manager of the supermarket said.

The pipeline worker was walking in the front, and the others were acting as though they didn’t hear anything as they strode behind the pipeline worker.

“Then can anyone carry her, I beg of you. Don’t leave her behind, I beg all of you.” The petite girl nearly cried as she saw the people had gone quite far. At this time, she didn’t know what to do.

Although there were a few people who turned their heads around and saw the girl in wheelchair, they revealed a look of wanting to help. Unfortunately, they still did not do so...

It was difficult to predict what would happen to them. If they were to meet a Magical Beast in the underground sewer, they wouldn’t be able to run away if they were carrying a girl.

“We probably shouldn’t be doing this, that girl looks pitiful,” a woman amongst them whispered.

“What not doing this, it’s she who cannot walk, how can we be blamed? If you pity her, then you can go and carry her, don’t blame me for not warning you. There are many pipes in the underground where you need to crawl, and ladders where you’ll need to climb until your legs don’t work. Having her come along with us would mean it’d take longer than two days to arrive at the Safety Shelters,” the pipeline worker said.

“The Magical Beasts won’t necessarily discover the supermarket, she can stay here and wait for someone to rescue her.”

As everyone heard the words of waiting to be saved, the corners of their mouths couldn’t help but draw back.

Under the Blood Alert, there was no possibility for rescues. The vast majority of the Magicians would assemble around the Safety Shelters to protect the safety of the people, and the vast majority of those who were roaming outside needed to think of their own means to evacuate.

Thus, that girl sitting in the wheelchair could only pray that the Magical Beasts would never find the supermarket.

The supermarket quickly became empty, and the petite girl who was talking before was precisely standing beside the girl in wheelchair. As she saw the backs of the people gradually walking further and further away, she almost bit open her lips.

“You should follow them,” the girl in wheelchair said toward the unknown girl beside her, forcing a smile.

“I’m sorry... I really want to bring you along,” the petite girl said with an incomparable embarrassment.

“Don’t worry, hurry up and catch up to them.”

“Is there anything I can do for you?”

The girl in wheelchair seemed as though she thought of something before she quickly took off her bracelet and gave it to the petite girl saying, “If you reach the Safety Shelters, please give this to my family...”

The petite girl quickly remembered the information of the wheelchair girl’s family before she sincerely nodded, “Don’t worry, I will tell them and have them think of ways to come here and save you.”

The girl in wheelchair shook her head, “Please tell them that I have already been killed.”

The petite girl was so shocked that she opened her mouth, momentarily not knowing what to say.

At last, the petite girl turned around and left. She wanted to turn her head around several times but she didn’t do it with great difficulty.

A cold hued light sprinkled around the corner. The heart of the white collar worker, Lingjia, was suffering. She originally thought that there’d be a man among them who would be willing to carry the girl to leave, but in the end, they all hurried away...

This kind of neglect made her heart feel bitterly disappointed.

However, what could Lingjia do? Her legs were still wounded, her being able to follow the people with her limp was already very good. She was completely unable to carry that girl in the wheelchair.

The unknown girl sitting on the wheelchair looked very tranquil, when everyone decided to leave her behind, she didn’t seem to have the slightest trace of begging. There was no frenzy nor despair within her eyes.

“I’m sorry, I’m sorry...”

Lingjia’s lips were bitten open, in the end, she could only unceasingly apologize and run toward the people who had left.

Soon enough, the entire supermarket was completely empty, leaving behind a simple and convenient wheelchair, and a girl wearing a green silk skirt...

The people had already left, Ye Xinxia slowly dropped her head. Her hair covered her face, her white hands were put on top of her knees.

Even if she seemed more tranquil, her fear would still open up, unconsciously grabbing onto her skirt was the best reflection of that.

In her heart, she did not blame those people. Just like her being unable to walk, who could she possibly blame that on?

Every person had the right to live.

It's just, when you don't know the silent danger that lurks around you, and you don't know just when you will die, the feeling of the world having abandoned you, the feeling of helplessness slowly spreads across every inch of the body. She didn't know whether to continue to suffer, and helplessly wait like this, or just end her life to solve all her problems. Was there any more reason to struggle while at death's door?

As if she made some kind of decision, she slowly pushed the wheelchair as she slowly approached the kitchen utensils area.

She strenuously stood up from the wheelchair as she grabbed a sharp fruit knife.

She was able to stand up and forcefully walk a few steps. It's just her weak legs would quickly cause her entire being to extremely tired.

As she sat on the wheelchair once again, she then slowly pushed her wheelchair back to her original location...

Ye Xinxia's actions were seen by the worker Lingjia's eyes, and guilt once again washed over her heart.

If this supermarket was discovered by Magical Beasts, then the girl in the wheelchair would most likely end her own life.

Lingjia took a deep breath, but in the end, she still closed the door.

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Chapter 110: Clues of Bracelet

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"There's already another squad that has discovered a Magical Beast entrance, and they were able to successfully destroy it." Officer Cheng walked out from the side as he spoke to everyone seriously.

"Shouldn't we be happy about this?" Xu Dahuang immediately smiled.

"The squad was also completely wiped out, not a single person escaped alive," Officer Cheng added with a whisper.

The smile on Xu Dahuang's face immediately froze.

The others opened their mouths in shock, no longer feeling any kind of excitement.

The entrance of a Magical Beast most likely had a group of Magical Beasts. Maybe slipping into the place was rather simple. However, once the entrance was destroyed, then the squad will definitely be surrounded by groups of Magical Beasts in an instant.

In fact, when they were filtering members, Officer Cheng had clearly told everyone that the mission this time will most likely be one where you can go, but you will never return.

"Let's continue advancing, we shouldn't be too far from Mingwen Girls Middle," Officer Cheng said.

“Mhm, there is a student street after we pass through this old house. After we pass through the student street, we will be able to see the gate to the girl middle school. The report back then had said that there were vibrations coming from their cafeteria, thus, the Magical Beast Entrance is most likely beneath their cafeteria,” Xu Dahuang told them.

Everyone nodded agreement, and followed the route chosen by Xu Dahuang.

On the way there, they had encountered a few troublesome Magical Beasts. However, they were quickly dealt with by Officer Cheng.

An Intermediate Mage was able to instantly kill Minion-class Magical Beasts, and so they proceeded relatively quickly

“Help!! Save me~~ Save meee!!”

Just as they were going to continue, a shrieking yell suddenly sounded out from in front of them.

Just when Xu Dahuang was about to take action, Officer Cheng immediately stood in front of him to stop him.

Xu Dahuang’s face was filled with confusion, just when he was about to open his mouth, Officer Cheng coldly said, “I have already said this when we set off, our mission is to destroy the Magical Beast Entrance. Even if we were to meet someone we know on the way, we cannot lend a helping hand. Other than Mo Fan who is here to save his relative, I hope others will understand what they’re here to do!”

Everyone entered a moment of silence.

They were all Battlemages, and obeying orders was their duty. Thus, even if there were miserable shrieks coming from the street to the right of the corner ahead of them, they could only bite their lips and remain where they were.

Mo Fan was still shocked.

However, after carefully thinking about it, he understood the reasoning behind the seemingly inhumane decision.

If they were to save people en route, then the squad would become a rescue squad. With so many people burdening them, there’s no way they would be able to charge into the Magical Beast Entrance.

Lingering around Magical Beasts for even an extra minute could result in their ten-person squad losing their lives. They had to pick this option, even if just reaching their hands out to the people in front of them would be able to save them, they still could not do so.

After two minutes had passed, the miserable shrieking yells finally disappeared.

A few minutes later, Instructor Luo Yunbo returned to the squad and said to Officer Cheng, “The Magical Beasts have left, we can proceed.”

Luo Yunbo had personally seen those people being killed, and at this current moment, his complexion was very ugly. If it wasn’t for the mission, then he would definitely have gone and saved them.

In front of them was a street that could be considered quite spacious, and the entire road was empty of cars. However, on the asphalt were a few corpses that were still horrifyingly bloody. It hadn't been very long since they had died...

As they took a few steps forward, a fat man's body laying on the road, emitting a foul stench, moved suddenly.

It seemed he hadn't died yet, and with his eyes wide open, he raised his head with great effort as he looked at the squad.

His eyes were filled with anger and suspicion.

As he was crawling away with his body dripping blood, he had clearly seen this group of Magicians in the reflections from the glass on a building.

He was precisely yelling at these Magicians to come and save him just before.

However, when his legs were being bitten off by the Magical Beasts, these people didn't take a single action. When his lower body was almost completely swallowed by the Magical Beasts, these heartless Magicians remained indifferent.

When those Battlemages walked past his body, he used his last bit of strength to grab onto the leg of one of them. He wanted to ask, he wanted to firmly ask these scoundrel Battlemages why they would watch as everyone died!

Pan Lijun slowly came to a stop. As she looked at the fat man grabbing her who was at his last breath, her eyes didn't have any trace of emotion.

The next second, she continued to walk forward again.

Everyone didn't look too much at the incomparably miserable man as they quickly moved on.

Not too many steps further, they saw more corpses that were mutilated beyond recognition.

After walking to the middle of the street, the Battlemages who had suffered the silent criticism of the dying discovered a woman's corpse by the mouth of the underground tunnel, her throat torn out by a Colossal-eyed Ape Rat.

"They probably wanted to escape using the underground sewers, but then..." Luo Yunbo's voice was low.

"The underground sewers are the lairs of the Colossal-eyed Ape Rats; they followed the path to their own doom." Xu Dahuang helplessly shook his head.

The path they shouldn't have walked was precisely the sewers; the Magical Beasts had used the underground world to scatter into all of the locations of the city.

"Let's go, if we don't destroy this entrance, then there will be more people dying," Officer Cheng said without a sign of emotion.

The others nodded.

Just when Mo Fan was about to proceed forward, his pace abruptly came to a stop.

His gaze was fixated on the wrist of the girl that was next to the entrance. He had never seen this girl before; however, the bracelet she wore was something he was very familiar with.

This was a DIY bracelet he had bought for Ye Xinxia in the student street on her sixteenth birthday. They had chosen different beads to create this unique bracelet, and amongst them was a single, ugly black bead which he personally had inserted with great fanfare.

Other boys and girls would string half the bracelet each. A careless person like Mo Fan had wasted a very long time to string together a very incompatible black bead. It was as though this beautiful DIY bracelet had been polluted by a rat. Yet, Xinxia had still worn it happily every day.

This type of bracelet was everywhere on the streets, however, the black bead that he had strung was easily recognizable. This was definitely the DIY bracelet which he and Ye Xinxia had successfully completed through a “cooperation”. But why was it in the hands of a unfamiliar girl?

“Mo Fan, are you all right?” At the front of the group, Pan Lijun turned around to look at him.

“I think I have found a clue. This girl is wearing my sister’s bracelet.” Mo Fan removed the bracelet from the girls wrist. After going through a closer inspection, he confirmed it.

“The dead fatty’s back has the logo of Walmart; these people must’ve escaped here from the underground sewers near Walmart. They were most likely found by Colossal-eyed Ape Rats halfway through, which was why they tried to escape to the surface,” Pan Lijun said.

Mo Fan glanced toward the entrance of the sewers, and indeed there were two more corpses down there. Additionally, he could determine that they were from the sewers from the stench of the sewage on their bodies.

“Around this area, there should only be a Walmart Supermarket beneath the Mingwen Shopping Mall.” Xu Dahuang was very familiar with this area, and he immediately said this to Mo Fan.

The search from before was like trying to find a needle in a haystack. Who would’ve thought that the heavens would be so nice to him, and allow him to find some clues?

Although he couldn’t confirm if Ye Xinxia was at the supermarket or not, now, he’d at least have a direction to go. At least he wasn’t like a headless housefly, looking around this area.

“Mo Fan...”

Mo Fan nodded. “I understand.”

“Then we’ll wish you luck.” Officer Cheng no longer said anything else as the team continued to advance.

“I wish you luck.”