

Versatile 2791

Chapter 2791: Ghostly Energy Sword

The Red Hunter Dirty Demon's moved fast. It charged at Jiang Yu's back. The cunning creature seemed to know that Night Rakshasa would protect its human at any cost, so it took advantage of it to find Night Rakshasa's weakness.

Night Rakshasa's demonic energy changed. It was in attack mode when it was fighting multiple enemies but now it went into defense. The Purple-Haired Female Demon moved forward. It spread its seaweed hair wildly, covering everything like a swarm of foliage.

The Red Hunter Dirty Demon launched its attack and aimed at Night Rakshasa's eyes. The sharp claws could even become a thin needle that was almost invisible. The needle-like claws extended at an impossible speed.

A few black furs fell. Night Rakshasa tilted its head slightly. A small hole appeared on the building and dozens of other buildings on the street.

Jiang Yu was shocked. This Red Hunter Dirty Demon was probably the most dangerous among the other Hunter Dirty Demons. Its power was frightening.

The Purple-Haired Female Demon was still approaching. The seaweed hair turned into vicious water snakes and tried to entangle the Night Rakshasa.

Those Tooth Eels on the Purple-Haired Female Demon could open its maw to reveal rows of fangs. These fangs were sharp and hideous.

Night Rakshasa could not step away from Jiang Yu even for a minute. The continuous attacks from the front and back were making it tired.

"It's so touching. You two can die together." Jiu Ying grinned.

Wisps of ghostly energy slowly emerged from the palm of his hand. The ghostly energies turned into a moon-shaped sword. The Ghostly Energy Moon Sword was already hanging above Jiang Yu's head. Night Rakshasa did not notice it.

However, Jiu Ying did not intend to kill a defunct Summoner. The most important thing for him was to get rid of Night Rakshasa.

If Jiang Yu died, Night Rakshasa might escape. Even if he failed to take over the Forbidden City, as Nan Shou, he would be able to occupy the top three highest positions in the Forbidden City if the other masters dropped dead.

There was something strange about the Ghostly Energy Moon Sword. It moved only in one direction. It appeared near the target without warning. When the target finally realized the sword was moving in its direction, it was often too late to react.

The Night Rakshasa was already dealing with two powerful Ocean Demons. Jiu Ying was familiar with Night Rakshasa. Even if its destructive power was remarkable, it usually fled to safety when it smelled an aura more powerful than it was.

The Night Rakshasa wasn't very strong physically. But it was extremely difficult to launch a sneak attack on it because of its alert nature. The only way that can be used to restrain and defeat Night Rakshasa was by using Jiang Yu as bait. When it was exhausted, Jiu Ying would kill it slowly.

Jiu Ying was Nan Shou of the Forbidden City and ranked second in strength among the four guards. However, he could not win against Bei Shou if he did not use the sorcery of the Black Vatican. If he fought seriously, the other three guards might not survive the fight.

The Red Cardinals usually liked to accept disciples from a wide range, but Jiu Ying preferred to improve himself and pursue a higher realm.

Swish.

The Ghostly Energy Moon Sword moved without a trace. It was right above the Night Rakshasa now.

The reason Night Rakshasa had moved here was to avoid the venom of the Seaweed-Haired Female Demon, so it could not take a step back and figure out a way. If the Night Rakshasa continued to avoid the venom, the Ghostly Energy Moon Sword would chop off its head.

Night Rakshasa's fur bristled. It moved too fast and passed the sword! It did not launch a counterattack against the Seaweed-Haired Female Demon. The Seaweed-Haired Female Demon had already revealed its weakness when it sprayed the venom. Night Rakshasa could severely injure it if it attacked now.

However, the Night Rakshasa did not attack. It was infuriated at Jiu Ying. It speeded up and charged at him. Jiu Ying sneered. The cat had lost its rationale. It could kill the powerful Seaweed-Haired Female Demon, but it wanted to kill Jiu Ying first.

It was not easy to kill the Red Cardinal. Jiu Ying's palm condensed dark green ghostly energy. The ghostly energy filled the surroundings.

Night Rakshasa moved around in the place full of malevolent energy. Occasionally, the Ghostly Energy Moon Sword would attack, and Night Rakshasa was barely able to dodge it.

As Night Rakshasa approached Jiu Ying, the Ghostly Energy Moon Sword attacked frequently. It was a huge sword formation that waited patiently for Night Rakshasa to fall into its trap.

Night Rakshasa had many wounds on its body. Although none of the injuries were serious, the ghostly energy would still seep through and spread in the body. It was more terrifying than poison as it consumed all the vital organs in the body until it became a dry corpse.

Night Rakshasa rushed toward Jiu Ying. When it got close to Jiu Ying, his smile became more dangerous.

Swish.

Suddenly, hundreds of Ghostly Energy Moon Swords appeared within ten meters around Jiu Ying and slashed wildly.

Night Rakshasa had a powerful ability to escape moving objects. Most objects that moved too fast were still slow in its eyes. But the Ghostly Energy Moon Swords were so dense that Night Rakshasa could find even a small gap between them. It was a deadly sword formation!

Chapter 2792: Why Be a Beast?

However, the Night Rakshasa did not retreat. It did not stop advancing at Jiu Ying. But it did pay a very painful price. No matter how small and flexible it was, it was still able to get hurt. The black fur was coated with red.

The red figure rushed to attack Jiu Ying's neck. He sneered. Night Rakshasa thought it could kill Jiu Ying, but it underestimated his strength as Nan Shou of the Forbidden City.

Jiu Ying emanated a ghostly energy, and he disappeared and flew to every space that the malevolent energy touched. Although the range of movement was not vast, it was still enough to dodge Night Rakshasa's claws.

Night Rakshasa's changed its directions halfway. Jiu Ying was too powerful. Night Rakshasa could kill someone in seconds, but Jiu Ying had a strange skill that avoided it.

Night Rakshasa barely left a scratch on the back of Jiu Ying's hand.

Jiu Ying turned to look at the blood oozing from a light scratch. The corners of his mouth curled up.

"You fought to death just for this?" Jiu Ying mocked.

Night Rakshasa was severely injured. The Ghostly Energy Moon Swords had slashed it many times. Although they were all minor injuries, the ghostly energy was hurting it.

"Meow."

Night Rakshasa was still moving.

"What's wrong? Are you not going to die with your master? Come here. We've known each other for so many years, so I can still generously fulfill this last wish of yours."

Jiu Ying did not care about the scratch on the back of his hand. Night Rakshasa was not poisonous. It only had sharp claws. He did not need to care for a little scratch.

Night Rakshasa made a strange move. It tilted its head and threw a shiny silver object in the other direction.

Someone caught it. He had black hair, dark brown eyes and a charming smile on his face. He stared at Jiu Ying as though he was a prey.

Jiu Ying looked at the silver object and finally realized what the cat had been playing at. Space Bracelet!

His Space Bracelet was gone!

Jiu Ying's face darkened. The eerie energy around his body made him look like a vengeful ghost. Rakshasa hadn't been trying to fight him. It was trying to steal his Space Bracelet!

The Forbidden City custom-made this Space Bracelet, and there was only one thing inside. It was an important scroll that could heal Commander Hua. Jiu Ying and the Ocean Demons had killed Bei Shou and snatched the bracelet.

"Night Rakshasa, thank you for your hard work." Mo Fan glanced at the bleeding Night Rakshasa.

He slowly walked toward Jiu Ying. "I'll take care of this bastard from the Black Vatican."

Mo Fan was a professional in assassinating members of the Black Vatican. He enjoyed destroying them. He always used them to practice his newly learnt skills whenever they caused trouble.

Mo Fan did not mind having such a dark mindset towards them. Mo Fan had seen the cruelty of the Black Vatican. He knew how vicious they were. He had lost so many people he respected and cared for at their hands.

Mo Fan had to make himself cold and cruel to deal with people as evil as them. He thought of them as prey and enjoyed hunting them.

"You, especially a Red Cardinal, are great at patience, I have to say. If you hadn't exposed yourself, I believe no one would have thought that the guard of the Forbidden City would be the leader of the Black Vatican. I know that people from the Black Vatican don't look much different from ordinary people. You could have continued your ordinary life. You could live with dignity and compassion. Why be a beast?"

If they were the beast, then Mo Fan was the butcher. When Jiu Ying watched Mo Fan approach, he took a few steps back. He thought of taking Jiang Yu as a hostage and taking advantage of it to kill him.

Mo Fan was bloodthirsty when it came to the Black Vatican. He believed he could even kill the Red Cardinal if it came to that. His murderous intent was clear.

Jiu Ying stared at Mo Fan and composed himself. "Kill that pathetic person without his limbs," ordered Jiu Ying.

When he turned to look at the Red Hunter Dirty Demon, he realized that Jiang Yu was gone. A huge moth flew into the air carrying Jiang Yu.

The Healing Scroll was gone, too. Mo Fan had taken both Jiang Yu and the healing scroll. The humiliation made Jiu Ying's face twitch.

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Mo Fan had stayed on stand-by. He had arrived there with Night Rakshasa, but he did not act because he didn't want Jiang Yu killed and the Healing Scroll destroyed.

He could only let Night Rakshasa do its part to save its master's life. When the Ghostly Energy Moon Swords appeared, Night Rakshasa was not intending to kill Jiu Ying. It was trying to steal the Healing Scroll!

They had finally gotten it back. Now the killing could ensue.

Chapter 2793: Clear Up!

"Do you think you can get out of this place? Look at Honolulu for yourself!"

The Ocean Demons had occupied this place for a long time. The Ocean Godly Horde had given Jiu Ying the ability of the prophet of the ocean, so all the powerful Ocean Demons in Honolulu obeyed him. But he was still afraid, and he didn't know why.

Jiu Ying's pupils began to change. A blue blood filled his eyeballs making them appear strange.

The whole city of Honolulu was in a frenzy. Countless Fish Men Generals appeared in the streets. They surrounded the city like a military parade, and the rare metal-like scales on their bodies flickered.

The army of the Hunter Dirty Demons climbed onto the building and used the whole city as their lair. The Fish Men Generals occupied the streets, while all the buildings were full of Hunter Dirty Demons. The most conspicuous of them were the Red Hunter Dirty Demons. The smooth scales of their bodies create a strange illusion, making it difficult to judge their movement.

The Sword Fish with the special hook kept appearing in the rainstorm. They kept increasing in numbers. It felt as if they could destroy the entire city if they slowly lowered themselves.

Jiu Ying smiled at the scene. These people thought they could win because they had some stupid tricks up their sleeves, but they did not know that entire Hawaii was under the control of the Ocean Godly Horde. The emperor had control of it. All the rescue teams would die in the end, and so would Commander Hua.

The sky thundered. Lightning bolts appeared in the rainstorm and connected to form a white, electrifying chain.

The white lightning chains did not cover the clouds but hung down one after another. Their power was terrifying. They constantly generated lightning waves, which disintegrated the bodies of the Sword Fish.

Among the dense lightning chains, there was a green shadow of a horse. It shuttled between clouds, heavy rain, lightning, and the Sword Fish. It messed up the formation of the fishes forcing them to disperse and interrupting their destructive power.

A big snake with poisonous fog slithered on the crushed street. The Fish Men Generals looked mighty, but they were no different from ants in front of the huge snake.

When the snake breathed out, the poisonous fog penetrated the sky and the earth. It sent the Fish Men Generals flying and paralyzed their bodies.

Many white lightning chains were hanging down from the sky like white vines. The paralyzed Fish Men Generals burned as the lightning touched them.

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With two totem beasts barring the way, , the Ocean Demons could not get close to the building.

The Black Totem Snake seemed to understand Mo Fan's needs. It took the Red Hunter Dirty Demons and Purple-Haired Female Demon away and left the dilapidated building to just Mo Fan and Jiu Ying.

"I don't know whether I will win or lose this fight, but the protection from the two Totems has given me enough time to kill you." The dark aura on Mo Fan's body grew stronger.

Jiu Ying felt the ground turn to mush. He looked down to see that Mo Fan had set the Dark Swamp in this area.

Jiu Ying had been too busy using his ability given by the Ocean Godly Horde to call all demons that he had forgotten to pay attention to the invasion of Black Substance. He only realized it when it was up to his knees.

The suppression power of Mo Fan's Black Substance was very strong. Jiu Ying tried to get rid of the substance. It would hamper his ability.

There were flaws in the dark realm. Jiu Ying was a very experienced mage. He was a mage from the Forbidden City which was one of the top Magic Associations in China.

When he was just about to find the flaws in the dark realm, a large flame ignited into a flaming giant. Before Jiu Ying knew what was going on, he saw the divine fire surrounding Mo Fan. The flaming giant was Mo Fan, and the violent divine fire made him appear larger and powerful than he was.

Jiu Ying moved. The Ghostly Energy spread to the surroundings. He could occupy any space where the Ghostly Energy spread.

He wanted to avoid the flaming giant, but the flaming giant was still growing. The force of the collision spread to the city park and destroyed the entire building.

Jiu Ying did not even have time to hide before force hit him. He had mastered a type of light-controlling technique. Otherwise, he might have turned to ash like the streets and buildings around.

He could not understand why a Mage who had just advanced to Super Level could burst out so much terrifying power.

The Goddess Soul Shadow showed the most dazzling glow. Mo Fan was suspended mid-air in the sky above the city park that was burning. He stared at Jiu Ying on the ground.

Jiu Ying was angry.

The army of Ocean Demons and the two totem beasts were fighting. However, it was fairly empty where Jiu Ying and Mo Fan were. It looked like a battlefield was deliberately cleared up by Totem Beasts for them to fight.

Jiu Ying was confused why Mo Fan was so confident in fighting him alone. He was Nan Shou of the Forbidden City, and his strength was second only to Bei Shou, Deputy Chief, and the Chief himself. Even if no one knew him as the Red Cardinal of the Black Vatican, he was still at the top in all magical fields as Nan Shou.

Mo Fan, on the other hand, was a young Mage who didn't come from a powerful magical background. Jiu Ying would be ashamed if he wasn't even able to defeat a fledgling mage like Mo Fan.

"Your skills are not even comparable to me!" Jiu Ying roared.

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He raised a hand. The Ghostly Energy surged, and a terrifying Ghostly Energy Moon Sword taller than the signal tower appeared behind Mo Fan!

Chapter 2794: Destruct And Trample

Mo Fan was suspended in the air, and the huge Ghostly Energy Moon Sword slashed at him.

The Ghostly Energy Moon Sword chopped off all the large buildings within a radius of one kilometer in one fell swoop as Jiu Ying waved it. It appeared as if a thousand giant sharp blades slashed toward Mo Fan from every direction.

The Ghostly Energy Moon Sword could even split the flames Mo Fan had spread in the surroundings.

Mo Fan's figure was constantly flickering. Little Flame Belle had fully matured, and her understanding of space had reached a higher level. After Little Flame Belle merged with Mo Fan, he obtained her knowledge because of their merging of magic.

Mo Fan was a Space Element Mage. After possessing Little Flame Belle's understanding of space, he could use many skills that he previously was unaware of.

There was only one Ghostly Energy Moon Sword. However, the spread of Ghostly Energy caused this to move quickly in a blur giving off an impression that multiple swords were slashing at the target.

Mo Fan used teleportation to dodge the attacks. But the Ghostly Energy Moon Sword followed Mo Fan and he could not get rid of it.

Mo Fan did not care. He teleported to different spaces and appeared next to Jiu Ying.

The Ghostly Energy Moon Sword attacked, but Mo Fan did not move. He stood there and connected all the space nodes and formed a gorgeous silver compass.

Mo Fan did not dodge this time, but Jiu Ying did not dare let the Ghostly Energy Moon Sword attack. If he did, the sword would slash him along with Mo Fan.

"Space Compass: Axis of Death!"

With this little trick, Mo Fan completed the Super Level magic of the Space Element.

A dark red axis appeared. Mo Fan moved from Jiu Ying's right to the left. The dark red axis hit Jiu Ying's heart by connecting Mo Fan's afterimage like getting a thread through the eye of a needle.

Jiu Ying grimaced as he saw the compass formed by the space nodes. Jiu Ying tried his best to move, but no matter how he changed his position and direction, the entire space compass's axis still aimed at him. Mo Fan had accurately measured the meridians on his body.

It was the Super Level magic of the Space Element. Even if Jiu Ying knew how it worked, he could not avoid it. The silver compass Mo Fan created while using the teleportation of Space Element to dodge his Ghostly Energy Moon Sword surprised Jiu Ying.

The deadly red axis passed through Jiu Ying's heart. In the beginning, only a small, pencil-sized hole appeared on his heart. Soon, many red dots appeared in the deadly meridians corresponding to the silver nodes of the Space Compass. It looked like small laser beams.

Jiu Ying's body was torn apart. The dark red axis of the compass cut through one of his eyeballs. Jiu Ying was in disbelief seconds before he dropped dead.

Mo Fan walked to Jiu Ying's corpse. The divine fire did not dissipate even after Jiu Ying's death.

Mo Fan smiled. He closed his eyes for a while. When he opened his eyes, they had turned black like a bottomless abyss that could consume everything. It was Dragon Sense.

It was the ability given to Mo Fan by the Black Dragon Soul. All the subtleties around him were immediately clear to him because of this ability.

At fewer than two hundred meters from Mo Fan, a trace of blue Ghostly Energy crawled on the Dark Swamp. Mo Fan knew what it was. He was skilled in dark magic and was a Shadow Element Mage who knew how to use Dark Puppets.

Those body parts were real. Mo Fan suspected that Jiu Ying had used a living person as his puppet and used Puppet Magic to replace him when it was critical. This trick could not deceive Mo Fan, especially his Dragon Sense.

The thing that was crawling in the Dark Swamp was Jiu Ying. He was not dead.

It was impossible to dodge the deadly axis of the Space Compass unless the person was powerful enough to destroy the space nodes. Jiu Ying knew this, so he did not defend or try to dodge it. He used the Puppet Magic to get away from the deadly axis of the Space Compass instead.

Jiu Ying was clear-headed and cunning. After all, he was Nan Shou of the Forbidden City. The strengths of the four people could resist the attack of the huge army of the Ocean Demons and fight against the Deep-Sea Lizard Dragon Demons. If Jiu Ying hadn't hidden his identity, it would have been difficult to break the team.

"If you like to hide in the ground, stay there permanently!"

Mo Fan suddenly jumped up, and a black light appeared on his feet. It was a pair of domineering Black Dragon Boots. The boots turned Mo Fan into a mountain-sized black dragon as he jumped into the air!

The black dragon flew into the air and trampled everything. Mo Fan still had divine fire encasing his body. So, the dragon was on fire. When it trampled its feet, the force was enough to make a city disappear.

Bang!

The kick was second only to that of the black dragon itself. Jiu Ying was so frightened his body became visible and he tried his best to withstand the trampling.

But the black dragon was an emperor-level creature. Even though it had turned into a pair of boots, it could give Mo Fan an unparalleled destructive power if he had the Dragon Soul.

The earth shook violently, and the city was shaking.

Song Feiyao, the black phoenix, was in the air to block the Sword Fish with Green East Sea God's power. When she heard the loud noise, she glanced at Mo Fan and saw a terrifying pit in the city. It seemed like an emperor-level creature had arrived.

Song Feiyao realized Mo Fan had not used all his power when he overthrew the Licheng Afterglow Island. Even without the three Totems, Mo Fan was invincible.

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In the big pit, the bones of Jiu Ying trembled. He dragged himself with the strength of his upper body like a disabled beggar on the street. His face showed horror and he no longer had the confidence of Nan Shou or the Red Cardinal.

“I was going to use this kick only against a powerful Ocean Demon, but it’s not a loss to use it on you.” Mo Fan walked over with the Black Dragon Boots.

The power of the black dragon dissolved the objects he passed by. Mo Fan looked very much like the God of Destruction usually seen in the ancient murals!

Chapter 2795: Peep at Jiu Ying

Mo Fan grabbed Jiu Ying’s face and stared at him closely.

Jiu Ying felt the majestic power of the giant dragon emanating from Mo Fan. He never thought that Mo Fan could defeat him, and he could not believe that Mo Fan would have the blessing of the soul of the strongest creature in the world.

The Forbidden Mages could not even make the giant dragon move, but it submitted to Mo Fan and obeyed his orders.

With the power of the Black Dragon Soul, most people could not win against him.

Jiu Ying could not accept his defeat. He hid his identity and had waited for many years. In the end, he launched an attack as the Red Cardinal and sowed fear in everyone. The entire coastal area of China might have fallen to his glory. Compared to him, Salan was insignificant.

But he had lost to Mo Fan. ‘Could it be that he was the nemesis of the Black Vatican?’

“It seems like not all Red Cardinals are as difficult to deal with as Salan. It’s no wonder that you can only hide in a certain place and do such dirty, despicable, and ridiculous things,” Mo Fan said disdainfully.

Mo Fan’s words hit a sore spot. He resented the mention of Salan the most.

Salan was just a junior among all the Red Cardinals. She was insignificant. She acted like a vengeful madwoman and did not understand the true meaning of the Black Vatican.

“You haven’t seen the underwater civilization of the Ocean Godly Horde, so you don’t know what you are about to face. You have no contact with the Supreme Pontiff and don’t know what kind of a person he was, so you have no respect for the Black Vatican.” Jiu Ying stared at Mo Fan with bloodshot eyes.

“Oh?” Mo Fan raised his eyebrows. He looked at the dying person. “It seems like you know quite a lot of things. It just so happens that I have a professional torturer here.” Mo Fan summoned Apas.

Apas was not very willing to show up because there were sea monsters everywhere. But she still had to obey Mo Fan. Moreover, she feared Mo Fan’s strength.

“What do you want to know?” Apas asked.

“Everything,” said Mo Fan.

"I need a scope. Otherwise, the amount of information will be too large, and it will waste a lot of time," Apas complained. "This guy's cultivation is not low. If he resists, I may be injured."

"Ask about the underwater civilization of the Ocean Godly Horde first then," said Mo Fan.

Apas nodded. Her eyes began to change. The golden-pink pupils expanded and turned into an orb with strange colors. Jiu Ying wanted to avoid Apas' gaze, but Medusa's mysterious and charming eyes attracted him. He could not look away.

Apas was peeping at the memories of Jiu Ying. She was surprised to find that Jiu Ying did not resist her. There was no reason for such a person who had reached the top to be so vulnerable.

Apas had become a smart snake-haired creature after many years of cultivation. She did not rashly break into Jiu Ying's spiritual world but created an illusion.

Jiu Ying mistakenly believed she had entered his spiritual world and stolen his memory.

"Something is wrong!" Apas let out a cry.

She took a few steps back. Her golden-pink eyes became more vigilant, as if something had provoked her. Apas' face turned red, and her body radiated the coldness of a snake.

"What's wrong?" Mo Fan asked.

If Jiu Ying was playing some trick, he would kill him.

"He still has some vicious tricks. I think he wants to use them to attack you."

Jiu Ying's face turned green and transparent, and the blood vessels on his face were visible. Through the green skin, they could see blue blood flowing in the blood vessels. His eyes were fierce and vicious.

"Can you take care of it?" Mo Fan took a few steps back. Jiu Ying appeared strange. He was trying to fight back before he died.

"There are other weird things connected to his brain. I have to brainwash him first!" Apas said.

'Mind control?'

Apas believed there was no ability in the world that could compare with Medusa's. She would challenge this mysterious creature from the ocean.

"Don't be merciful. Be as cruel as you can."

Apas needed no encouragement. She was already torturing him.

Mental torment was far more intense than physical torment as time often stretched to eternity in the spiritual world. Even a slight pain would continue to magnify.

Apas constantly imposed multiple nightmares in the mind of Jiu Ying. His nightmares repeatedly exposed him to the things he feared most until he had a complete breakdown.

Mo Fan watched the changes in Jiu Ying's face. He sweated, twitched, and shouted. Finally, he burst into tears and lost his willpower.

“How is it?” Mo Fan looked around and found that the army of Ocean Demons was approaching them again.

“He’s still pretending, so we can’t be in a hurry,” Apas said.

Jiu Ying had outstanding endurance. Although Apas had destroyed his psychological defense, his inner defense was rapidly rebuilding. It was a relatively rare phenomenon that Apas encountered.

When she destroyed the psychological defenses of ordinary people, it took months or even years to recover. But Jiu Ying’s willpower was rebuilding quickly.

The Red Cardinal of the Black Vatican was no ordinary person, after all.

“Ah!”

Suddenly, Apas screamed. She seemed to have seen something terrifying and withdrew from Jiu Ying’s mind.

Mo Fan did not know what had happened. He held her close and glared at Jiu Ying. Jiu Ying’s body twitched violently. Blood gushed out of his eyes, nose, lips, and ears. He looked gruesome.

Chapter 2796: Eye Parasite

The Red Cardinal, Jiu Ying, was on the verge of death. He fell to his knees, and blood gushed out even more.

Blood was oozing from his pores. His blood was not the typical red color. There was a strange green tinge to his blood, like something remnant of chemical tests for pharmaceutical drugs!

Jiu Ying’s body tightened and shrank. He bled all over the ground, and he fell in his own puddle of blood. His body emitted an unpleasant odor...

Mo Fan found it very strange and asked Apas about it. But Apas’ golden eyes registered only confusion. Mo Fan noticed something in her pupils when he looked at her.

It looked like a demonic bug kept inside a crystal ball. It was alive. It was scurrying to hide as though it did not want to draw attention to itself. It hid in the depths of her eyes. Mo Fan was caught by surprise. Apas almost closed her eyes.

“Don’t close your eyes! There’s something in them!” yelled Mo Fan.

Apas panicked. She had not recovered from her previous shock. But she trusted Mo Fan. She opened her eyes wide. She was scared but determined.

“I don’t know what that is. But it’s not good. Do you have a way to get rid of it?” Mo Fan was anxious.

“What do you think?!” Apas retorted.

Mo Fan sighed. He could not think of a way to solve the problem at hand.

“There’s something more terrifying than the mastermind. I saw its back. It almost trapped my mind there. I would have died if I hadn’t escaped fast,” Apas said, still shaken from the encounter.

Mo Fan did not understand what exactly had happened. 'Wasn't Apas searching through Jiu Ying's memory? How did she run into a terrifying silhouette and nearly lose her life?'

"It could be some sort of curse or a supreme demonic spell. Its demonic body can draw all living things that look at it into its mental trap. Luckily, I only saw its back. If I had looked into its eyes, my mind could have been trapped inside there forever..." said Apas.

"What will happen to you if your mind is trapped like that?" Mo Fan asked.

"I'll go into a coma," said Apas.

'How could there be such a bizarre demonic power? How could one's soul be sucked away the moment they saw someone else's back through other people's memory?' thought Mo Fan.

Apas was a Medusa. She was the young Medusa Queen with relatively pure blood of her species. People usually died when they looked into her eyes instead of the other way around.

"Is it related to the Ocean Godly Horde?" asked Mo Fan.

"Yes. It has a strong mental connection with the Godly Horde Prophets. Their connection is strange but stronger than the connection you have with your Contracted Beast." Apas calmed down and recalled what she had seen.

Jiu Ying had used his manipulation ability that was similar to the Godly Horde Prophet. Meanwhile, Apas had noticed another living thing that had a strong mental connection with Jiu Ying...

'Could it be that the Godly Horde Prophets were not the actual commander of the Ocean Demons, but they were just one of the pawns whose minds had been manipulated just like the other Ocean Demons?' reasoned Mo Fan. 'What was the creature Apas had seen? What was that bizarre thing in her eyes?'

Mo Fan was certain he had seen something. It wasn't just his imagination. 'Could it be some sort of Mental Parasite?'

Jiu Ying was dead. When Apas searched his mind, the Mental Parasite hidden in his eyeballs had taken advantage of the opportunity and burrowed into her eyes.

If that was the case...

Mo Fan was deep in thought when he felt something buzz in his mind. It felt as though he had hit his head on a wall. The pain was excruciating. It felt as if his skull would crack open.

"Apas!" Mo Fan cried as he held his head. Apas held him up. She had sensed something strange when she had looked into his eyes.

"Sh*t! Something is attacking you through our Contracted Mind connection!" Apas cried out.

"Quick... Figure something out! It hurts!" Mo Fan was in so much pain that he found it hard to speak.

It had to be the mental parasite. It had failed to control Apas, so it took advantage of the psychic connection that they both shared.

“Hold on, I’ll dig it out!” said Apas.

When the Mental Parasite hid itself, it was difficult to find but once it attacked, it was easy for her to get its location.

It appeared that the parasite was the same as the one that had shown up in Apas’ eyes. It attempted to kill Mo Fan using Apas’ Medusa gaze. Apas could die if Mo Fan was killed because of their Contracted Soul connection.

The Mental Parasite was wicked! If they didn’t kill it, both would be dead.

This was Mo Fan’s first time facing such a terrifying and demonic mental attack. He summoned his Black Dragon Helmet.

The Black Dragon’s deterrent power was strong. Mo Fan’s mental power was strengthened and almost reached the Ninth Realm. He felt better.

The Mental Parasite was not intimidated. But when it realized that it only encountered a wall so strong as if made of bricks, it tried to retreat. But Apas’ murderous intent was clear.

The Mental Parasite was, after all, a parasite. The moment Apas located it, it was destined to die. Mo Fan and Apas worked together to stop it and killed the strange Mental Parasite in between the Mental Bridge.

Mo Fan regained his senses. The pain was gone but his body was drenched in cold sweat. Apas breathed out a sigh of relief.

She thought she had escaped from the mysterious figure that had almost captured her soul. But the Mental Parasite had turned out to be the real culprit.

It was only then that Apas felt that she had truly broken herself free of that evil demonic shadow.

Chapter 2797: The Mastermind Behind The Scene—The Black Claw Emperor

Mo Fan stared at Apas, and she returned his gaze. They made sure nothing was amiss.

“What exactly was that thing? What was that evil demonic shadow that you encountered?” asked Mo Fan. He felt fear.

“The Godly Horde Prophets manipulate the Ocean Demon troop of the Pacific Ocean. At the same time, the Godly Horde Prophets are under another ocean creature’s manipulation. I believe the Ocean Demons are controlled by a well-defined mental network. The evil demonic shadow is the brains of the Ocean Godly Horde,” said Apas.

Hearing Apas’ words sent a chill down his spine. It was no wonder most countries on the coasts had been attacked by the Ocean Demons. With such a supreme Ocean Godly Horde as the brains of the Ocean Demons to control the entire Pacific Ocean, the Ocean Demons could eat up the remaining thirty percent of the dry lands and trap the world under the bottomless ocean.

“The brains of the Ocean Godly Horde and the Godly Horde Prophets communicate through psychic connection much like humans and their Contracted Beasts. The Godly Horde Prophets control the Ocean

Demon troop with their powerful demonic spells. As a result, the Ocean Demon's kingdom at the Pacific Ocean becomes organized. They have a clear goal."

It was only then that Mo Fan truly understood how terrifying the Ocean Demon's civilization really was.

They did not rule the Ocean Demons. Even if the cleverest ruler were given to rule the vast ocean creatures, there would still be a split among themselves, including internal wars and different goals. However, controlling their minds eradicated all these problems.

Even humans failed to achieve such cohesiveness. They were forced to unite during crisis and oppression. However, their unity wasn't as strong as the Ocean Demons' unanimity.

Mo Dan understood why Commander Hua was worried.

The moment the evil demonic shadow captured sufficient information; the Ocean Demons would attack on a large scale.

There was a rumble. The earth shook violently. The mountains and rivers were growing and expanding.

The sea level retreated, revealing a large area of land. The beach stretched for dozens of kilometers. The ocean that was originally visible seemed to have been sucked by a powerful force and drawn further away from the island. The mountains towered. The earthquake grew stronger in intensity. It shook so violently that the buildings began to crack and fall.

The Green East Sea God sensed something. It hovered above Mo Fan and Apas, and continued to crouch.

Meanwhile, the Moon Moth Phoenix took Jiang Yu and Night Rakshasa to reunite with Pang Lai. Mo Fan stayed where he was, stalling for time, so that Jiang Yu and Night Rakshasa had enough time to reach safety.

He had obtained the Healing Scroll and Space Bracelet. He had to find Commander Hua!

Mo Fan had no idea what caused the violent earthquake. But he sensed that a great disaster was about to unfold.

"Let's go!" Mo Fan and Apas hopped onto the Green East Sea God's back.

The Black Totem Snake swung its tail. Its scales transformed into many small green snakes. The glowing green snakes swarmed the Ocean Demons that charged toward them in a frenzy and bit them to death. The Ocean Demons' carcasses piled up.

"Big guy, hurry up!" Mo Fan took out the Totem Orb and called back the Black Totem Snake.

The Black Totem Snake had been wounded in battle. Fortunately, it could heal rapidly. If it recuperated inside the Totem Orb, it could restore its power soon.

The Black Totem Snake fought to prevent the Ocean Demons from getting close to it. It was a Supreme Ruler, and it demonstrated its terrifying and majestic aura in the middle of the Ocean Demon army.

Mo Fan sensed that the Black Totem Snake had grown stronger compared to when he first saw it at Hang Zhou. It no longer glowed in a demonic aura. Instead, it radiated a divine and holy green glow.

“How’s the situation now?” Mo Fan asked Song Feiyao.

“The island is rising again. It seems that there’s a powerful force suppressing the entire island. Look!” Song Feiyao pointed.

The Green East Sea was the fastest flying creature in the sky. If it fought the Feather Crown at the Feathered Demon Heaven, the Silver Sky ruler would not even exist.

The Stingray and Sword Fish Legions attempted to break themselves free from the terrifying earthquake, only to disintegrate into beads of blood in mid-air, like blood roses blooming everywhere.

Mo Fan looked down.

The mountains rose slowly. The frightening cracks were clearly visible. They stretched across the mountains, forests, beaches, and cities of Hawaii. They reached up to thousands of meters high in the air. Mo Fan could not see where they ended.

The Green East Sea God let out a panicked cry. It had been flying high steadily and rapidly. But now it began to shake as if it could fall.

Mo Fan felt an inexplicable pressure. He felt as if the sky had darkened suddenly. A dark, demonic figure stood on the edge of the gloomy sky. Its claws stretched out like a black cloud that could cover a large mountain!

Mo Fan’s heart almost stopped beating when he encountered such a terrifying threat. This was not Mo Fan’s first time witnessing such enormous demonic claws. When he was at Pudong coast, the same frightening claws had killed three Apex-grade Mages!

It was the mastermind—The Black Claw Emperor! It had finally showed up!

The entire island was in catastrophe because of its violent arrival. Even a solid steel fortress would collapse under such a tremendous earthquake, let alone humans...

It was pointless to fight such a terrifying force. The Black Claw Emperor was as strong as the Black Dragon Emperor. It could kill them in the blink of an eye.

“Mo Fan, get behind me!” said a firm voice.

Mo Fan felt a vibration in the space before him. A man in a military coat appeared next to him. He had black hair and black beard. He had pure black eyes. He looked calm and resolute even in the face of the Black Claw Emperor.

Chapter 2798: Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother

“Stand behind me!”

It had been so long since someone had ordered Mo Fan around. He remembered that when he was at his weakest and despairing moment, someone with a similar aura and silhouette had said the same to him in the past. The person had broad shoulders and confident posture. Even though he was alone, he possessed such an intimidating aura.

Mo Fan suggested the panicked Green East Sea God to retreat behind the person.

“Are you severely wounded? I have the Healing Scroll with me...” Mo Fan said in concern.

It was obvious that they could not immediately activate the Healing Scroll. Commander Hua would not be able to recover instantly.

It was not too late to flee. Judging from the Black Claw Emperor’s aura, it did not look as powerful as it was when it appeared at the Pudong coast. It meant that it was severely wounded, too. Both Commander Hua and the Black Claw Emperor were at their weakest.

“Its injury is more serious than mine. The Ocean Demon army is its only leverage,” said Commander Hua.

With Commander Hua standing before Mo Fan, he felt that the Black Claw Emperor’s demonic aura was no longer as intense as before. Mo Fan wondered if it was due to his own psychological state, or if it was because Commander Hua radiated an even more imposing aura as befit a Forbidden Mage.

“You are here. I’m no longer isolated and helpless,” said Commander Hua.

“The scroll...”

“Keep it with you. It has done its part to expose the Black Claw Emperor!” Commander Hua said firmly.

Commander Hua didn’t look like an injured man to Mo Fan at that moment. He was, after all, attempting to confront the Black Claw Emperor in mid-air. He did not show the slightest bit of fear. The Black Claw Emperor had wanted to destroy Mo Fan and the Green East Sea God with its claws. But when it saw Commander Hua, it pulled its claws away and was more vigilant.

‘Were the rumors untrue?’ thought Mo Fan. Commander Hua’s injury might not be as serious as they had thought.

He had been waiting for an opportunity...

Commander Hua had waited for an opportunity when the Black Claw Emperor could no longer hold itself back so that he could kill it in a single move.

Mo Fan was confused. ‘Was this all a game between Commander Hua and the Black Claw Emperor?’

Under Commander Hua’s protection, the Green East Sea God flew away from the Black Claw Emperor’s territory. Commander Hua’s imposing aura prevailed against the Black Claw Emperor’s intense demonic aura.

“He’s very strong!” Song Feiyao stared at Commander Hua in amazement.

His imposing aura contradicted the Licheng Afterglow Islanders’ arrogance. Commander Hua was so powerful that he could trample the vast Ocean Demon army like ants under his feet. None of them were a match for him.

Commander Hua had his eyes only on the Black Claw Emperor.

The Black Claw Emperor was furious. It hated being a target of that puny human. It would be a great humiliation if the human escaped again.

The Black Claw Emperor had no way to retreat. So, it decided to set off a violent tsunami. The giant tidal waves were made up of dense sea ants.

Mo Fan turned to the Sea Ant tidal waves to see that they were actually Dragon King Ants.

The Dragon King Ants were black in color. They looked ferocious and hideous.

Countless Black Dragon King Ants gushed out of the Black Claw Emperor. The tidal waves reached high up in the sky and devoured the cloud line, as if they were gnawing the other side of the world furiously.

The Green East Sea God flew at lightning speed. Still, it could not break itself free from the Black Dragon King Ants' gnaws, like a small seagull that could not break itself free from the storm in mid-air.

Where Commander Hua stood was the boundary. The raging tidal waves made up of Dragon King Ants devoured and destroyed everything, but they disintegrated before Commander Hua. Commander Hua was surrounded by a white light that shone faintly like the morning sun. The white light gradually dispelled the darkness.

The white light spread and formed into a cross. It looked like a white arrow embedded on a gigantic crossbow from afar.

Heavenly Light Crossbow!

The Heavenly Light Crossbow cut through everything like a blazing white sun. The tidal waves made up of Dragon King Ants were burned to ashes. The Black Claw Emperor's appearance was slowly peeling off.

It was a Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother!

Its dark body covering the forest was not its true body. It was made up of dense Dragon King Ants with black armors. It was a gigantic and movable nest fortress made up of Dragon King Ants.

When the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother crawled forward, the entire Dragon King Ant gigantic nest fortress moved forward with it.

When the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother stretched out its claws, its black claws were made up of destructive Dragon King Ants. When they smashed at their target, the Dragon King Ants would scatter into countless ants before returning to the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother along the sea water.

If it had not been for Commander Hua's Heavenly Light Crossbow cutting through the black tidal waves with a majestic ferocity, they would not have seen the Black Claw Emperor's true form. Mo Fan left the terrifying battlefield, but could not forget what he saw.

Dragon King Ants...

Mo Fan remembered when they were at Emperor Qin Island, Commander Hua had once confronted the same creature.

Commander Hua told Mo Fan that if he wanted to kill a true Emperor-level Ocean Demon, he had to gauge its strength, find its weakness, and develop a detailed plan of offense.

Mo Fan thought Commander Hua had been gauging its strength all this while exposing himself to danger. But looking closely, he realized that Commander Hua was already past that. He was executing his plan for killing the enormous creature.

Commander Hua used himself as bait and went into the depth of the island alone.

The Black Claw Emperor was eager to kill him. Even though it was severely wounded, it took the risk to expose itself. To Commander Hua, this was the perfect moment for the kill.

This was a fight-to-death confrontation. Only one would survive.

So, this was Commander Hua's true plan.

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"Mo Fan."

The Moon Moth Phoenix flew to them. It brought Pang Lai, Jiang Yu, and Night Rakshasa along with it.

The two humans and the cat were severely wounded. They were exhausted and weak. They could fall at any time.

"The Healing Scroll..." Mo Fan attempted to open the Space Bracelet that had been sealed with the Forbidden System. He wanted to take the scroll out.

"Sad to say, we don't have a powerful Healing Master in the country that can heal a Great Forbidden Mage within a short period of time. The Healing Scroll is not really that helpful to Commander Hua," Pang Lai said sadly.

"So, is this Healing Scroll part of the plan, too?" Mo Fan asked.

'They had sacrificed many Royal Mages... they had paid a heavy price...'

Pang Lai shook his head. The Royal Mages had made their choice. They had wanted to help Commander Hua. Even though the healing effect was weak, it could help a little.

Pang Lai held strong to his belief when he delivered the Healing Scroll. He had never thought this would lure the Black Claw Emperor to reveal itself!

Chapter 2799: Termite Guard

The Black Dragon King Ants continued to fall and formed huge mountains. When Commander Hua's powerful Heavenly Light Crossbow penetrated the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother's abdomen, a scorching hole appeared.

Dark blood gushed out of the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother's wound. Mo Fan thought Commander Hua's single blow had wounded it very badly. But to his horror, he saw that the Black Dragon King Ants sucked its blood frantically and closed up the wound. The Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother grew even larger and stronger than before.

The mountains made up of Black Dragon Ant Kings surrounded the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother and formed its body, claws and skull. The fortress made of ants collapsed and transformed into a golden-black enormous Ant King Beast. It then began to move and trample everything in its path.

The golden-black enormous Ant King Beast charged at Commander Hua. Its outer shell was harder than iron and steel. It transformed into a war machine. Its enormous body made it look like a moving fortress. It could also move swiftly and ferociously like a beast!

The island collapsed. Huge cracks appeared on the ground. The lava began to erupt. The island continued to explode and shatter in pieces. Soon, it would completely drown.

The destructive was from the Emperor-level Ocean Demon. Its destructive power was measured not by the number of people it could kill, but by how much of the land it could drown.

Commander Hua did not glow in a very bright light. The Great Forbidden Mage was different from what one assumed him to be. Judging from the Forbidden Curse he had cast, most people would assume him to glow bright like a blazing sun.

However, he floated in mid-air. He looked calm and collected while radiating a murderous intent. Mo Fan saw his posture and movement from afar. Commander Hua looked as tiny as a grain of sand in front of the golden-black Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother. However, when he raised his hands and cast the Forbidden Curse, his dim figure seemed to have broken through the shackles of this world.

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“Is it burning?” asked Mo Fan. He sensed something.

“Void White Flame. That’s one of Commander Hua’s strongest skills.” Pang Lai explained to Mo Fan.

But the flame was not visible to the naked eyes.

Commander Hua cast Void White Flame. The golden-black Dragon King Ants were burning. The mountains made up of Dragon King Ants suffered a devastating blow. However, Mo Fan could not see anything.

The Void White Flame continued to burn the Ant King Beast. Suddenly, Commander Hua vanished from his place. The next moment, Mo Fan noticed a white light in the middle of the Black Dragon Ants.

The light was not very bright. But the Black Dragon King Ants could not cover even that amount of glow.

Mo Fan saw the magical glow from afar. But he could not quite determine what magical power they were. Commander Hua was killing the Mirage Dragon Ant King Mother.

When Mo Fan and Song Feiyao first arrived at Hawaii, they had assumed that the reason the mountains at Hawaii grew was due to the earth plane extrusion. That was partly true.

But mostly it was because Hawaii was filled with the Black Dragon King Ants. They hid within the rocks, mountains, surface of the land, and underneath the ground. They had lifted the island with their sheer number.

When the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother appeared, the earth shook violently and cracked because the Black Dragon King Ants broke through the ground. The rest of the islands sank while the mountains grew rapidly because the Black Dragon King Ants were piling up!

Commander Hua was aware that he could not possibly kill all the Dragon King Ants. But he had to stop them from gathering together on a large scale to prevent them from destroying humans by the coast. The only way was to kill the aggressive Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother!

The Dragon King Ants would never vanish. Even if he killed the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother, the ants would reproduce rapidly and give birth to another Ant Mother again...

But it would stall for time and allow the humans to fortify their defenses. Maybe they could even come up with more powerful mages to fight for them.

Commander Hua killed the Dragon King Ants before him with his Void White Flame. However, there were many other hills made up of Dragon King Ants but at least they were severely wounded. The Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother had lost a great number of 'personal guards'. In the previous battle, Commander Hua had lost many of his subordinates before they successfully killed all the 'termite guards'.

The Termite Guards served as the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother's life-preserving charm. They were a part of the Dragon King Ants species that were difficult to reproduce quickly. But they served as a protective layer for the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother.

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Even though Commander Hua was wounded, he insisted on killing the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother because if the Termite Guard returned and surrounded it, it would be impossible to subdue!

Mo Fan, the Royal Mages, and the rest of the rescue team had played crucial roles in this mission. If the Eight-headed Serpent, Stingray King, Sword Fish Chief, and Deep-sea Dragon Lizard Demons had found Commander Hua first, he would have been too exhausted to fight. The Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother would have taken advantage of his exhaustion and killed him.

The Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother could not hold back its killing instinct despite being severely wounded. While, Commander Hua was entirely confident of killing it.

Without its Termite Guard, the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother would undoubtedly be killed this time!

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The black mountains grew higher. They moved in a disturbing manner. Yet Commander Hua had no intention of retreating.

The mountains made up of seemingly endless Black Dragon King Ants had devoured half of the island. Killing it required more than just courage. But Mo Fan could do nothing to help.

If the Black Dragon King Ants attacked the Black Totem Snake, there would not be any remains of the Black Totem Snake, not even its bones.

This was another epic battle. Mo Fan did not know about the previous battle. All he knew was he had been involved in it by accident.

Mo Fan seldom prayed to God. However, this time, he instinctively closed his eyes...

Chapter 2800: Killing The Emperor

"If Commander Hua dies, the coastline will be wiped out, right?" Jiang Yu stared at the frightening terrain filled with darkness.

Pang Lai, too, was staring at the darkness that was entirely filled with the Black Dragon King Ants.

"If the Black Claw Emperor dies, the East Coastline is safe, right?" asked Song Feiyao.

The sight before them was too shocking to behold. Even though they had achieved Super level in their cultivation, their power was insignificant compared to the battle that was raging now. They were like a small canoe in the middle of a rainstorm.

Pang Lai shook his head. He did not answer Jiang Yu's question. His silence was answer enough.

If Commander Hua died, the East Coastline could not last for long. Not many Forbidden Mages could unleash the perfect Forbidden Curse like Commander Hua. He fought the Emperor-level Ocean Demon on his own. No one was capable of fighting their way into the Pacific Ocean and killing the leader of the Ocean Demon like Commander Hua.

Commander Hua was not only the soul of the Battlemage, but he was also the country's pillar. Without him, they would lose a leader who brought them hope in the middle of such a chaotic environment. Losing Commander Hua meant the mages would lose their soul.

How could a team of soulless mages fight the Ocean Demon army that were many times stronger than they were?

Pang Lai shook his head. He disagreed with Song Feiyao.

There was more than one Emperor-level Ocean Demon on the East Coastline. It was clear that the Black Claw Emperor was not the main culprit behind the Ocean Demon attack. Which Emperor-level Ocean Demon had started the war? Which Emperor-level Ocean Demon had manipulated all the Emperor-level Ocean Demon in the Pacific Ocean? All of these remained a mystery...

The only thing that was of certainty was that the Emperor-level Ocean Demon which had started the ocean battle was as powerful as the South Emperor.

Although Commander Hua had taken a huge risk, it would not improve the situation by very much. The East Coastline would still be in crisis. Many hordes, kingdoms, and Emperor-level Ocean Demons had yet to reveal themselves. The Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother was just one of the many.

They had gained victory and weakened the Ocean Demon force. Still, they had only preserved 20,000 kilometers of the coastline seawall protection plan that was under Shao Zheng's ruling in the past. The gnawing Dragon King Ants in transparent form under the Mirage Dragon King Ant Mother's command could easily turn a building into powder with their strength.

Humans were at a disadvantage right from the beginning.

All Commander Hua could do was to slightly even the odds. He tried to offer some hope and a fighting chance to the humans. But there was still a very long way to go.

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Mo Fan closed his eyes. He prayed in his heart.

When he opened them, he was greeted by the sight of endless Dragon King Ants. After Commander Hua ambushed them, the sky around that area turned black. The mountains, rivers, lands, and blue sky disappeared out of sight.

The Black Dragon King Ant army sometimes resembled a great rainstorm, other times they resembled huge mountains. They were all black and made one's skin tingle.

Mo Fan noticed a trace of substance that did not belong to the Dragon King Ant's demonic aura. The substance was a sort of powerful burning power. Yet the flame was not visible to the eyes...

A faint white light cut through the dark sky like a meteor. It flew towards Mo Fan and the rest of the group.

There was a change in the Dragon King Ants. They seemed to have been stirred up by something. They formed a whirlpool. The Dragon King Ant whirlpool attempted to devour the faint white light. But the white light slowed down the terrifying pulling force.

The white meteor slowly moved forward. Time seemed to have slowed down.

Mo Fan was anxious. He knew it was Commander Hua. He was trying to break free from the Dragon King Ant's whirlpool.

"Don't," said Pang Lai to Mo Fan, stopping him from rushing to help. "Trust him."

That was not an ordinary Ocean Demon. Even if Mo Fan brought along the three greatest totem beasts, all of them would be swallowed by the Black Dragon King Ants. Their rescue mission would have been in vain!

Therefore, Mo Fan stood there and watched them. He wished he could cast a downpour of fire meteors from the sky and wipe out all the disgusting Black Dragon King Ants. However, without the help of Demon element magical power, Mo Fan could not do much with his fire magical power.

"He escaped!" Jiang Yu cried out in delight.

"Meow!"

The beam of white meteor slowed and broke free of the whirlpool made up of Black Dragon King Ants. The familiar figure grew closer to them.

When the white meteor arrived before Mo Fan and his group, his clothes were unkempt, and he was wounded. He looked like someone who had barely survived the encounter. However, his eyes still shone with brilliance. Even wounded, he looked as powerful and majestic as before.

“What’s the escape plan? I-I’ll have to listen to all of your arrangements...,” Commander Hua blurted out.

“Zhang Xiaohou used to burrow into the tunnel under the river. The Ocean Demons have abandoned it. We can go back to Bo Sea through it,” Mo Fan said.

“Hmm...” Commander Hua nodded. “Okay.”

“Commander Hua, how is the Black Claw Emperor...?”

“It’s dead.” Commander Hua smiled proudly at them.

The crowd was shocked and happy! Commander Hua had killed the Black Claw Emperor. It had made Bo Sea dangerous and killed many Apex-grade Mages on the East Coastline. It had finally died!

Mo Fan still remembered the fear he felt when it attacked Magic City with its monstrous claws, as if slapping and awakening to powerful mages from their dreams. Finally, the enormous ghostly spirit which had loomed over the East Coastline and other base cities had died!

Mo Fan felt inexplicably happy!

It meant the supreme Emperor-level Ocean Demon could be defeated, provided they were as powerful as Commander Hua!

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Mo Fan’s plan was a success. There was no trace of the Dragon King Ants under the abandoned sea tunnel, including the transparent Dragon King Ants.

The Black Dragon King Ant army did not continue to chase after them. Unlike the other Ocean Demons, the moment the Dragon King Ants lost their Ant Mother, they were crippled. What mattered most to those creatures was to appoint a new Ant Mother rather than to follow them for revenge.