

## Versatile 61

### Chapter 61: Advancing the Lightning Element!

“Fan Mo, your reaction was really quick. Your spellcasting speed also shocked us. We thought you were the type of newly graduated Magician whose legs would soften up after seeing a Magical Beast.” Li Wenjie walked up to Mo Fan and patted his shoulder a few times.

“Yeah, I thought we would have to take care of you for the most of the year before you would be somewhat useful; who would’ve thought that your spirit quality was already good enough that you even saved Guo Caitang. Guo Caitang, you’ll have to devote your entire life to him to properly express your appreciation,” Fei Shi said with a laugh.

Mo Fan had applied for this position without any practical experience, nor resume. In fact, the Hunter Team’s minimum requirement was to have killed at least ten Magical Beasts. If Mo Fan were of a different Element, then this elite Team of Hunters would definitely not have accepted him. They didn’t even need those with the Fire Element. After all, the City Hunter Team fought off Magical Beasts within the city. If other hunters couldn’t face off against a Magical Beast, then they would just die by themselves. If the Hunters Team couldn’t face off against Magical Beasts, then it was possible that the consequences would spread to people who couldn’t fend off the Beasts themselves.

The City Hunters Team’s responsibilities were significant, and thus, its members needed to be the elite of the Hunter Mages.

Considering the rarity of a Lightning Mage, as well as the abilities of their spells, the Hunter Team was willing to spend half a year to properly nurture the rookie who knew nothing. In everyone’s eyes, Mo Fan was a definite rookie who wouldn’t necessarily be able to cast a spell when faced up against a Magical Beast.

Just now, after he had finished his Lightning Strike spell in an instant, his reaction time and control of his Star Path actually gave the Hunter Team a whole new view of him!

Especially Guo Caitang. In the beginning, she had aggressively given Mo Fan, a rookie, a harsh scolding. Who would’ve thought that at the most crucial time, it would be this rookie that would save her life? Her heart was exceedingly complicated at this moment.

“Alright, Li Wenjie, Feishi, the two of you go and inspect the cafeteria. If there is no other Magical Beast, then we can leave the rest of the matter to the police if that girl is still alive,” Xu Dahuang ordered.

“OK!”

Search and rescue required a large number of people. The Hunter Team’s primary objective was to eliminate the danger factors. Following that, all they needed to do was to let Feishi and Li Wenjie assist the police in searching for the missing Lin Yun’er.

It was just that it had been over a week, and the girl’s chances of survival were very low.

\_Buzz...\_

As Mo Fan was about to leave, the Little Loach Pendant suddenly let out a buzz.

\_There's a Soul Remnant?\_

Mo Fan was delighted as he hurriedly walked over to the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat's body.

A blue radiance emerged out of the carcass of the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat. It looked similar to a firefly. It was as small as a candle flame, and acted like it was being summoned as it slowly floated into the pendant around Mo Fan's neck.

The others were busy with other things, and thus they didn't notice this scene. Mo Fan successfully absorbed the Soul Remnant of the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat into his Little Loach Pendant.

The Little Loach Pendant had an ability that allowed it to automatically absorb Soul Remnants. When he had killed the Spirit Wolf, it had also absorbed the Spirit Wolf's Soul Remnant.

\_(Ed. Note: No, I don't remember that happening, either...)\_

Unfortunately, to make the Little Loach Pendant really grow required something even more pure than a Soul Remnant, which would be a Soul Essence. \_Who knows if absorbing these Soul Remnants will have any effect whatsoever, I'll have to go back home and do some research on it.\_

Moreover, the Magic Association and Hunter's Union also sold Soul Remnants. The price of one was roughly around ten thousand RMB. If it absorbed enough Soul Remnants, then the Little Loach Pendant would also grow. \_In that case, is there a need to use the money from hunting Magical Beasts to buy those Soul Remnants? Either way, the top priority is to make the Little Loach Pendant grow; this way, my Fire Burst will definitely reach the level of Rupture!\_

\_Hmm? The Lightning stars seem to have transformed some. Don't tell me...\_ Suddenly, Mo Fan felt the stars within his Lightning Stardust tingling excitedly.

The excitement here was similar to the time his Fire stars had transformed. The change that time had allowed Mo Fan to reach the level of Fire Burst's Burning Bones, up from merely Scorch!

That is to say, his Lightning Strike was about to make a breakthrough!

In the past, when he was meditating, the Lightning stars had no reaction whatsoever. Who would've thought that the lightning quick spellcasting today would actually cause them to transform? Mo Fan didn't know if they had transformed because of the experience from the battle he had today, or if it was due to the absorption of the Soul Remnant.

\_Fire Burst has already achieved Burning Bones. I wonder what kind of effects the heaven-defying Lightning Strike will cause at its second level? It really makes me look forward to it!\_

What Mo Fan did not expect was that he would actually obtain a commission from his first completed mission.

The school had used 200,000 yuan to ask the City Hunter Team to come there and solve the issue. Mo Fan received 10% of it; after all, he had just joined them. Normally speaking, those who had just joined would only receive the wages of an intern. The commission was given as a token; they considered Mo

Fan a special Lightning Mage, as well as his outstanding display today. The team basically gave Mo Fan a full share.

10% was around 20,000 RMB. This was on par with six months of his father's income.

Mo Fan didn't want to play around with this money. He cautiously put it away, as he did not need it for a period of time.

Speaking of which, this was Mo Fan's first time being paid for work. Although it was indeed dangerous, the reward had actually exceeded Mo Fan's expectations. This was much more than the hunters outside of the city earned; no wonder why so many of them would do their best to join the ranks of the City Hunter Team!

\_The Mu Family Manor...\_

The sky-blue private pool had a gentle ripple. Mu He, wearing a swimming cap, had swum up on shore. With his body still wet from his swim, he laid down on the recliner with an umbrella shielding him from the sun. He then looked at the private swimming teacher with rye-colored skin as he not-so-accidentally swept his gaze across her chest.

\_Creak, creak, creak...\_

As Mu He was about to say something, he discovered the swimming pool had a layer of frost slowly growing across it. The surface of the swimming pool quickly solidified.

"Don't... I'm going to swim again soon..." Mu He felt a headache coming on. Before he could finish, the entire swimming pool had already been frozen as solid as if it were winter. He didn't know whether to laugh or cry.

"Uncle He, my father wants you to come over," a tall, slender man with a gloomy look said to him.

"Yu Ang, your Ice Stardust has gotten increasingly strong, how has your training been?" Mu He asked with a pleased expression.

"The progress is a bit slow," the youth called Yu Ang replied.

"You still call that slow..." Mu He said with a forced smile, "Other people are only at the first level of Ice Spread, yet, you have already grasped Ice Spread: Condense. With your cultivation speed, you won't even need two years to attain the third form of Ice Spread, Cover! That is a large-scale Ice Spread, let's not even talk about a small Fire elemental student, you could even freeze a whole lot of them by yourself!"

"Two years? That's still too long," Yu Ang mumbled to himself.

"You're always so dissatisfied with your cultivation. The truth is, you're already far more outstanding than other peers your age. Yes, you and that child Mu Ningxue have a definite difference; however, Mu Ningxue is just too special. You should already know that your father, Mu Zhuoyun, has been brooding over that kid Mo Fan. After a year, when you've successfully dealt with that kid, then your father will definitely give you an amazing present," Mu He laughed.

"I haven't even put that little clown in my eyes at all," Yu Ang stated.

## Chapter 62: Underground Holy Spring

Yu Ang's diligent cultivation was for himself. Even if his father, Mu Zhuoyun, had arranged a Magic Duel for him a year from now, Yu Ang genuinely did not put this matter in his heart.

"Why don't you head over, I'll be right there with you," Mu He told him.

Yu Ang nodded as he walked toward the Master's house.

After going through an artificial garden, Yu Ang stepped into an unusual little courtyard.

In a European-styled Mansion like this, having an antique tea house was extremely strange.

"Father, I don't understand why you have arranged a boring duel for me." Yu Ang sat down to one side as he addressed Mu Zhuoyun.

"If we were to only invite high-class people, family members, and people of your age to your Coming-of-Age Ceremony, then that would be extremely dreary. The opportunity of gathering the most important and well-known people of Bo City into a single place is quite difficult. If there is a duel during your Coming-of-Age Ceremony, then I'm sure a lot of people would have a more positive opinion of you. There are certain matters which the older generation like me just cannot interfere with; thus, you need to use your own superior strength to subdue the seniors and peers watching you; this way, you will also gain prestige. Having that will assist you greatly when you control the city later on." Mu Zhuoyun sipped his tea as he talked about his plans.

"Then you should arrange a more suitable opponent for me," Yu Ang replied.

"In the beginning, I also thought that having a small character like that would be a child's play for you during your Coming-of-Age Ceremony, so I was also considering about whether I should've arranged for someone more appropriate. However, it doesn't seem that way anymore. After all, it's essentially a battle between me, Deng Kai, and Principal Zhu," Mu Zhuoyun told him.

"What do you mean?" Yu Ang asked, confused.

"Your opponent, Mo Fan, has already grasped the second level of Fire Burst. The progress of his cultivation has exceeded everyone's expectations. Being able to achieve this kind of result in just a short year means he's not just some minor character. Presently, he is the most outstanding student of Tian Lan Magic High, and he has gained the attention of Deng Kai, Zhan Kong, and Principal Zhu. Now, if I wanted to pull anything on this kid, I believe the others most likely wouldn't let me do it... This really caught me by surprise. The cultivation of the son of a driver is actually not any slower than the preeminent disciples of the ancestral families. If he was more discreet, than you wouldn't have to know anything about the matters between Deng Kai and I," Mu Zhuoyun explained with a cold smile.

"In that case, there might be some interesting things happening." Yu Ang looked greatly relieved.

If a weak opponent were to appear at his Coming-of-Age Ceremony, then he wouldn't be earning himself any prestige; instead, it would be giving this scoundrel his spotlight, as well as not being able to demonstrate strength that exceeded his peers.

The Mu Family regarded the younger generation's Coming-of-Age ceremonies as their most important, and it could be said that the Coming-of-Age Ceremony was their grandest ceremony. If their youths were strong, then the family clan was strong; this would allow them to claim power in Bo City at an early age. Having the older generations jumping out and showing off their strength wasn't always appropriate. If they were to have their younger generation of disciples demonstrate their overwhelming dominance to their peers, wouldn't that be demonstrating the Mu Family's absolute power?

Mu Ningxue was at the Imperial Capital, which was an even higher domain.

Bo City also needed an outstanding young Magician who could carry the banner, right?

Yu Ang was an excellent successor for controlling the city. Mu Zhuoyun wanted to meticulously nurture him so that he could stand at the peak of Bo City.

Whether the path of the future would be smooth would naturally depend on the beginning. Other disciples' Coming-of-Age Ceremonies could be arranged in a small manner. However, Yu Ang's Coming-of-Age Ceremony needed to be grand. It had to have grandeur, it had to have guests, and it had to amaze the world!

\_That brat Mo Fan does indeed exceed our expectations. However, he is only a stepping stone for the growth of an elite youngster like Yu Ang!\_

However, would this scheming Mu Zhuoyun tell Yu Ang that he was nurturing the young man with a large amount of resources, so that when he reached a high position and held power, he would be someone else's stepping stone? That person would be Mu Zhuoyun's biological daughter, Mu Ningxue!

Mu Ningxue was the most perfect successor for Mu Zhuoyun. Since Bo City was too small, his only choice was to nurture another trusted aide so he could properly control Bo City and the native lands of the family.

"Don't worry, after the end of the Coming-of-Age Ceremony, I will open up the Underground Holy Spring of Bo City for you. You will have a week's worth of cultivation time in there. This one week will be enough to allow your cultivation to advance by leaps and bounds; then your peers in Bo City will no longer be placed in your eyes!" Mu Zhuoyun said calmly.

"Father, is that Underground Holy Spring really that magical?" Yu Ang's eyes glistened as he asked this.

"Of course! You know what a Stardust Magic Tool is, right? This Underground Holy Spring is equivalent to a Stardust Magic Tool that reinforces your strength countless times. It doesn't just simply ease your fatigue, it is also a Holy Ground for the nurturing of your cultivation speed! Whether it is meditation or control, the spring is the most perfect place for it. The Underground Holy Spring isn't something you can open at will; thus, once you enter, you will have to put your entire mind into cultivation. This is because this could possibly be the best opportunity for you to attack the Intermediate level!" Mu Zhuoyun told him.

"Int..Intermediate? Aren't I still quite a bit far from that??" Yu Ang was a bit startled.

"If you don't enter the Underground Holy Spring, then you would still be quite far from it. However, if you were to obtain this opportunity, then that would be different," Mu Zhuoyun said as he stroked his mustache.

“Father, just how did this Underground Holy Spring of Bo City come to be? How can it have such an incredible effect?”

“The Underground Holy Spring has a long history, there is no need for you to know it. All you need to remember is that the Underground Holy Spring is an amazing cultivation opportunity that you only get once in your life.” Mu Zhuoyun no longer said anything else.

Yu Ang nodded several times in understanding.

Assuming that it was able to allow a person to break through the Primary level and tread upon the Intermediate level which so many yearned for, this Underground Holy Spring of Bo City was indeed extremely important!

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#### **Chapter 63: Strange occurrences in the Old Streets**

In the remaining time of the summer break, Mo Fan kept on cultivating.

The City Hunter Team wasn't exactly a very busy job; most of the time, he was just adjusting his life.

After Mo Fan finished two more Bounty missions with the City Hunter Team, he finally left the realm of a rookie. He was able to stay even calmer as he cast his spells when faced with a Magical Beast.

Advancing his battle experience along with his cultivation, Mo Fan unexpectedly discovered that his Stardust's growth was even faster.

As his Stardust grew, the usable stars were naturally also transforming. On the day he started his third year of high school, Mo Fan had successfully transformed the Lightning stars.

They had turned increasingly bright, and the radiating stars were able to conduct increasingly stronger Lightning Magic. Thus, his spells naturally changed as well.

*Next time when I go out on a mission with the City Hunter Team, they will surely be surprised.* Mo Fan was sitting in class, he felt particularly happy.

Currently, his Lightning Strike and Fire Burst had both achieved the second stage. This advancement speed far exceeded his peers. If he was able to reach the third stage by his graduation, then that would be even more perfect!

It was said that when one's stars transformed into the third stage, then one would be rather close to breaking through to Intermediate level Mage.

Mo Fan had no idea on when he would reach the Intermediate level. However, he would definitely exhaust all methods to make himself stronger!

School life was still just like that. After going through the Practicals, the students' attitudes had clear transformations. On top of that, the Magic entrance exams were near. In particular, those students who were usually slacking were giving their best as they frequently appeared on the training grounds.

Mo Fan himself didn't go to the training grounds.

What was the use of hitting a wooden puppet? He had directly changed these meaningless practices and exercises into real combat, real combat against Magical Beasts! His kind of progress was many times more effective than hitting the wooden puppets at the school training grounds!

“Brother Fan, did you realize it? Ever since Practicals, the arrogant Class Representative, Zhoumin has been treating you really well,” Zhang Xiaohou whispered into Mo Fan’s ear.

“Really?” Mo Fan asked as he raised his eyebrows.

“Of course, sometimes, she will even sneakily glance over here.”

“Isn’t it because I’m handsome?”

“If you put it like that, then I can’t do anything about it. However, if it was because you’re handsome, then she wouldn’t have been so harsh on you when school began. She is harsh on every single person except when it comes to you, and then her entire person changes; she becomes like a next-door little sister, cute and obedient,” Zhang Xiaohou stated.

Presently, Mo Fan went to class in the morning and cultivated in the afternoon. At night, he had to wear a uniform to protect the peace of the city. How could he have time to care about a young girl’s heart? Moreover, he already had a heroic spirit that would save thousands of girls from their suffering, thus, occasionally obtaining a few girls’ affections... Wasn’t that a common thing?

“See, see. She’s coming over here to find you... Tsk tsk, Brother Fan, I’ll retreat first.” Zhang Xiaohou was indeed a qualified friend. There were certain friends who were as stupid as pigs, they just loved being a Light Mage!

(TL Note: This basically means Lightbulb, which also means a third wheel.)

Mo Fan raised his head, and saw that Zhoumin really was coming his way.

Seeing her appearance, embarrassed yet excited, it truly made one pity her.

Zhoumin looked quite elegant, with squeaky clean black hair over her shoulders, and a delicate face that carried the arrogance of many young girls. Normally, they naturally treated boys like devils and so they kept their distance. However, the truth was, it was just impossible for them to conceal their warm hearts.

“Mo Fan... Do you have time tonight?” Zhoumin whispered after she walked over.

Tonight?

He still had to consolidate the level two spell of Lightning Strike.

*Zhoumin, oh, Zhoumin. As the Class Representative, you should be wholeheartedly focusing on your studies, how could you let your heart focus on the mundane things. We are third year high schoolers who are about to become University students. This year is extremely important, it will affect the future. If you were to let your heart distract you this early, then it will bring nothing good for anyone!*

Nevertheless, Mo Fan nodded as he said, “I’m available!” to Zhoumin.

Zhoumin immediately opened her eyes wide and said, "Wait for me after school, I need to tell you something really important."

"No problem." Mo Fan nodded, he was wondering if he should have Zhang Xiaohou go and prepare a small umbrella, just in case he needed it.

*(TL. Note: A small umbrella is slang for a condom.)*

After school ended, a large crowd of students rushed toward the exit.

Zhoumin was indeed true to her words; she was waiting for Mo Fan at the back gate of the school.

Mo Fan walked over and as he was about to open his mouth, Zhoumin mysteriously said, "Mo Fan, I'm not sure if I should be telling you about this matter, but I also don't know anyone who is more suitable."

As Mo Fan heard this, he suddenly had no idea what to expect.

"It's like this; my grandma's house is on Rongshu Street. It is an old district that is going to be rebuilt into a new one. During the summer break, I went back to live with my grandmother, and then I frequently felt trembling sounds from the construction site next door. It seemed like there were construction workers doing their jobs. However, I asked some people and they all said that they don't do construction work at night... My grandma always said that the large old district that is about to be razed has something living there. I tried to get my grandmother to move away, but she refused to leave the place. Therefore, I was hoping you would come with me and see what exactly is happening. Or else, I won't feel safe leaving my grandmother there alone, I'd feel scared at night," Zhoumin told Mo Fan sincerely.

After hearing Zhoumin's words, Mo Fan couldn't help but feel shocked.

Construction site trembling?

Shit, last time there was a cafeteria, and this time, there's a construction site trembling. This Bo City was getting toyed with too much!

"Don't tell me it's another Colossal-eyed Ape Rat?" Mo Fan thought aloud.

"Colossal-eyed Ape Rat? That's a Magical Beast, Bo City shouldn't have those kind of things, right?" Zhoumin blurted out in shock.

Zhoumin still had lingering fears from the last time she faced a dreaded Magical Beast.

"That's not a strange thing at all. The news from the Hunter's Union states that during this period of time, the Colossal-eyed Ape Rats are acting like they're entering the mating season, and there are frequent cases of them popping out from dark corners." Mo Fan was already used to seeing strange things.

If he spent his time just lingering around school, Mo Fan would be the same as Zhoumin; thinking that Bo City was one hundred percent safe and that there would not be any Magical Beasts appearing.

However, being in the City Hunter Team, Mo Fan could count as having experience and knowledge.

*How do you say this...*



*Little classmate, Zhoumin, you really found the right person! This brother's other identity is an officer of Bo City, and because we only clean the Magical Beasts within the Bo City, we are definitely more specialized!*

*Sigh, I won't be able to receive a commission this time. However, getting a girl's affection isn't exactly a bad thing either, let's go and take a look!*

Arriving at the old district, it was just as Zhoumin had described. This part of the city had already been demolished, it looked as though it had just experienced a severe earthquake.

Dust pervaded the demolished district, and there were temporary walls and holes all over the construction sites. A half-demolished house was just left there, it affected the appearance of the area as they erected another unfinished tower nearby.

*I heard that the old Rongshu district is going to be rebuilt into a new commercial district. In the end, there was a severe shortage in the investments, and so they left behind its remains. Even the government doesn't know how to deal with it.*

Most of the people had already moved away from this district. There were wanderers and vagrants who decided to stay here temporarily due to difficulties. The remaining ones who stayed behind were the old people who refused to move away, like Zhoumin's old grandmother.

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#### **Chapter 64: Oneeyed Magic Wolf**

To be honest, other than the emergence of Mo Fan's pure and manly heroic spirit, he was very puzzled over this trembling thing happening again.

It had already happened once at the Mingwen Girls Middle School's cafeteria; how come, not long after, another trembling had emerged in a different part of Bo City? Was it really another Colossal-eyed Ape Rat?

It was reported that after eliminating the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat, the other areas around Mingwen Girls Middle School also had slight trembles. The police hadn't found the reason behind them, and the school had ensured the campus' safety, so school began as planned.

"My grandmother lives here, and the trembling area is over there." Zhoumin pointed first at an old house, and then pointed toward a large construction site with more old houses that had already been partially demolished.

The construction teams had withdrawn from the site for a while now, a result of not being paid. The entire demolished district could be described as desolate and uninhabited. When night fell, the distant, splendid city in lights was not able to illuminate this place. Black clouds shrouded the night sky.

The great city officer Mo Fan was currently being quite daring. With a nimble leap, he vaulted the temporary construction walls, and after he landed elegantly, he discovered Zhoumin walking in through the little gate further down. The atmosphere immediately turned incredibly awkward.

"Cough, so what time does it usually start trembling?" Mo Fan asked quickly.

“During the evening, no specific time.” Usually, Zhoumin would appear like a successful career woman. However, after coming to this abandoned construction site, she couldn’t help but stand closer to Mo Fan.

Mo Fan walked forward a few steps, and then took something like a fragrant bag from his pocket.

He untied the bag; inside it was sparkling and translucent dust. As Mo Fan blew the dust, it immediately scattered through the air, before it slowly sprinkled down all over the construction site.

“This is... Beast Seeking Dust?” As expected of the honor student Zhoumin, she could tell what it was from a single glance.

“Yeah,” Mo Fan nodded. Beast Seeking Powder was a must for city officers when hunting beasts on a dark and windy night.

“How come you brought this kind of thing along, do you really think there’s a Magical Beast here?” Zhoumin asked, surprised.

What student would normally bring this along with them? Moreover, this was Bo City, it’s not like they were in the desolate countryside!

“Lady, you need to trust in experts. Just look for yourself.” Mo Fan pointed at the sparkling, translucent dust that was sprinkled on the floor.

The dust he’d sprinkled had gathered about ten meters away from them, and the translucent dust particles looked as though they were glued to the floor, forming an outline there. This outline looked like... a footprint!

As Zhoumin saw this, she was completely dumbstruck.

Heavens, Bo City really had Magical Beasts??

The odor of a Magical Beast was normally really hard to catch a whiff of, especially the ones that had already left the scene.

The specialty of the Beast Seeking Dust was that it was extremely sensitive to a Magical Beast’s odor. If a Magical Beast left behind a footprint ten days ago, the Beast Seeking Dust would still be able to track it!

“What, what do we do?” Zhoumin was so scared that her face had turned pale.

Normally in school, she wouldn’t question what the teachers said, and she would think the city was the safest place. Who would’ve thought that there really were footprints of Magical Beasts, the Beast Seeking Dust didn’t lie!

“I’ll take a look at the shape of the footprints...” Mo Fan bravely walked over.

“We-we should hurry and contact the City Hunter Team.” Zhoumin couldn’t help but feel a chill.

Mo Fan was completely speechless.

*I am a genuine officer from the City Hunter Team. Contact them, my ass!*

Besides, it's not like the City Hunter Team had a lot of time. If there wasn't any concrete evidence, then they wouldn't dispatch the team.

The footprint outline emerging from the Beast Seeking Dust could only count as a suspicion, and not ironclad evidence. After all, a Summoning Mage taking a stroll here was a possibility, too.

"This footprint doesn't seem like it belongs to a Colossal-eyed Ape Rat." Mo Fan creased his brow.

"Mo... Mo Fan... We should leave." Zhoumin was a bit scared.

Mo Fan, however, wanted to investigate this to the end, so he continued to walk toward the interior of the construction site.

Zhoumin carefully followed Mo Fan.

"It seems like he is hiding in that unfinished mall." Mo Fan pointed down the road to the building before them.

This building looked like it was supposed to be a shopping center. The floor area was gigantic, and there were piles of cement bags, tools, and building materials everywhere. The footprint shown from the Beast Seeking Dust ended at this unfinished shopping center. If there really was something living around here, then it would definitely be living in this place as it terrorized the people!

This abandoned construction site had been here for two months, so it was the most perfect spot for hiding.

"Mo mo mo... Mo Fan..." Zhoumin's voice suddenly turned incredibly stiff. She used an extremely strange way to warn Mo Fan.

Mo Fan immediately looked towards the place Zhoumin was staring at. On the other side of the brick front wall, the place that was supposed to be the first floor had a wiggling black shadow!

It was a creature with very sturdy lower limbs. Just standing there, its head was almost hitting the ceiling of the second floor.

Its physique resembled that of a Spirit Wolf; the main difference was that it did not stand with four limbs, it stood on two legs, like a werewolf!

The biggest difference was this thing's head.

The gigantic wolf-shaped head had one single eye; it looked particularly terrifying beneath the night sky.

"It's... It's an One-eyed Magic Wolf!" Zhoumin almost yelled out.

A One-eyed Magic Wolf. This was a savage Magical Beast that was mentioned several times by their teachers in Magical Beast class. It was different from a creature like the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat that hid in the corner; the One-eyed Magic Wolf mostly dwelled in the mountains. It was innately hostile to humans, and it really liked eating them!

They were greedy, savage, and enjoyed massacre. They hungrily eyed people who tended to live away from the human centers of civilization.

“Shit, this kind of One-eyed Magic Wolf appeared so close to the city area; even if there are people who don’t care, they won’t be able to anymore!” After Mo Fan saw this scene, his heart also began to tremble.

Not too long ago, he was the same as Zhoumin; someone who thought the city was extremely safe.

Who would’ve thought that this would be the second Magical Beast he encountered in Bo City?

The Colossal-eyed Ape Rat appearing in the city wasn’t too strange. That kind of creature already lived among humanity’s sewers and graveyards. However, how could one explain the savage One-eyed Magic Wolf appearing in this kind of place?

“It... what is it doing??” Zhoumin was so scared that her face had gone white.

“Eating midnight snacks,” Mo Fan replied.

Zhoumin carefully looked over before she almost fainted.

This One-eyed Magic Wolf was chewing. In the shadowy light, Zhoumin saw a chewed-off arm!

Heavens, that was a human arm!

Mo Fan, that scoundrel, how could he playfully say that the monster was eating its midnight snack?!

It was eating people!!

It really was eating people!!!

Chapter 65: Brother Wolf, We Came in Peace, We Leave in Peace?

“This place has many vagrants living here. They wouldn’t be integrated into the population data recorded by the police. This One-eyed Magic Wolf is so sly. It hides in the abolished construction site, and then uses those wanderers that no one takes notice of as food. If I hadn’t found this, then who knows how many people would have become its rations,” Mo Fan coldly snorted.

Zhoumin was already scared to the point where she couldn’t talk. Originally, she had come here with the attitude of finding the source of the problem, but she didn’t expect to encounter a Magical Beast that ate people. Even if Bo City had nearly a million people, there were people dying everyday. That, however, did not mean that living people were being eaten by a Magical Beast that hid in a place like this. Dreadful, this whole thing was too dreadful!

“Speaking of which, Zhoumin, don’t you feel like this One-eyed Magic Wolf is different from the ones our teacher described?” Mo Fan commented as he looked at the dreadful animal from afar.

How could Zhoumin possibly have the mood to think about this question? At the moment, she was thinking about how to escape this construction site without being discovered, and then immediately notifying the Hunter’s Union of this scary information.

“Its physique is at least twice as big as the one our teacher described. This is not your common One-eyed Magic Wolf,” Mo Fan continued.

Zhoumin almost went crazy.

\_Let’s think of a way to escape this place first, alright? How can Mo Fan’s courage be at this level!?

Mo Fan himself very quickly realized that Zhoumin was only an arrogant girl while in school. When faced with a horror scene such as this, she lost her will to investigate.

“You can leave this place first and call the City Hunter Team’s hotline. While you’re at it, have the police move the residents and wanderers in this area away,” Mo Fan told Zhoumin.

“What about you?” Zhoumin asked.

“I’ll stay here and watch over it,” Mo Fan replied.

Zhoumin looked at Mo Fan with the gaze of someone who had seen a monster.

\_We are both third-year high school students, but why doesn’t this guy have any reaction after seeing this? Normal people would be so scared that they’d pee their pants!\_

After carefully thinking about it, Zhoumin suddenly realized that this abnormal Mo Fan had killed a Spirit Wolf once before; it seemed like Magical Beasts didn’t frighten him much.

\_A freak, he’s a freak.\_

“I... I already notified them,” Zhoumin whispered, somewhat proud of herself for taking the initiative.

Mo Fan was confused as he asked without thinking, “How did you notify... Oh, shit!”

Within a heartbeat, Mo Fan realized the trouble he was in.

“Hnng~!”

Inside the not-so-distant building, the One-eyed Magic Wolf busy having its meal slowly turned its head around. The lantern-like eye locked onto Zhoumin and Mo Fan’s location.

In a split second, the atmosphere froze.

Despite hiding behind a brick wall, Mo Fan and Zhoumin could still feel the bone-chilling killing intent released from the savage One-eyed Magic Wolf.

An evening wind came through, carrying a dense smell of blood as it blew right into the faces of Mo Fan and Zhoumin.

Zhoumin was completely dumbstruck. She never thought that the One-eyed Magic Wolf would suddenly discover their whereabouts. As her gaze met that single eye, it was like her entire being was dropped into a dreadful abyss, and her body was unable to move.

“Did your mom not teach you that Magical Beasts have the ability to sense mobile signals!?” Mo Fan grabbed Zhoumin, and with lightning speed, he dashed toward the outside of the construction site.

The creatures in this world had one thing that was out of the norm, which was their ability to sense the signals of magical equipment. So even if you were to send a help text to the City Hunter Team with your phone sounds off, it'd be no different than sending your phone GPS location to the Magical Beast's brain, exposing you instantly!

"Grrrr~!"

The One-eyed Magic Wolf also realized that its whereabouts were exposed. It readied its body like a bow, and then it became like a coyote who discovered food as it flew toward Mo Fan and Zhoumin, its speed extremely frightening!

Fortunately, Mo Fan and Zhoumin were a good distance away from this thing, or else the two of them would have instantly turned into the One-eyed Magic Wolf's midnight snack.

Mo Fan ran extremely quickly, fleeing even as he was connecting his Star Path.

This technique was something he had learned from the few times he had responded to a call with the City Hunter Team. If he stood in his original spot connecting his Star Path like a retard, the Magical Beast could just wantonly throw something at his forehead, and he would lose his life on the spot!

"Fire Burst, Burning Bones!"

With one hand, he held Zhoumin's wrist as he ran; on the other hand, he coagulated a boiling fireball.

As he jumped over a pile of cement bags in front of him, the fireball in his hands was simultaneously thrown toward the One-eyed Magic Wolf that was charging them.

\_Whewwww~\_

The swirling speed of the Burning Bones was extremely fast; in an instant, it ignited the pile of scrap wood. The One-eyed Magic Wolf didn't dare to charge through the incredible heat.

Mo Fan's Fire Burst naturally wasn't thrown at the One-eyed Magic Wolf. The nimbleness of One-eyed Magic Wolf was at the same level as the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat. Its sturdy four limbs allowed it to vigorously jump over the ruins while Mo Fan's skill with his spells hadn't reached a level where he would be able to accurately hit it.

The objective of the Burning Bones flames was simple: to form a firewall to cut off the One-eyed Magic Wolf's attack route!

"Grrroarr~!"

However, the One-eyed Magic Wolf's agility far exceeded Mo Fan's imagination. It's back legs ferociously stomped the ground, and it suddenly jumped up. It actually jumped directly over the raging Burning Bones flames!

\_Boom!\_ The One-eyed Magic Wolf landed heavily, raising a cloud of dust.

Its eye once again locked onto the escaping Mo Fan and Zhoumin. The One-eyed Magic Wolf's back legs stomped ferociously, its body lowered and became like an oncoming train as it charged after them. The construction wood, sand piles, and handcarts in its way were all sent flying.

Mo Fan turned his head to look back, and was unable to stop himself from cursing.

This One-eyed Magic Wolf really was abnormal. Let's not even talk about its speed, its body was actually so sturdy. If he were to get hit by a One-eyed Magic Wolf like that, then he would lose his life. It was probably much stronger than any of the other Magical Beasts that he had encountered before.

\_Fortunately, Zhoumin and I were a bit far from it before. We'll be exiting the construction site soon, we should be safer once we're outside.\_

\_Boom! Boom! Boom!\_

The temporary outer walls of the construction site were like foam, directly smashed into pieces by the One-eyed Magic Wolf's body. When Mo Fan and Zhoumin, who had just made it to the old residential area, turned their heads around and realized that the One-eyed Magic Wolf was still chasing them, they were completely dumbstruck.

\_Freaking One-eyed Magic Wolf, this daddy has already entered his pagoda, yet you still want to be that noisy?\_

Mo Fan had thought that this One-eyed Magic Wolf had some intelligence, because it was hiding in a construction site no one was at while it ate vagrants. Thus, he deduced that the One-eyed Magic Wolf would not chase them all the way to the old residential street. If it was discovered by people, it would become the objective of a manhunt. Who would've thought that the One-eyed Magic Wolf was actually so stupid that it directly chased them out of the construction site?

\_Brother Wolf, attacking in broad daylight would not give you anyone to eat, so you can go and head home. Although it is currently evening and the old residential street doesn't have many people around, there will still be someone who will see this and report it... Isn't it better if we all just go and leave in peace today, split up after we've crossed this corner, and none of us turn our heads around?\_

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#### **Chapter 66: Bone Shield Saving Life**

"Mo Fan... Mo Fan... What do we do, I can't run anymore." Zhoumin was still ghost-white pale from fright as she hid behind Mo Fan.

It was the dead of the night on this old residential street. Due to the abandoned construction site, there weren't many people living here to begin with. At this moment, the One-eyed Magic Wolf had dashed out of the construction site as it followed the slightly muddy street. From the shadows of the old banyan tree, you could only see another shadow engulfing everything as it passed by.

"Hurry up and escape with your grandmother, I'll try to delay this thing!" Mo Fan told Zhoumin.

No matter how fast they ran, they still couldn't run away from a violent, four-limbed One-eyed Magic Wolf. At this time, Mo Fan was once again reminded of how important it was to have a movement spell.

"How are you going to delay..." Zhoumin asked, her voice trembling.

"Don't bullshit so much!" Mo Fan excoriated her.

Although Zhoumin was also a Fire Mage, her Fire Burst: Scorch was completely useless against this kind of large One-eyed Magic Wolf. The signal device had pointed out that his Hunter team members were in the vicinity, so Mo Fan should be able to hold up until reinforcements came.

Zhoumin finally stopped wasting time as she hurriedly ran toward one of the houses on the street.

However, Mo Fan underestimated this stupid girl's kindness. Not only did she notify her grandmother, she also wanted to notify the other people who also lived on the street.

As Mo Fan realized that there were quite a few old people who still living on the old residential street, his forehead creased.

If they hadn't seen through this thing today, then it was possible that these old people would've ended up as the One-eyed Magic Wolf's food.

*It's here!*

Finally, the One-eyed Magic Wolf caught up and was only twenty meters away from Mo Fan.

The One-eyed Magic Wolf probably didn't even need a second to cover the twenty meters.

(Ed. Note: Ah, the speed of plot. So swift, yet taking so much time to catch up to those waiting for it...)

Not to mention, these Magical Beasts were way scarier than how the school described them. The pressure given off by the One-eyed Magic Wolf as it dashed over was about the same as an oncoming car. A normal person would just stand there completely dumbstruck.

"I told you to not chase, yet you still had to freaking chase. Do you think that I'm gonna drop some rare loot after I die?" Mo Fan couldn't help but curse as he stared at the One-eyed Magic Wolf that was hurtling at him.

Cursing was one thing, but Mo Fan had no intention of standing there waiting to get killed.

His intent was locked onto the scythe imprint within his Spiritual World; in an instant, a mystical glow from his spirit blossomed from his body.

In the front of Mo Fan, the mystical glow materialized a three-dimensional, rhombus-shaped shield that was a bit taller than a human.

When the mystical light was at its brightest, the radiance in front of Mo Fan turned into a dark green bone shield with clear corners.

Magical Equipment, Bone Scythe Shield!

The Bone Scythe Shield was floating in front of Mo Fan's head as it was enveloped in the mystical light. It appeared extremely fast.

The colossal One-eyed Magic Wolf wasn't aware of the appearance of the Bone Scythe Shield until it was too late, and in its haste to crush Mo Fan into mincemeat was unable to stop in time.

*Bang!*



Because the One-eyed Magic Wolf was leaning forward, it hit the Bone Scythe Shield head-on. The Bone Scythe Shield emitted a fierce trembling sound. The One-eyed Magic Wolf, who had rammed into the Bone Scythe Shield with colossal force, now flew back ten or so meters, and Mo Fan, taking cover behind the shield, was blown away as well.

After the Bone Scythe Shield had warded off the vicious attack of the One-eyed Magic Wolf, it immediately turned into fragments of light as it disappeared into thin air. Mo Fan slid along the cement like he was on a skateboard as he was forced away.

His stomach felt awful.

Mo Fan fought down the urge to puke. Even though the Bone Scythe Shield had warded off the One-eyed Magic Wolf's strongest attack, Mo Fan still felt like his stomach had been hit by something.

*What a strong animal!* Mo Fan was secretly astonished.

The quality of the Bone Scythe Shield could be called pretty good, as being able to block the full strength of a Magical Beast and emerge safely demonstrated. However, when the One-eyed Magic Wolf had charged in, it had still caused some damage to Mo Fan. From that, he could tell that if that much power had directly struck his body, it would definitely have caused his bones to shatter.

The One-eyed Magic Wolf was lying on the street, its head bleeding.

It shook its head as it slowly climbed up in a daze, and then held the area it had hurt with its paw like a human might.

"It can even stand up from that, is its body made out of iron?" As Mo Fan saw that this One-eyed Magic Wolf hadn't lost its ability to move, his jaw nearly dropped to the ground.

Was it that the Magical Beasts he had encountered before were too weak, or this One-eyed Magical Wolf was just particularly strong? If the Spirit Wolf or that Colossal-eyed Ape Rat had charged over like that, then their bones would have fallen apart!

Run, hurry and run!

Taking advantage of this thing still being dazed, he began to run away without stopping.

Just running wouldn't work, it would quickly catch up. Thus, he would just give it a Lightning Strike so it would lose its ability to move for a bit!

With this kind of danger, Mo Fan no longer dared to hide his strength. If Zhoumin saw his Lightning element, then she saw it; convincing her to not tell anyone wouldn't be too hard.

As he took a deep breath, he eased the pain in his stomach. Mo Fan had already begun to prepare for Control of his Lightning Star Path.

"Ice Spread, Condense!"

As Mo Fan took control of two Lightning stars, a woman's shout came from afar.

A cold air quickly covered this old residential street, and frost fell down from the ominous sky.

This frost was formed by command, it quickly gathered on the feet of the One-eyed Magic Wolf, and its surroundings condensed into a block of ice.

The ice was spreading. It grew up the One-eyed Magic Wolf's strong legs, and in just a few seconds of time, the One-eyed Magic Wolf's four limbs were covered in ice.

If the One-eyed Magic Wolf were in perfect condition, then the Ice Spread most likely wouldn't be able to stop it. However, the One-eyed Magic Wolf was currently in a dazed condition. By the time it was clear-headed, its lower limbs would already be frozen. If it were still able to take a step, then freezing it would be extremely difficult!

Mo Fan felt a surge of joy as he turned around, seeing a cold-faced young woman wearing dark purple jeans on her long legs standing at the end of the street. The white Ice Star Path on the side of her body was still emitting radiance, causing the Ice Maga to look even more beautiful.

"Caitang!" Mo Fan was overjoyed.

She didn't forget that he had saved her life once before with Lightning Strike, and with her timely move this time, he was able to maintain the secret of the Lightning element.

"Little bastard, how come you are here?" Guo Caitang was suspicious as she looked at Mo Fan.

This bastard Mo Fan, how could Guo Caitang not recognize him? With a group of little kids, they peeked at her taking a bath, how could Guo Caitang ever forget about that matter? It made her hate Mo Fan to the bone.

If she knew it was him who had attracted an One-eyed Magic Wolf, then Guo Caitang definitely would've hesitated when she took action earlier. In theory, a pervert and a Magical Beast should both be the same; in the name of the moon, I will eliminate you!

"I... My girlfriend and I were having a date here. You came just in time." Mo Fan immediately retreated to a safe distance as he reunited with Zhoumin and her grandmother.

"Hurry up and get lost! Our Hunter Team is already in the vicinity," Guo Caitang snapped in a rude tone.

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"Great! It's the Beast Hunter Team." Zhoumin shouted, as if she had obtained a new life.

Mo Fan no longer said anything. He took advantage of the One-eyed Magic Wolf being frozen to immediately escape from that place.

Right after they escaped the street, he immediately heard Guo Caitang use her Bluetooth-style earphones to communicate with her other teammates, saying, "Have you guys notified Fan Mo? This is an One-eyed Magic Wolf at the Advanced stage! If I'm not wrong, then this should be the thing that sneakily absorbed the Underground Holy Spring, along with the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat! Dealing with the Colossal-eyed Ape Rat isn't much of a problem, but this One-eyed Magic Wolf has reaped a great benefit and is much stronger than your average Magical Beast! Without Lightning Mages, it will be very hard for us to subdue it!"

“So it’s that kind of reckless animal, my father put out a bounty for it a while ago now. Today, it will be seized by us!” Standing beside Guo Caitang was a tall, skinny and gloomy-looking young man, “Since I’m here, then I, Yu Ang, will help the Hunters Team eliminate this animal!”

“We shouldn’t approach it. Let’s use Ice Spread to suppress it from afar first, it seems like it hit something a while ago and hasn’t regained its senses yet. Otherwise, our Ice Spreads most likely wouldn’t be able to stop it. Let’s just wait for our teammates to arrive, especially the Lightning Mage. Against this kind of power-type Magical Beast, Lightning is the best choice to use!” Guo Caitang said sincerely.

“Oh? Alright, I’ll go with what you say.” Yu Ang nodded his head. He also began to link his Ice Star Path as he stood away, before he continued freezing the Wolf. As it seemed quite easy, Yu Ang turned his head around to glance at Mo Fan, who was escaping with his female classmate. “Who’s that guy you called little brat? Do you know him?”

“It’s Mo Fan, it’s the uncontrollable guy who cursed Uncle Mu Zhuoyun.” Guo Caitang clenched her teeth.

“So that’s Mo Fan, hehe.” Yu Ang couldn’t help himself as a smile of contempt emerged on his face.

\_ I thought this guy was supposed to be pretty amazing, but it turns out when he is facing a Magical Beast, he becomes a scared dog. That’s comical. It seems like the rumor of him killing a Spirit Wolf before really was just the luck of a dog. I bet it wasn’t even him who killed it, the people in the stronghold really enjoy babbling nonsense.\_

\_ Does this kind of a dreg really have the qualifications to appear at my Coming-of-Age Ceremony?\_

\_ Sigh, let’s not think too much about that unimportant character. I have to think about how to deal with this One-eyed Magical Beast that is at the Advanced stage...\_

“Mo Fan, why are you going back?” Zhoumin led her grandmother toward a street with more people.

“I dropped my phone there.” Mo Fan didn’t care too much about Zhoumin’s question as he hurriedly ran back the way they’d come.

As Mo Fan was running, Mo Fan pulled out a fashionable hoodie from his flat backpack. At same time, he used crayons to paint his face black, and to be on the safe side, he wore a face mask!

“Damn, Captain America can just rip off his clothes to instantly become the city rescuing hero, whereas my transformation is just too behind the modern times!”

\_(Ed. Note: Remember, Mo Fan is from another world. Highly doubtful either Captain America or Bluetooth is known here.)\_

In fact, Mo Fan was just changing from Fire element to Lightning element. Fortunately, he didn’t forget that he had a secret identity of being a City Officer while he was in school, which was why he always brought his tools along.

After acting like a brave male student, he ought to become the emissary of the City. He really didn’t know if he was simply amazing, or if he was just a clown.

Speaking of which, the person standing next to Guo Caitang should be the adoptive son of Mu Zhuoyun, Yu Ang. Looked like a she-male prettyboy; one glance and you knew that he was not a good person.

A One-eyed Magic Wolf who had sneakily absorbed some of the Underground Holy Spring?

\_Just what is the Underground Holy Spring, how did it turn a normal One-eyed Magic Wolf into something this dreadful?\_

Mo Fan was already different from Practicals. If it were a Spirit Wolf in front of him right now, then he could actually deal with one or two. However, this One-eyed Magic Wolf was clearly much stronger than the Spirit Wolf...

\_Lately, there have been vibrations everywhere, as well as an increase in Colossal-eyed Ape Rats that have gone crazy. Is it possible that it has something to do with the Underground Holy Spring?\_

\_Forget it, let's not think too much about that for now. I need to hurry back and defend the peace of the Earth.\_

\_It is said that a Variant Beast tends to drop good things...\_

By the time Mo Fan returned to the old banyan street, the other Hunter Team members had already arrived.

They were basically on call 24/7; as long as there was a situation, they would be the first to arrive, much faster than police.

"Brother Fan Mo, you got here quite fast!" When Fei Shi saw Mo Fan arriving, he immediately busted out a smile.

"Don't be distracted, this Advanced One-eyed Magic Wolf can take our lives in just a second!" Captain Xu Dahuang ordered solemnly.

"Mhm, fortunately, we have an extra helper today. With two Ice Mages present, we will be able to substantially restrict the One-eyed Magic Wolf's movements," Li Wenjie said.

Guo Caitang and Yu Ang were both outstanding disciples of a great Ice family; with their Ice Spreads conjoined, they had already frozen ten meters around the One-eyed Magic Wolf's legs. Although the One-eyed Magic Wolf hadn't been completely frozen over, its movements were still much slower.

Ice Spread had a permeating ability; the longer the Wolf was within the area of the Ice Spread, the stiffer its bones and muscles would become. Against a One-eyed Magic Wolf who completely relied on brute force to battle, this tactic was extremely suitable.

However, a small problem still remained.

Ice and Fire elements had some conflicts with one another. The primary attacker of the Hunters Team was Xu Dahuang; however, Xu Da Huang's Fire Burst: Rupture could very possibly shatter the Ice Spread from Guo Caitang and Yu Ang.

Thus, except for restricting the One-eyed Magic Wolf for right now, they had no other good ideas at the moment.

"I have already called for reinforcements, Yang Zuohe from the Mage Association is currently on the way here. We'll need to maintain the restraints while he is on the way, don't make a vain attempt to kill this One-eyed Magic Wolf," Xu Dahuang said with an experienced air.

Fire Burst: Rupture definitely was capable of severely injuring this One-eyed Magic Wolf; however, that wasn't much of a warranty. In case the One-eyed Magic Wolf still was capable of fighting, restricting its movement at that time would be much more difficult. Above all, they definitely could not let it flee to a residential area with people still living there!

"Yang Zuohe, the Intermediate-level Mage?" Xiao Ke's eyes lit up, her face filled with admiration.

"Mhm, with him here, we can safely kill this One-eyed Magic Wolf. If we were to let it escape, then it would bring countless casualties among the civilians," Xu Dahuang answered.

"That is indeed the case, but we don't know how long our Ice Spread can last. This One-eyed Magic Wolf is too strong. If we were to advance our Ice Spread to level 3, it would definitely not be able to escape from us," Guo Caitang told him.

"Don't worry, there's still us here!" Fei Shi and Li Wenjie spoke up.

"Are we going to do something?" Mo Fan asked as he looked at the people who had drafted a plan.

"You stay on the side and tend to other lives, your level one Lightning Strike won't necessarily be able to injure it. However, the paralysis effect should be able to have a significant impact. If this One-eyed Magic Wolf struggles and the Ice Spread shows signs... Huh, something is wrong. Why is this guy's aura becoming stronger and stronger?" Xu Dahuang's expression changed.

The air was cold from the magic pervading the old banyan street area. Without any visible cause, a great amount of ferocious aura suddenly converged around the Wolf, before turning into a violent gale that blasted down the whole street.

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#### **Chapter 68: Protecting the Residential Area**

*Wooosh~~*

The old banyan tree's branches were waving wildly, dead leaves and branches fell to the ground.

"Yu Ang, quick, use one more layer of Ice Spread!" Guo Caitang urgently ordered Yu Ang as she immediately realized something.

"I can't, the aura is too strong, it's left me unable to breathe," Yu Ang replied weakly.

Mo Fan also felt the mad beast aura that smashed onto his face like a sea wave, followed by the One-eyed Magic Wolf raising its head to howl at the sky. This ferocious aura continued to splash out like a great wave, and all the residences on the old street started shaking.

"Advancement, this guy has been pressured by us so much that it is forcing its own advancement!"

“After absorbing the energy from the Underground Holy Spring, it already possessed the potential to advance. We must stop it! If we let it succeed at its advancement, then even if Yang Zuohe gets here, he won’t necessarily be able to subdue it!” Xu Dahuang’s face turned extremely ugly.

After being in the City Hunter Team for so long, it was also Xu Dahuang’s first time encountering a Magical Beast at the advanced stage.

An advanced stage Magical Beast wasn’t scary at all; the scariest part was a Magical Beast that had successfully evolved. That was not something these Primary Magicians were capable of withstanding!

Moreover, once it started to wantonly massacre everything, the slaughter in this area of the city would be devastating!

“This isn’t good, we are unable to stop it! Let’s use the time before it successfully advances to escape from this place,” Li Wenjie said, his face completely pale.

The speed of a Magical Beast that had successfully advanced was not something Li Wenjie was capable of dealing with, the people here would all die. It wouldn’t even take ten seconds for a One-eyed Magic Wolf who had succeeded at its evolution to kill every single person here!

“What the hell are you saying? Turn yourself around and see what’s behind your back!” Xu Dahuang shouted at him angrily.

This area was abandoned because of the existence of construction sites, and the banyan street was also in a semi-demolished state. However, after passing through the old banyan street, there was a business district with flashing neon lights.

Sitting in that place were families of old and young watching movies, there were girls who were preparing presents for the Qixi Festival, there were also old couples who were leisurely taking a walk. Resident towers, shops, entertainment centers, plazas...

“Do you think these people are capable of protecting themselves?”

“It’s safe to say that if we were to turn around and leave, then if this One-eyed Magic Wolf completes its evolution, it will definitely be in need of a large quantity of food. Those people are the food!”

This city did have Magicians who were stronger than their Hunter Team. However, Intermediate Magicians wouldn’t be on alert at all times. Even if they were to come here at the fastest speed possible to eliminate the One-eyed Magic Wolf, it definitely did not mean that they would be able to prevent a massacre within that period of time.

Just how many humans lives would be lost is something Xu Dahuang did not dare calculate.

“Although that little scoundrel is extremely annoying, he still has done something incredible today. We were able to discover this One-eyed Magic Wolf that was about to evolve in time; that can be considered as preventing an increasingly large massacre. However, we don’t have to say such disheartening things, it still hasn’t successfully evolved! We are still able to obstruct it!” Guo Caitang smiled coldly.

Xu Dahuang had already decided to not run.

To be honest, the spirit of the Captain of the City Hunter Team caused Mo Fan to feel some admiration toward him.

“Fei Shi, prepare Earth Wave to slow it down. If it breaks away from the Ice Spread, we definitely cannot let it run,” Xu Dahuang ordered.

Feishi nodded.

His palm suddenly smacked onto the cement road. In a split second, the surface of the ground suddenly turned into what looked like ripples on a lake. These ripples moved in a single direction, forcing the frozen One-eyed Magic Wolf away from them, toward a more distant location.

However, the Ice Spread’s effects couldn’t be sustained for much longer.

A churning heat from the Wolf’s body began to force the surrounding frost to melt, and furthermore that water started boiling.

“This guy really is evolving, its body and blood vessels are boiling!” Feishi swore with an uneasy expression.

Li Wenjie clenched his teeth, he didn’t know what to do.

To be honest, once this One-eyed Magic Wolf successfully evolved, none of the people here would be able to survive. No one would be able to stop this monster from entering the flourishing business district.

Remaining here would be awaiting his own death.

Furthermore, the signs of this One-eyed Magic Wolf’s evolution were already very evident, why were they still remaining, awaiting death?

“It is about to break through!” Li Wenjie said, cold sweat dripping off her.

Crap, now it was too late to escape!

Xu Dahuang, Xiake, Feishi, Guo Caitang; none of them had any intentions of leaving.

Mo Fan at this moment was staring at the One-eyed Magic Wolf; he could clearly see the One-eyed Magic Wolf’s muscles had turned slightly transparent. The veins within its muscles could actually be seen, they were boiling at a high temperature. The blood was quickly flowing through the One-eyed Magic Wolf’s body!

The One-eyed Magic Wolf’s bones were cracking, and bones actually grew directly from its shoulder muscles, becoming sharp shoulder spikes.

Its giant-sized backbone was also growing, piercing through the muscles of its back. Bones that still had wisps of blood glued to them had turned into a thorny ridge on its spine. Beneath the cold moonlight, it appeared increasingly dreadful!

“Fire Burst, Rupture!”

Xu Dahuang was finally unable to resist. A fireball condensed in his hand. It carried some resentment as he threw it toward this monster.

*Boom!*

Raging flames loudly exploded in front of the One-eyed Magic Wolf, and the fierce tongues of fire immediately engulfed the One-eyed Magic Wolf. The scarlet blaze was shrouding the entire street in choking smoke.

A heatwave immediately poured down the old street, and the old banyan trees combusted beneath the fierce flames. Furthermore, the fires began to spread toward the older buildings.

The residents of these old buildings had already escaped without a trace. After the explosion, the two buildings to the sides turned into a burning mess.

It was a ferocious blast, and presumably, it would be able to cause injuries to the One-eyed Magic Wolf.

When the initial intensity of the fires dissipated, a figure with its body completely draped in flames suddenly flew out from the place that had exploded. As it flew out, it knocked aside everything that was in its way.

“Captain, be careful!” Feishi yelled out.

Xu Dahuang was completely frozen with shock.

After suffering from his Rupture, this One-eyed Magic Wolf had actually emerged safely!

“Earth Wave!” Feishi risked his life to use the spell.

He controlled the surface of the ground and wanted to use the rippling ground to drag the running One-eyed Magic Wolf backwards. Who would’ve thought that the One-eyed Magic Wolf’s speed was too quick, the rippling ground was of no use!

*Awuuuu~*

The burning One-eyed Magic Wolf suddenly jumped, showing its unharmed belly. The claw it had poised to strike turned into a streak of cold light as it cut towards the motionless Xu Dahuang.

“Water Barrier, Protect!” Xiaoke was still able to complete her Star Path during the calamity, countless strands of water quickly forming a liquid armor as the claw landed on Captain Xu Dahuang’s body.

The powerful claw ferociously ripped across this water armor.

A spray of blood spurted out. A long wound emerged on the body of Captain Xu Dahuang, it looked like his chest had been completely ripped open!

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#### **Chapter 69: Intermediate level, Violent Wave!**

Xiaoke was already completely stunned.

She definitely used her water spell to protect Captain Xu Dahuang, how was the One-eyed Magic Wolf still able to tear apart the Captain’s stomach?!



“Cap, Captain!” Guo Caitang’s entire being was completely dumbstruck.

A One-eyed Magic Wolf who could completely render Fire Burst: Rupture useless and ignore Water Barrier: Protect; was that really a Magical Beast that they faced off against every day?

“Xiaoke, hurry up and run!” Feishi yelled at Xiaoke.

After Xiaoke regained her senses, it seemed like she had been soaked in cold water. She could feel the endless ferocity from the One-eyed Magic Wolf’s pupil.

Its next objective was her!

“Lightning Strike, Fierce Whip!”

As everyone sank into a panicked state, traces of purple Lightning covered Mo Fan’s head.

He raised his hand up, before suddenly gripping it.

In a split second, all of the traces of Lightning turned into a long Lightning Python. The Lightning Python frantically whipped out onto the incomparably malevolent body of the One-eyed Magic Wolf, lacerating its flesh!

Every time the Lightning Whip swatted down, an electric arc would follow up and drill itself into the savage One-eyed Magic Wolf, entering its flesh and bones.

It was different from the primary Lightning Strike, Python Scars. Once the whip-like Lightning traces hit them, it would leave behind Lightning prints. These prints would then conduct electricity to each other, sustaining the electric shock to the target organism.

“Awwuuuu!!”

The One-eyed Magic Wolf was in so much pain that it began to howl.

The One-eyed Magic Wolf’s strong, substantial flesh and its steel-like body was able to endure the formidable destructive force of the Fire Burst: Rupture, and the Lightning Strike’s frantic whipping could only cause superficial wounds. However, its flesh was definitely unable to resist the paralysis caused by the electric shock and the electric arcs that were constantly bouncing around inside its body.

“Lightning! The One-eyed Magic Wolf relies most on the strength of its body, and is weak against Lightning Magic!” Guo Caitang was suddenly shocked awake.

“This, This is the second level of Lightning Strike!” Feishi was also somewhat stunned.

During this time when these Hunter Team members were unable to do anything, who would’ve thought that the newest member of the Hunter Team, who had joined not too long ago, would actually stand out!

The most important thing was, this kid had actually cultivated his Lightning Strike to the second level when no one was aware of it!

The One-eyed Magic Wolf was already at the stage where its muscles, blood vessels, and bones were transforming. During this kind of transformation, the One-eyed Magic Wolf would directly possess the

dreadful combat prowess of a successful evolution. At this time, there was nothing that could be more perfect than a Lightning Mage that was capable of detonating explosives within the creature's flesh.

Even if it was the second level Lightning Strike, the strongest of the basic elements would only be able to vividly display its dominance in this kind of situation. Adding to the Lightning element's powerful restraining abilities, it even caused the One-eyed Magic Wolf to actually stagger and feel weak across its entire body.

Opposite it was Mo Fan, standing at a safe distance and letting loose a long breath.

Fortunately, the second level of Lightning Strike was indeed very effective, or else the consequences would have been catastrophic.

"Continue, Fan Mo, continue! Your Lightning Strike is causing its flesh and bones to stop growing! As long as we are able to stop its evolution, we will still have a chance!" Guo Caitang urgently shouted.

Mo Fan nodded.

He connected his Star Path, and the purple traces of Lightning once again emerged on top of Mo Fan's head.

Even if he was still a bit unfamiliar with using the second level of Lightning Strike, Mo Fan couldn't afford to have even a slightest bit of error when faced with a life and death situation.

The Lightning Whip once more viciously lashed onto the One-eyed Magic Wolf, whose body now appeared to be a little deformed. The whip this time not only had the ability to restrict the One-eyed Magic Wolf, it actually caused its body to deflate. Additionally, the growth of the Wolf's bones showed signs of receding.

"Good job, Fan Mo!"

"We suppressed it!"

"Hit it until it returns to its original form!"

Everyone was unable to contain their excitement. To them, Mo Fan's Lightning Strike had essentially saved all their lives.

"The paralysis effect of the Lightning Strike isn't sustainable. After the One-eyed Magic Wolf's flesh and bones have adapted to the electric shocks, it will be able to expand once more!" Guo Caitang reminded everyone.

Mo Fan himself was extremely clear on the fact that the Lightning Strike's paralysis effect wasn't sustainable.

No matter what, he still had delayed it for a bit of time. Mo Fan felt like he had done his best, and at least enough to allow Li Wenjie to pull Xu Dahuang into a safe area. Whether Captain Xu Dahuang was alive or dead was hard to say.

"Awooooo!" the Wolf howled out.

It had finally adapted to the paralysis of the Lightning Strike. This monster that was brimming with power from its body once again released the aura of a wild beast.

“Crap, it is transforming again!”

The color of everyone’s faces changed once more. This meant that they would need to worry about their lives again.

After seeing this scene, Mo Fan knew that he really was powerless now.

Currently, all he could do was to retreat. His Lightning Strike had given the innocent residents a bit more time, and could also be seen as having saved a few people.

“You evil creature, you still haven’t accepted your death!” an incomparably solemn shout suddenly resounded through the sky above the old street.

Before he had even seen the speaker, Mo Fan could feel an enormous elemental force gathering in mid-air, countless drops of misty fog were falling faintly onto his cheeks.

*Woooooosh~*

Mo Fan raised his head, and was shocked to see that there was an incredibly large wave emerging in midair!

A turbulent wave in the air?

Mo Fan had a hard time believing his own eyes. Yet, this surging wave really was passing through the old houses. Immediately after it did so, it was like a bursting dam as it attacked the body of the One-eyed Magic Wolf.

“Violent Wave, Banishment!”

Following this divine Magic chant, the surging tide directly smashed onto the One-eyed Magic Beast. Furthermore, it turned into a flood as it instantly filled the entire street.

All of the banyan trees had practically been broken through, the walls of the old houses also collapsed. The originally violent One-eyed Magic Wolf had no margin to struggle beneath the violent wave’s flood; it was flushed from the middle to the far end of the street.

“Inter-Intermediate level Water Magic!” After Xiaoke saw this scene, her face turned incredibly red with excitement.

Violent Wave!

This was precisely the Intermediate spell of Water Element. Seeing the floodwaves rapidly flushing across the street, Xiaoke, who was also a Water Magician, was so excited that she almost fainted.

Intermediate level! It was something that people yearned for even in their dreams. No one knew how long it would take a little Magician like her to reach that level.

The trembling Violent Wave was surging forwards nonstop, but it didn't reach any inhabited areas. What everyone could see was that this Violent Wave resembled a ferocious dragon as it overwhelmed the One-eyed Magic Wolf, along with the fact it had almost destroyed the entire street!

Mo Fan was also watching this scene attentively. At same time, his heart was also surging!

*Intermediate Mage, so this is an Intermediate Mage! Formidable!*

Chapter 70: Magic Wolf Soul Essence

"Sorry, I'm late. Is Xu Dahuang alright?" A middle aged man with a dark blue shirt was standing on top of an old building, and beneath his feet was a gradually fading Star Map. It looked dazzling.

It was very clear that this person was Yang Zuohe, and should be the closest Intermediate ranked Magician to this place. Fortunately, Xu Dahuang and Guo Caitang had notified him in time.

Yang Zuohe still had some lingering fears as he looked toward the renovated buildings in the flourishing commercial streets. From his position, he could see the people who were still shopping, completely unaware of the danger they were in.

If the One-eyed Magic Wolf had successfully evolved and crossed over to those buildings, then no one knew what kind of living hell this commercial district would have become!

Yang Zuohe, who had been with the Magic Association of Bo City for so many years, had seen all kinds of Magicians. Xu Dahuang's Hunter Team knew this One-eyed Magic Wolf was at the stage of evolving, yet, they stood their ground and did their best to stop it. He really admired this level of bravery!

"His skin was ripped, his internal organs are fine. He's still alive, thank the heavens and earth for that." Li Wenjie helped Xu Dahuang cover his blood-coated chest.

To be honest, Li Wenjie didn't quite understand the Captain's attitude. Could it be that his life as a Magician was less important than those people?

"I have contacted a Healing Mage and they're on their way here. Think of a way to stop Xu Dahuang's bleeding. I'll take this animal's life!" Yang Zuohe said.

After saying this, Yang Zuohe's figure suddenly flashed away. Mo Fan could only see him leaving behind a cyan-colored Star Path before he quickly disappeared. Moreover, with extreme speed, he approached the One-eyed Magic Wolf that had been washed far away by the Violent Wave.

Mo Fan subconsciously followed the Intermediate Mage's path until he arrived at the end of the street, to find the One-eyed Magic Wolf there, covered in debris.

An Intermediate Mage's might was several times stronger than any Element in the Primary level. Where they were unable to do anything against the One-eyed Magic Wolf, he was able to use the Violent Wave to turn it into a half-dead old dog.

Thinking about it, it seemed about right. With such a ferocious wave swatting onto you, a few bones should be broken. Adding the subsequent rolling, soaking, and the previous attacks, even creatures with a higher strength would also directly be turned into trash on the beach.

Yang Zuohe evidently did not want to let this One-eyed Magic Wolf, who almost became a huge threat, go that easily! He used Wind Track to land in front of the One-eyed Magic Wolf.

“Wind Disc!”

The sound of Magic was heard, Yang Zuohe instantly transformed from a Water Magician into a Wind Magician equipped with the power of wind.

A suppression that caused people to stop breathing emerged from the air.

Suddenly, the surrounding air looked as though it was being pulled away from something as it began to frantically circulate.

Not too far from there, Mo Fan had just arrived in time to see this Intermediate Mage with a dark blue shirt use a single hand to support the gathering power with all his might. Beneath his foot and above his head were bright Star Maps that were reflecting one another; they looked gorgeous!

\_Wooooooooooooosh!\_

It wasn't a gentle wind like the Wind Track, and definitely not the same as the Wind Tunnel that was formed to increase one's speed. At this very moment, Mo Fan could clearly feel the churning airflow blowing forwards, and circulating at high speed!

In a flash, a shocking and turbulent tornado emerged before them.

The Wind Disc tornado pulled the immobile One-eyed Magic Wolf into the air. It drew into an arc as it circulated twenty-something meters above the ground.

The Wind Disc tornado which stunned Mo Fan quickly dissipated.

The One-eyed Magic Wolf, which somehow appeared much smaller, began to drop heavily from the sky as the Wind Disc tornado lost its force!

\_Boom!!!\_

The cement floor directly became concave as the impact formed a large crater.

The One-eyed Magic Wolf's body was completely torn and crushed as it hit, its blood splashed everywhere.

From the beginning to the end, the thing did not let out a sound. In just two Intermediate Magic spells, the Wolf had turned into an extremely mournful carcass.

“Dead??” Mo Fan asked, finding it hard to believe.

“Dead.” Yang Zuohe saw Mo Fan had come along, and showed his confidence with a slight smile.

“I... Can I go and take a look?” Mo Fan asked.

“You can. Oh, if I’m not wrong, then the Lightning Strike from before should have been cast by you, right?”

“It was me.”

“Young man, you did well. We, the Magic Association, will join with Hunters Union and the Government to give you all a commendation.” Yang Zuohe patted Mo Fan’s shoulder.

Mo Fan approached the One-eyed Magic Wolf that looked nothing like its former glory as he slowly fished out the Little Loach Pendant from his shirt pocket.

The Little Loach had a strong reaction at the moment the One-eyed Magic Wolf had lost its life. It was like it was beating a pitch no one was able to hear, like it was shouting out for something...

A strand of Wolf Soul slowly floated out from the One-eyed Magic Wolf’s mouth.

Mo Fan was able to see this Wolf Soul. It looked like a tiny burning moth that had fluttered up from being frightened, looking unsure of where to go.

A radiance emerged from the Little Loach Pendant, and the Wolf Soul looked like it had found its destination as it quickly floated over...

The Little Loach Pendant directly absorbed the Wolf Soul, and then let out a shivering sound. It was similar to a little child who was happy after eating its food.

\_This time... this time, it didn’t look like a Soul Remnant.\_ After the Little Loach Pendant had absorbed the Wolf Soul, Mo Fan suddenly realized something.

Before, when the Little Loach Pendant had absorbed a Soul Remnant, the Remnant basically had the weak, nearly invisible light of a firefly, and additionally, the light was particularly muddy. The Little Loach Pendant simply had difficulty absorbing it; it had the attitude of someone who thought it was barely better than nothing.

However, this time, the Little Loach Pendant appeared thirsty with anticipation. When it ate the whole Wolf Soul, the entire Loach Pendant felt happy...

Could it be that it was a Soul Essence this time?

Thinking back on what Guo Caitang had said before, this One-eyed Magic Wolf had stealthily absorbed the colossal power from the Underground Holy Spring of Bo City before it hid within the human city as it sneakily tried to evolve. In other words, this guy had basically received some good nourishment that had caused it to advance in strength and reach the stage where it was going to evolve.

This kind of Magical Beast would have a very high chance of leaving behind a Soul Essence after its death!

Only Soul Magicians were possessed with the ability to collect Soul Essence. If the Intermediate Magician, Yang Zuohe didn’t bring along a special Soul Essence gathering tool, then he wouldn’t be able to see this incomparably pure Soul Essence.

The Soul Essence of a dead creature would automatically dissipate after three minutes, and it was clear that Yang Zuohe has never collected Souls before. Thus, he didn't have any interest in the carcass.

Perhaps this Intermediate Magician never thought that the coming kid would actually carry a tool for collecting souls. Just when he had turned his back to tell others to clean up the scene, the Soul Essence valued at five million RMB had been taken away by the harmless-looking Mo Fan.

The value of an One-eyed Magic Wolf who was on the verge of evolving was very high, but not as valuable as a Soul Essence that had only a very small chance of appearing!