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Defender Duanmu finished the rest of the wine, but his expression was that of extreme solemnity the entire time.

After all, the Beiming Family's actions were against the Silver Wing Empire's laws. And it could also be taken as collusion with the neighboring empires. But because of their family's power and reputation, the imperial palace could not rashly accuse them without any concrete evidence.

After finishing their wine, Defender Duanmu placed several True Crystals on their table and left with the fourth prince with an urgent expression. He already planned to discuss what he had discovered with the emperor.

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Jiu Shen reached out his hands and the True Crystals hovered towards him. But before he could even touch them, they vanished without a trace. He pursed his lips but did not say anything.

Jiu Shen closed his eyes to begin his meditation but he sensed several familiar auras sprinting towards the direction of his store. He frowned and released his spiritual force to check the commotion outside. To his surprise, he discovered that they were Boss Scar and the other mercenaries. They were running with their top speed as if they were escaping with their lives on the line.

The moment they stepped inside the store, they sighed in relief. Boss Scar glanced around the store and when he saw Jiu Shen calmly sitting on a chair, he hurriedly walked towards him.

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With a face full of sweat, Boss Scar cleared his throat and spoke with a slightly shaking voice. "Wine Master Jiu, I seemed to have brought disaster to your store. I will accept your punishment regardless of the outcome."

Jiu Shen opened his eyes lazily and glanced at the sweating Boss Scar. "What do you mean?"

Boss Scar sighed with a heavy look and said. "I was the one who brought Mu Sheng and his subordinates here. I only wanted him to have a taste of your wines, but who knew that he wouldn't even give me face and still act impudently in your store."

Jiu Shen thought he must be talking about the man that Theia killed earlier, but he did not take it to heart. An ant's life can never enter his eyes, no matter how profound his background was.

Boss Scar realized that Jiu Shen did not care at all. There was not even a change in his expression, so he could not help but remind him. "Wine Master Jiu, Mu Sheng is just an ordinary guy in your eyes, but he is working for the Liu Family. He was a subordinate of Liu Mengdi, the son of Liu Family's patriarch. Once the Liu Family hears that one of their subordinates died in your store, they would surely rush here to create trouble."

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Jiu Shen's expression was as calm as still lake water. Even after hearing the name of the Liu Family, there was no visible change in his expression. It was because he did not really care for a puny mortal family. He then glanced at Boss Scar and shook his head. "Your worries are unnecessary. They can't do anything to me, but... They will be able to trace that his disappearance was related to you."

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Boss Scar's heart turned cold after hearing his words. 'Right! Wine Master Jiu has nothing to worry about because he has the strength to protect himself from the Liu Family, but I and my brothers don't have a solid backing that will protect us from them.'

Jiu Shen's sleepy eyes suddenly lit up. He then smiled faintly as he glanced in a certain direction. "Oh, it looks like they had already discovered that something was amiss. The information network of this Liu Family is indeed slightly commendable."

Boss Scar's entire body shuddered after hearing his words. He felt like his body was drenched by a bucket of cold water. His subordinates were similarly worried, but they did not run away despite their fear. They had experienced countless life and death situations with Boss Scar, and their group had developed a sense of brotherhood. They did not want to leave a brother behind even if it means death.

Boss Scar's eyes moistened, but he still put on a ferocious expression on his face. "You fools, leave now! I will face this matter alone!"

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Liu Xiufeng was similarly someone from the Liu Family, but he did not have a favorable impression towards them. That was also the reason why he left the Liu Family to

become a mercenary. He glanced at Boss Scar with a resolute expression and said. "Boss, us brothers will face anything. You know that you can't make us leave."

The other mercenaries also nodded their heads with firm expressions.

Boss Scar glanced at the boorish men with gratification. He then said with a regretful and guilty expression on his face. "Brothers, I have implicated you all unnecessarily."

Liu Xiufeng shook his head. "Boss, you only meant well. But who knew that Mu Sheng was such an ungrateful man."

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Jiu Shen was still expressionless but he admired these mortals martial hearts and sense of camaraderie.

Just then, a loud marching sound can be heard right outside the store.

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When Boss Scar and the others glanced at the situation outside, their knees went weak in trepidation.

Outside the store was an army of more than several dozen men dressed in red and black armor. Leading them was a handsome man in his twenties with long black hair. A short sword was strapped behind his back. With an arrogant expression, he glanced at Liu Xiufeng who was inside the store and smirked derisively. "Brother Xiufeng, you've seen me, but you didn't even greet me, the young patriarch of the Liu Family."

Following his words, the army behind him glared maliciously at Boss Scar and the others who were inside the store. "Get out of there right now and greet the young patriarch if you still value your lives!" A soldier shouted with an angry expression.

Jiu Shen who was looking at the scene was still nonchalantly sitting on his chair. He calmly watched the farce with an amused expression on his face. 'That Liu Mengdi kid is already at the peak stage of 4th-rank Knight Crusader realm, but he is intentionally hiding his strength. He is only revealing the cultivation level of a 3rd-rank Crusader. Why is he doing this?'

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Jiu Shen's eyes sparkled after looking at the army right outside his store. "Hey, the Liu Family is rich, right?" Jiu Shen grabbed Liu Xiufeng's clothes and asked with shining eyes.

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Liu Xiufeng was confused but he still replied with a serious expression. "Wine Master Jiu, the Liu Family's power is second only to the Silveria Imperial Family. As for their wealth, they had accumulated countless resources through the years and they can be considered as one of the wealthiest families inside the empire."

Jiu Shen remained expressionless, but his eyes were glittering as if he had seen a mountain of True Crystals.

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"Liu Xiufeng, will you come out or do you want us to go there?" A soldier snorted angrily.

Inside the store, Boss Scar was tightly holding Liu Xiufeng's shoulder, not allowing him to take a single step outside.

"It looks like Brother Xiufeng wants us to go inside. Since that's the case..." The young patriarch, Liu Mengdi spoke gently and walked towards Jiu Shen's store with a smiling expression. More than thirty soldiers followed behind him neatly while eyeing everyone inside the store with a cold look.

"We're finished. We're dead." Liu Xiufeng muttered with a forced chuckle.

Liu Mengdi and his soldiers stepped inside the store. They were somewhat surprised that the space inside was actually much bigger than what can be seen outside. Despite his surprise, Liu Mengdi focused his gaze on the boorish-looking Liu Xiufeng with a cold smile. "We meet again, Brother Xiufeng. And it looks like your cultivation did not advance that much after you left the Liu Family. What a pity..."

The soldiers behind Liu Mengdi were also looking at Liu Xiufeng with cold smiles.

"Don't block the entrance of my store. And I don't allow anyone to loiter around without buying anything." A calm voice traveled everyone's ears and destroyed the tense atmosphere. They turned their heads sideways and glance at the handsome young man with long silver hair tied in a ponytail. It was none other than Jiu Shen who still had an indifferent look.

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Liu Mengdi's lips twitch as he looked at Jiu Shen. He felt no fluctuation of true essence from the silver-haired young man which made him think that he was merely a dreg. "Brother Xiufeng, I didn't know that you hired a clown to welcome my arrival." Liu Mengdi said after chuckling softly.

Boss Scar and the other's faces turned somewhat peculiar after hearing his words.

"Say that again if you dare..." An icy voice suddenly echoed inside the store.

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Liu Mengdi searched for the source of the voice and saw a blonde beauty who was looking at him icily standing beside the door. He was stunned after seeing her delicate face and his eyes involuntarily lit up. "Oh, so we also have a little beauty here? Brother Xiufeng, you really to continue to surprise me." Liu Mengdi said while looking at Theia from head to foot. 'This woman is even more beautiful than those aristocratic young ladies. My time here isn't wasted at all. Hehe!'

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Boss Scar opened his mouth but when he was about to speak, he felt a familiar cold stare that made him fearful. He sighed and chose to stay silent.

"Theia, they are customers, so don't kill them." Jiu Shen calmly spoke. Theia bowed her head gently before she walked towards Jiu Shen and stood behind his back.

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Liu Mengdi glanced at the 'clown' with a wide smile. He then looked at Liu Xiufeng and spoke in a mocking voice. "Brother Xiufeng, stop buying time. I'm still waiting for you to greet me. Will you do it or not?"

Before Liu Xiufeng can even speak, Boss Scar stepped forward and said in a firm tone. "Young master Mengdi, Liu Xiufeng is no longer part of the Liu Family. He is not obliged to greet you."

A soldier pointed his finger at Boss Scar and shouted angrily. "You commoner! Don't involve yourself in the affairs of the Liu Family!"

"Are you guys ignoring me? Or do I have to make a move?" Jiu Shen calmly stated, but Boss Scar and the others who were a bit familiar with his personality knew that Wine Master Jiu was definitely angry.

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Boss Scar sensibly shut his mouth and dragged Liu Xiufeng and his subordinates on a nearby table. They sat down on their chairs like obedient little kids scolded by their father.

After seeing them sit down, Jiu Shen nodded his head calmly. He then stared at the refined-looking Liu Mengdi with a frown. "Are you deaf? Or do you want me to tell you once more?"

A soldier walked towards Jiu Shen with heavy strides. He gave Jiu Shen a cold look as he said. "The young patriarch might be magnanimous but-" Before he can continue his words, the soldier was thrown outside the store.

"Swoosh!"

"Thump!"

Liu Mengdi and his subordinates turned serious after seeing the scene. They did not even see how the other party moved when the soldier was thrown away. "Who are you, sire?" Liu Mengdi asked with a solemn expression.

"I don't allow violence here inside my store. As for you, are you guys going to order or not?" Jiu Shen asked with a poker face.

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Liu Mengdi's face turned dark, but he did not want to rashly move. He then gave a look at one of his soldiers. The soldier instantly realized the young patriarch's thoughts, so he mobilized his true essence and dashed towards Jiu Shen. But before he can even step forward, he was already thrown out of the store.

"Swoosh!"

"Thump!"

The soldier fainted right away after being thrown out.

Jiu Shen shook his head and sighed softly. He stared at Liu Mengdi and did a snapping motion with his finger.

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Following his actions, Liu Mengdi and his subordinates dropped on the ground in a kneeling position.

"Bang!" More than thirty men were forced to kneel in less than a second. They did not even have the strength to fight back.

"Arggh!"

Liu Mengdi's handsome face was full of sweat and fear while glancing at Jiu Shen. He finally realized that the silver-haired man was a top expert that was at least on par with their grand elder in terms of strength.

Their faces were full of agony as if they were lifting a heavy boulder. Liu Mengdi gritted his teeth and spoke with difficulty. "Si-Sire, I...I didn't reco-recognize your esteemed self right away. For-Forgive us for being disrespectful..."

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Jiu Shen did not recall his spiritual power, but he put on a thoughtful look. "Okay, but you have to buy one order of each of all the things sold in my store for all of your soldiers."

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Boss Scar and the others who heard his words felt a sense of deja vu.

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