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Chapter 1641 The Abandoned World (1)

Tang Shaoyang was confident The Executive Administrator Arion and Arion who helped him all this time were the same person. He could not be wrong with the voice.

That explained why he smiled at him earlier. Arion's status as The Executive Administrator explained everything. How Arion could meddle in the Dimensional Tower, how Arion found out the Nirvana Alliance made a move on him during the trial, and how Arion forced The Nirvana Alliance to make a truce.

"That explained why Executive Arion let us join him. If it's another Executive Administrator, they will not let us join. A team with just one Administrator."

Ira expected their application to join the mission to be declined. She was surprised when their team was accepted. She thought Tang Shaoyang's feat allowed them to join. It turned out Executive Arion knew Tang Shaoyang.

"To be honest I regretted joining you when we entered this hall. Their unfriendly gazes and hostility would turn our work to hell. But it's different if you know someone in the Executive Administrators."

Ira voiced her genuine feelings. She was deterred by those hostilities.

"Don't get your hopes too high. While I know him, our relationship was limited to a few deals we made back then. I am not that close to him."

Tang Shaoyang poured cold water on Ira who thought they would have a good time in this special mission.

The short speech was a little over thirty seconds. Arion did not talk much about the mission. By the time his speech was over, everyone in the room was teleported to the abandoned world.

Ira was the first one to open the map, the same tool Tang Shaoyang used when he was in the first stage of the trial, the Enchanted Chart. The chart was given along with the scroll.

"We are in the 17th Fort," She clicked her tongue, "We are quite unlucky, huh? The calamity around here was Rank 6 and above."

"We are in the right place," Tang Shaoyang was glad they were teleported here. He needed those calamity's corpses for his spirits.

"All the teams gather here!"

Tang Shaoyang looked toward the voice. The leader of another team called the other teams. From what Ira briefed him, there were two hundred teams in total and twenty forts. Ten teams would be assigned to a random fort. There were nine other teams in the same fort with them.

He did not recognize anyone in the same fort. Everyone followed the voice and gathered around. The one who called them was a wolf beastmen.

"He is Arnold Boratos, a Chief Administrator. It looks like he is the highest-ranked Administrator in this fort," Ira explained as they went to gather with everyone, "He has a big influence, so be careful around him."

"I will not pick a fight with him, but I will not stay still if he tries to do something funny. You should know it, right?" Tang Shaoyang shrugged.

She nodded helplessly, "You are the boss, you make the call. But let's avoid making contact with the other teams as much as possible."

Ira's suggestion obtained approval from the others. That was the better solution. The less they met, the less likely for something to happen.

But Ira soon realized that a conflict would likely arise between Tang Shaoyang and Arnold. When they arrived, she noticed the look on Arnold. The Chief Administrator paid more attention to Tang Shaoyang than the other teams.

She felt something bad would happen as it looked like Arnold targeted Tang Shaoyang. She hoped her feelings were wrong.

"As you already know, ten teams occupy each fort! To get things in order, we need a leader, and I will propose myself to be the leader! Raise your hand if you disagree?" Arnold's stern voice echoed as if there was an invisible pressure from his voice.

Ira furrowed her brows, not just her, but many Senior Administrators from the other teams also frowned. The briefing did not say that they needed to appoint a leader in each fort. Most importantly, why did they need a leader? This was not a war, but an extermination mission.

Of course, no one was brave enough to question The Chief Administrator's decision, but one person. That was right, one person raised his hand. That person was Tang Shaoyang.

"It's not that I disagree with you as the leader, but why do we need a leader? Don't we just need to move on our own, with our team, and kill those calamities?"

Ira and her friends lowered their gazes. They just agreed to avoid trouble or make contact. But their Captain straight questioned Arnold in front of the other teams.

"Good question from a newcomer with no experience!" Arnold did not forget to point out that Tang Shaoyang was just a new administrator.

"Calamity is not just a mindless monster. Many of them form a tribe, a colony, or even a kingdom on their own. A tribe of calamity should not be an issue for one team, but how are you going to kill those calamities who have formed a colony or even a kingdom?"

"In a tribe, you usually find one Unique Rank Calamity, but it's different when it comes to a colony and a kingdom. Based on the research, a high-rank colony usually has at least ten Unique Rank calamities. And don't be surprised if you discover a kingdom with more than a hundred Unique Rank Calamity!"

"We need an order! We need a leader if we are going to fight a colony or a kingdom! You can't move on your own, or you might put the other teams in danger!"

The other teams accepted the reason why they must have an order in this fort. That made sense as they needed teamwork between teams when they fought big group calamities. But of course, there were still three teams that were not convinced by Arnold.

"I see, but I still don't see the point of choosing a leader. Whether it's a kingdom or a colony, don't we just have to fight them? It's your decision, as a team, whether to fight together or on your own."

"Everyone who joined the mission should know the risk and the enemy they expected to fight. If their team is not strong enough to face a kingdom or a colony of calamity, they should not join the special mission in the first place!"

"Again, it's not that I disagree with you as the leader, but I don't see a good reason why I need a leader." Tang Shaoyang was not the type that liked to be ordered around. That was why he did not like the idea of having someone above him, especially when a leader was unnecessary.

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Arnold Boratos smirked when he heard the response from Tang Shaoyang. As if he expected the response.

"Have you fought a Unique Rank Calamity, newbie? You just join the Administrator, and this is your first mission. You should never fight even one Unique Rank Calamity based on your experience."

Tang Shaoyang smiled, "I have fought and killed Unique Rank Calamity. Not just one, but more than ten. The administrator overseer for my trial incited a city defense on purpose, so yeah, I have fought those Unique Rank Calamities you mentioned."

He then clapped his hand, attracting the other teams' attention, "Let's make it easy. If you are afraid of moving on your own, then you can set up an order just like that guy said. I prefer to move on my own with my team. That's my decision."

"I am doing a favor for you, newbie!" Arnold raised his voice, "You seem to know Executive Arion, so I am doing this for you so we can protect you from doing something stupid. Or else Executive Arion will come for us if you are killed when you are in the same location with us."

Tang Shaoyang shook his head, "I appreciate your goodwill. Unfortunately, I don't see this thing as a favor, and I don't need your protection. Let's do it our own way."

"I don't like wasting my time, so yeah. I will be going first guys," He turned and waved his hand at the other teams.

"Calm and collected... I have improved," Tang Shaoyang said as he made his way to the closest gate. He thought he responded to it very well, and calmly, and also made sure not to be offensive as well.

"Hah... I should have expected this. Calm and collected my..." Ira was about to say my ass, but she refrained from saying that to her leader, "Even though they will not kill us with their own hand, they might use the calamity to kill us."

"What? I don't humiliate, and the thing I spoke about is reasonable as well. Why does he want to kill us?" He recalled his words, and he felt like he was polite with his words. Nothing offensive in his choice of words as well.

"Not about what you say, but because you challenge his dignity as Chief Administrator even though you are just a newbie. You are not the only one who disagrees with him, but did you see the other Senior Administrators openly challenge him like you did?"

Tang Shaoyang shrugged, "Then what? Will you agree to form such a hierarchy? If that happens, we will be at the bottom. They might even use us as bait. You might think I am just being a negative

Nancy, but that might actually happen because they thought we are the weakest team in this 17th fort."

"Aren't we the weakest team?" Ira's human friend blurted out.

Tang Shaoyang just smiled at her and did not answer her, "Time to prove your usefulness, Ira. Guide me to the calamity!"

He was surprised by Ira's resourcefulness, in leading the team. They split the team into two, scouting the suspicious area on the Enchanted Chart. Ten minutes into the wild, they had fought three groups of calamity.

Two groups of Calamity Troll and one group of Calamity Orcs. They were equipped with proper gear, armor, and weapons. They looked like a patrol team, and that was why Ira split the team to scout the area.

Her human friends, Nayla and Lucia were sent to scout an area where The Calamity Orc might live. She then sent her tiger woman friend, Kiara, with Agnes to the area where The Calamity Troll might live. She suspected the two tribes were nearby and were in conflict.

The giant elephant beastmen were not good at scouting. That was why he stayed back with Ira and him. Tang Shaoyang learned his name was Renan.

Since this was his first time meeting an elephant beastmen, he kept looking at Renan. He was observing Renan from the head down to the skin. There were many things he wanted to ask, but he did not want to make things awkward between them with his weird questions.

"You make my friend uncomfortable, Captain," Ira could not stay silent anymore as her friend was getting closer and closer to her because of the gaze, "And you don't need to worry, Renan. He is a straight man, he likes women with big boobs."

He was surprised to hear that from Ira, "How do you know? You are quite attentive, hah? It seems like I made the right decision to get you on my team."

She rolled her eyes at Tang Shaoyang, "Do you think I don't know that you stare at my chest a lot?"

Tang Shaoyang was more surprised to hear that Ira. That was because he was not aware that he had been staring at her chest a lot, "Oh, really? But don't worry though. I will not use my position to force you into anything sexual."

"Okay, stop it. The conversation has become weird."

He rolled his eyes, "I don't mean to be offensive or anything. I want to assure you that will not happen. Not because you are ugly, but I already have wives. All of them are beauties and have big boobs."

The two cast a weird glance at him.

"Okay, let's change the topic," He then looked at Renan, "Did you make a bet with Renan back then? What did you get?"

He remembered the stupid bet during the first stage of the trial. He was still curious about what she got from the bet.

"They are here," Ira avoided answering the question. It was in time as Agnes and Kiara returned from their scouting.

"We are quite unlucky. It's not a tribe, but a colony," Kiara reported the grim news.

The number was not the only difference between a colony and a tribe. A tribe usually comprised one type of calamity. A tribe was one calamity in a big group. But a colony comprised more than one calamity species. It could be three or maybe four, or even maybe more than ten species.

Chapter 1643 Calamity Colony

Ira nodded, but she did not look troubled by the news.

"Did you sneak into their colony and find their leader? How many Unique Rank Calamities in the colony?"

"We don't. You heard it yourself that a colony has at least ten Unique Rank Calamities. We did not dare to sneak into their core area when we might get discovered by the Unique Rank Calamity," Kira shook her head.

Ten minutes later, Nayla and Lucia returned. They returned in a hurry, slightly panicked, "It's not a tribe, but a colony! They have more than ten calamity species there."

"I think we should avoid them and look for a tribe instead. Colony is too dangerous," Lucia added after hearing the other side was also a colony. That meant they were in the middle of two calamity colonies. The thought of fighting twenty Unique Rank Calamity made her body shudder.

Ira turned toward Tang Shaoyang and asked, "Which do you want to fight first? From their short scouting, the one with Calamity Orc is slightly weaker."

"What!?" Lucia gasped in surprise at the question, "Are you crazy, Ira? It's a colony, not a tribe! Let's not talk about the Unique Rank Calamity, we will get overwhelmed by the Rank 9 Calamity. This is crazy if you are thinking of fighting the colony with our team."

"I am not crazy, but our captain is capable enough of taking care of Ten Unique Rank Calamity on his own and also all the Rank 9 Calamity," Ira calmed her friend.

"You make the plan, and I will execute it. Let's do it that way," Since Ira put such trust in him, he let her make the call to fight first.

Only Lucia kept trying to persuade the team not to fight the colony. But she failed to convince them to turn back, and they arrived in front of the colony. It was like a small town, surrounded by a wooden fence. The lowest rank Calamity was Rank 5 Calamity, Direwolf.

"Stay with Captain if you are afraid, Lucia!" Ira reminded her friend, "You will be safe as long as you are near him."

Then she turned toward Tang Shaoyang, "We are ready!"

"Then let's start!" The first thing he did was to use the transformation skill. He made sure that his spirits were stronger when they were summoned.

Tang Shaoyang followed by summoning The Skelly Family first, then he followed with his spirits, all of them. Without any instruction, they charged into the colony.

Ira, Agnes, Renan, Kiara, and Nayla chose one spirit to follow. They did not want to be left out in the calamity hunting. They still needed the level as well as the materials.

Meanwhile, Lucia was the only one who stayed on her feet, stupefied. That was because she was not part of the Admin Helper in Tang Shaoyang's God Trial. She did not know anything about Tang Shaoyang other than from the story she heard about.

A massive shadow filled the sky, and Lucia looked up. Her face paled at the bird that literally covered the sky. It was one of the Unique Rank Calamities.

But then it was followed by a screech as the black phoenix, a wyvern, and a fallen angel came for the gargantuan calamity. She thought a big fight would break out. However, the three spirits took down the Unique Rank pretty easily.

The wings were burned down by the black phoenix, the wyvern tore apart the neck, and the fallen angel created a massive hole in the creature's chest with Void.

Lucia inhaled deeply as the massive body fell from the sky. Before it could reach the ground, the gargantuan body disappeared. She saw Tang Shaoyang in the air, taking the body. Then he was back next to her.

She glanced toward Tang Shaoyang. There were a lot of things she wanted to say, but she did not know where to start. She did not realize that her right hand was hanging in the air.

"Did you hurt your hand?" Tang Shaoyang asked in a confused tone. He was confused because he did not see Lucia fight. He wondered when she got hurt.

Lucia only then realized that her hand was hanging in the air. She retracted her hand embarrassedly, shaking her head. She was midway through casting a barrier skill and did not want to get affected by the Unique Rank Calamity's battle. But The Unique Rank Calamity was dead before she could cast her barrier.

Then she witnessed personally how strong her new captain was. The colony was razed to the ground as the fight lasted for half an hour. Her eyes locked on the skeleton who fought the calamity.

The skeleton was unknown as the weak undead monster. Such a nickname did not apply to them. They fought better than her friends. She spotted another Unique Rank Calamity, fighting the skeleton that looked like dragonewt. One against one, they were on the same level, on par.

It was amazing for a skeleton to hold a Unique Rank Calamity in a fight. The balance was broken when the skeleton who could shoot elemental beams and bullets helped. The two skeletons took the Unique Rank Calamity down in less than a minute. Less overbearing than the spirits, but still fearful in Lucia's eyes.

Watching everything unfold from the high spot, Lucia found out where her friend's confidence came from. Their Captain was an overpowered Administrator just like Ira told her. There was a risk of following him because many wanted him dead.

After her first experience with the team in the meeting and the confrontation with Arnold. She thought of quitting the team after the mission. The risk was too big, but now she changed her mind. She felt like Tang Shaoyang might be even stronger than the Chief Administrator.

The colony was destroyed in less than an hour. The team was taking care of the aftermath, taking the materials from the calamity.

"Take the things you want from them, and I will take the remains. Make it quick, guys! We have another colony to fight!" Tang Shaoyang clapped his hand, hurrying his team.

Chapter 1644 The Reds

"We are very much ahead of the other teams~" Nayla cheered all of a sudden.

Tang Shaoyang furrowed his brow, then turned toward Ira, confused.

"Nayla is talking about the contribution. Haven't I told you about it?" Ira let out a sigh. She was just surprised that she did not know about this, the basic things for the mission.

"We will get the reward for completing the mission. It's not just about the quota for the month, and Admin Credit is not the only reward from a mission. For a certain mission, it will give you another reward than just credit. This special mission for example. Executive Arion promised the reward, and it would be decided based on the contribution."

Following Ira's instruction, Tang Shaoyang opened the contribution list.

[Team Contribution]

1. Team Tang: 3,598,320

2. White Knight: 22,550

3. The Herald: 18,500

4. Gosion: 14,250

5. Glowcrest: 8,250

There were only five teams on the list for now. They just arrived in this world, and not all teams were as crazy as Tang Shaoyang to start hunting immediately.

"How do we get so many points already?" The colony was surely a big hit, but he felt like three million was too much.

"The point is the same with the first stage trial for the calamity kill. You will get bonus points if you destroy a colony, a tribe, and a kingdom. Destroying a tribe gives you 100k points, 1 million for a colony, and 5 million for a kingdom," Ira explained.

Three million made sense from a single colony. Ten Unique Rank Calamity and a colony were two million already. The Rank 9 Calamity was also worth a lot of points.

"I see..." Tang Shaoyang nodded his head and looked at the screen once more. He furrowed his brow when he read his team name once more, "Who gave name to our team?" He asked because he did not remember naming his team with his own name.

"I did. You never change the name, and random number names are ugly. So I choose your name instead." It was Ira who named the team.

While he used his name for his empire, this was a different thing. He did not like the name, "Can we change it?"

Ira let out a sigh, "You really know nothing about the Administrator, huh? I am worried about our future as a team. You can change your team name anytime with Administrator Authority."

Tang Shaoyang immediately changed the name. It took him a few minutes to decide while his spirits worked on the dead bodies. He finally changed the team name.

"The Reds? So basic," That was Agnes' comment when she found out their new name.

"Much better than Team Tang," He shrugged. To Tang Shaoyang it was much better because he did not have to say his own name when he called his team.

"It's just a team name, doesn't matter," The other did not care much about their team name. If they cared, they would discuss it before they participated in the mission.

After taking care of the first colony, The Reds moved to the second colony. Renan, Kiara, and Nayla gained more confidence to fight the second colony. They had their doubts, but it was cleared when they destroyed the first colony with ease.

Lucia also gained the confidence to join the fight, but she still preferred to play it safe. When they attacked the second colony, Lucia stayed on the outskirts, not wanting to fight the high-rank calamity yet.

It took them longer for the second colony than the first colony. Not only did they have a bigger number, but they also had more Unique Rank Calamities than the first colony. That was great for Tang Shaoyang because he gathered the materials quickly.

"Should we continue? Or should we get back to take a break first?" Ira asked her captain.

While the fight had a minimal risk because of the spirits and the skeletons. The fight still drained the Admin Helper. They were quite exhausted from fighting two colonies.

"Of course, we will continue. We don't need to come back to the fort, ever again. Isn't that what you want? A minimal contact with the other teams."

That was Tang Shaoyang's plan. Why would they ever need to go back? It was much better for the mission if they camped outside. It was more efficient than going back and forth to the fort.

"My spirits will take the lead, and you guys can take a rest."

Ira shook her head, "That's not the issue, Captain. It's our duty to protect the fort as well aside from killing calamities. The only way for us to go back is through the fort."

"That is easy. I will have one of my spirits stay at the fort. I can switch places with him if the fort is in danger."

Tang Shaoyang sent Ronan the Helion Wolf. Ronan could hide in the shadows, so he would not be attacked by the other teams as well.

The journey continued, they truly never returned to the fort even once. However, Tang Shaoyang must share his food with the team. She was reluctant to share Elin's food, not because he was stingy, but because of how good the food was.

"Woah! The food is buff!" Nayla gasped in surprise when she heard the notification in her head after finishing the food.

"How could you not share the food with us, Captain? It has such a good buff!"

The team had gotten closer to Tang Shaoyang. Ira's friends were more comfortable speaking with Tang Shaoyang, bantering and sharing their story a little during the journey.

They had been on a journey for three days, and this was the first night that Tang Shaoyang shared his food. If not for their gazes, looking at him savoring his food. He would not share the food with them.

"Why would I share my food with you? I don't have unlimited food with me. Be satisfied with one box a day." Tang Shaoyang rolled his eyes, still reluctant to share the food. Not because of the buff, but he did not bring that many with him.

Everyone had a surprise look when they heard that. Tang Shaoyang had been eating two boxes a day, and they only got one box a day.

"You are so stingy for a captain," Agnes remarked while the others nodded, agreeing with her.

Chapter 1645 The Eye

The journey for The Reds had been smooth for one week. A colony and a kingdom were not so easy to find. The scroll mentioned there were more than a hundred colonies and around seventeen kingdoms in this abandoned world.

More than a hundred colonies, but they only encountered one colony after their first two colonies. Most of the time, they encountered tribes. That just proved how big the world was. And they had been exploring this world for one week.

Of course, their name was still number one on the list. They had more than ten million points, five million ahead of the second team. But it would be just a matter of time before they would get overtaken if they did not encounter another colony. One colony worth more than three million, after all.

Tang Shaoyang opened his eyes. Today would be their eighth day exploring. He was the only one with a camp and a comfortable bed. The others were sleeping outside, but he gave them a blanket. He was quite generous to his team, considering they brought nothing with them.

Coming out of the camp, he furrowed his brow. Even though he had spent seven days in this world. He still had not gotten used to the four suns in the sky.

Packing up his bed and camp, then he took out seven meal boxes. They wanted to eat their food in the morning so they could use the buff in a fight. His team members were still sleeping, their third sleep in the week.

Tang Shaoyang did not bother to wake them up. He summoned the trios Revenant to scout the area before opening the meal box. While his spirits were scouting the area, he started his breakfast.

There was no need for him to wake them up because they would wake up on their own from the food's aroma. The first one to get up was Kiara. The tiger beastmen had a greater sense of smell than the others.

She stored the blanket in her inventory and picked one box. Sitting next to Tang Shaoyang, she ate the food silently. Then Agnes and Nayla woke up. The last one to wake up was Ira. Despite being meticulous with her work, she was always the last to wake up. She had trouble waking up earlier.

Finishing her food, Nayla exhaled satisfyingly while closing her eyes. She was the one who liked the food, not because of the buff. She purely wanted to eat it because of the taste, "I want to marry whoever cooks this food."

"You can't! She's taken," Tang Shaoyang broke her fantasy so quickly.

She clicked her tongue, "I will snatch her from her man!"

"You can't because you will die if you try that."

Only then did Nayla realize it was Tang Shaoyang's wife who made the food, "Why don't you just say she is your wife? I am not brave enough to take my Captain's wife."

Tang Shaoyang's expression changed all of a sudden. That scared Nayla, thinking she offended her captain.

"Finish your food quickly. My spirits find something good for a morning workout."

When Tang Shaoyang said that, they thought the spirits found a tribe or even a colony. But their faces changed when they arrived at the location.

Hiding behind the forest, they saw a reinforced, sturdy, and tall wall. It was a proper city wall, not the same wooden fence for the calamity colony or tribe. The wall was made of gray stone, and it was perfectly built as if the dwarf constructed the wall.

Even though they had not seen any calamity near the wall, just the wall was quite daunting to them. It was not an ordinary wall, a hundred meters wall, properly constructed. It looked like ten big spells were not enough to chip the wall.

"This is not a morning workout, Captain!" Nayla protested, "This is real tough work!"

"Should we call for reinforcement?" Renan, who had confidence in Tang Shaoyang, was not so confident this time.

A Calamity Kingdom was on another level than a colony. While the reward was only five times more than destroying a colony, The Kingdom was not five times stronger. A kingdom could be ten times or even twenty times stronger than a colony.

Ira also had a pensive look, "We should report our discovery to Executive Arion. That's the proper procedure when we find a Calamity Kingdom."

"But how do we make a report to Arion? Do you have a way to communicate with him?" Tang Shaoyang asked.

"Yes, we do. You switch with your spirit in the fort, and you can communicate with Executive Arion from the fort," Ira replied, then added at the end, "Also make sure to be more respectful to the Executive Administrator when you communicate with him. We don't want to get implicated if anything happens between you two."

Tang Shaoyang regretted asking that. He did not know there was a way to communicate with Arion who was nowhere close to them. The plan in his mind was to probe the kingdom with a long-range attack. He would take further action from there.

"Alright, wait for me here. I will report this to Arion."

Tang Shaoyang was about to switch places, but suddenly, an eye opened above the kingdom. The eye was so big, covering the whole kingdom. The crimson looked around for a moment, then it locked at where Tang Shaoyang was.

"I sense a foreign presence of my kind, so it's you."

A rough voice boomed, and echoed in the air. Ira, Renan, Agnes, Nayla, Kiara, and Lucia covered their ears, falling into one of their knees. It was just the voice, and it was enough to create such an effect on them.

Tang Shaoyang was the only one who remained unaffected by the voice. He looked straight at the eyes, unfazed.

"This is strange. You look like a human, but I am sure you are one of us too," The Eye then glanced at the six people, "Why are you mingling with these inferior beings? Do they capture you!?"

Chapter 1646 Negotiate With Calamity

Tang Shaoyang did not know what happened, but the six people were struggling, falling to the ground and wriggling on the ground. He could not find the cause, and he could not find the solution to free them.

But for some reason, a skill came to his mind, Absolute Chaos Domain. He activated the domain and focused on the area around them.

Tang Shaoyang did it instinctively, and it worked. The six people got up from the ground. They were still unstable, swaying around to get back on their feet. All of them paled and terrified, looking up to the crimson eye in the sky.

"What are you doing? I am helping you free from these disgusting creatures." The Eye looked at Tang Shaoyang, questioning him.

"Are you stupid or what? How do you see me being captured by them?" Despite what happened to his team, Tang Shaoyang was not intimidated in the slightest. Whatever The Eye did just now, it did not work on him.

He summoned Karoen, The Void Knight, "Get them back to the fort."

"We are going back together! We need Administrator Arion's help to fight that thing!" Ira did not want to leave Tang Shaoyang alone. She didn't even know what The Eye was. Something they never encountered and not written in the information scroll.

"Just listen to me and go back without me. You guys will become a burden to me if you stay! This is an order!" Tang Shaoyang was ready to fight The Eye by himself. No, it was even better if he was alone. This was the reason why he did not want to form a team. As part of the team, he had responsibility for them.

"What about if we just talk instead of fighting? I don't know if they are your people. Forgive me for my offense," The Eye suddenly apologized to Tang Shaoyang.

That caught Tang Shaoyang and the others off guard, "I see. You are the Administrator and come to claim this world, right?"

The Eye was not a normal calamity or monster if it knew about the Administrator. It even knew their mission was to reclaim the abandoned world. This one was different from those Unique Rank Calamity who fought them just because they came to their territory.

"Just like you guys, we, calamities also seek a peaceful life. We are different from the one you fought on the way here. We have established a proper social order, and we don't want to wage war against you guys!"

"You may find this hard to believe, but we had enough of the pointless war. If you don't believe me, we will prove it by helping you, The Administrators, to reclaim this world. Our kingdom will help you take down the other calamity kingdoms!"

The Eye sounded convincing and sincere with its words. Ira and the others exchanged glances. They did not know how to react to this. This was the first time they had a conversation about calamity.

Not only did it sound convincing, but the offer was quite tempting as well. If the Calamity Kingdom helped them, then it would have been easier to locate the colonies and kingdoms. That would complete the mission quickly.

"What do you want?" Tang Shaoyang considered making the deal with this eye. However, he wanted to know first what this eye wanted.

"Give us a home! A place for us to live in peace, no more war. If you can provide us a place to live, then we will assist you in anything to our best. My kingdom is ready to be your sword and shield!" The Eye answered.

Even though the offer was quite tempting, it was too risky. It was not worth the risk, completing the mission faster and the potential of a war against a calamity. Especially when his people were not ready. He was about to decline the deal and fight instead until a voice interfered.

"I don't want to interfere and watch how you are going to handle this thing, but you almost destroy your own world, Tang!" Arion landed in Tang Shaoyang's domain.

"You are reliable and strong, but you still lack experience, Tang. Never listen to or trust a calamity. They are creatures born to destroy and kill other living beings. Living a peaceful life is the last thing they want."

"Why do you think the System issued a mission to exterminate them instead of capturing them or even imprisoning them in the dungeon or dimensional tower? Because they will destroy everything around them!"

"You can bring out the people from inside the dimensional tower and dungeon. You can save them, but you will never be able to find calamity in a dungeon or dimensional tower. The System does not even give them a chance to redeem themselves. They are meant to be exterminated!"

"Sir!" Ira and the others bowed their heads toward Arion. They were relieved that Executive Arion came in time.

Arion waved his hand at them, "You should listen to your captain. Leave this place soon because he will not be able to protect you from that thing if a fight breaks out!"

"Don't believe him, Tang!" The Eye was quite observant and quickly picked up Tang Shaoyang's name, "Aren't you the same with us? Don't you get along with them? We are the same as you. We want a place to be called home and fight for our home!"

Arion grinned, "That thing is the God of Calamity, at least that's what we call that thing. Calamity listens to that thing obediently. That's the reason a calamity kingdom exists."

"That thing is for sure stronger than the normal Unique Rank Calamity you have fought so far. You can leave this place and leave this kingdom to me. Or you can fight that thing if you are confident."

"This is one of many avatars in this world. My real body is far from this place. It might take a few hours to get here. This body can't be used to fight."

Ira and the others paled. They were happy too earlier, thinking Arion was here. They did not know the one in front of them was just an avatar.

Chapter 1647 I Am Coming For You

"I don't think that thing could catch you if you want to escape, and I can't stop you from fighting as well. It's your decision, do you want to fight or escape, waiting for me."

Arion still asked even though he knew well what kind of person Tang Shaoyang was. He knew the answer already before he asked.

"I will fight that thing. I hope that thing could give me some challenge. Since I have reached a God Rank, no one could last that long fighting against me!"

That sounded arrogant, but that was the truth. The toughest fight in his life was against the God Rank when he was still a Primordial Rank. He lost that fight, he died. The next hardest fight was against Eol the Divine Dragon when he was still Demi-God Rank.

Aside from those two fights, his life was never in danger. Even when the Administrators ganged up on him, his life was never threatened. That was the fact.

"You crazy, Tang! It's not too late to wait for Executive Arion!" Ira was the first one to disagree with Tang Shaoyang's decision.

Tang Shaoyang turned toward Ira and was surprised by her reaction. He furrowed his brow and then shook his head with a smile.

"I don't you are so concerned about me. I hope you don't fall for me because I have enough wives, and I don't plan to add even one more wife."

Then he turned toward Karoen, "Lead them back to the fort, Karoen! This is an order! Return to the fort!"

Renan held Ira's shoulder, shaking his head at his friend, "I am sorry, Ira. This is the Captain's order!"

Renan, Kiara, and Lucia restrained Ira. They dragged Ira toward the portal made by Karoen. Agnes followed after them, leaving Nayla behind.

"What are you doing? Go!" Tang Shaoyang frowned.

"Don't you dare to die, Captain! Or I will marry your wife who cooks your food!" Nayla entered the portal after saying that. They had developed a quite strong bond in two weeks.

"I am amazed that you managed to develop such a strong bond despite the nefarious rumor about your conduct," Arion smiled, "You don't need to worry about me. I will be watching the fight."

The Eye let out a long sigh, "You have ruined my plan, human. But I am genuinely curious about you, Tang. I am certain that you are one of us, but why are you on their side? Why can you join the Administrator? Never mind, I will know everything once I get your dead body. The dead can't tell lies, after all."

Right after that, the gate to the calamity kingdom opened. The calamity poured out from the kingdom. Despite the brilliance and daunting outer wall, inside the wall was a ruin. That was right, there was no kingdom. It was just a ruined kingdom with a well-maintained city wall.

Tang Shaoyang's Absolute Chaos Domain expanded, reaching toward the city wall. But his domain could not reach the ruin. It was as if the ruin was protected and his domain could not enter the ruin.

He then used Dragon Transformation as well as Spirit Integration with Avyn. The reason he chose Avyn was because of Ethereal Frost Elemental. He wanted to know more about how to use it in a battle, not because Avyn was the strongest spirit.

He summoned the remaining spirits and the skeleton army, and he launched the first attack. Spikes shot out from the ground, impaling the calamities that just came out from the ruin. He could manipulate the terrain to his will because of the Absolute Chaos Domain.

The calamities did not care about their dying comrades. They stepped over the dead bodies and kept running. As if they were on drugs, and their focus was solely on Tang Shaoyang.

The sky suddenly turned dark followed by thunderous rumbles.

Boom! Boom!

It was then followed by dark thunder, descending from the sky, and striking down the calamities. With just two simple attacks, Tang Shaoyang had killed a few hundred of them. He easily wiped down more than a thousand calamities.

The calamities were still coming out from the ruin. There were too many of them, and most of them were Rank 7 Calamities. This wave was dangerous for his Admin Helpers, but not him.

Tang Shaoyang looked up at The Eye, "Come out and fight me! Don't be a coward, hiding behind your weak subordinates!"

"Buahahahaha... Who will fall for such provocation?"" The Eye let out a sonorous laughter, "Why don't you come into my domain instead? I thought you were quite smart since you are one of us. But you are the same, stupid. Maybe because you have been mingled with these mortals far too long. That's what makes you stupid!"

Tang Shaoyang took the World Destroyer and leaped toward the calamity horde. He landed right in the middle of the calamity wave. As soon as he landed, his body released black gas. That was Dark Poison, one of the most lethal poisons.

As soon as the calamity inhaled the Dark Poison, they were paralyzed. They were spasmed on the ground as their dark hide turned darker. Black blood came out of their eyes and orifices.

Tang Shaoyang dragged the World Destroyer to the ground. He activated World Siphon, draining the calamities' life force who fell on the ground because of the Dark Poison.

The black energy gathered at Battle-ax's blade part. It got thicker and thicker, fully covering World Destroyer's shiny blades.

Tang Shaoyang kept walking forward and paved his way with calamity's dead bodies. It was until he was two hundred meters away from the city wall. He raised World Destroyer upward with both of his hands.

Then he swung the battle-axe down to the ground, activating one of World Destroyer's skills, World Split.

Boom!

The calamity's dead bodies in front of him burst into pieces as the ground opened wide. It did not just split the ground, but it split the city wall and went further to the other side of the ruin.

In a single attack, Tang Shaoyang split the ruin. It remained split, creating a deep abyss in the middle of the ruin. The moment he split the city, his Absolute Chaos Domain entered the city.

Chapter 1648 Unexpected Finding

"What did you do to my Kingdom!?" The Eye was furious, witnessing his kingdom was split into two.

Tang Shaoyang looked up at The Eye, letting out a chuckle. He pointed his index finger at The Eye, "I am no coward like you! Didn't you invite me to your ruin? I am coming for you!"

He then raised his right hand. That was the signal for his spirits and skeleton army to invade the ruin.

Baccara and Aerelion were the first ones to fly, accelerating toward the ruin. Jovrick was on Aerelion's back. The fallen knight and the wyvern king had become companions. They always fought together, and Jovrick was always on Aerelion's back in such a big battle.

The two flying spirits razed the ruins with their black fire. The skeleton army trampled the dying calamities. They rushed through the poisonous cloud. That poison could not harm the skeleton.

His spirits followed, leaping over the poisonous cloud and landed on the city wall. They did not wait for an order as they rushed into the calamity. The fight broke out, and they pushed the calamity back to the ruins.

"The Spirits will take the left side! You idiot skeletons take the right side!"

From on top of the wall, Vandir shouted at the skeleton army who was led by the Skelly Family. The rivalry between the skeleton and the spirits became even more intense.

The first one to arrive on the wall was Kaiser and Keeper. They landed next to Vandir, "You are also a skeleton like us, idiot. Does that mean you are also an idiot?"

Kaiser, who was always reserved and dignified, responded to Vandir's trash talk, "We have become much stronger than before. You will lose this time!"

It was as if Vandir just remembered that he was also a skeleton. He was a spirit skeleton, and he realized he called himself an idiot. The Death King was embarrassed and remained silent.

"It's getting worse, hah!?" Tang Shaoyang appeared between them, shaking his head. He did not bother to mediate them as long as it did not affect them in an actual battle.

Scanning the whole ruin with his domain, he found The Eye's energy source, "If you guys don't finish them before I kill That Eye. I will also join the fight!"

Tang Shaoyang did not wait for their response as he rushed toward the castle. The kingdom was in ruin, but two things were maintained very well. The castle and the city wall.

World Split did not hit the castle because it was located to the left of where they came from. He landed in front of the gate and was surprised to see the guards.

That was right, an armored guard like a knight. The black armor and a long spear. They leaped forward with their spear, aiming their spears toward Tang Shaoyang's head.

A swing of his battle ax was enough to push back the two guards. He followed with a Blink, appearing in between the two guards. He grabbed their helmet and slammed their heads to the ground.

"Arghh!"

The guards groaned in pain which weirded Tang Shaoyang. The next move should be Heavenly Crushing Grasp, crushing those heads. But his curiosity got him, so he pulled their helmet instead of killing them.

Tang Shaoyang found out the two guards were beastmen, not calamity. They had not turned into calamity as well. He was surprised to find two beastmen in a calamity-infested world. From what he knew, this world had been abandoned for more than a thousand years.

The two guards had not lost their will to fight. They were about to strike Tang Shaoyang with their spears, but he twisted their heads, killing them. What made things worse, these two beastmen were Demi-God Rank. That was right, they were not even God Rank.

Tang Shaoyang looked up at the castle, curious and interested in what happened. There was no way the two guards were the survivors of this world. They were too weak to survive in this abandoned world.

He broke apart the gate and entered the castle. The twenty-meter door flung inside, and the first room was the throne hall. He was surprised by what he found inside.

Just like how well-maintained the outside was, the inside was the same. The gold-plated pillars were shining, the scenery painting, armor decoration, and a brand new red carpet. At the end of the hall, there are two thrones.

Two thrones were occupied, one with a beastmen and one was a calamity who made The Eye outside. Below the throne, twenty individuals lined up, ten beastmen and ten calamities.

Tang Shaoyang immediately recognized the beastmen, "You are from The Sorc Clan!?" He was surprised.

All the bear-kin looked similar, all of them. He could never forget them even if he wanted to. That was because of Afi. They were too similar to Afi, one of his spirits.

The calamity was the humanoid type, but they looked closer to Cyclop. Their one single big eye on the face was what made them similar to Cyclop.

"I am glad you recognize us!" The bear-kin on the throne responded in a deep voice.

"That means you also remember my only son!? You kill him in the trial!" The voice filled with hatred and fury as the bear-kin mentioned his son.

"I don't know which one your son is, but I remember I killed all Sorc Clan's members in the trial. If your son is in my trial, then maybe yeah, I killed your son!"

The bear-kin let out a roar. His three-meter body grew into ten meters, and his red fur turned into a flame. Then he leaped toward Tang Shaoyang, slamming his paw at Tang Shaoyang's head.

Tang Shaoyang responded with a swing, blocking the paw with his battle-axe. He felt it, the strike was much heavier than the other God Ranks he had fought so far. But that was not enough to push him back. He managed to push back the bear-kin to the air.

Tang Shaoyang grinned widely in excitement and jumped toward the bear-kin. He swung the heavy battle ax with just one hand. He smiled when he saw the bear-kin use a barrier to block his battle ax.

The strike was imbued with Absolute Domination Energy. He should be able to destroy the barrier easily. But he was surprised that his battle ax bounced back. The barrier was fine even with Absolute Domination Energy.

Then the ten bear-kins were waiting for him below. They took the chance to surround him. Their body also became ten meters tall just like the one he fought. As his body fell, the ten bear-kins jumped toward him.

Chapter 1649 Taste of Blood

Tang Shaoyang took out Azure Dragon Blade on his left hand. The ten bear-kins's ambush did not surprise him. It was something he expected when he entered the room with twenty-two enemies inside.

He spun his body in the air while swinging his sword. That was what he wanted to do, in his mind. He did not know how and why, but he was blanked for a moment. It was like fainting for one second. He lost his vision and his mind was empty for that one second.

That was so bizarre as that was the first time he felt that way, especially in a fight like this. One second in a battle between God Ranks was important. That one second was enough to get someone killed. By the time his mind and vision returned, he was still falling on his back.

A massive force hit his back, sending his body flying upward. The bear-kin from the Sorc Clan was ready to greet Tang Shaoyang in the air. His paw glowed in crimson, and he slammed it on Tang Shaoyang's chest.

Boom!

Tang Shaoyang crashed to the ground, destroying the exquisite marble. Looking at the ceiling through the dust, he made a disbelief expression. He was losing in the first exchange. Blood trickled down at the corner of his lip. He licked his own blood, reminding himself of the taste of his own blood.

Still shrouded by the dust, Tang Shaoyang got up with a frown, "I guess my blood tastes different now with the evolution I have gone through."

He manipulated the wind around him, sweeping the dust. The ten bear-kins still surrounded him with their leader. The one-eyed calamity was still on the throne, and the ten one-eyed calamity were

still standing in their original spots as well. However, he was sure that it was this calamity's doing, the thing that caused him to blank in a fight.

"I expected it would be a quiet challenge, but it's a different challenge than what I thought," Tang Shaoyang looked at the one-eyed calamity, "I just don't like the way you fight."

The one-eyed calamity smiled, "What are you talking about? I haven't made my move yet."

Tang Shaoyang just smiled, "You are in my domain!"

The earth shook and then rose, forming an earth wall. The wall rose to the sky, reaching further than the city wall outside. Separating the calamity and the people from the Sorc Clan.

As the earth wall kept rising, he was in stance for Heavenly Sword - Heavenly Revoke. He looked in the direction where the one-eyed calamity was. The wall cracked and three one-eyed calamities went through.

As he predicted, the one-eyed calamity broke the earth's wall. The skill did not work if they could not see him. That was why they tried to break the wall.

Heavenly Sword - Heavenly Revoke

The Azure Dragon Blade made a perfect streak curved line in blue, going through the three oneeyed calamity's neck. Three Unique Rank Calamities died in a single attack.

Tang Shaoyang raised his head and looked at the calamity who still sat on the throne. The one-eyed calamity smiled at him even though he lost three subordinates. It was as if he expected those three would die.

Heavenly Steps - Heavenly Illusionary

Tang Shaoyang's figures split into nine, rushing toward the one on the throne.

"Like I said, you are mingling with these stupid creatures so much that your senses are also dulled. This will not work on me!" The one-eyed calamity's crimson eye shone brightly, aiming at one illusion.

The one it targeted fell on its knees, but then it realized the illusions were still coming for him. It thought the illusion would disappear when it got the real one. It was until it heard the familiar from behind.

"Are you looking for me?" That playful voice belonged to Tang Shaoyang. In reflex, it jumped away from the throne. But the attack it expected did not come. When it looked back at the throne, there was no one there.

The one-eyed calamity hit the real Tang Shaoyang with a mental attack, but it fell for Tang Shaoyang's trick. It turned around, and Tang Shaoyang was already swinging Azure Dragon Blade.

Just as the sword was about to reach the one-eyed calamity's neck. Tang Shaoyang suddenly lost his strength. Losing the momentum, he could not control his sword. He swung lower to the shoulder.

At this moment, a shadow loomed over him as well. The leader of the Sorc Clan was behind him. The Sorc Clan's leader stepped on Tang Shaoyang's back, pushing him down to the ground.

Tang Shaoyang lost his strength, but not his energy. Dispersal reduced The Sorc Clan's leader's attack impact. Flame Shield and Energy Shroud blocked the damage.

His body sunk down to the ground. His upper half was down to the ground. The Sorc Clan Leader did not plan to end the fight so early by sending the killing blow. He grabbed Tang Shaoyang's ankle, smashing him down, again and again.

"You must feel my pain!" That was what the bear-kin said as he kept slamming Tang Shaoyang to the ground. After dozens of times, he stopped, "This suffering right now is nothing compared to my pain! This is nothing to the pain of losing my son!" He tossed Tang Shaoyang into the air and activated the skill.

Tang Shaoyang was in the air, nothing he could do with no strength. He did not even have the strength to support himself to stand. He watched thousands of crimson paws in front of him, hitting his body.

It was not just merely an illusion. He felt the impact, receiving a barrage of pain from the paw before sending him out of the castle. He crashed to the ground, onto one of the ruins outside.

Even though the one-eye calamity was not in sight, he still did not have his strength. Laying down powerlessly on the ground, he looked at the sky. There he met with the massive one-eye which was still above the ruin.

The one-eyed calamity used the skill through that eye. That eye focused on him, the reason why he lost his strength was that thing in the sky.

Chapter 1650 Why?

"It's too late! Even if you know what paralyzes you, you can't do anything about it. You will die here, and I will get a new world to invade thanks to you."

The one-eyed calamity was already outside, standing next to Tang Shaoyang, looking down at him with a smile.

"However, I have a way out for you. Just because you are one of us, I will show you a path to save your life. Work for me! Guide me to the God Realm, and I will save you."

Tang Shaoyang smiled, "Hah... I really hate how you fight. It's not fun, and it's so boring. You reminded me of my old boss who just hid behind me while his subordinates did all the work for him. It's similar, you control other calamities with your ability to fight for you, and you are hiding like a cockroach."

The one-eyed calamity shook its head, "As I said, that provocation will not work on me. The bearkin is coming. You don't have that much time. Make your decision, Tang!"

"Everything you said is wrong. First, it's not a provocation, but it's a genuine opinion about people or monsters with abilities similar to you, boring. Second, you are wrong when you say that I can't do anything. I have many methods to break free from you or even kill you right now."

Tang Shaoyang formed hundreds of Chaos Blades. The blades surrounded the one-eyed calamity. He did not have his strength, but his control of his energy remained. As soon as the blades formed, the blades shot toward the one-eyed calamity.

"ARGHHHHHH!!!"

From hundreds of swords, the only spot that did not get pierced by the blades was its mouth. That was why it could scream still. More than ten swords were stacked on the eye.

Tang Shaoyang applied Absolute Domination Energy on the blades. That was why the big eye disappeared. The one-eyed could not use his energy anymore, no more energy to maintain the skill.

He got back on his feet and grabbed the one-eyed calamity's neck. He raised the humanoid calamity to the air. It was struggling, trying to break free.

"Yep, as I expected. Once I get rid of your eye, you are nothing."

Without a doubt, the one-eyed calamity had an exceptionally strong ability that could wipe out an Administrator team. It had the chance to kill Tang Shaoyang, but it did not do it. Tang Shaoyang led the one-eyed calamity to believe that he was powerless under its ability.

That was why the one-eyed calamity was boldly getting closer to Tang Shaoyang. That was how it was caught, getting cocky, thinking it had won the fight.

Of course, everything happened because Tang Shaoyang allowed everything to happen. He could get rid of the eye much earlier. However, he could see everything with Divine Sense, prying into the future a little bit each time they tried to attack him. He knew whether the one-eyed calamity or the leader of the Sorc Clan did not intend to kill so early.

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Avyn had been talking non-stop in his head to freeze everything in the throne hall. He could do it, and those one-eyed calamities would be powerless. But he wanted to enjoy the fight instead of beating them quickly.

But he quickly realized that the one-eyed calamity was only good at its bizarre ability, nothing else. If this calamity had to be fought in close combat, even Castor could beat it.

The leader of the Sorc Clan walked, making his way to Tang Shaoyang. He was surprised when he saw the one-eyed calamity was caught in Tang Shaoyang. He furrowed his brow, but he did not take any action further.

"Help me, Bernal! Kill him right now, Bernal! He is too dangerous to be kept alive!" The one-eyed calamity noticed the Sorc Clan's leader's presence and asked for help.

However, Bernal did nothing, staying where he was. He stared at Tang Shaoyang as if he was waiting for Tang Shaoyang to kill the calamity.

Tang Shaoyang did not disappoint the bear-kin and crushed the calamity's neck. Then he added one blade to the heart for the kill. He had not heard the notification that he killed the calamity. That was why he added one sword to the heart. He then kept the body inside the inventory.

"Do you still have my son's body?" The Sorc Clan's leader asked instead of attacking Tang Shaoyang.

Tang Shaoyang could see the burning hatred in Bernal's eyes, but he could not sense the bear-kin's desire to fight him. It was suppressed.

"I don't even know which one is your son. They all look the same honestly, and of course, I no longer have your son's body. I have used all the Sorc Clan's people for the sacrifice."

As if Bernal expected the answer, he let out a sigh, "Count yourself lucky today that Executive Administrator Arion is backing you up. Or else I will dismember your body... No, I will keep you alive. You are the last. I want to suffer just like me. I will look for your family! Your wives, your sons and daughters, everyone dear to you, and I will them one by one in front of you!"

The moment Bernal finished his words, Tang Shaoyang's figure disappeared. He used Blink and appeared in front of Bernal. He swung the sword to Bernal's neck, but someone appeared between him and Bernal.

Arion caught Azure Dragon Blade with his bare hand, "Stop it, Tang!"

Tang Shaoyang did not look Arion in the eyes. His eyes set on Bernal. Thousands of Chaos Blades formed around them, aiming at Bernal. The blades shot toward Bernal.

With a swing of his left hand, Arion reflected the Chaos Blades. He was surprised when he saw that. That was supposed to disintegrate the blades, but it merely changed the blade's trajectory.

Arion looked at Tang Shaoyang and raised his voice, "That's enough, Tang!" His hand released an energy shock wave, sending Tang Shaoyang flying backward.

Tang Shaoyang got back on his feet again, but his eyes were never on Arion, but on Bernal. The killing intent and his aura ran wild.