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As everyone knows, space equipment is essential for all transmigrators.

No murder and arson are complete without some space equipment!

And the talent of the [Spatial Bag] is even more concealed than the Space Ring or Space Necklace.

Qin Tian reached for his waist pouch, holding a magazine in his hand. Then, with a thought, the magazine suddenly disappeared, entering a space only he could sense. Another thought, and the magazine returned to his hand.

What a magical feeling~

Qin Tian's eyebrows lifted slightly. With the acquisition of the [Spatial Bag] as an active talent, he officially entered the ranks of the Superpower Users.

Contrary to what he expected, he didn't sense any energy or spiritual power within. Controlling his superpower was like lifting a hand or kicking a leg; it was an action controlled by the brain.

Perhaps only when this talent is used too frequently would he feel physical and mental fatigue.

Qin Tian turned his gaze back to the battlefield.

Having lost the Skyborne dromabeast and being pierced by the Military Spiritualist's sword, just like the first domino piece being knocked down, the Sphinx Beastman's decline became apparent. The wounds on his body increased; without the intervention of other forces, his fate was sealed.

As the key figure in reversing the battle, Qin Tian not only gained 217 Evolution Points in one go but also received a considerable reward in military points.

Beep beep~

At this moment, Qin Dadi's smart watch beeped a few times. He opened it and said in a deep voice:

"A mission has arrived."

"What mission?"

Xiao Yunlong immediately leaned over.

"There's a Tier Two Spirit Cat Warrior that our team needs to take care of." Qin Dadi's expression was solemn.

"What, a Tier Two Spirit Cat?"

Xiao Yunlong was taken aback, as was Liu Zhaozhao, who was beside him.

Though their team members were all Tier Two, and the target was also Tier Two, there were still differences between Tier Twos.

Spirit Cats are Black Iron Beast Bloodline, equivalent to the Empire's Black Iron Level Bloodline Martial Artists.

A Black Iron Bloodline Martial Artist can easily withstand three to five Bloodless Spiritualists and Superpower Users of the same level.

Not to mention that Spirit Cats are agile and explosive Beast Spirit Warriors, which they most fear facing.

With Qin Dadi's clumsy stature, and Liu Zhaozhao's strong attack but weak defense, encountering a Spirit Cat would only result in being toyed with.

Beep beep beep~~

The other special teams around received instructions too and rushed in different directions.

"Why are we being matched against a Spirit Cat which is a Black Iron Beast Bloodline!" Xiao Yunlong followed diligently behind Qin Dadi but couldn't help complaining.

"It means we're short of manpower, and the command has picked the Earth Dragon Team as the most suitable. At least our team has you, a Spiritualist skilled in body technique."

Qin Dadi's arm turned to stone, raising it to deflect the arrows shot from above. In this chaotic and death-filled battlefield, they had to stay alert, avoiding stray bullets or arrows, and taking care of falling jets and beasts.

"Even if my body technique is good, I can't compare to a Spirit Cat, though~"

Xiao Yunlong was helpless, while Liu Zhaozhao bit her lip lightly, her personality reticent, only showing a bit of her Flame Superpower's ferocity in battle.

"Military orders are absolute." Qin Dadi said solemnly, speaking no more.

Xiao Yunlong shook his head. Suddenly, a hand pulled him back slightly, causing him to halt. In the next moment, a bullet grazed past his chest, leaving a scorching trail in the air.

Xiao Yunlong was shocked and turned to say, "Qin Tian, you saved me again."

If Qin Tian hadn't pulled him just then, the bullet would have struck his shoulder. Even though he wore bulletproof combat gear, it still couldn't fully ensure his safety.

Not to mention injuries, even a slight impact on the arm could become a hidden danger in the coming fight with the Tier Two Spirit Cat.

"Hmm, be careful."

Qin Tian's gaze remained steady. On such an intense battlefield, [Danger Perception] + [Shadow of the Spirit Cat] almost guaranteed he wouldn't be hit by stray bullets and ensured his teammates' safety.

But thinking about the upcoming enemy, he couldn't help feeling a twinge of concern.

Possessing [Shadow of the Spirit Cat], he was more aware of this talent's prowess than anyone. Even though he's not a Spiritualist yet, his pure reflexes, explosive power, and agility definitely surpassed Xiao Yunlong.

And the Spirit Cat's body structure suits [Shadow of the Spirit Cat] better. Coupled with the explosive boost of Tier Two Spiritual Energy, once they fight, the Earth Dragon Team might not even touch its shadow.

With that thought, Qin Tian lowered his eyelids and quickly made a decision.

Invest 2000 Evolution Points to enhance — [Shadow of the Spirit Cat]

Buzz~~~

The green light ball quivered violently, with dense green rapidly increasing. The ball shifted from light green to deep green. At a certain moment, a streak of blue appeared within, like a devouring shark, absorbing all the green light into its body.

Soon, the entire ball transformed to a faint blue.

[Name]Shadowbone Physique (Blue)

[Type]Passive Talent

[Introduction]Infiltrated by Shadow Power over a long period, the host possesses reactions, explosive power, and flexibility surpassing those of Spirit Cats. During high-speed motion and jumping, physical burden is greatly reduced. Smell, hearing, and night vision are further enhanced, with Dark Attribute Affinity +30%. In the dark, all functions are enhanced by 20%, and breath is significantly suppressed.

During the run, Qin Tian's body quivered slightly, that tingling sensation reappearing. He felt as if he had shed a thousand-pound burden. Each step felt lighter, and his legs were like springs, allowing him to leap meters high with a little push.

Now, Qin Tian had a feeling that even without Danger Perception, he could effortlessly dodge the bullets and arrows aimed his way.

"This should allow me to have a go at it."

Qin Tian thought inwardly. His talent exceeded that of the Spirit Cat, but lacking Spiritual Energy support evened the scale.

Yet he lacked close combat experience and didn't know how to exert force, so if it was an actual one-on-one against the Spirit Cat, he'd probably just take a beating.

Fortunately, he wasn't fighting alone.

Bang bang bang~

Qin Tian kept shooting, clearing the "roadblocks" blocking their way. The Beastmen of Golan Heights might all belong to some Cat Race; most of the Beastmen on the battlefield were Green skinned Orcs and Shadow Cats, with a few other Beast Races occasionally seen.

Evolution Points +26

Evolution Points +7

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Unknowingly, Qin Tian collected another 200 plus Evolution Points.

"There he is."

Qin Dadi suddenly stopped, looking ahead.

There, a Cat-man with pale black fur was dodging and leaping on the battlefield, clad in dark brown leather armor like a battlefield elf, effortlessly avoiding all the bullets aimed at him.

Next, with a bizarre body technique, he'd swiftly reach a soldier's side and use his dagger-like sharp claws to slice the throat.

"Tier Two... Spirit Cat."

Qin Tian's eyes narrowed slightly, and at this moment, the Spirit Cat happened to turn around, facing the Earth Dragon Team.

The Spirit Cat's face was much softer than a Shadow Cat's, with large eyes, a short nose, and a pointed chin. Its cheek fur was sparse, revealing a nascent human visage, although its eyes still exuded the same cruelty and savagery as a Shadow Cat.

Chapter 12: Chapter 12: Miracle Dodge

"Attack!"

Without hesitation, Qin Dadi charged forward, a deep brown layer of rock rapidly condensing over his body, transforming him into a Stone Man in an instant.

Boom!

Two fireballs flew past Qin Dadi, tracing two semi-circular arcs in the air, shooting towards the Spirit Cat from left and right.

"Hiss~"

The Spirit Cat's lips curled, revealing sharp teeth. With a tip of its toe, it vanished into the shadows, letting the two fireballs collide in mid-air.

Swoosh~

The Spirit Cat leaped lightly, lunging towards Liu Zhaozhao at a ghostly speed.

Liu Zhaozhao was prepared, flames burst from his body, turning him into a man of fire in an instant.

Seeing this, the Spirit Cat immediately halted, as if inertia didn't exist for him.

Just then, a blade's gleam appeared from the side.

Xiao Yunlong wielded a Black Pattern Battle Saber, with a green glow swirling along its blade, and delivered a Tornado Slash aimed straight at the Spirit Cat's head.

The Spirit Cat twisted its body, as if boneless, dodging the battle saber with a bizarrely seductive movement, brushing just past the tip of its nose, then turned with a claw aimed at Xiao Yunlong's face.

Xiao Yunlong immediately leaned back, but the cat's claw still left three white scratches on the visor of his tactical helmet.

"Meow!!!"

The Spirit Cat bristled all over, its body lowering, almost skimming the ground as it brushed past Xiao Yunlong, accompanied by the sound of fabric tearing in the next moment.

Xiao Yunlong's leg armor was torn open, flesh and blood rolled back, looking extremely gruesome.

"Uh~"

Xiao Yunlong's leg weakened, nearly losing his balance, struck by a wave of horror.

It's so fast, so fast

He was skilled in Wind Attribute Martial Techniques, with a graceful and agile Body Technique, but before the Spirit Cat, he seemed like a moving wooden stake, utterly defenseless.

But Xiao Yunlong also knew this was the power of bloodline and talent; unless he could cultivate Wind Martial Techniques to a very high level, even three of him combined wouldn't be the Spirit Cat's match.

"Yunlong!"

Qin Dadi turned around, and upon seeing Xiao Yunlong's thigh bleeding profusely, he nearly ground his teeth to pieces.

At that moment, how he wished his opponent was a tall Power Type Beastman, even if it were a Black Iron Beast Bloodline, the Earth Dragon Team would still be unafraid.

With him acting as the tank, Xiao Yunlong harassing from the side, Liu Zhaozhao suppressing with flames, plus Sharpshooter Qin Tian lurking in the shadows, their chances of victory were considerable.

But unfortunately, the enemy turned out to be the Spirit Cat, the last entity anyone wanted to face.

Clever, agile, cunning

Fast to a despairing degree

Swoosh~

The Spirit Cat crouched, its four paws touching the ground, those emerald green eyes filled with cruelty and mockery. In the next instant, it sprung forward like a shadow toward Xiao Yunlong.

Seeing this, Xiao Yunlong hurriedly retreated, but at that moment, his injured leg suddenly gave out, causing him to stumble, and panic and terror floated in his eyes instantly.

Swoosh~

The Spirit Cat raised its claw to slash at Xiao Yunlong's throat, but as its forearm lifted, the fur on its back suddenly bristled.

Without a second's hesitation, the Spirit Cat decisively executed a front roll, dodging the bullet that was originally aimed at its back.

"Hiss!"

The Spirit Cat turned around, claws embedded in the ground, arching its back, baring its teeth like an angry wild cat, glaring back with fury.

Qin Tian gently placed the rifle on the ground. He could foresee that taking a potshot wouldn't hurt the Spirit Cat, but when the outcome occurred just as expected, he still felt a twinge of regret.

If that shot had hit, he wouldn't need to take any more risks.

"Meow!!!"

The Spirit Cat screeched, powerful legs springing it towards Qin Tian.

"Watch out, Qin Tian!!!"

Xiao Yunlong, Qin Dadi, and Liu Zhaozhao shouted in alarm, despair already clouding their eyes.

Qin Tian was just a clone newly born a few days ago, with exceptional shooting talent and incredible physical prowess, but before the Spirit Cat, even they as Tier Two Spiritualists and Superpower Users were utterly powerless, what could Qin Tian do?

Swoosh~

The Spirit Cat raised its claw to slash Qin Tian's throat, moving with phantom speed, but just then, as if having a premonition, Qin Tian ducked low, letting the claw swipe over his head.

What!!!

The three of them had not expected Qin Tian's reflexes to be so swift, and they were both shocked and pleased. But what happened next left them utterly stupefied.

Swoosh swoosh~~~

The Spirit Cat swung its claw continuously, moving like an illusion, striking from tricky angles.

However, Qin Tian dodged by crouching, bowing, rolling, and leaping as if drunk, always managing to evade the Spirit Cat's attacks with strange contorted postures.

To an outsider, it might seem as if they were filming a movie, and Qin Tian appeared more like Jackie Chan, performing one miracle move after another.

"This..."

Qin Dadi, Xiao Yunlong, and Liu Zhaozhao were agape. They never imagined Qin Tian possessed such a capability; those reflexes and skills were almost like a human-shaped Spirit Cat!

At this juncture, they wanted to assist, but the two were too tightly entwined. Qin Dadi was too slow to keep up, Liu Zhaozhao feared collateral damage, and Xiao Yunlong was incapacitated by his leg injury.

Helplessly, they could only watch Qin Tian and the Spirit Cat tangle, their minds anxious to the breaking point.

Swoosh~~

The sharp claw brushed past his throat, sending goosebumps coursing through Qin Tian.

He couldn't just keep dodging.

Qin Tian's mind raced. He had thought about counterattacking, but lacking combat training, he didn't know how to strike effectively. Even if he pummeled the Spirit Cat's face, it probably wouldn't do much.

Such actions would seriously disrupt his rhythm, providing the Spirit Cat with openings.

If that was the case, he had no choice but to gamble.

Gritting his teeth, fierceness glinted in Qin Tian's eyes.

Swoosh~

The cat's claw darted towards his eyes; Qin Tian tilted his head, lightning-fast, seizing the Spirit Cat's wrist.

The Spirit Cat's wrist was slender, its fur somewhat bristly, unpleasant to touch.

The Spirit Cat was clearly taken aback that Qin Tian, who had been dodging, would suddenly grip its arm. Taking advantage of the surprise, Qin Tian swiftly extended his other hand, grabbing the back of the Spirit Cat's head, and yanked fiercely towards himself.

Bam!!!

Their foreheads slammed together with a dull thud.

The tactical helmet cracked, the transparent visor clattering to the ground.

Qin Tian didn't stop, following up with another powerful headbutt.

Bam!

This time the sound was even more muffled and resonant.

The tempered shards scraped across his forehead, leaving a deep bloody cut. His head started to spin, stars seemed to blink in his eyes.

But even now, he didn't let go, rallying all his strength for another headbutt.

Bam~~

The helmet flew off as their foreheads clashed with brutal force.

This time, Qin Tian truly couldn't withstand it, his vision spun, blood gushed from his nose, and he staggered backward, releasing his grip.

He was in a bad state, but the Spirit Cat was worse off.

Qin Tian, with a Green Talent of High tier Strength, had physical attributes comparable to Green skinned Orcs, while the Spirit Cat was a standard high agility, low defense creature, and even with Spiritual Ability Tempering, its bones were no match for Qin Tian's toughness.

Its skull was already shattered, its vision darkened completely.

Just then, a massive fireball struck from behind, hitting the Spirit Cat's back. Simultaneously, the gleam of a blade suddenly shone.

Schlick

The large head was severed, rolling twice on the ground, the ghostly green eyes still faintly showing despair and terror.

Chapter 13: Chapter 13: Burning Embers Critical Strike

"Qin Tian, Qin Tian!"

A tense and worried call sounded in his ear.

Qin Tian shook his head, and his blurry vision gradually became clear.

"I'm fine."

Qin Tian waved his hand, feeling his nose was wet, and when he wiped it with his hand, his hand was covered in blood.

"You're having a nosebleed."

Xiao Yunlong tore off a section of gauze bandage from his tactical pouch and casually rolled it, then forcibly stuffed it into Qin Tian's nostrils, nearly piercing his nose.

Qin Tian leaned his head back, the veins on his forehead twitching, his fists unknowingly clenched, and he looked at Xiao Yunlong with an expressionless face, saying softly:

"Let go~"

Only then did Xiao Yunlong realize how rough his actions were, and he quickly let go, awkwardly scratching his head.

Pfft~~

Liu Zhaozhao couldn't help but laugh out loud.

Qin Dadi was both helpless and amused.

"Cough, cough, sorry, I was too anxious."

Xiao Yunlong touched his nose tactically, then immediately became excited: "Qin Tian, you were so damn cool just now, your reaction and moves were so fast, even the Spirit Cat couldn't touch you."

"Hmm."

Qin Tian removed the gauze and threw it on the ground. He had the green talent, so a little nosebleed stopped quickly and didn't need such treatment.

"Hey, it's a Tier Two Spirit Cat, even I can't keep up with its speed. How did you do it?" Xiao Yunlong's eyes widened, with a thousand whys in his mind.

"Just... dodged casually."

Qin Tian squatted down and picked up the rifle on the ground, then casually wiped the Spirit Cat's corpse. The green light orb quickly flew into his body and was quickly covered by the .

Unfortunately, there was no other talent.

Qin Tian stood up, tilting his head to dodge a stray bullet grazing past his ear.

Later, he still needed to pick up another tactical helmet.

On the battlefield, a helmet was an indispensable piece of equipment.

Even though his reflexes were lightning-fast now, allowing him to dodge stray bullets, having an extra layer of protection was never a bad thing.

Besides, tactical helmets not only protect the head but also feature functions like wideangle vision, telescopic capabilities, analysis, and information exchange. Even Spiritualists would wear tactical helmets, albeit more advanced ones.

"Just... dodged casually"

Xiao Yunlong was speechless, but he knew this was Qin Tian's character, and he could only suppress his curiosity and stop asking.

"Yunlong, enough talking, stop the bleeding first and then inject some adrenaline."

Qin Dadi took out a hemostatic sticker and applied it to Xiao Yunlong's wound, then immediately gave him an injection.

"Hah, I feel much better."

Xiao Yunlong moved his feet a few times. Earlier, his legs were a bit soft, but now they were full of strength.

Beep beep~~

At that moment, Qin Dadi's wristwatch sounded.

A new mission had arrived.

"Quick, let's go rescue."

Qin Dadi waved, leading the squad toward the target area.

"Captain, who are we rescuing?" Xiao Yunlong asked while running.

Qin Dadi: "The Starry Squad, but currently, only Li Lai is left from their team."

Starry Squad

Xiao Yunlong fell silent. The Starry Squad's barracks were not far from theirs, and they often visited each other with good relations.

Yet, the comrades they had encouraged each other with before the battle, who promised to drink and celebrate afterward, were now separated by life and death, never to meet again.

"Let's move faster!"

Xiao Yunlong sped up, running ahead of Qin Dadi.

Unfortunately, when they reached the designated location from the command, the last remaining Li Lai had also perished, lying on the ground with his back full of arrows.

"Li Lai."

Qin Dadi's eyes lowered, and he sighed inwardly.

This was war, and war always meant death.

If it hadn't been for Qin Tian's miraculous outbreak earlier, the Earth Dragon Team would have perished just like the Starry Squad.

Xiao Yunlong and Liu Zhaozhao pursed their lips, their eyes red. Being a dozen years younger than Qin Dadi, they hadn't experienced much separation by death, having just seen Huang Xun and now the familiar Starry Squad.

The brutality of the battlefield harshly taught the two young people a lesson.

At this moment, Qin Tian squatted down, removed Li Lai's tactical helmet, and put it on his head.

The three of them supported what Qin Tian did.

However, in a place unseen by everyone, a blue light orb flew out from Li Lai's body and merged into Qin Tian's body.

[Name]Burning Embers Critical Strike (Blue)

[Type]Active Talent

[Introduction]Burn 5% of the will, physical strength, and energy limit to have a significant chance of causing 150%-170% damage on the next attack, a small chance of causing 180-200% damage, a very slight chance of causing 250%-300% damage, and an extremely rare chance of causing up to 500% damage.

Hiss, I hit the jackpot!

Qin Tian's eyes brightened with intense joy flooding his heart.

Burning Embers Critical Strike was a perfect match for his sniping ability. Upon activation, it could deal at least 150% damage. If combined with a stroke of luck, dealing 300% or 500% damage, even a Tier Three Spiritualist couldn't withstand his shot.

Moreover, this talent also significantly benefited Spiritualists. Mastering an explosive martial technique, adding the boost from Burning Embers Critical Strike, surpassing tiers would be a breeze.

Qin Tian looked down at the deceased Li Lai. To be honest, Li Lai, as a Superpower User, couldn't fully utilize this talent's potential.

After all, their energy and physical strength were limited, and they had no energy reserve. Once they exceeded five uses, fatigue became apparent.

If Li Lai had been proficient with guns, it would have been better, as he could amplify firearm power with Burning Embers Critical Strike. However...

Qin Tian glanced at the blood-stained battle sword beside Li Lai, only to think, 'The path was wrongly chosen~'

Qin Dadi reported the status of the Starry Squad and awaited the next wave of orders.

In the meantime, Qin Tian wasn't idle either, taking out Beastmen one by one with his rifle as far as his eyes could see, harvesting evolution points.

However, before the Earth Dragon Team received new instructions, a sudden change occurred.

Boom~ Boom~

On the Golan Heights, one after another, red lights soared into the sky, tracing arcs in the air before raining down on the rear command post like a meteor shower.

Buzz~~~

The command's defense system activated instantly, firing missiles to intercept the incoming projectiles, while a giant dark blue energy shield encapsulated the command post like an overturned bowl for protection.

"Commander, it's Flame Crystal. They've already mined the Flame Crystal Ore."

The adjutant approached the commander, speaking gravely.

"I see it."

The commander nodded and ordered, "Prepare for retreat."

Their assault on the Golan Heights was to seize the Flame Crystal Ore beneath the heights. Now that the Beastmen occupied the flame crystal mine, if there was truly any Flame Crystal Marrow, the Beastmen surely would have seized it first.

Continuing to fight would only mean additional casualties, serving no purpose.

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"Just got the message, full retreat."

Qin Dadi lowered his wristwatch and spoke with delight.

"We can retreat?"

Everyone was thrilled. The prolonged siege of the Golan Heights showed no chance of victory, and they had long wished to withdraw. The order came just in time.

"Move!"

Qin Dadi waved, swiftly retreating along the command's mapped route.

Retreating was its own skill. Poor command could quickly turn it into a chaotic rout.

Fortunately, the command had a contingency plan. With the cover of aircraft, missiles, and elite troops, the frontline forces managed to retreat relatively stably to the rear.

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Golan Heights

From atop a hill, a black-armored Tiger-headed man gazed into the distance. Upon seeing the human forces vanish on the horizon, a cold smirk formed on his lips.

"Heh, they sure run fast, but I won't just let them go."

Nearby, dozens of Shadow Feline people with pitch-black fur and tall frames grinned wickedly.

Chapter 14: Chapter 14: Danger Approaches

"It's good to be alive."

Sitting in the back of the military vehicle, Xiao Yunlong's body relaxed, and a deep fatigue surged up. This was a side effect of the adrenaline injection, which he couldn't avoid even as a Tier Two Spiritualist.

"Yeah."

Qin Dadi sighed with emotion. This operation was a failure; they didn't capture the Golan Heights, and the casualties were significant. The Clone cannon fodder unit was almost wiped out, with only about ten percent remaining, and over thirty percent of the elite warriors were lost. Many special teams were completely annihilated.

It was really fortunate for them to survive without severe injuries.

On the way back to the military camp, the carriage was rather silent. Even the usually talkative Xiao Yunlong didn't say much. Everyone's thoughts were still lingering on that brutal battlefield, struggling to move on.

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Just as they were about to reach the military camp, the smartwatches of the three buzzed several times simultaneously. They opened them and immediately wore expressions of surprise and delight.

"Whoa, so many Military Points."

Xiao Yunlong straightened up immediately, his face full of excitement.

Liu Zhaozhao's eyes lit up, and her previously fatigued face instantly became bright and charming.

"This time, we benefited from Qin Tian."

Qin Dadi looked at Qin Tian and laughed, "If it weren't for Qin Tian, we wouldn't have even gotten this much in Military Points."

During the recent battle, the Earth Dragon Team actually only completed one mission, which was to successfully kill a Tier Two Spirit Cat.

Logically, they wouldn't have earned many Military Points.

However, Qin Tian shone brightly throughout the war, killing hundreds of Beastmen with his gun. Even though those Beastmen weren't killed by the three of them, as members of the same team, they could share quite a number of Military Points from Qin Tian's achievements.

"Haha, Qin Tian, I love you to death."

Xiao Yunlong put an arm around Qin Tian's shoulder, wanting to give him a kiss on the cheek in excitement. But Qin Tian reacted quickly, immediately pushing his face away with a hand, and said with disdain:

"Stay away from me."

"Aw, so heartless."

Xiao Yunlong pretended to be hurt, but couldn't keep it up for even two seconds before breaking into a wide smile.

Pfft~

Liu Zhaozhao couldn't help but laugh at Xiao Yunlong's quick change of expression.

Having such a lively person on the team is really interesting.

Additionally, she noticed that Qin Tian wasn't as cold as he used to be. He seemed to become more "human," showing moments of speechlessness, tension, concern for his teammates, and even disdain.

Qin Dadi smiled, and at this point, he thought of something and said, "Qin Tian, the Military Department is very fair. You'll also receive your deserved Military Points. It's just

that, because of your special status, you don't have your identity information registered within the Empire yet, so the Military Points haven't transferred to you."

"But don't worry. As soon as we get back, I'll immediately report to the logistics department to help you complete your identity registration as soon as possible."

Qin Tian is a Clone, only three days old, and no one has registered his identity yet.

Within the Empire, without an identity, it's not that you can't move at all, but at least things like commuting, traveling, lodging, and various welfare benefits can't be enjoyed.

"Alright."

Qin Tian nodded. To be honest, he was very curious about how many Military Points he would eventually receive and wanted to see what good things he could exchange them for.

Not long after, the main force arrived at the military camp.

The command ordered the entire personnel to immediately pack up their belongings. In two hours, the Legion would withdraw from the camp to retreat to Lieyang Valley.

"It looks like the Legion has completely given up on the Golan Heights."

Qin Dadi sighed. So many people died, and they still couldn't take the Golan Heights. He felt somewhat bitter.

"Captain, there's nothing we can do. We just don't have enough manpower."

Xiao Yunlong was very open-minded. He wasn't obsessed with the Golan Heights and believed as long as he could survive and earn more Military Points, his goal of joining the military was achieved.

Now that his expected Military Points were saved up, he hoped for no more battles.

"Sigh, it's just a pity."

Qin Dadi shook his head. If the Legion had more Spiritualists or Superpower Users, they certainly would have been able to capture the Golan Heights.

In the millennium-long struggle against the Beastman Empire, the Galaxy Empire has always held firm dominance in non-extraordinary fields, thanks to its technology and weapons.

However, Spiritualists and Superpower Users have a massive impact on warfare. If the high-end combat power doesn't match, no matter how strong the weapons are, they can't change the course of war.

This is a world that belongs to the strong.

High-tier Spiritualists can single-handedly destroy a Legion, a city, or even an entire continent—a feat no weapon can rival.

"Alright, there's no point talking about this now. Let's pack up."

Qin Dadi waved his hand and went into his room to pack his bags, while Xiao Yunlong and Liu Zhaozhao also went inside to do the same.

Qin Tian entered the room and quickly went through the belongings of the former Sharpshooter Huang Xun, storing useful items in his luggage and tossing temporary items into the Spatial Bag.

During this process, he kept experimenting and discovered that apart from using his hands, any part of his body could contact items and store them in the Spatial Bag.

This also solved a problem for him.

Earlier on the battlefield, he really wanted to collect some scattered firearms, Battle Swords, and equipment into the Spatial Bag. But picking them up would require him to squat down or bend over, which was inconvenient and could easily arouse his teammates' suspicion.

But if he could use his foot, he could just walk up to the target, give it a gentle kick, and quietly collect the items unnoticed.

Half an hour later, the Earth Dragon Team carried their luggage and headed towards Lieyang Valley with the main force.

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As night fell,

the Legion didn't travel under the cover of darkness but camped in place.

The Earth Dragon Team settled into a large tent, only a few dozen meters away from important logistics supplies.

This was also their newly assigned task, to guard the logistics area.

"Heh heh, lucky us. We don't have to patrol tonight."

Xiao Yunlong lay down on the carpet, and after a few words, his eyelids grew heavy, and he quickly fell asleep.

Soon after, Qin Dadi and Liu Zhaozhao also drifted off.

After experiencing a grueling and dangerous war, everyone was exhausted, holding on by sheer will. The moment their heads hit the pillow, fatigue overwhelmed them like a flood, engulfing their will.

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The tent was filled with the sound of rhythmic snoring.

Qin Tian lay with his hands crossed under his head, staring at the top of the tent. For some reason, he found himself suffering from insomnia.

The colorful scenes of past lives and the brutal and bloody battle scenes of this life were intertwined like a chaotic slideshow replaying in his mind.

For a moment, he felt as if he were dreaming, unable to distinguish between illusion and reality.

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As the night deepened, outside the military camp, you couldn't see your hand in front of you.

A swarm of drones patrolled the skies, with infrared radars covering a range of several kilometers, leaving no blind spots.

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Several meters outside the camp, the ground suddenly bulged, and a massive serpent's head slowly emerged, feeling cold and completely shielding itself from infrared detection.

Beneath it, the Shadow Cat Team was ready to strike, their pairs of ghostly green eyes glinting with cunning and cruelty.

Chapter 15: Chapter 15: Steel Bones and Iron Flesh, Shadow Jump

"Sigh, I can't sleep~"

Qin Tian lay on the carpet, tossing and turning, unable to fall asleep.

"Forget it, if I can't sleep, I won't force it."

Qin Tian slowly sat up and glanced at the evolution points on the system panel.

In this war, he killed over a hundred Green skinned Orcs, hundreds of Shadow Cats, and one Skyborne dromabeast, collecting a total of 4396 evolution points.

He strengthened the "Shadow of the Spirit Cat" to "Shadowbone Physique," costing 2000 evolution points, and he still had over 2000 points left, which should be enough to complete the evolution of another green light sphere.

Currently, the green talents he possessed were Absolute Gunmastery, High tier Strength, Quick Recovery, and Danger Perception.

If he were to strengthen one, he planned to choose between High tier Strength and Quick Recovery.

After all, these two actual enhancements of physical qualities were more intuitive and practical in effect.

Which one to strengthen?

After a brief consideration, Qin Tian made a decision.

Enhance "High tier Strength"

Quick Recovery is very useful. If enhanced to a certain extent, it might grant an immortal body like Wolverine's, as well as eternal youth, which is something many people dream of.

However, if it's just strong recovery without sufficient strength, defense power, and endurance, it's merely a quick healing meat bag with little combat power.

Wolverine is the best example.

Before being infused with Adamantium Alloy, Wolverine was weak, only capable of bullying ordinary people. With Adamantium, he barely counted as a third-rate power.

But if Wolverine had Hulk's strength and physique combined with immortality, he would undoubtedly be a BUG-level hero within Marvel, directly entering the first echelon.

That's it!

Spend 2000 evolution points to enhance "High tier Strength"

Buzz~~~

The green light sphere representing "High tier Strength" vibrated violently, its green hue deepening. Soon a blue glow appeared, tinting the sphere with a faint blue.

[Name]Steel Bones and Iron Flesh (Blue)

[Type]Passive Talent

[Introduction]Your body has been tempered thousands of times, with muscles like steel and bones like iron. Strength, defense power, endurance, and explosive power significantly increased, reducing physical damage by 20% and magical damage by 15%.

Boom!!!

A rush of heat exploded from his heart, quickly coursing through his entire body.

Qin Tian closed his eyes tightly, with his qi and blood surging inside him. His muscles expanded and contracted as if undergoing some kind of forging, and his bones emitted faint cracking sounds. Under the hammering of this mysterious power, they became increasingly dense and hard, their density increasing geometrically. The meridians hidden deep within his body now glowed with a burning radiance, like shining spirit snakes, widening at a visibly fast pace and becoming even more resilient.

Moments later, Qin Tian slowly opened his eyes, clenching his fists, feeling a surge of powerful strength coursing through him.

"Steel Bones and Iron Flesh."

Qin Tian's lips curled slightly upwards. Compared to the agility and flexibility brought by "Shadowbone Physique," he preferred the solidity and strength of Steel Bones and Iron Flesh more.

Assassins can't beat the satisfaction of a tank warrior!

Being tough is the ultimate way!

After completing the evolution of Steel Bones and Iron Flesh, Qin Tian was full of energy and was even more unable to sleep.

"Sigh, there's still four hours until wake-up time, how unbearable~"

Qin Tian sighed helplessly.

Just then, an alarm suddenly blared in his mind, and he subconsciously turned his head to look.

Inside the pitch-black tent, a gelatinous shadow emerged from the ground, soon revealing its true form: a cat-man crouched, with long, slender limbs and pitch-black fur.

Qin Tian, with the talent "Shadowbone Physique," had excellent night vision and could even see the slight flutter of the cat-man's fur on its face.

The cat-man surveyed its surroundings and happened to lock eyes with Qin Tian.

"Meow!!!"

"Die!!!"

Man and cat rushed at each other simultaneously.

The cat-man swung its sharp claws towards Qin Tian's throat, but he reacted swiftly, tilting his head back, narrowly avoiding the claws while instinctively lifting his right foot to strike upwards like lightning.

Bam!!!

The cat-man's nether region was struck, and there seemed to be a faint sound of something shattering.

The cat-man's eyeballs bulged, its ghostly green eyes filling with blood streaks as it let out a piercing scream.

"Meow!!!!"

Boom!!

A large fireball hit the cat-man's ear from the side, and a huge figure lunged from the side, pressing the cat-man firmly beneath it.

Without hesitation, Qin Tian delivered a violent soccer kick, striking the cat-man's temple.

Thud!

The head exploded like a watermelon, spraying red and white matter everywhere.

Qin Tian didn't expect that his kick would have such power, making him momentarily stunned.

Snap~

The tent's night lamp turned on, and Qin Dadi, Liu Zhaozhao, Xiao Yunlong gathered around, looking down at the headless corpse on the ground.

"Hiss, that's a higher species of Spirit Cat, a Shadow Feline person."

Xiao Yunlong inhaled sharply, his heart pounding.

Shadow Feline people belong to the Bronze Beast Bloodline, they are darlings of the dark, assassins of the night, not only possessing agility surpassing the Spirit Cat but also able to merge into shadows and stealth or jump within them.

"This should be a Tier Two Shadow Feline person. If it were Tier Three, none of us would have survived."

Qin Dadi took a deep breath, and a trace of tremor and lingering fear could be heard in his voice.

"Qin Tian, you've saved us again," Liu Zhaozhao turned to Qin Tian.

From that one arrow on the battlefield to the subsequent battle with the Spirit Cats, and now this encounter with the Shadow Feline person.

By now, Qin Tian had saved them three times.

Actually, when Qin Tian first joined the Earth Dragon Team, she didn't have much interest in this new teammate. After all, people have always held some prejudices against Clones.

Even though Qin Tian's Spear Technique had been certified by Raymond, she still believed that Qin Tian was far inferior to the battle-hardened former Sharpshooter Huang Xun.

In fact, due to his lack of basic common sense and combat experience, she thought Qin Tian might not help the Earth Dragon Team but instead might even burden the team.

But reality proved that she was wrong, very wrong.

Qin Tian not only had precise Spear Technique but his physical qualities were incredibly strong.

With keen battlefield awareness, agility comparable to a Spirit Cat, and endurance like a wildebeest

He seemed like a super soldier created by the military, with no visible weaknesses or flaws.

Originally, the three of them were supposed to protect this new teammate, preventing the tragedy of Huang Xun from happening again, but in the end, it was Qin Tian who repeatedly saved the team from peril.

"Couldn't sleep, just happened to see him."

Qin Tian's lips pressed tightly, a hint of delight flashed in his eyes.

After killing the Shadow Feline person, two blue light spheres entered his body.

One fused with "Shadowbone Physique," showing almost no change.

But the other was a brand new blue talent—

[Name]Shadow Jump (Blue)

[Type]Active Talent

[Introduction]Upon active activation, the host merges into the shadows, able to walk and travel through the shadows, using them as a springboard for certain distance movement.