

BloodLine 761

Chapter 761: Can't go outside

Federation HQ:

"There is nothing we can do now.

But if that kid wants to survive then entering the Tier-4 cities is the only option," Federation Head Ben said.

"In a few months there will be new tasks given.

If he achieves a similar number 1 ranking in SS-Elite Stage then he might receive the task."

"As long as he does exceptionally well, he will get a chance to enter that place under the age of 20," He added.

Hearing that Lowell replied,"Yes, Head.

I thought the same as well."

"You can leave now.

I will not let anyone enter our cities.

But if that kid goes outside to some other place.

There was nothing much I can do."

“And one more thing, I think he should avoid going to the McClain House as well,” The Federation Head said.

A quick gleam flashes in Lowell’s eyes.

He nodded his head before leaving the place.

McClain Main House:

The Main Family Head Kane received the news.

His heart almost came out of his mouth when he heard that the killer had failed to complete the mission.

At this moment, he is in his study room.

He is getting information from one of his connections who knows what happened in Delta City.

“Elder Lowell fought against the unknown Black Mark Warrior,” He muttered to himself.

He knows the real identity of the Black Mark Warrior.

For the outside world someone with ulterior motives has entered Delta City.

But he knows that the Blood Shadow Killer went to kill that kid.

“What to do now?”

“If he finds out the identity of the killer, then he might suspect the family,” Kane was terrified in his heart.

Then he got up and went to meet the Supreme Elder.

The idea was given by him.

Then he must know the protective measures as well.

At the same time, other family head's heard about the news.

Most of the news which is circulating around is that someone attacked Delta City.

But only federation head, Lowell and Captain of the reserved team, the Blood Shadow Force, Kane and the Supreme Elder knows that the killer attacked the Lowell Castle.

Everyone is wondering why and who attacked the Federation's city.

Not long after, Kane arrived at the private mansion of the Supreme Elder.

When he went there.

The old man was already there.

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Upon seeing him, Kane immediately told him everything.

The old man was not surprised by the inner post region's reaction.

But he was disappointed by the failed attempt of the Blood Shadow Killer.

He knows that Blood Shadow Force won't give up the task.

It's just he thinks that Lowell will be alerted.

The blood shadow killer might have to face more difficulty next.

"Elder, what should we do next?"

"Elder, Lowell might be suspecting us," Kane asked.

Hearing that old man began to ponder.

Even if Lowell suspects them, it can't be helped.

"Don't worry!"

"Even if he knows, so what?"

"He can't do anything," The old man said with confidence.

Hearing that Kane's worries disappear a little.

Then they talked for a few minutes before Kane left the palace.

3rd Branch Family:

"Ha...Ha...Ha...", A hearty laughter echoed in the compounds of the House of 3rd Family Head.

The laughter is coming from none other than the 3rd Family Head Martin.

“Good”

“Good”

“Delta City is under attack.

This is what I want,” Martin said to himself.

He didn’t expect to hear such good news.

“It’s a pity, whoever attacked didn’t manage to kill him in the end,” He said with dissatisfaction.

But still there was joy in his heart.

If Lowell is gone, then he can have full control over the 3rd branch.

At the same time, inside the meeting hall the 3rd Family elders are gathered.

The people here are supporters of Elder Lowell.

Elder Lowell is someone who has been the pillar of the 3rd Branch Family.

If anything happens to him, then the 3rd Branch will lose the support.

And it won’t be any longer before they become the bottom of the family.

Among the elders present there are also Elder Christie, Elder Ollie and Elder Clair.

They are now deeply regretting it.

“Things are going bad.

We can’t even help Elder Lowell,” Elder Christie said.

She was talkative among them and complained the most.

But this time the words are not coming out of her mouth that much.

Elder Clair was the oldest among them.

But the old women at this moment were depressed as well.

Earlier, everyone hoped that they would rank 2nd in Family because of Elder Lowell’s support.

But things have changed drastically in the past few months.

Now they have lost the support of Elder Lowell.

What’s worse is that the current family head is not listening to the advice of the elders.

On the hand, he has been busy getting closer to the Main Family Head.

“Atleast, we should stop Martin from doing stupid things,” Elder Ollie said.

Hearing that, the rest of them started to share their opinion.

The 3rd Family Head is more interested in developing his son than the whole 3rd Branch Family.

If this goes on, they might end up at the bottom.

Meanwhile,

The news has reached other forces as well.

Including the bloodline families and those academy institutions.

More importantly the Parazam Hunter League.

The Hunter League has always been jealous of the Army Federation's influence.

As they recruit members from all the forces, they even have a sufficient number of Silver Mark Warriors.

Which also adds strength to their background.

After hearing that current news they are surprised and disappointed as well.

Surprised because no one dares to offend the Federation.

Disappointed because not that much damage was done to the city except a few loss of life.

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From MC's perspective:

The following day,

After getting out of bed, I went to the basement.

Last night, I saw the news articles.

It was crazy.

But it's confirmed that the attacker was the Black Mark Warrior.

No General and stage can below stop such an existence.

For the first time I have felt unsafe here.

If it weren't for the teacher, I don't think anyone would have survived in the castle.

After arriving at the basement, I entered the essence chamber.

From today, I'm going to try to break through.

Creak!

The door behind me shut automatically.

Then I walked to the platform before sitting down cross legged.

Then I activate the basic mode by saying the command.

The next second, the white mist starts to come from the platform.

The white mist is the world's energy.

Then I closed my eyes and started to run the lightning scripture.

Right after, the lightning rune in my mind started to flicker.

Slowly, I started to absorb the lightning energy from the surroundings.

When the lightning energy entered my body, I started to guide the purple energy according to the scripture.

After circulation, the refined purple essence starts settling down in my dantian.

Seeing that I continued to repeat the process.

It's not going to be easy to feel the barrier.

Time passed,

After a few hours, I opened my eyes.

Then I switched practice to the blood method.

Then I started running it.

I repeat the process according to the blood method.

Once the blood energy starts to flow through my body.

A red blood light appears above the bloodstream to convert the energy.

As the conversion takes place, mysterious white energies appear as a result of it.

Then the mysterious white energies starts entering my skeleton bones.

Seeing that I continued to repeat the process.

Slowly, the red skeleton of mine starts to get deeper.

At the same time, I'm enduring the unreal pain.

Time passed,

After a few hours, I changed the method.

This time it was wooden scripture.

The healing scripture might not be as powerful as other scripture.

But it can heal any hidden injuries in my body.

Practicing it can avoid dangers left over in my body.

A few hours later,

I walked out of the essence chamber.

As I had expected, it was not easy to sense the barrier.

Even for the blood method, it feels like a deep pit.

The skeleton is getting redder and redder.

Then I went back to my room to take a bath.

20 minutes later,

I changed to a fresh shirt and pants.

At the same time, I received a breakfast call from the staff.

Hearing that I left the room and went to the main hall.

When I got there.

I saw Teacher

and Jonathan.

Both of their complexions are not better.

Then I greeted them before taking the seat.

“Zack, how was your practice?” Lowell asked.

Hearing that I honestly told my opinion.

“Maybe a purple lightning treasure can shorten the time,” Lowell said.

“I can see what I can get later,” Lowell added.

“Yes,” I replied.

Then we started eating.

Nobody is talking about yesterday’s event.

I know both of them are purposely avoiding it.

But there are about more than 100 articles reporting the same news in online.

Chapter 762: Increase in rewards

From MC’s perspective:

After having breakfast, I went to the underground basement.

There is no time to waste.

I’m feeling a sense of urgency.

In the basement, I walked to the Gravity Training Chamber.

The training under Gravity Force will further push my body to the limits.

Creak!

As I walked inside the door behind me closed automatically.

Phew!

I took a deep breath of air before sitting down cross legged on the platform.

Then I activated the basic mode.

Tudak!

The next second, the basic mode was activated.

A huge amount of pressure starts to weigh down on my body.

For a couple of minutes, it was fine.

But then a cold sweat starts to appear on my forehead.

As the time passes, I feel the pressure of Gravity affecting my body.

The bones start to make creaking sounds.

If it were an ordinary wizard, he would have already given up.

Since my bones have become strong because of the blood element method.

I can endure longer.

Meanwhile,

Lowell was in his study room.

He is searching for the lightning treasure in the blue screen.

Things are occurring out of his plans.

The threat of the Blood Shadow is high.

He wants to know who put the bounty on Zack's name.

The person has wealth to do that.

It can't be an unknown person.

He decided to look into it.

After buying the lightning treasure.

There are a lot of lightning treasures which can be used for the breakthrough.

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The blue screen starts to show the options available.

The image and name of the lightning treasure together with the cost appears on the screen.

As long as Zack can sense the barrier, one of these treasures can help him breakthrough smoothly.

He is not only planning to look for the lightning treasure.

He has an idea in his mind to buy treasure for other 2 elements as well.

On the other hand, Jonathan went outside the castle to complete a mission.

While this was happening.

On the other hand, the old man in the underground basement of the wine tavern is looking at the reports.

Sometime ago, he received information from the killer that the mission had failed.

The killer who took the mission not only failed but also injured as well.

The old man received a direct confession from him.

After repeatedly using the red blood escape technique, he was bedridden right now.

It would take at least a few months to recover.

So it's impossible for him to accept any normal task as well.

After confirming the information, the old man updates the information on the blank page.

Shortly after,

Blood Shadow Killers around this region receive a message that an incomplete mission was on the task list.

Seeing that many of them are surprised.

Rarely, any incomplete mission comes on the task list.

As most of the killers never failed in their mission.

But when they read the incomplete mission description.

Everything becomes clear.

There is breaking news spreading in the inner post region.

It's called Delta City attack which is one of the cities under the Federation.

The whole inner post region is confused.

Nobody dares to offend the Federation for no reason.

Because many of the Black Mark Warriors and Silver Mark Warriors are stationed in the Tier-4 Boundary.

So if anything happens to the federation, it will disrupt the balance.

But the killers are now clear.

Some of the killers already knew about it.

Because they saw it when the mission was first updated in the book.

Now it's up to the killers to decide whether to pick up the incomplete mission or not.

Unlike the last time, this time no one was in a hurry.

The difficulty of the incomplete mission is many times higher now.

So the rewards for this mission should be high as well.

So they are waiting to see whether there is any news about the rewards.

Meanwhile,

In the tavern's basement, the old man knows the minds of these people.

He has no authority to set the rewards..

It was decided by other higher ups.

Since the bounty was placed in this hideout.

His job is to update the mission, that's all.

Time passed in a blink of an eye,

Lowell Castle:

It was late at night, and Lowell bought a few treasures.

But he is going to wait until Zack touches the barrier.

He will then give it to him.

He knows that it's not easy to touch the barrier.

For average warrior it take 6 months to a year.

But to a genius warrior at least a few weeks to a month is enough.

He thinks that Zack is better than other genius warriors.

Because Zack is practicing power cultivation methods.

So the foundation must be extremely strong.

So he believes that Zack will touch the barrier earlier than a few weeks.

Once the breakthrough occurs, Zack has to experience a few battles.

It can be gained by fighting against the Class Monsters.

Earlier, his plan was to bring Zack in one of the teams under him and then send him to the mission.

But right now, not many left in the Black and White Raptor teams.

Now the news of the Delta City attack is known to everyone.

He doesn't think that the rest of the members will stick around anymore.

When Zack breakthroughs there might not be no one present in the team.

He has to think of something else.

Even if Zack breakthroughs, he can't send him to the mission like nothing had happened.

The blood shadow must have updated the mission.

We might have to face another killer in a few days.

So sending Zack to the mission considering the current situation is like sending him to death.

He has to come up with another solution.

Meanwhile,

I returned to the room.

After walking out of the bath, I changed to comfort clothes.

Then I laid on the bed before I started reading the online articles.

When I opened the news feed, I saw many news articles.

This time the article was filled with the same news as well.

The news about the Delta City attack has not died down.

These articles are about the Delta City attack.

But fortunately none of them are about Lowell Castle.

I know that the intruder's real target was Lowell Castle.

If the news was released, it would have shocking reactions.

I don't know why?

But both the teacher and Jonathan refused to talk about the intruder.

I want to know who the intruder was.

Did he have anything to do with me?

Lot of questions bother me.

There is only one thing left is the online articles.

The online articles might have mentioned the identity of the attacker.

So I started to read the online articles one by one.

Time passed,

30 minutes later,

My eyes gleamed with a twinkle.

None of the online articles have mentioned the name of the attacker.

Even the news site of the forces behind the ranking list battles have failed to mention the name.

Why do I feel that way?

These forces have purposely avoided the name.

Even though Teacher didn't tell me.

I have this feeling that the intruder was after my life.

As these thoughts occurred to me.

A cold shiver went down my spine.

The next second, I closed the online pages.

Then I wiped the cold sweat from my forehead.

Now, I'm starting to think that there was no reason.

So I should prepare for the worst.

After calming down my heart,.I fell asleep.

Blood Shadow Organisation:

The organization is located inside the Subspace like other forces.

But compared to them, their security is many times stronger.

Other than the member no one can enter inside.

There are categories in the members as well.

Only high level members can enter the core area.

At this time, the higher ups are already aware of the ongoing breaking news.

They also know that it has something to do with them.

There are several silhouettes inside the meeting room.

They are discussing many important matters.

Suddenly the topic of the Delta City attack was brought up by someone.

Quiet!

Hearing that there was sudden silence.

But shortly after small laughter broke everything.

“Ha...Ha....Ha....”

“To kill a Super Elite Warrior, someone paid so much of a fortune,” an elder said with a wicked laugh.

“But the killer who took the task has failed to complete it.

It’s completely destroying the reputation of our organization,”The same voice sounded cold.

Hearing that other elders echoed the same opinion.

The Blood Shadow Organisation has developed so far because of their fearsome reputation.

The incomplete mission is like a stain in their reputation.

After some time, the voice sounded again.

“Who took the mission?”

“Give him a compulsory mission when he wakes up,” The cold voice said.

Hearing that other elders agreed.

“When it comes to the incomplete mission?”

“Raise the reward!”

“It’s not going to be easy to break the security of the Federation,” the voice said.

Hearing that other elders agreed to his words.

When the meeting was over.

The killers saw the mission update.

Chapter 763: Old memories

From MC's perspective:

The following day,

After doing the morning routine, I left the room and walked towards the basement training room.

But before I could enter.

I received a summon from the teacher.

A quick gleam flashes in my eyes.

"Was he waiting for me?" I asked myself in my heart.

I shook my head before going to the study room.

He usually sees me during breakfast time.

But when I got there, I understood what this was all about.

I saw 2 silver boxes on the table.

"Here, take these 2 boxes.

There is a lightning treasure in it.

You can use it for your breakthrough," Lowell said.

Hearing that my eyes flickered with a surprise.

Then I said, "Teacher, this is too expensive."

Lowell raises hand to stop and replied, "You got less time.

As I said before you, the real place for you in those Tier-4 cities."

"If you are able to accept inheritance in any one of those universities, you can develop rapidly," He said.

"Yesterday, I spoke with the Federation Head.

He has the same opinion as me as well.

You can do nothing much here," Lowell added further.

Hearing that I think it was connected with the sense of urgency I had earlier.

So I accepted without any protest.

I took the 2 boxes and placed them inside my silver storage ring.

Lowell suddenly thought of something.

Looking at Zack, he said, "When I'm not here.

Pay attention to your safety.

Don't take a step outside of the Castle."

Hearing that my back went cold for some reason.

I nodded at him solemnly before leaving the room.

Soon, I reached the basement to train.

Time passed,

10 A.M,

The Delta City is returned to normal.

The damaged City Gate and other buildings were renovated on the last day itself.

Now the shop owners and other people have returned.

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But they are not as active as before.

Not many can be seen in the peak time in the morning.

Even the activities of the warriors who come here for a mission have reduced as well.

All of this because of the recent attacks.

The Federation Head has put out a statement yesterday saying that they are investigating the case.

Unless, the case comes to an end.

People in Delta City won't feel safe.

Because it was exposed that the attacker was a Black Mark Warrior who had escaped successfully from the hands of the Silver Mark Warrior.

Some people are on edge.

Unless it's necessary they won't roam outside.

At this time, 11 figures walk out of the teleportation platform.

A middle aged man is leading the team.

He is none other than the Captain of the Reserved Team.

His face is not good looking.

He instructed his team members.

Then they split into different directions to inspect the city.

When they are gone.

He appears above the top of the tower building.

He then takes a look at the surrounding buildings.

Everyone is thinking about something else.

Thinking that the attack was over.

But he knows the actual truth.

“To think Lord Lowell has offended someone great.

That person dared to put a bounty on Lord’s Head.

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“I wonder who he might be?” The Captain said in his heart.

He knows that it won’t end with a single attack.

There will be the following attacks.

The Blood Shadow won’t end their attack unless they kill Lord Lowell.

“I hope that they won’t send Silver Mark Warrior next,” He said in his heart.

There is a huge power gap between the Black Mark Warrior and Silver Mark Warrior.

The Black Mark Warrior of the Blood Shadow managed to save his life.

He had exchanged a few blows with Lord Lowell.

Which itself was impressive.

He can't do that.

But if the Blood Shadow sends Silver Mark Warrior to kill, then he can't participate in that fight.

A sweet bead appears on his forehead.

The people in Delta City don't know what storms await them.

McClain Main House;

The Main Family Head Kane is watching the news.

But he is thinking about something else in his mind.

"It has been a day.

Why was there no follow up news?"

"Should I visit the tavern again?" Kane said to himself.

Then he shook his head the next second.

Everyone is looking for the culprit.

People might be paying attention to McClain House's movement.

It's not wise to visit that place this time.

But he wasn't able to wipe out the doubt in his heart.

He was expecting another blood shadow killer to appear and complete the incomplete task.

"Let's go to the tavern 2 days later," He said in his heart.

At the same time, the dying supreme elder is also looking at the news.

He thinks that it won't be long before Lowell starts suspecting the McClain House.

He wants Lowell dead before something like that happens.

Lowell Castle:

After coming out of the essence chamber, I entered the illusion chamber.

I didn't open the boxes given by the teacher.

I have planned to use it after sensing the barrier.

I walked to the platform and sat cross legged on the platform.

Then I activated the basic mode.

A white mist comes out of the platform.

Before I knew it I fell under illusion.

When I opened my eyes.

I spot the familiar ground around me.

The soil on the ground is dark brown in color.

The clouds are dark and cloudy as well.

The nearby trees are of the same species with a giant size.

When I looked at the tree carefully,

“Tree monster,” I said in my heart.

It was my first trip to the forbidden zone.

I had gone on the trip even before I knew about the Crimson Hall.

Looking at the familiar tree in front of me.

A cold smile appeared on my face.

Last time, I was helpless.

It won't happen the same again.

Suddenly, the tree monster made the move.

A massive root starts to come out from the ground.

One by one roots start rushing out towards me.

When the root got closer to me.

I raised my hand to catch the root.

I quickly caught the root which is closer to me.

Boom!

The next second, a purple lightning bolt starts coming from the palms.

The purple lightning power immediately shreds the branch into pieces.

One by one the roots start to break one by one.

The tree monster was alarmed.

The next second, I exploded with great speed.

In the blink of an eye, I appeared before the tree monster.

Then I raised my fist to punch.

“Blood Fist”

A red energy comes out from the bones and gathers around my fist.

The remaining roots start charging towards me.

But it was too late.

My fist already comes in contact with the trunk of the tree monster.

Boom!

An explosion occurs.

The terrible noise reverberated throughout the area.

But the tree monster was fine.

Then I remembered my current strength.

It was not Peak Super Elite Stage.

But rather it was a Special Trainee.

And this monster is a Class-2 Monster.

It's just that my techniques and control over the lightning element is retained.

I leaped backwards and looked at my current strength.

Then I brought the black sword outside.

"Sword Divide"

I started to charge the black sword with the purple essence.

In the blink of an eye, the black blade

with a purple light.

The next second, a purple beam released from the sword.

The purple beam tore through the air and reached the target in the blink of an eye.

The powerful beam hits the trunk.

The tree monster let out a screech.

The trunk of the tree was half damaged.

I almost forgot that the monster has terrible screech ability.

It can affect me .

Then I charged the black sword with purple essence again.

“Sword Divide”

I swung the sword against the monster.

A purple beam tore through the air.

The Tree monster fears the lightning power.

But it can't move.

The powerful lightning beam hits the trunk again.

Boom!

The remaining part of the trunk was destroyed from the attack.

With that tree monster's life came to an end.

The Tree Monster dropped dead on the ground.

The next second, the scene before me started to break.

Before I knew it I found myself in the illusion chamber.

The next second, a relaxed smile appeared on my face.

"It was a good memory," I said to myself.

It's been some time since I have fought against the Class Monster.

But looking at the current situation of mine.

I doubt whether I will get the opportunity to go to the monster zone here.

From the words of the teacher, I think he can't wait for me to send to the Tier-4 cities.

I wonder why he was in a hurry?

The next second, I shook my head.

Maybe he was right.

The lightning resources can be found in large quantities there.

I guess those universities won't lack lightning resources.

Then I stood up from the platform and walked out of the illusion chamber.

Chapter 764: 2nd Killer

Delta City:

At the east side of the border.

The barrier that separates the territory was being monitored by the Black Mark Warriors of the Federation.

Among the 10 members, 2 of them arrived here to protect the place.

But they don't know someone else is watching their movements.

Behind the space barrier.

A middle aged man wearing red colored clothes and hood is hiding under the ground.

He was one of the killers of the Blood Shadow Organisation.

When the reward for the killing task was raised.

He immediately took the mission and registered his name.

Then immediately left his hideout to come here.

“The mission was easy.

It’s easy to kill an ant on the Super Elite Stage.

But the real trouble is to deal with the obstacles on the way,” The middle aged man said in his heart.

Before coming here he had done his work.

He has read all those reports.

The mission was incomplete because their member was stopped by a Silver Mark Warrior and Black Mark Warrior.

Even for him, it’s not easy to fight against such a combination.

He is Black Mark Warrior himself.

He can easily handle the warriors who are patrolling here.

It’s just he is waiting to hear the news that the Silver Mark Warriors are not present here.

The organization doesn't want to send Silver Mark Warriors for this task.

The Silver Mark Warriors and above are considered the backbone of any organization.

On top of it, Client's amount is not enough to request the help of Silver Mark Warriors.

There is also one problem which is faced by all organizations in the inner post region.

The organizations in the inner post keep an eye on the other organizations' Silver Mark Warriors.

Their movements are monitored by many forces.

For example, everyone knows that Lowell stays in Delta City.

Unless there is a Tier-4 Boundary mission.

He won't leave the city.

Similarly, the other organizations' Silver Mark Warriors are busy all year around.

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Even for the Blood Shadow Organisation, they don't dare to neglect if there is a Tier-4 Boundary request.

So the middle aged man is quite concerned about the presence of the Silver Mark Warriors.

Because from the intel, it's confirmed that the enemy's Silver Mark Warrior, Lord Lowell, has recognised their technique.

Their identity was compromised in the last mission itself.

There is a high chance that higher ups of the federation knows about them.

If they laid out an ambush head knowing that someone will after the target's life.

Then the mission difficulty would be even higher.

The middle aged man is waiting.

But he can't delay for a long time.

Like the previous killer, he has been given 2 days to complete the mission.

"Let's wait here today"

"If there is no opportunity, then I'll think of something else tomorrow," The middle aged man said in his heart.

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From MC's Perspective:

Lowell was in his study room.

In Front of him, there is a blue screen.

Which is playing the security footage of important places in several small split screens.

It includes footage of four sides of the border, the teleport platform in the main city.

Footage of some important places in the whole city.

Finally, one of the footage is showing scenes outside of the Capital.

Seeing that there were no abnormalities in these places.

He sighed in relief.

At that same time, he is not completely relaxed.

He knows it will be a matter of time before another one pops up.

Last time, the killer directly chose to attack Lowell Castle.

He thinks that the blood shadow organization also knows that he has recognised their identity.

So he suspects they might try some other tricks.

Meanwhile,

Inside the Federation HQ, the Head Ben is also paying attention to this matter from time to time.

Privately, many of his allies are requesting information from him.

But he ignored everyone.

It's not going to be helpful for his organization in any way.

Beep!

Suddenly, he hears the notification sound.

Federation Head then realizes that one of the intelligence officers has come here to see him.

Then he allows him to come.

Shortly after, an old man wearing a tuxedo arrives.

He then greets the federation head before giving him a report.

Federation Head's eyes flashes with surprise.

Yesterday, he instructed the intelligence officer to collect some information.

But he didn't expect the results to come so soon.

He opened the report and started to read it.

His eyes turned cold.

"I was right.

There was something wrong with the McClain House," He said in his heart.

The report says that the current Family Head was spotted outside in another city prior to this incident.

Usually, when this type of incident happens.

It's normal for the family to put out a statement in support.

But McClain was rather silent.

There was no statement from them so far.

Which further raises the doubt.

"If that person was spotted in that city, then there is a Blood Shadow hideout there," He said in his heart.

The Federation Head then looked at the old man and said, "Follow this person's movements from now onwards.

He is likely to visit that place again."

Hearing that the intelligence officer accepted the task before leaving the place.

When he was gone.

Federation Head Ben drowned.

He knows that there was no need for the McClain Family to act against Lowell.

Because everyone knows that the Supreme Elder and only Gold Mark Warrior of the McClain House is very old.

After him, there was no one powerful left except Lowell.

Then why?

Ben feels things are not that simple.

He may have to collect more intel about the McClain House.

The following day,

Lowell's castle,

I arrived at the underground basement to cultivate.

Without much expectations, I entered inside the essence chamber.

After activating the basic mode, I sat cross legged on the platform.

I closed my eyes.

Then I started to cultivate the lightning scripture.

The dense white mist coming from the platform covers the chamber.

As the star lightning rune in mind starts to shine.

The purple energy from the white mist is coming out in large numbers.

One after another purple energy entered my body.

Then I started to guide the energy in my body according to the scripture.

After circulation, the refined purple essence settled down in my dantian.

Seeing that I continued to repeat the process.

Delta City:

The killer who was waiting outside of the East side barrier decides to move.

He notices that the 2 Black Mark Warriors are starting to show carelessness.

“Both of them were fine yesterday.

But now they are not paying attention to the barriers,” The middle aged man said in his heart.

His mouth curved into arcs.

“Maybe I don’t have to forcibly break through,” He said to himself.

The other hand the 2 Black Mark Warriors are discussing.

One is male and the other one is female.

They are bored.

They don’t know why their Captain wants them here.

They think that the attack was a one time incident.

Someone wanted to damage the image of the Federation.

They thought someone from a hostile force sent a warrior to do this.

But the both don't know that the organization was none other than Blood Shadow.

Otherwise, these two won't be this complacent.

The Blood Shadow Killer waited.

At one point, the Black Mark Warrior's start to do rounds together.

Which leaves open one of the important places.

Where the Blood Shadow Killer was exactly standing behind the barrier.

"These idiots.

Too think they are using this place to hang out," The Killer sneered in his heart.

When he saw them walking away from this place.

"Ha...Ha...Ha...," He let out a hearty laugh.

Earlier, he was wondering how to enter inside.

But these 2 morons paved the way for him.

Then started working on weakening the loophole.

10 minutes later,

Boom!

A small gap appeared inside the barrier.

The next second, the Killer entered inside.

When he appeared inside the territory of the delta City.

He didn't dare to waste time here.

Then he started moving towards the main city.

Those 2 Black Mark Warriors don't know what harm they have caused.

Meanwhile,

Inside the Lowell Castle, Lowell is still looking at the blue screen.

He still hasn't got up from the place.

He feels single minutes passing like a long hour.

He knows the next few days will be crucial.

Any time, the killer can enter the city.

Suddenly, he saw something in monitor.

At the East side of the main city, something is nearing the main city at a faster rate.

Seeing that his eyes flickered.

“This?”

“Killer has entered the city.

But how?” Lowell asked himself.

The next second, he informs the Captain to intercept him.

Then he walked out of the room and appeared in the courtyard.

He then summoned Jonathan.

Shortly after, Jonathan appeared.

“Master,” Jonathan said.

“Take care of the Castle.

I’m going to handle an important matter,” Lowell said.

Hearing that Jonathan understood.

“Yes, master.

Leave it to me,” He replied.

Swoosh!

Lowell then disappeared from the spot.

Chapter 765: Blood Locust Monsters

Delta City:

The 2nd Killer didn’t know that he was already exposed.

He got closer to the Main City.

When he saw the City Gate.

He paused his movements all of a sudden.

He thinks that there might be Black Mark Warriors patrolling the palace.

So he decided to wait here.

At the same time, the Captain of the reserved team receives the message and starts rushing out towards the location sent by Lowell.

5 minutes later,

The 2nd Killer spotted something in the sky.

“Someone is coming,” He muttered to himself.

He didn’t expect he would be found out soon.

But he don’t have other choice.

He have to complete the task within today.

He decided to enter the city later by using a different route.

“Flee!”

The 2nd killer made the quick decision.

He started to flee from the spot.

“Red Blood Escape”

His body turned to blood mist.

The next second, he disappears from the spot in the blink of an eye.

The Captain’s protector expression turned ugly when he saw that..

“Why do all of this b@sards use this technique to escape?” He asked himself.

Last time, two of them weren’t able to chase down the culprit.

This time it's even more impossible as the 2nd person.

The 2nd killer is fleeing towards the southern border instead of escaping into the city.

Seeing that, the Captain sends a message to the team member who went there to patrol.

Shortly after,

Lord Lovell arrives at the spot.

"What happened?" He asked.

The Captain then briefed him.

"He was sly b@stard," Lowell muttered to himself.

As he had guessed, the unknown warrior was none other than the 2nd killer.

Then he turned towards the Captain and asked, "How did he enter inside?"

"What about those who are patrolling?"

The Captain shook his head before saying, "I don't know.

I quickly arrived here after receiving the message."

Lowell furrowed his eyebrows.

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Then he thought of something and said, "I'm going back to the Castle."

"He will come to the city sooner or later.

Since he is here.

Call back your team and lay out an ambush in the main city," Lowell said to the Captain.

"It's a good plan.

I'll call back everyone," The Captain replied.

Swoosh!

Lowell disappeared from the spot and started moving back towards the Castle.

The Captain stayed there.

He knew the killer's real target was Lord Lowell.

So he will go to the city soon.

Time passed,

The Black Mark Warriors of the Reserve Team gathered back in the Main City an hour later.

The Captain didn't hide the news.

“What the attacker is here?”

“Captain!”

“What is the identity of the attacker?”

“Which organization is he from?”

The Black Mark Warriors started to ask the question.

Earlier, they were all skeptical.

They thought that the attack was a one time incident.

The Captain’s expression darkened.

“Listen everyone!”

“Don’t ask questions.

Just spread out according to our plan,” He said to everyone.

The team members are unwilling in their heart.

They don’t want to be kept in the dark.

But still they obeyed the Captain’s instructions.

When they are gone.

The Captain looked at the bustling city in front of him.

He doesn't know how the team members will react if they know the killer's real identity.

Meanwhile,

Lowell returned to the castle.

After speaking with Jonathan.

He went to the study room.

Sitting behind the desk, he activated the monitoring system.

The next second, a blue screen appears above the desk.

Lowell quickly started to access the security footage.

Since the killer was using the red blood escape technique.

It's confirmed that Blood Shadow have sent their 2nd killer.

Right now, he is thinking deeply to come up with a solution.

He not only wants to neutralize the killer but also wants to collect information from him.

He wants to know who put a bounty on Zack Lockwood.

He has doubts about some people.

Since he can't leave the place like before.

It's difficult to investigate.

The only option left now is the killer.

When that killer comes to the castle.

He decided to capture him alive.

For that he needs to purchase something.

Time passed,

At night time, the 2nd Killer directly approaches the City.

There is a way to reach Lowell Castle directly.

But he doesn't want to face Silver Mark Warrior.

He has only a few hours left.

He thinks that if he starts killing people in Delta City.

Lowell will be disturbed.

Once he enters the city to rescue people, he can use that opportunity to sneak into the castle.

He clearly remembers the report.

The Silver Mark Warrior Lowell was hesitant to fight inside the city.

Thinking about it, a wicked plan comes to his mind.

He doesn't want to use this plan unless necessary.

Since he has only a few hours left to complete the mission.

He is going to use people in Delta City as bait.

On the way, he thought about something.

So far he has found more than 4 Black Mark Warriors.

4 of them are patrolling 2 of the borders.

He encountered the last one a couple of hours ago when he had tried to enter the city.

"They must be waiting for me," The 2nd killer muttered to himself.

He then takes out a pouch from his storage ring.

They opened the pouch and saw the insect monsters were waiting to come out.

This is a special insect monster of their Blood Shadow Force.

It's called blood locust.

Normally, the killers are not allowed to kill others except the target.

But rich rewards blinded his eyes.

He doesn't want to return as a loser.

He learnt that the previous killer was not in good condition.

When he returned to the base.

No one paid any attention to him.

He doesn't want to suffer a similar situation as well.

Then he looks at the blood locust in the pouch.

His eyes gleamed with a twinkle.

He notices that he is not far away from the city gate.

When he got a little closer.

He notices there are commanded stage patrol guards.

Seeing that his eyes lit up with light.

These insect locust monsters are Class-8 monsters.

They are known for their blood-sucking ability.

If anyone encounters the blood locust.

Then they can't escape alive.

The 2nd killer takes out the pouch and releases the insect monsters in the mid air.

Whizz!

The blood locust monsters appeared in the mid air.

The next second, they chose their directions and started moving towards the City.

The Class-8 Monsters can easily kill Commander Stage Warriors.

Seeing that the killer thought it's good time to wait and watch.

Once Lowell arrives to control the situation.

He can then approach Lowell Castle.

On the other hand, the commander stage warriors are unaware of the danger awaiting them.

Whizz!

The blood locust monsters reach the City Gate.

The commander warriors who were patrolling the gates suddenly turned around.

When they saw strange insects coming towards them.

They all are alarmed.

“What is that?”

“Are they monsters?”

“How come monsters are here?”

The commander rank warriors felt the pressure of the monsters.

Which is not lower than them.

When they tried to attack the monster.

The blood locust monsters

enveloped them.

In the blink of an eye, the blood in their bodies is drained.

A few seconds later,

Their bodies dropped dead on the ground.

Then the blood locust monsters started moving towards the city.

As the time passes, those warriors on the way are attacked by the monsters.

They were all reduced to dry corpses.

This situation was noticed by other people walking on the streets.

The Class monsters are found on the other side of the boundaries.

They can't cross the territory to reach here.

Because the place was separated by the boundary.

Seeing the monsters here, it caused alarm.

People even thought that boundary may have broken.

Soon the news started to spread like a wildfire.

The blood locust monsters started to spread in different directions.

They are causing a lot of killings on the way.

The news reached the ears of Captain and reserved team members.

Delta City is very big and has a massive land size.

So it took time to reach their ears.

At the same time, Lowell also saw the abnormal scenes on the blue screen.

He saw a lot of dead bodies on the footage.

Seeing that his eyes turned cold.

The next second, he walked out of the study room and disappeared from the spot.

Murderous intent flashes in his eyes.

He didn't expect the killer to come up with this cruel plan.

On the way, he texted the Captain.

He instructed him to dispatch 2 Black Mark Warriors to protect the castle.

Swoosh!

He increased his speed.

In the blink of an eye, he rushed out of the sphere of Lowell Castle.

On the other hand, the Captain and few members reached affected areas to kill the monsters.

After clearing the monsters, they continued their way.

Lowell saw the swarm of blood locust monsters causing the killings.

He simply raised his hand to erase those monsters.

Chapter 766: Castle under attack

From MC's Perspective:

Delta City,

Lowell didn't stop anywhere.

Whenever he passes through the swarm of blood locust monsters they turn to ashes.

Similarly, the Captain and other Black Mark Warriors are helping to wipe out the blood locust monsters.

They didn't forget the existence of the killer.

It's just their hands are completely tied right now.

They can't go after the killer leaving behind the innocents here.

Meanwhile,

The 2nd Killer cracked an evil grin on his face.

His place has worked out.

Not even the previous killer was able to pull off something like this.

He then turned towards Lowell Castle's direction.

A cold glint flashes in his eyes.

His current state is weak.

Because of forbidden blood escape techniques.

His strength was reduced by half.

But he thinks that it was enough to wipe out the warriors below his stage.

Swoosh!

He started rushing out towards Lowell Castle.

Lowell Castle:

Jonathan was watching the news on a live stream.

Watching those videos a hint of apprehension flashes in his eyes.

He himself was slightly scared.

“Blood locust monsters,” He said to himself.

He knows about the boundary as well.

It was impossible for the blood locust monsters to cross the space barrier.

Then he recalled something.

It must be the work of the attacker.

Jonathan quickly equipped himself with artifacts such as inner armor and grade-9 weapons.

Basement:

“What is this feeling again?” I asked myself.

Inside the gravity chamber, I wasn’t able to concentrate properly.

So I stopped the gravity pressure and walked out of the chamber to catch a breath.

Beep!

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Suddenly, I received a call from Jonathan.

Seeing that I attended the call .

“Zack, whatever happens outside.

Don’t worry.

I’m going to seal the basement.

When the trouble is solved.

I will open the seal,”.After saying that Jonathan ended the call.

“What?” My expression changes drastically.

Swoosh!

I rushed out towards the exit.

Boom!

The next second,

I bumped into the invisible barrier..

Meanwhile,

Jonathan has sent the staff and other workers outside of the castle.

He asked them to stay near the Lake area.

Right now, staying in the castle is more dangerous.

The staff and workers are panicking.

At the same time, they acted as per order.

They quickly left the castle and moved towards the lake area.

When everyone was gone.

Jonathan sighed in relief.

Because he has a strong feeling that the attacker might be a Black Mark Warrior.

Because apart from the Black Mark Warriors.

No one can cross the space barrier and release the deadly blood locust monsters into their territory.

At the same time, the survivors started informing other people.

Soon, the news reaches ears of other 3 cities.

Hearing that Delta City was targeted again.

Everyone's spine went cold.

The Silver Mark Warriors living in other 3 cities have sent people to guard the borders.

They are shocked by the news that blood locust monsters are causing havoc in Delta City.

The Silver Mark Warriors are not stupid.

They quickly connected the dots.

They thought someone was behind the attack.

They started requesting help from the HQ.

20 minutes later,

The 2nd killer reached Lowell Castle.

He was in full confidence to complete the mission.

He knows that Lowell was not here.

He can kill the target before Lowell comes back.

Swoosh!

He appears above the Castle.

Then he swept his eyes across the castle.

Apart from one living person, there was no one else.

The 2nd killer thought it must be the target.

So he casually lands at the front garden.

“Why was no one here?” He asked himself.

But when he turned around, He saw a massive flame arc reach him.

“Harumph,” The killer snorted before raising his bare hand to stop it.

Boom!

He simply crushed the flame arc by using his bare hand.

When the explosion occurred.

It didn't even affect him.

He waved his hand.

The rest of the flames disappear into thin air.

"General Stage Power," The Killer said to himself.

But he knows that the target was Super Elite Stage Warrior.

Then he thought of something.

"You must be Jonathan," The killer asked.

In Front of him, there is a middle aged man standing with a Grade-9 weapon in his hand.

The person is none other than Jonathan.

He didn't respond.

Instead he used his General Stage Power to attack.

"You know you can't stop me," The killer grinned before directly appearing in front of Jonathan.

The Killer simply raised his hand to hit.

When he hits Jonathan's chest without any elemental power.

Boom!

Jonathan's body flew backwards like a broken kite.

His body slammed into walls one after another, destroying everything on the way.

Smash!

Finally, his body lands on the ground after hitting the castle walls.

Pfff!

Blood escaped from Jonathan's mouth.

He underestimated the power of Black Mark Warrior.

The Blood Mark Warrior can crush him by using his body strength.

"No wonder, master wants me to break through quickly."

"Without having similar strength and above, it's difficult to win against Black Mark Warrior," Jonathan said in his heart.

On the other hand, the killer's gaze fell on Jonathan.

"He is alive," His eyes flashed with surprise.

Then he understood something.

"My strength is half now.

Otherwise, the simple hit was enough to crush his heart," He grunted.

Then he slowly walks up to Jonathan.

"I'm not going to waste time.

Tell me where Zack Lockwood is right now.

I'll spare your life," The Killer said.

"Zack?" Jonathan was shocked in his heart.

He had doubts earlier.

Now he understands everything.

"I don't know?" Jonathan replied.

Hearing that the killer was not surprised.

Meanwhile,

Lowell who has almost cleared the threat.

He decides to return.

The rest of the small groups can be cleared by others.

When he just turned around to move.

Beep!

He received a message.

When I open the message to read it.

He saw its message of damaged gadgets which he had installed inside the castle.

“The Castle is under attack,” His expression changes drastically.

A murderous intel flashes in his eyes.

He used full strength to break out with full speed.

Boom!

The shock wave swept across the streets.

Fortunately, no one was nearby.

Inside the Castle:

“Argh,” Jonathan let out a scream.

The 2nd killer is crushing the right leg of Jonathan.

“I will give you one last chance.

Tell me where he is hiding,” The Killer asked.

He is getting impatient.

Jonathan is bleeding heavily.

He gritted his teeth and ignored the question of the killer.

“Harumph,” The killer gave a cold snort before completely crushing the leg.

“Argh,” Jonathan screamed again.

How strong was he before?

But in front of the Black Mark Warrior.

He wasn’t able to lift a finger.

If he survives this, he decides to focus on getting the quota first.

Only after getting the quota, he can enter those places to accept the inheritance.

The killer grinned before thinking of something.

When he checks the live news.

He saw that Blood locusts were gone.

“No, I don’t have much time left,” His expression changes drastically.

Then he turned around and took a look at the castle.

He has a feeling that the target was hiding in the castle.

Boom!

“BLOOD POISON”

A red color mist started coming from his palms.

Then it quickly starts spreading everywhere.

Those plants and trees are beginning to decay at a faster rate.

The Killer not only stopped there.

He began to go through the rooms one by one.

The blood poison is infiltrating every nook and corner.

Jonathan has traces of clarity.

But he wasn't able to move his body.

Before crushing his leg.

The killer beat him down by using his fist.

He could have ended him in one single move.

But the Killer wanted the intel.

Seeing that blood poison is infiltrating his organs.

He feels bad.

When he thought about Zack.

He sighed inwardly.

At the last moment, he had decided to seal the basement.

But he doesn't know whether the blood poison can enter the place or not.

Because he had only sealed the entrance.

Not other places.

Though the basement was protected by special walls.

It's not known whether poison from outside can enter the place.

On the other hand,.the killer was searching fanatically.

Wherever he goes he doesn't forget to contaminate the place with poison.

If the staff and other workers are here, then they would have died from the first contact.

At the front garden, none of the plants and flowers survived.

Everything was rotten including small grasses on the ground.

A few minutes later,

Lowell returns to the castle.

His eyes are clear.

Because of his Silver Mark Power.

He can see that red poison has covered the castle.

His heart filled with anger.

When he saw someone in the front garden.

He realized it's the new killer.

Thunder!

A black lightning released from his palm.

When it appeared.

The surrounding environment changes.

The dark clouds covered the sky.

The killer was startled by sudden bad premonition.

When he raised his head.

He saw a black lightning carrying ominous pressure locked his body.

Chapter 767: 2nd Killer is dead

From MC's Perspective:

The killer was hit by the black lightning.

Boom!

A sudden explosion occurs.

The power of Black lightning has created a deep pit on the ground.

When the smoke was gone.

The Killer's appearance was beyond recognition.

He is lying half dead on the ground.

His body was scorched black.

The black lightning attack has evaporated the water in his body.

Even the red blood running through his veins has dried.

As the time passes, the remaining vitality also slips away at a faster rate.

Lowell landed on the garden with the same cold expression.

Earlier, he thought about interrogating the killer after capturing him.

But now he just wants him to die.

Then he remembers Jonathan.

Swoosh!

He disappeared from the spot and then appeared right next to him.

Then he takes out the expensive healing treasure in his inventory before feeding him.

Jonathan's complexion turned better.

But still it's not safe to stay here until blood poison disappears.

'Master, Zack is stuck in the basement.

I have sealed the entrance earlier,,’ Jonathan told the truth.

Lowell nodded his head.

He knows the safest place in the whole castle was the underground training basement.

Lowell then takes him outside of the castle.

He appeared at the lake area in the blink of an eye.

He has already sensed the presence of Castle staff and workers earlier.

After handing Jonathan over to them.

Lowell returns to the Castle.

When he appeared next to the killer.

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He saw the killer had already breathed last breath.

Now he is dead.

Meanwhile,

I’m waiting nervously inside the basement.

I know something is going on.

But I don't know what it is.

The signals are jammed right now.

I wasn't able to connect to the internet.

Boom!

When I was wondering.

The door appears again.

Suddenly, a silhouette appeared before me.

The person is none other than Teacher Lowell.

"Let's go," Lowell said.

"Teacher, what's going on?" I asked back.

Before I could ask further.

He grabbed my shoulder.

In the blink of an eye, we appeared in the mid air.

Then I saw the whole castle was covered with blood mist.

My eyes flashes with horror.

I felt an instant threat from it.

“It’s a deadly poison,” Teacher’s words reached my ears.

Then he brought me towards the lake area next.

Seeing that everyone was gathered.

Phew!

I heaved a sigh of relief.

I thought everyone was gone.

“Stay here, I have to control the situation at the main city,” Lowell said before disappearing from the spot.

The Blood Locust Monsters have cleared.

But it’s not easy to erase fear from people’s hearts.

When the teacher was gone.

I turned towards the staff and asked about Jonathan.

Hearing that they sidestepped.

Then I saw Jonathan leaning against the tree.

His complexion was a little pale.

At the same time, Jonathan opened his eyes and looked at me.

“Jonathan, what happened?”

“Don’t try to hide everything,” I asked.

It’s easy to guess that someone attacked the castle again.

But I want to hear from his mouth.

Jonathan shook his head before saying, “You can hear it from the master.”

After saying that he took a glance at the staff and other workers who are eavesdropping.

Hearing that I sighed inwardly.

Then I started to access the live news.

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Federation HQ:

Federation Head Ben learnt of another attack in the Delta City.

He quickly summoned the intel officer.

Then.

He sent a message to Lowell and the Captain of the Reserved Team.

He wants the report submitted to him as soon as possible.

The news is spreading like a wildfire.

Other 3 cities have already asked for assistance.

Though there was no reported attack in the other 3 cities.

He sent remaining teams to these 3 cities as a preventive measure.

“Blood Locus Monsters,” His eyes flickered.

At first he didn’t believe it, but he has received credible footage from Delta City.

There was indeed multiple swarms of blood locust monsters attacking the delta city.

Normally, it’s impossible for insect monsters to appear in the city all of a sudden.

Because there were strong space barriers separating different territories.

It’s impossible for insect monsters to bypass the barriers unless there is some external help.

Apart from that blood locust monsters are favorite insect monsters of Blood Shadow Organisation.

Federation Head is clenching his fist.

He has covered up the identity of the 1st killer.

But the blood locust monsters' appearance is going to give away a lot of clues to outside forces.

He hopes that it's not related to the Blood Shadow Organisation.

Shortly after,

An old man in the tuxedo appears.

He was the one who appeared last time as well.

"Tell me you got the full report," Ben asked.

The old man showed hesitation before saying, "We have only got half the information.

We still have to hear it from Lord Lowell."

Hearing that Head frowned before asking, "Tell me what you know?"

"We have checked the boundary.

But there was no sign of blood locust monsters."

"It was found in the city all of a sudden.

Which makes us conclude that it was deliberately released by someone," the intel officer said.

Federation Head Ben shook his head before saying, "You can leave."

The intel officer left after that.

Federation Head mood worsens.

From this half intel alone.

He can conclude that it was the doing of a killer from the Blood Shadow.

A few minutes later,

Lowell walked in.

"What about him?" Ben asked.

"He is handling the situation at the delta city," Lowell replied.

"Was it them again?" Ben asked with a doubtful tone.

Lowell nodded his head before starting the explanation.

He told how the 2nd killer used the Blood Locust Monsters to divert attention.

Then he talked about his rescue efforts and blood poisoning technique of the 2nd killer.

A few minutes later,

Both of them remained silent.

But Ben's expression was heavy.

Then he raised his head and looked at Lowell.

"You have managed to save him for the 2nd time.

Then what about next?"

"You kill the Black Mark Warriors.

But what if they send out Silver Mark Warriors to complete the mission," Ben asked.

His question was a little bit harsh.

But he wants to listen to the honest answers of Lowell.

"Head, I have a presumptuous request," Lowell said.

"Oh!"

"What is it?" Head asked.

"I want Zack to stay in the HQ," Lowell answered.

Head Ben's eyes flash with a surprise.

But he knows the reason behind this.

The Blood Organisation's killers may run everywhere.

But they dare not attack the HQ of any organization.

Head Ben thought of something before accepting the request.

He knows that the situation at Tier-4 Boundary is getting serious.

It may not be long before they request the assistance of all the Silver Mark Warriors here.

If that happens, he doesn't want Lowell to feel any burden.

"You can bring him right away," Federation Ben said.

Lowell sighed in his heart.

He thinks that HQ is many times safer than those cities.

Because the HQ is located inside a subspace.

No outsiders can locate the space.

So the HQ is a safe haven for Zack.

After thanking the Federation Head, Lowell left the place to bring Zack here immediately.

Meanwhile,

The news of the 2nd killer's death was quickly known to the Blood Shadow Organisation.

They know that it was done by the same person again.

The blood shadow killers all over the region found that there was a new mission again.

It was an incomplete mission.

When they saw it was a familiar mission.

They understood that the killer who took the mission failed.

Now two people have failed to complete the mission.

The Blood Shadow Killers are waiting to see whether the rewards would go up or not.

But to their disappointment the mission rewards remained the same.

There are many who are hesitating to pick the mission.

Because the killers failed to complete the mission two times.

Next time, the mission will be more difficult.

So they can't afford to take the risk with the same reward.

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McClain House:

The appearance of the blood locust monsters in the Delta City reached the ears of all important forces in the inner post region.

Which also includes McClain House.

Unlike others, they knew the real reason.

The Family Head Kane was eagerly awaiting the news.

But when he saw Lowell, his Student was fine.

His heart swelled up in anger.

"They are fine again," Kane said to himself.

"Even the blood locust monsters failed to kill them," He grunted.

He doesn't know why the killer has released the insect monsters in the city.

Their real target was Lowell and his student.

Now this killing would cause unnecessary problems.

If the Federation wants to find the identity.

Then they will learn that the McClain House was behind all of this.

A mere thought of this made him scared.

He thought of contacting the Supreme Elder again.

So he left the room and rushed towards the mansion of the Supreme Elder.

Chapter 768: A new home!

From MC's perspective:

Lowell Castle:

We are waiting at the lake area.

When it was early morning.

Teacher Lowell appeared in front of us.

"You can enter the castle.

It's safe now," Lowell said.

Hearing that staff and other workers cheered out loud.

Jonathan revealed a smile as well.

"Jonathan, can you move now?" Lowell asked.

"Master, I'm fine.

I will lead them to the castle," After saying that he stood up.

"Zack, come with me," After saying that Lowell grabbed Zack before appearing in the mid air.

In the blink of an eye, we appeared back at the castle and then landed on the ground.

When I looked around.

There was no sign of poisoned blood anymore.

"Don't worry, I had taken care of the poison.

The castle is safe now," After saying that Lowell thought of something.

Then he added,"Zack, go and pack your stuff.

You are going to live at the HQ from now onwards."

Hearing that I was shocked to the core.

"Wht?" I blurted out.

Sigh!

Lowell let out a sigh.

"After packing your stuff come to the study room, I'll explain everything," Lowell said before going to the study room.

Looking at his back, a complex glint flash in my eyes.

“Looks like the current situation is related to me,” I said in my heart.

Otherwise, the teacher won’t ask me to move.

Then I went to my room to pack things.

Shortly after,

Jonathan brought everyone to the castle.

But the castle was in bad condition.

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Several structures were demolished.

There was no sign of the front garden.

The grass is gone.

The plants and flowers are rotten.

There was a large sign of black mark on the ground as well as a deep pit.

It was the result of the black lightning.

Nearby walls are broken because of the aftermath of the attack.

A quick gleam flashes in Jonathan's eyes.

"It's the black lightning," He was shocked in his heart.

To think the killer forces the master to use his element.

He was in a state of disbelief for a moment.

Then he thought of the blood poison and he understood.

He understood that the master must have been furious at that time.

So he had directly used his power to kill him.

"Alright, everyone.

We are safe now.

You guys can start working.

Let's rebuild the structures again," Jonath said to others.

At the same time, his heart was burning in anger.

Though the Master had arrived in time to save him.

He still thinks that he was not strong enough to defeat the enemy.

And he had also put Zack's life under threat as well.

"When will they give us the task?" He shouted in his heart.

If he was Black Mark Warriors, he would have handled the situation safely.

Meanwhile,

I started packing my things.

There are not many things in my room apart from the clothes.

A few minutes later,

I stored the items in my storage ring before leaving the room.

Suddenly, my footsteps stopped.

Then I looked towards the basement.

"I'm gonna miss the basement training rooms," I muttered to myself.

But I also know that HQ has even more advanced faculties.

If they give me free access to training facilities, then I can solve a lot of troubles.

After taking one last look at them, I started walking towards the study room.

When I arrived there, The door was already open.

Seeing that I walked in.

Then I saw the teacher sitting behind the desk as usual.

I remembered his words before.

So I closed the door and walked towards the desk to receive his explanation

“Have you packed everything?” Lowell asked.

Looking at the face, he can tell that Zack has a lot of doubts.

Hearing that I replied, “Yes, teacher.

I have got my things in storage ring.

”

Lowell nodded his head before saying, “I know you can’t wait to ask the questions.”

“So I’ll tell you,” He added.

I nodded at him and stood silently.

“Blood Shadow Organisation is one of the 23 forces in the inner post region.”

“Unlike other organizations, families, clans, business and academy institutions.”

“This Blood Shadow Force is a killer organization.

They kill for money and resources.”

“A few days ago, someone paid a huge amount of money to place a bounty on you.

That's why the Black Mark Warrior came to the city and attacked Lowell Castle.”

“He wanted to kill you.

But he was intercepted by me and the Captain of the reserved team.

In the end, he can only escape to save his life.”

“The Blood Shadow Force doesn't accept failures.

They don't have any incomplete mission.

They will complete the mission at whatever cost to satisfy the client.”

“They will send endless killers until the mission succeeds,” Lowell said.

“That's why a 2nd killer entered the city today.

He released the blood locust monsters in populated city to divert the attention.”

“When I was not here.

He came to the castle to attack.

Fortunately, Jonathan had sealed it before the killer found it.”

“In the end, I had arrived on time to save Jonathan and others.”

“Since I have killed the 2nd killer.

They will send another stronger and powerful warrior.

So you can’t stay in the delta city.”

“Only the HQ is the safest place for you.

They won’t dare to enter the HQ.

The HQ is under the direct protection of the Federation Head who is Gold Mark Warrior.”

“Even the Silver Mark Warriors have to think twice before entering that place,” He added.

On the other hand, I felt thunderclap ringing in my ears.

The information was too shocking.

I know all of this was because of me.

But I didn’t think I was connected that much.

“Someone has put a bounty on my head.

Who could be?"

"I have never left the castle and the city.

So how could I offend anyone," I grunted.

Lowell said,"I'm also confused about this.

That's why working secretly to get the information about this.

If we can find the person who put the bounty, then we will know everything."

On the other hand, I felt thunder clapping in my ears.

I had a guess it was related to me.

But to think such a deadly force is trying to take my life.

I sucked a cold breath of air.

"No!"

"They haven't tried their best yet," I said in my heart.

If they were serious about taking my life at all, then they would send Silver Mark Warriors.

If such a thing had happened, even the teacher wouldn't have stopped them.

No wonder he wants me to stay at the HQ.

Unless the Gold Mark Warrior himself comes, no one can threaten the HQ of the Federation.

But again!

Who had such hatred against me?

I know no one here except the teacher.

Then I thought of the absurd things.

“Was it related to my dead parents?” I asked in my heart.

Then I shook my head in denial.

Lowell thought Zack was finding it hard to accept the truth.

It might take time to accept it.

“It can’t be,” I said in my heart.

Uncle once said my parents had a great identity.

Even the outpost federation database doesn’t have a record of their identity.

But I don’t know whether they are from one of the 23rd forces here.

No one knows about it except me and my uncle.

Then I calmed down.

It can be learnt slowly in future.

At my current strength, it's impossible.

After a few minutes, I returned to my usual self.

"Teacher, who could be responsible for this?" I asked.

Lowell replied, "It's hard to uncover for now.

They don't disclose the identity of their clients.

But I have suspicious people on my list.

I'll start investigating from them."

"As I said before, you should focus on increasing your strength.

You can see that below the Black Mark Warrior Rank.

People die.

They don't have control over their own life."

"Only by becoming stronger can you truly be safe," Lowell said in a solemn tone.

But he knows for a fact.

Even after becoming Black Mark Warriors and above.

The Situation won't change much even after becoming the Black Mark Warriors.

There are much higher threats awaiting them.

On the other hand, I'm feeling a sense of urgency like never before.

I thought I had time to develop smoothly.

But a dangerous force is after my life.

The events are happening quite similar to the Crimson Hall one.

It's just that this organization is many times more powerful and stronger.

To think they have Silver Mark Warriors in their force.

It's not something a teacher can handle alone.

I took a deep breath before saying, "Teacher, I'm ready to leave."

Lowell sighed and said, "Don't think too much about it.

As long as you show your talent and gain achievements.

The Federation Head will protect you."

Hearing that I felt a huge weight being lifted off from my shoulders.

If the Federation Head is supportive as he says, then I don't have to worry about unnecessary things.

Chapter 769: Manager Robbie

From MC's Perspective:

A few minutes later,

We appeared in the front garden.

Jonathan was there as well.

"I'm taking Zack to the HQ.

He will be staying there from now onwards," Lowell said to Jonathan.

Jonathan was shocked in his heart.

But he still nodded his head at him.

"Okay, master," He replied.

"Take care of the castle.

I will return after making arrangements for him," Lowell said.

At the same time, I spoke a few words to Jonathan.

I don't know when I will be coming next.

Then the Teacher grabbed my shoulder and we appeared in the mid air the next moment.

He then started moving towards the platform.

In a few steps, he reached the city.

Then we reached the teleportation platform in the blink of an eye.

After landing near the platform, I saw unfamiliar faces guarding the platform.

"They are the reserve team," Lowell said.

A quick gleam flashes in my eyes.

I see them nodding at the teacher.

Then we walked inside.

Then the teacher activated the platform.

The platform lit up with the light.

The next second, we disappeared from the spot.

When I opened my eyes.

I found myself back at the HQ.

It's not been so long since I have won the ranking duels of the Super Elite Stage.

When we walked out.

The patrolling guards saluted the teacher.

Their eyes also fell on me.

Since there is a teacher with me.

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No one wants to pry further.

After leaving the place, we started walking towards the towering tower.

Soon we reached the HQ.

The height of the building was awe inspiring.

Then we both walked inside the building.

Lowell has already spoken with the Federation Head.

Then talks to the tower office manager regarding the accommodation.

The manager was a middle aged man named Robbie.

He is a Black Mark Warrior.

He is going to take care of the accommodation as well as the other needs of Zack Lockwood.

He is going to act as medium between Zack and the Federation Head and to Lowell as well.

“Zack, meet the tower office manager.

His name is Robbie.

A Ice Element Black Mark Warrior.

He is going to be responsible for you when I’m not around,” Lowell said.

“Hello, Zack.

I’m Robbie,” He raised his hand for a handshake.

The other hand, I felt no malicious intent from the Silver haired warrior.

So I gave a handshake without a worry.

If my guess is right, he is going to protect me in secret.

To think that the Federation has paid attention to my safety.

It was surprising.

Now I have to show my worth to them in future.

"Then, Zack.

I'm leaving.

If you have something to ask, you can contact me or Jonathan," Lowell said.

Delta City still needs his protection.

He didn't want to stay away from that place for so long.

"Don't worry, teacher.

I'll be safe," I replied to him.

I know he has a lot of things to handle.

So it's best to assure him.

"Okay," He said before leaving the place.

Leaving behind both of us in the Lobby.

"Alright, Zack.

Let me guide you towards your new room," Robbie said.

Hearing that I nodded and followed him from behind.

There are office workers in tuxedos going about their business.

There are also warriors in the black Uniform.

We then entered life.

Robbie pressed the 50th button.

When life starts to move.

He said, "Your room is on the 50th floor.

The 50th floor also has training chambers.

If you want, you can access the chambers whenever you want.'

Hearing that my eyes lit up with surprise.

"What type of training chambers?" I asked back.

"World Essence Chamber"

"Gravity Training Chamber "

"Puppet Training Chamber"

"Illusion Chamber"

"Nightmare Chamber"

On the other hand, I'm listening patiently.

But the last training chamber caught my attention.

"What about the Nightmare Chamber?" I asked.

"It's a training place to train your soul from the various soul attacks," Robbie said.

Hearing that a hint of surprise flashes in my eyes.

"I too have the soul techniques," I said in my heart.

Looks like the place is better than the underground training chamber.

As the teacher said, the federation intends to train me.

Otherwise, there is no need to give me full access.

Creak!

When I recovered my thoughts.

We already arrived at the 50th floor.

The lift opened, then we walked out.

Robbie said, "There is one more thing.

the 50th floor is forbidden for others to enter.”

“In other words, the 50th floor is exclusively given to you.

No one can enter here without getting permission from you.

Ofcourse, except the Federation Head,”He added.

Gasp!

I sucked a cold breath of air.

This kind of treatment is unbelievable.

Robbie saw the shock and surprise in Zack’s eyes.

But he was not surprised at all.

Because there are other genius warriors who are enjoying the similar treatment as well.

The difference is that their strength is higher than the Super Elite Stage and they live on higher floors.

Then we reached our room.

“You can set your retina scan or palm print as access code,” Robbie said.

Hearing that I set my palm print as the access code on the door lock system.

Creak!

After confirming the configuration, I opened the door.

Then I walked into the room.

The living room is spacious.

There is space for dining as well.

Which is adjacent to the kitchen.

“But who is going to cook?” I said in my heart.

Then I started looking around.

There is a one big bedroom with an attached bathroom and toilet.

There is also one dedicated room for private cultivation.

Seeing that I immediately entered the training room.

Which is adjacent to the bedroom.

The training room was surrounded with metallic walls.

There were no windows and other outlets.

Their only opening is the entrance/exit door.

But it was enough.

The room looks cool.

Then I walked out of the training room.

Then I saw there was also a balcony as well.

Where I can enjoy the outside view.

Robbie didn't disturb Zack.

Instead he waited patiently.

A few minutes later,

I returned to the living room.

I saw Robbie sitting on the sofa.

"I like the room," I said.

Robbie nodded his head before saying, "I have also changed the configuration of the training chambers.

You can access them by using your palm print."

Hearing that I thanked him.

Robbie then stood up and said, "Now, my work is done.

I'll give you my contact, if you need anything you can let me know."

"Here is your new uniform as well," He added, pointing to the metal box on the table.

After saying that he left the room.

I walked together with him to send him off.

He entered life before disappearing from my sight.

Then I turned around and I heaved a sigh of relief.

"I'm the sole controller of this floor," I said in my heart.

Suddenly, I thought about the McClain House.

I don't think I could get the similar treatment there.

Maybe it's because I don't have any affiliations with other organizations.

After calming down my heart, I returned to my room.

Meanwhile,

Robbie didn't go to the lobby.

Instead he went to the top floor.

When the top floor has come.

He walked out of the life and asked for permission to enter.

This place is the working place of the Federation Head.

Shortly after, he received the permission.

When he entered inside.

He greeted the Federation Head with a bow.

“Robbie, how does the new kid look?” Federation Head Ben asked.

“Is he talented enough to enter one of the Universities?” He added.

The Silver Haired Robbie smiled and said, “Head, it’s early to say.

But he looks eager to improve his strength.

He seems interested in the training chambers as well.”

Hearing that Head Ben was not surprised.

“Well, that kid might feel pressured because of the Blood Shadow.

On top of it, the Lowell Castle also has similar training chambers,” He said.

Robbie understood why Zack was happy to have access to the training chambers as well.

"It's not easy to enter the university.

I have watched a few of his duel clips.

The purple lightning is indeed powerful.

He seems to have a good affinity with it."

"But his current strength is too low.

If he can reach the General Stage below 20, there is a good chance.

He has at least 3 years left," Robbie said.

"Sigh"

The Federation Head let out a sigh before saying,"The Blood Shadow won't wait for that long.

As long as he stays in the inner post, their methods are going to be more sinister."

Robbie's eyes turn cold.

The backer of the blood shadow is also the cause of headache in the Tier-4 cities as well.

"Do you think he can complete the task?" Federation Had asked.

Hearing that Robbie was stunned.

His eyes widened in disbelief.

“Head, are you joking?”

“Even the General Stage Warriors have a lesser probability of surviving the mission.

He is just a Super Elite Stage Warrior,” Robbie said in a solemn tone.

Chapter 770: The 2nd attack reactions

Federation HQ:

Federation Head Ben knows that his idea was a bold one.

But he still thinks of it as a way for Zack to enter the Tier-4 cities in future.

“Alright, forget it,” He said.

Robbie sighed inwardly.

Then he discussed a few other issues with him.

A few minutes later,

He left the room.

Federation Head looks at his disappearing back.

“If he is here, then I don’t think blood Shadow members can fight against him,” He said in his heart.

Now the accommodation issue of Zack was settled.

Then it's time to focus on other important matters.

Then he started putting his mind on other works.

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Meanwhile,

The news of the 2nd attack in Delta City is starting to spread like a wildfire.

This time it gained more traction because of the mention of the Blood Locust monsters.

Which caused further storms in everyone's heart.

Unlike the outer post,

where the monsters are mostly confined in the monster zones surrounded by walls.

Here the monsters live inside a territory which was blocked by space barriers on all four sides.

The land size of the territory is many times the size of the monster zones.

The warriors came here by using teleportation platforms.

So the monsters living here can't go outside.

Unless the space barrier was gone.

So the appearance of the blood locust monsters has caused a new sense of alarm.

The other forces in the inner post have also started checking their barriers.

While some others are skeptical.

This was the second attack on Delta City.

So they believe that blood locust monsters were released by the attacker.

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further questions.

Which forces have the monsters under them.

There are many forces who domesticate monsters or control monsters for their use.

Among them blood locust monsters were least popular.

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But the insect monsters have effective use in killing.

Those who are aware of blood shadow force immediately thought they were behind the attack.

But still no one mentioned it.

Because of the 2nd attack.

It became clear.

The Federation is under the attack.

Someone is targeting them.

They are targeting the Delta City for particular reason.

It won't be long before they dig up everything.

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McClain House:

The old man was greeted by the Family Head Kane again.

"What now?" The old man asked.

Both of them are now in the front garden.

The old man is relaxing in his reclining chair.

Kane couldn't help but curse in his heart.

He was here a couple of hours ago.

But the Supreme Elder had refused to meet him.

Fortunately, he has come again at the right time.

“Supreme Elder, their 2nd attempt failed as well,” He said with a hint of anger in his tone.

The old man closed his eyes and didn’t care about him.

But in his heart.

He was shocked.

He knew the blood shadow force wouldn’t give up like that.

Like he had expected they had sent another killer to complete the mission.

But it’s a pity, it appears though Lowell has waited for him all along.

“Idiots,” The old man scolded them in his heart.

He had used so much money for the bounty.

Yet they had failed to kill him.

On the other hand, Kane was pissed off.

If for the Supreme Elder being the Gold Mark Warrior and the direct ancestor of him.

He would have slapped him right away.

“Supreme Elder, I think Elder Lowell will find out eventually,” He said.

Slap!

Hearing that old man opened his eyes and slapped him on his face.

Kane was dumbfounded.

For a moment, a hint of anger appeared in his eyes.

But the old man’s strength crossed his mind.

That slap didn’t have power.

Otherwise, he would have died right away.

The old man is looking at Kane like dead meat.

He doesn’t know why Kane was so scared about Lowell.

“You’re my direct descendant.

You should have more confident in me.”

“Even if he knows, what can he do?”

“He won’t dare to attack the family.

His 3rd Branch Family is still here.

As long as they are here, he won't do anything," the old man said in a cold tone.

Hearing that Kane's eyes returned to normal.

He just realized the old man was right.

Lowell is a Silver Mark Warrior.

He can't defeat the old man who is Gold Mark Warrior.

Besides, he won't want anything bad to happen to the 3rd Branch Family.

After thinking about it, he sighed inwardly.

He still wants to ask more questions.

But looking at the old man's eyes.

He avoided it.

The death energy linger's around the old man.

He didn't know how long he was going to last.

The old man on the other hand saw through his thoughts.

"I know what you are thinking and worried about most?" The old man said.

Kane was shocked.

“You are worried about Lowell’s revenge after my death.

But don’t worry.

He won’t be able to live that long,” He said.

Hearing that Kane felt thunder clapping in his ears.

He thought the Supreme Elder wanted Lowell’s student life to be disrespectful to him and the Main House.

To think he still has eyes on Elder Lowell.

A hint of apprehension appeared in Kane’s eyes.

The old man was indeed scary.

“Don’t ask me how?”

“Just be patient,” The old man said.

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From MC’s Perspective:

The following day,

I woke up early.

Though I was unwilling to get up from this comfortable bed.

But I still have to get up and cultivate.

After getting out of the bed, I started doing my morning routine.

20 minutes later,

I left the room and started walking towards the essence chamber room.

The 50th floor is really nice.

It was full of price.

No one can disturb my peace here.

But in order to enjoy this benefit continuously.

I have to show my worth.

After reaching the essence chamber, I put my palm print.

Creak!

The next second, the door opened.

Then I walked inside the essence chamber.

I didn't check it yesterday.

But the essence chamber is spacious and more expensive than that one in the underground basement.

The door behind me closed automatically.

The walls, floors and ceiling were made up of special material.

After looking at them, I turned around to check the monitor.

It has both manual and artificial voice assistants.

I set the basic setting on the monitor.

Boom!

The next second, the world's energy starts coming out of the platform.

Then I walked towards the platform before sitting down cross legged.

Then I closed my eyes and started running the lightning scripture.

The next second, the star rune in my mind starts to flicker.

Right after, the purple energy from the surroundings started to enter my body.

Then I started to circulate the purple energy according to the scripture.

After the circulation,the refined purple essence starts settling down in my dantian.

But I felt no barrier.

I felt a little disappointment.

Then I thought I was being too greedy.

Nothing good would happen if I rushed for a quick breakthrough.

So I started focusing on repeating the process.

Time passed,

After a few hours, I stopped the cultivation.

My dantian was full of purple sea.

The majestic totem has purified the essence further.

The presence of the team was also a mystery.

I don't know when I will discover it.

Suddenly, I thought of something.

Teacher gave me those silver boxes containing the treasures.

Then I took out the boxes from the storage ring and opened it.

WHIZZ!

A purple bead is placed inside the cloth.

Seeing that my eyes gleamed with a twinkle.

I can already sense the power of purple lightning stored in it.

I can cultivate tomorrow by using it.

Then I closed the box before opening another one.

WHIZZ!

Then I saw the red bead placed inside the cloth.

“Another essence bead,” I muttered to myself.

Seeing the red bead, I can tell that the teacher has given it for cultivating blood elements.

Then I picked the red bead.

I felt the immense power of the blood element contained in it.

“It’s not best to use it right now.

Let’s try after cultivating the blood element method,” I said to myself.

I placed those boxes back in my storage ring.

Then I closed my eyes and started to practice the blood element method.

The world's energy is still abundant in the room.

Right after I started running the blood element method.

The blood rune in my mind starts to flicker.

Slowly, the red color essence from the surroundings starts to enter my body.

Then I started to circulate the red essence according to the blood element method..

During circulation,the red light appears in the bloodstream.

This inturn starts converting the blood energy into white mysterious energies.

These white mysterious energies then start entering my bones.

This brought agonizing pain to my body.

I gritted my teeth and continued to repeat the process.

As the time passes, the red skeleton of mine starts getting deeper.

But the pain is also getting worse.