

BloodLine 801

Chapter 801: Blood Shadow Force's unexpected move

Wine Tavern:

Kane is unwilling to return.

Seeing that old man keep ignoring him.

He turned around to leave.

A few hours later,

He came back to McClain House.

After arriving at his study room.

He sat back on his seat.

"It's already late at night.

It's time to sleep," He muttered.

Before doing that he decides to look up the news site.

The blue screen appears above the gadget.

Then he started to search the news.

When he typed the name “Zack Lockwood” and searched it.

Several news articles appeared on the news feed the next second.

[Federation Internal Competition: Zack Lockwood wins the top place from the 2nd group]

[Zack Lockwood: The Ultimate Dark Horse]

[Was he an early stage SS-Elite Warrior?]

Reading several article headlines.

Kane’s eyes flickered.

He didn’t expect to see such news.

He had gone only for a few hours.

In between that Zack Lockwood has won the group duels.

“He won it.

Which means he won’t be fighting for next few days,” Kane said to himself.

“Harumph,” He gave a cold snort in his heart.

He doesn’t know why Zack Lockwood is getting lucky.

Now, the Blood Shadow Force will take even more days to attack.

After scrolling down a few pages, he lost interest in reading it.

Then he closed the blue screen and went to sleep.

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From Mc's Perspective:

The following day,

After getting out of the bed, I looked at the time.

"6 AM," I muttered.

I slept for 2 hours more.

Then I realized today is not the day of competition for me.

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As the look of understanding dawned on me, I relaxed my shoulders.

Then I decided to continue my daily routine.

30 minutes later,

I walked out of the room.

Then I moved to the essence chamber and walked in.

After entering inside, I looked around.

I know the next breakthrough might take months.

But still I'm not going to skip the cultivation.

After setting the mode to basic.

I entered the platform and sat down cross legged on the ground.

Boom!

The next second, a white mist starts to cover the platform in the blink of an eye.

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

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

Then I started to absorb the purple energy from the world energy.

When the energy entered my body, I started guiding the energy according to the mental method.

The purple energy started through my veins.

After circulation, the purple energy settles down in my dantian.

Seeing that I continued to repeat the process.

3 hours went by,

I stopped the lightning cultivation.

Then I switched the cultivation to the blood element method.

Blood Shadow Force:

The higher ups of the Blood Shadow Force decided to convene a meeting today.

Because yesterday's news has caused quite a stir.

It's related to their incomplete mission.

Even the blood shadow killers are quite surprised by the news that reached their ears yesterday.

Soon, the meeting was convened.

The Silver Mark Warriors and few important Black Market Warriors are present as well.

The situation hasn't reached the point to inform the one behind their organization.

It's still up to the council of elders to come up with a plan and make the suitable decisions.

The oldest and respected Silver Mark Warrior, the high elder said, "I know you guys have seen the news or read it from other news resources."

"Our incomplete mission's target is relatively doing well.

He is an Early Stage SS-Elite Warrior now.

Now, he has participated in the internal competition and he is winning the duels,” He added.

After saying that the old man looked at everyone’s faces.

They are showing different reactions.

Some of them muttered something.

While others are not convinced of this meeting.

In previous meetings, they have set an incomplete mission as their long term goal.

Also it was decided not to completely antagonize the Federation.

Now, hearing the high elder’s words, people are quite dissatisfied in their heart.

“I know what you guys are thinking?

But the target has surprised everyone.

He is growing rapidly.

So it’s best to act sooner.”

“Since the target is SS-Elite Warrior.

The top list ranking duels for SS-Elite is not far away.”

“If my guess is right, the federation will definitely send him to Redwood city to participate.”

The high elder started speaking to everyone.

Hearing that some people’s eyes piqued with interest.

Because the top list competition was a major attraction.

So many talented warriors go there to change their fate.

The descendants from the influential force go there to get top position in the top list rankings.

So that their standing back in the family or forces can be improved.

“High elder, what are the chances?” One of the elders asked back.

Redwood City is a good option.

Because the city comes under neutral force.

So they can enter there legally.

The high elder saw a change in their emotions.

“I know that Federation Head won’t let him grow inside the safe environment,” The high elder said.

“Top list ranking competition is a good place to gain experience and make connections,” He added.

Hearing that other elders agreed with his viewpoint.

But how they are going to undertake the mission.

The high elder has an answer for this.

He looked at everyone and said, "This time, a Silver Mark Warrior is going to take action."

Hearing that they felt they have heard something wrong.

Dispatching a Silver Mark Warrior is not an ordinary thing everyone will demand a reason.

Especially when going to enter the foreign soil.

Even if it's a neutral force.

They will ask questions.

Then everyone turned towards the high elder.

Since he has brought this, then he must have answers as well.

The high elder smiled and said, "I said the Silver Mark Warrior will take action.

But I never said he will be ours."

Gasp!

Everyone sucked a cold breath of air.

While everyone is in a state of shock.

The high elder said, "Someone will kill the target.

We are only going to take the blame for it."

Chapter 802: Redwood City: Robbie's appearance

Blood Shadow Force:

Hearing the words of the high elder.

A look of understanding dawned on everyone.

They started looking at high elders with a new light.

They know it's impossible to dispatch their own Silver Mark Warrior.

It will cause a lot of eyebrows to raise.

But the high elder has managed to convince someone else.

Even the enemy wouldn't have foreseen this move.

The high elder saw everyone's eyes.

He knew they wanted to know the identity of the Silver Mark Warrior.

But he is not going to tell them.

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Federation HQ:

The duels for the 3rd group have started.

This time, except Zack Lockwood and a few others, everyone has come to watch the duel.

But most of them are discussing Zack Lockwood.

Everyone didn't realize.

When they returned to their home.

They saw how online news articles are full of Zack Lockwood.

Which surprised everyone.

Some of them thought it's because Zack Lockwood's identity has brought this much attention.

While discussing, they forgot to enjoy the 3rd group duels.

Time went by,

When the duel ended and winner was decided.

Even more weird phenomenon happened.

Not that many people are cheering or chanting the names of the warriors.

Surprisingly, they are also discussing the news of Zack Lockwood.

Those warriors who fought against Zack Lockwood in the previous Super Elite Duels are the ones who are most shocked.

Though they are not the direct heirs of their families.

But still they are considered as one of the talented warriors in their family.

When Zack Lockwood won the Super Elite Internal Competition.

They didn't take it seriously.

Everyone thought they would surpass Zack Lockwood in the future.

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But the SS-ELITE Internal Competition 2nd day results shocked everyone.

This time some of the Peak Stage Super Elite Warriors who fought against Zack Lockwood were present here as well.

There are also a few SS-ELITE Early Stage Warriors who broke through after the Super Elite Competition came to watch the duel as well.

But unfortunately they won't be able to see the silhouette of Zack Lockwood.

Only after the end of the 10th group duels.

Everyone can see him.

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Redwood City:

A city with towering glass buildings, lakes, red trees and other green gardens makes this city beautiful.

It's a city that belongs to a neutral force.

This city doesn't have big businesses except tourism.

Since it's a neutral and tourism city, warriors from different forces visit the city annually.

Especially when the important events like the top list ranking duels take place here.

It usually attracts a lot more people.

This time the city authorities are expecting more visitors to come because of the top list competition and also because of the current situation of the inner post region.

Nowadays, serious competition is taking place between the forces.

They are all in a race to get the quota.

So their descendants can be admitted into the Tier-4 City universities.

But the city authorities don't know that many people from the intelligence unit belonging to various different forces have come to gather intel.

Among them, people of the Federation have also gone.

They usually present at these types of events.

This time because of the additional order, more people have come.

Those who come additionally have a different purpose to fulfill.

They are looking for the people from the Blood Shadow Force.

It's difficult to look for them on normal days.

Especially in this neutral city, the killers will move freely.

Because there is no inspection whatsoever.

As long as no one does any harm, they can move freely across the city.

The Federation's additional unit has work cut out for them.

The other hand, the Blood Shadow Force's people are indeed here.

But they have yet to do any work.

Because there are still a few weeks left before the Top list ranking competition.

The people who came here in advance are looking for a nice place to stay.

Most of the rich people book hotel rooms prior to the competition.

So they can avoid last moment hassle.

Time passed by,

The Federation's people have spread around the city.

They mingled with other people and looked like normal tourists.

But so far they have achieved nothing.

Initially, they found some suspicious people.

But they belong to different forces.

An hour later,

Robbie entered the city.

He has given his word to the Federation Head that he will personally visit Redwood City to check.

Before coming here, he has got permission from the City Lord of the Redwood City.

Because Silver Mark Warriors exist who can destroy a city easily.

So every Silver Mark Warrior should inform other forces before walking into their territory.

There are few forces who are exceptional.

For example, the Blood Shadow Force.

Their job is killing.

They usually go to another's territory by expanding the boundary loopholes.

When Robbie appeared.

It was immediately known by the City Lord.

The City Lord of the Redwood City is a female.

Her name is Marie Palmer.

She is a Silver Mark Warrior as well.

After knowing that Robbie was here.

She decided to greet him.

Coincidentally, Robbie decides to meet her as well.

When he got close to the City Lord Mansion.

A silhouette landed before him.

“Robbie, didn’t expect to see you here?”

“You really got a long break from your university?”

A beautiful voice sounded.

The person is none other than the City Lord Marie Palmer.

Robbie revealed a smile on his face before saying, “I came here to look around.

I heard that Redwood City is one of the top tourist cities in the inner post region.”

Hearing that Marie rolled her eyes at him.

Both of them know each other well.

She thinks that Robbie is here for some important reason.

Because of this a slight worry appeared in the heart.

As far as she knows there is no threat in this city.

Then why?

Robbie let out a chuckle.

He has seen through her thoughts.

“Don’t worry, I’ll leave after a few hours,” He said to her.

Hearing that she felt relieved in her heart.

Chapter 803: Part 1: Internal Competition continues

Redwood City:

Robbie and Marie reached the City Lord Mansion.

Robbie didn't want his existence to be known to others.

Otherwise it will alert others.

After entering the City Lord Mansion, both of them had some discussion.

Then Robbie left the place to do his work.

The City Lord Marie wanted to ask him about the real reason.

But she stopped in the end.

Because she knows if there was any real danger he would have told her.

So he has come for some other work.

Meanwhile,

Robbie appeared among the people secretly after sometime.

He is wearing tourist clothes.

He had put on some disguise to change his face.

He didn't even plan on meeting the Federation's intelligence unit.

Then he started walking through people and silently listening through their conversation.

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From MC's Perspective:

After doing today's cultivation in all 3 methods, I left the essence chamber and returned to my room.

20 minutes later,

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

Then I called one of the staff working in the lobby and ordered some food.

I have been staying here for a couple of weeks.

At this time, the staff working in the lobby already knew me.

But they never crossed the line to inquire details or ask anything because of Elder Robbie.

I like how warriors are afraid of Elder Robbie.

Especially those who work at the Federation HQ all the time.

Otherwise, I would have been treated differently by these people.

Already some core members like Teacher Lowell don't like me.

I had thought earlier that they might create some sort of trouble.

But nothing like that had happened so far.

10 minutes later,

I left the room and approached the lift.

When the lift was opened.

A female staff member stepped out.

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She gave me the boxes.

After placing it inside the storage ring, I started paying by using credit points.

The other hand, the female staff was in a state of awe.

Everyone heard about some mysterious person living on the 50th floor.

Only in recent weeks, they were able to know the identity of the person.

"A core member successor!"

“Super Elite Title holder.”

“And now SS-ELITE Early Stage Warrior,” the female staff muttered in her heart.

The other hand, I paid the amount and looked at her.

The female staff recovered her thoughts before leaving the place.

After getting the food boxes, I returned to my room.

Sitting down on the sofa, I activated the live stream projection of the duels.

The 3rd group duel is going on seriously.

Then I took out the boxes before placing them on the table.

When I opened it, I saw fresh vegetables, fruit juices and monster meat stakes.

I started watching the duel while eating it.

Time passed in the blink of an eye,

Top floor,

Early at night, the Federation Head Ben is speaking to Robbie.

He is sitting behind his working desk.

Above the table, Robbie's face projection is showing.

"Are you sure?" Ben asked.

"Head, I'm sure.

There was no sign of Black Mark Warriors or Silver Mark Warriors from any forces including the Blood Shadow Force," Robbie replied.

Quiet!

There was some silence for a moment.

"Did we act too early?" Head Ben asked.

Robbie stayed silent for a moment before looking at him and said,"My instincts tell me that they will act for sure.

But it's unclear when it will be?"

Federation Head Ben sighed inwardly.

"Alright, you don't have to spend all day there.

You can come and go," Ben said.

Robbie agreed with his words.

Since no one was here.

He is just wasting time.

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Duel Arena:

When it was close to midnight, The duel came to an end.

The 3rd group duels were won by a Female SS-Elite Peak Stage Warrior.

After the duels, the crowd started to leave one after another.

They came to watch the duel.

At the same time, they had expected to see Zack Lockwood.

But nothing like that had happened.

Even the warriors felt that the spectators were strange today.

They only cheered for a couple of duels.

It was not crazy yesterday.

They thought Zack Lockwood would come to watch the duel.

But he had stayed back in the room.

2 days later,

It was the day of the 6th group duels.

The crowd started to come in like numbers.

The last 3 days went normally without any hype.

Because all the warriors in the 5th and 6th group are Peak Stags SS-ELITE Warriors.

So it was very intense competition between them.

It was believed to be the same today.

10 AM in the morning,

The 6th group duels have started.

Redwood City:

Meanwhile,

Robbie was back in Redwood City for the 2nd time.

After his discussion with the Federation Head, he has decided to come for once every 3 days.

After entering the city, as usual he met with the City Lord Marie.

This time she didn't hold back and asked directly.

“Robbie, is there any problem here?” She asked.

Both of them are in the City Lord Mansion right now.

Their talks can't be naked outside.

Robbie thought for a moment before saying, “There is no problem for you or Redwood City.

I'm doing this for the Federation.”

After saying that he kept silent.

This was enough to wake her up.

“Federation,” She said in her heart.

She knows that the Federation in his mouth is the organization, the Army Federation.

Actually, no one offends the Federation.

Because they were the ones who are protecting important places in the Tier-4 Boundary.

If anything happens to the Federation.

Then no one can save the inner post from danger.

Because other forces don't have extra manpower to carry out the missions of the Federation.

While she was using her brain.

Suddenly, she thought of something.

“Not long ago, one of their cities was attacked by unknown Black Mark Warriors.

There is even a rumor that an unknown Silver Mark Warrior was involved in the attack as well,” She said in her heart.

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Redwood City:

Marie quickly connected the dots.

A hint of apprehension appeared in her eyes.

“If it’s about those unknown attackers, then it’s serious.

We don’t have enough Black Mark Warriors stationed here,” She said in her heart.

Then she turned towards Robbie and said, “You told me there was no threat to Redwood City.”

“Then what about the Federation?

Is there anyone hiding here?” She added.

A hint of approval looks in Robbie’s eyes.

He just gave her a clue.

But she was able to deduct this far.

He then stood up and decided to leave.

Marie was disappointed.

But the current clue was enough to investigate.

She has decided to check whether any unknown people have entered the city or not.

It's difficult to do that unless someone comes through the boundary loophole.

But their boundary was heavily guarded.

As for the teleportation platform, it's even more difficult.

Because the people who are coming and leaving have to verify their identity.

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Blood Shadow Force:

The high elder of the Blood Shadow Force looked at the time.

He was in his own private room.

He made a secret communication to a mysterious force through the crystal ball placed on his desk.

Shortly after,

The words started to appear in it.

[Now is not the right time.]

Reading that the high elder felt disappointment.

He is not looking for any results.

Rather he is hoping it gets some intel about their plan.

But they are not divulging at all.

The high elder held his chin and fell into contemplation.

A few days ago,

Someone made contact with the Blood Shadow Force.

The source was unknown.

The people from the intelligence unit informed him.

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When accepting the contact from an unknown source and reading their message.

He was shocked in his heart.

Because the attack on the Delta City of the Federation is not known to any third party till today.

Yet, the people behind this message have found out.

At that time, he started wondering which force it was.

But surprisingly, the next few messages made him let his guard down.

[The Eclipse Institute and the Giant Tower Institute]

[We have the same goal.

If you are interested, you can contact us through the crystal ball placed in this YYY place at this ZZZ City]

For some reason, he had made a daring decision and made contact with them.

Only then he was able to know about the feud between them and Lowell McClain.

“He...He..He...”

“Even Lowell McClain wouldn’t have expected this coming,” The high elder said in his heart.

After a few conversations, they had offered to kill Vincent Carey but the Blood Shadow Force will take the responsibility for them.

When he heard that time.

He had questioned them earlier.

But they are ready to use more than one Silver Mark Warrior if necessary to Kill Zack Lockwood.

He immediately agreed with their request.

The Blood Shadow Force Wanted to complete the incomplete mission.

For that they wanted the target dead.

It doesn't matter how.

Later, he had somewhat guessed their plan.

They are planning to send their top students to participate in the Top list ranking duels.

A Silver Mark Warriors might be accompanying them.

One of them might target Zack Lockwood at their duels.

It was just his speculation so far.

That's why he contacted them through a crystal ball.

But there was no proper response.

"Maybe I should wait and watch.

If they fail to complete the task, then we will act," The high elder said in his heart.

He is already thinking about arranging some plans.

There are still days left before the Top Ranking Duels.

He can come up with a plan later.

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From MC's Perspective:

Puppet Training Chamber,

"Lightning Finger Technique," I released the lightning attack.

A purple lightning ball formed at the tip of my fingers.

When I shot at the humanoid puppet.

The puppet tried to block the attack by using bare fists.

Boom!

The lightning beam hits the right punch.

The next second, lightning power starts attacking the right arm of the humanoid puppet.

The sudden attack made the puppet paralyze for a moment.

At the same time, the surface of the metallic body is getting scorched.

Seeing that I released another lightning finger technique.

This time it was the 2nd stage of the lightning finger attack.

Boom!

The attack hits the same spot again.

The 2nd stage of the lightning finger technique was powerful.

Not only it caused the metallic puppet to paralyze.

The lightning power started destroying the right arm of the humanoid puppet.

The cracks appeared all over the surface.

Any more attack will cause a metallic right arm to crumble.

I have been focusing on improving the lightning finger technique for the past 3 days.

After the “Sword Divide” “Lightning Wheel” the next good attack technique is “Lightning Finger Technique.”

If the skill is improved, then I can release the lightning finger technique at a faster rate.

Then I continued to use the same lightning finger technique.

Time went by,

When it was close to the evening.

I ended my practice.

After leaving the puppet training chamber, I walked out.

Then I entered my room and went to take a bath..

20 minutes later,

I changed to comfort clothes before lying comfortably on the bed.

“The lightning techniques of mine are very one sided.

The lightning element is known for creating large scale group attacks.”

“Getting one hit from it can severely injure the warrior but I don’t have such technique,” I said in my heart.

I have noticed while others freely controlled elements.

Especially the wind element’s tornado attack is a dangerous one.

I had used the sword divide move to hit.

But if I had even more good technique, I could have destroyed the tornado sooner.

I know that the Federation has elemental techniques in their collection.

Maybe I should take a look at it tomorrow.

It won't hurt to have one more lightning technique.

I don't have to feel restricted anymore.

Chapter 805: Part 1: Selecting new technique

From MC's Perspective:

The Following day,

After getting out of bed, I did my morning routine as usual.

Then I entered the essence chamber to cultivate.

Time went by,

After a couple of hours, I walked out of the essence chamber.

There was a trace of confusion flashes in my eyes.

Apart from the Lightning Technique, I found that my healing element was still behind.

There is only one technique which is called "Healing Hand"

It's a great external technique to cure others.

But I don't know whether there is any healing technique available to cure the healer himself.

If there is an injury, I can run the healing method to circulate the healing essence.

But I wonder if there is any technique for it.

It would be good and effective.

Then I returned to my room and entered the bath to take a shower.

18 minutes later,

I stepped out of the bath.

Then I wore the Federation Uniform.

I have decided to look for the technique before continuing the practice.

Otherwise, it will continue to disturb my mind.

I also know that the 7th group duels are happening right now.

Everyone will be focusing on that.

After getting ready, I walked out of the room.

While walking towards the lift.

I took the face mask and wore it on my face.

Creak!

After entering inside the lift, I pressed the button.

The next second, the lift started to go down.

When I got there.

I stepped out.

Then I found so many people in the lobby.

Most of them are staff.

“Zack, what are you doing here?”

A familiar voice jolted me awake.

Then I shifted my gaze.

I saw Elder Robbie walking towards me.

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He seems to be a bit tired.

“Maybe he is coming from some mission,” I said in my heart.

Robbie was a bit surprised.

He knows Zack was a bit antisocial.

He is certainly not here to meet someone.

“Elder, thank goodness you are here.

I have something to discuss with you,” I said to him.

*Discuss with me?” Robbie asked back.

I nodded my head at him.

“Alright, let’s go outside and talk,” He said.

Then we both left the lobby and walked out of the towering building.

Outside, there are not many people roaming around.

Especially those who have some work to do, they will enter the building.

We found a random corner to stand and talk.

No one will disturb us here.

“Say, what’s on your mind?” Robbie asked.

Hearing that I didn’t keep in my heart,”I would like to learn a lightning technique.

My current techniques are one dimensional.”

“I don’t have the technique to launch group scale attacks,” I added further.

Robbie’s eyes flickered with a glint.

He hadn’t thought of this before.

Because Zack was Lowell’s student.

So he hadn’t paid attention to the skills.

“Did you make up your mind for this competition?”

“Or it was on your mind before?” Robbie asked back.

“It was always on my mind.

But I didn’t have urgency or learn quickly.

But the ongoing competition was not easy.

Others will learn my strengths and weaknesses.”

“I need to learn new techniques.

So that I can use it as a trump card during the duel,” I replied.

Robbie fell into contemplation.

It's not his job to teach Zack.

He thinks it's better for Zack to get Elder Lowell's opinion on this matter.

"Zack, I think you should contact Elder Lowell."

"Maybe he can come and visit you to advise," Robbie said.

Hearing that I sighed inwardly.

I know why he is hesitating right now.

"Okay, I'll contact my teacher after returning to my room," I said to him.

"Good"

"Then I'll see you later," After saying that Robbie left the spot.

Seeing him in a hurry, I don't know what's so urgent about it.

Then shaking my head, I started walking back.

I should have stayed back in my room.

Now I have unnecessarily wasted my energy.

Soon, I returned to my room.

Then I didn't change my clothes.

Rather, I sat down and contacted Teacher Lowell.

I wonder whether he is busy or not.

Because the call was not connected.

But when I wã feeling frustrated.

The call was connected all of a sudden.

And the teacher's voice reached my ears.

"Zack, what is it?"

Hearing that voice, I smiled and started to speak.

The conversation went on for a few minutes.

Then Teacher Lowell gave me permission to select the Lightning Technique from the Federation.

Whereas for the healing technique.

I have to wait.

He told me he would do something about the healing element.

Then I changed into comfortable clothes and felt relaxed.

Before finding the technique on the Federation Site.

I tried to recall my current ones.

1.

Sword Divide: Big wheel (Proficient)

2.

Lightning Wheel: Big wheel (Intermediate)

3.

Lightning Phantom: Big wheel (Intermediate)

4.

Blood Field Technique: Small wheel (Proficient)

5.

Soul Tower Method: Small wheel (Intermediate)

6.

Soul Needle Art: Small wheel (Intermediate)

7.

Lightning finger technique: Small wheel (Intermediate)

8.

Blood Fist Technique: Small wheel (Intermediate)

9.

Healing Hand: Small Wheel: Small wheel (Beginner)

After recalling everything in my mind.

I felt good.

Because none of these techniques are mediocre.

Then I opened the gadget on the table and activated it.

The next second, a huge and wide blue screen appeared above the gadget.

I'm doing it while sitting on the sofa.

Then I logged in my account before entering the site of the Federation.

Getting access to this is not easy.

You need multiple layers of access to use this site.

Because their Federation Site is the place where everyone buys and sells their items.

Then I opened my account and made it private.

So that no one can know my identity.

The other hand, I'm not buying from other people.

Rather, I will look into the collection of the Federation.

So I started accessing the Federation Site.

Then I looked for the lightning technique.

Many of them are from collections.

So I easily started reading it.

The lightning techniques are divided into grades.

Some low techniques can only kill low level Warriors.

Chapter 806: Part 2: Selecting new technique

From MC's Perspective:

Then the list of lightning attack techniques caught my attention.

[Lightning Punch: A punch attack contains the power of the lightning.]

After reading it, I started comparing with the “Blood Fist”

I think the attack power might not be lower.

The attack power will be similarly destructive to the lightning wheel.

Then I decided to check other lightning techniques before making up my mind.

Because of this current movement, I can learn only one.

After scrolling down a few pages, I saw a similar technique.

But this time it uses a kick.

A complete leg technique caught my attention.

But I still feel that something better is out there.

I skipped the page before I started searching seriously.

[Lightning drop; the technique creates a lightning energy ball.

Upon dropping heavily on the ground.

The lightning ball explodes and the lightning strikes the nearby targets.]

“A group attack technique,” I said to myself.

Though the application is different than I had imagined.

But the operation was similar in the end.

The lightning ball can release multiple strikes to hit the targets randomly.

On a whim, I decided to explore further.

As the time passed, none of the techniques caught my attention.

Those hand and leg techniques are good.

But they are not rare like the group attack technique.

Then I made the purchase of that technique.

But before I need to fill in my details.

After doing everything, the site asked for some time.

Because it needs approval on the receiver side.

On the top floor of the federation building, Head Ben came to know about this matter.

As the new notification starts appearing on the screen.

When he read that Zack had made the purchase.

He started looking into the details.

“A simple earth grade technique,” He smiled to himself.

The Technique was ordinary to him.

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But for Zack it's a life saver.

He can use this technique on the General Stage.

Then he gave the approval.

The other hand, I was successful but after a few minutes.

Someone will bring me to the floor half an hour later.

After everything was down, I closed the site and relaxed my shoulders.

“Lightning drop uh?”

“Let's see how I can use that in the duels in the coming days,” I said to myself.

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Redwood City:

At this time, a few people wearing white scholarly uniforms entered the city.

They are all General Stage Warriors.

So their arrival was not informed to the City Lord.

These 6 people are from the Eclipse Institute and the Giant Tower Institute respectively.

The Giant Tower Warriors are heavily built.

The other hand, the Eclipse Institute Warriors are slender and have a lean body.

Such a distinction sets them apart.

As they practice, two different sets of inheritance as well.

After entering the city, they mingled with people and started doing their work.

Coincidentally, the City Lord Marie Palmer is trying to do some informal inspection in the city.

She didn't inform anyone regarding this matter.

She has arranged several people for this task.

They are not from the City Lord Mansion.

So the public won't recognise them.

The main task of these people is to visit important places in this city and see if there is anything wrong or abnormal.

Marie didn't tell them the reason behind this task.

She only said that she wanted to know the mood of the people.

Are they enjoying the current tourist attractions or not?

It was a simple lie.

But it was enough to convince people.

They thought that City Lord was logical in her plan.

If warriors from the City Lord Mansion take the task, they might receive a positive response from everywhere.

But if unknown people do this, they will get a difference of opinion.

Time passed by,

After receiving the task, these people started going to places like other tourists.

At the same time, her assistant ran up to her and said, "City Lord, the officials of the Top list ranking duels will meet you today."

Hearing that Marie turned towards her female assistant.

A strange glint flashes in her eyes.

Because she finds the timing was a little bit wrong.

After a few seconds, she looked at her and asked, "I remember there was no appointment or meeting that was fixed earlier."

Her female assistant replied, "The meeting was urgent."

They insisted on meeting you today.

That's why I'm telling you."

Hearing that Marie felt something was not adding.

But she nodded her head in the end.

"Okay, when will they arrive?" She asked back.

"In 2 hours," Her female assistant replied.

"I see, okay."

I'm not going anywhere.

Let them come," She replied.

A 2 hours later,

A team of Black Mark Warriors entered the city.

Their uniform is different with a gold strappy design.

Anyone knowledgeable in the city can recognise that they are the officials of the top ranking duels.

But these people immediately made their way to the City Lord Mansion.

So apart from a few people present there at the teleportation platform.

Not many have seen them.

So their arrival didn't attract much attention.

And the people guarding the platform can't leave their post now.

Because they are on duty.

But they recognise the golden design uniform.

More than that everyone felt the invisible coercion.

It can be only released by the Black Mark Warriors and above.

Which was enough to convince them that the people are from the force who conduct the top list ranking duels.

Meanwhile,

The officials reached the City Lord Mansion where the City Lord Marie was already waiting there.

They were greeted by her.

Despite being the Silver Mark Warrior, she didn't put airs in front of them.

She knows that Black Mark Warriors are sent by someone above them.

So she is wondering in her heart.

After the greeting, they returned to the meeting hall.

The meeting hall here is similar to any big organization.

Barriers are placed to stop the outside inference.

No one was allowed inside.

Her assistant and two warriors stood outside.

Inside the meeting room, there was a roundtable.

The City Lord Marie sat on the one side.

While the officials sat opposite her.

Then the meeting officially started.

Chapter 807: Practising Lightning drop

From MC'd Perspective:

Shortly after,

A male staff member wearing a tuxedo entered the 50th floor.

After sensing his arrival, I walked out of the room.

Then I turned towards the person and approached him.

“Zack Lockwood, this is your lightning technique crystal,” After saying that he brought the crystal ball out of the storage ring.

Seeing that I accepted the crystal ball.

Then he walked back to the lift to leave.

My eyes never left the crystal ball.

The palm size crystal ball is a one time technique acceptance inheritance ball.

A quick gleam flashes in my eyes.

I can’t wait to accept the technique before hitting the puppet training chamber.

Then I brought the crystal ball back to the room.

I sat down on the sofa.

I held the crystal ball and put my mental consciousness into it.

The next second, a load of information appeared in my mind.

Then I started to digest the information.

Time went by,

After a few hours, I have completely digested the information.

A quick gleam flashes in my eyes.

“Lightning Drop,” I muttered to myself.

The technique is more complicated than I thought.

Like the Lightning Finger Technique, it has 3 stages as well.

Then I decided to take some time to learn the route where the purple energy flows through my body.

Redwood City,

After a few hours the meeting here ended as well, but the City Lord was not happy at all.

Because in the meeting the top list ranking duels officials have discussed shifting the tournament to a newer place.

They have said it’s not something confirmed yet.

But it was on their cards.

The female assistance greeted them off.

The other hand, the ominous feeling in her heart increases.

She recalled Robbie's visit earlier.

At that time after hearing his words, she has already dispatched people everywhere to investigate.

Now these officials dropped such a bombshell.

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She knows something was wrong.

But she was in the dark.

While others knew something about it.

"No, I have to contact him.

Robbie definitely knows something," She said in her heart.

On the other hand,

The Eclipse Institute and the Giant Tower's Warriors have selected a few spots.

Where they can use this place to hide and collect information.

These are the places where the patrol of the roaming guards are less.

They can hide here without any problem.

While doing this, they had also searched for warriors from other forces.

Everyone knows that everyone is allowed to enter Redwood City.

Because it's a Neutral City.

So it's very common to meet warriors from other forces.

But they haven't seen anyone so far.

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The following day,

I woke up earlier.

Yesterday, I got a new technique.

But I haven't had the time to enter the Puppet Training Chamber.

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

Then I entered the essence chamber after completing it..

When I got there.

I set the settings to the basic mode.

Then I entered the platform and sat cross legged on the ground.

Boom!

The next second, a white mist covered the platform in the blink of an eye.

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

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

Slowly, the purple essence enters the body.

Then I started to run the purple essence throughout my body.

The purple essence flows through my veins.

After circulation, the purple energy enters the dantian.

Seeing that I continued to repeat the process.

A few hours later,

I stopped the cultivation.

Then I started to cultivate the blood element method.

When I started to run the blood element method.

The blood rune in my consciousness started to flicker.

The red energy from the white mist starts to enter my body.

When the red energy starts to flow through my veins.

I felt the burning sensation.

As the red energy starts to flow through my veins.

The blood red light appeared above the bloodstream.

They started to convert the red energies into the white mist energies.

Then the white mist energy starts entering the bones of mine.

The next second, I started feeling immense pain.

Already my skeleton was red dyed blood red in color.

The further incoming of the white energies further deepens the blood red color of mine.

Time went by,

When it was evening.

I stopped my practice.

Then I stepped out of the essence chamber.

Feeling the power in my body.

I turned towards the puppet training chamber and decided to practice.

Meanwhile,

Robbie is speaking to Marie Palmer.

When he heard that serious discussion happened between her and officials behind the top list ranking duels.

His expression changes drastically.

He didn't expect this sudden turn of events.

Normally, they wouldn't change the event place for any reason.

Unless something major has happened.

The other hand, Marie continued to ask him.

But Robbie was not going to tell her anything.

Because he himself was not sure.

"Marie, be patient.

Nothing will happen to Redwood City.

I'm not sure why they have done it."

"But if our reasons are the same as theirs, then I'll tell you," Robbie said to her.

Marie was not buying it.

But she can't force him to tell her everything.

The only thing she can do is to try to find the truth herself.

Then they ended the call.

But Robbie's heart was not calm at all.

Because the only major thing that happened recently in the inner post is the attack on the Federation.

So he finds it odd why the officials are reacting like this.

Then he decides to meet the Federation Head.

A few minutes later,

He reached the top floor of the Federation Building.

He knows that Zack Lockwood is practicing hard.

So he didn't disturb him.

When he arrives at the spot.

The Federation Head Ben is already there.

He was waiting for Robbie.

Because he has given the task to him.

So far they have found nothing in Redwood City.

He hopes this time it would bring some changes.

When Robbie walked in.

Federation Head looked at his serious face.

His eyes flashes with surprise.

He asked,"What happened?"

"Did you guys find out anything?"

Robbie sighed

before replying,"There is a new development in Redwood City."

Then he started to tell me further.

After hearing everything, even the Federation Head Ben was surprised in his heart.

He has few close connections.

They have similar positions in various organizations.

If there is a big development, then they would have informed him.

Like Robbie, he also thinks it's serious.

"Okay, just ask our warriors to continue their work in Redwood City.

In the meantime, I'll try to ask my connection," After saying that he looked at him.

He asked again,"Is there anything else to add?"

"The City Lord Palmer wants to know what's going on?" Robbie asked.

Ben revealed a smile on his face and said,"She is your longtime friend.

You can trust her.

Tell her that it's all about Federation's safety.

Don't reveal anything about Zack Lockwood."

Hearing that Robbie was not surprised.

He nodded at him.

After that discussion, he left.

Meanwhile,

Inside the puppet training chamber.

I'm practicing the technique.

But not against the silver humanoid puppet.

"Lightning Drop"

I released the lightning technique.

The next second, the I mobilized the lightning essence from my dantian.

It started to flow through my veins before the lightning energy ball gathered around my fist.

Seeing the busting lightning power contained in the ball.

It reminds me of the lightning wheel.

Then I dropped the lightning ball on the ground.

When the lightning ball hits the floor.

Boom!

A deafening noise sounded.

The lightning ball explodes, the next second the lightning strike hits different parts of the platform..

Boom!

Boom!

One after another a deafening noise sounded.

The target spots are completely cracked and scorched.

The only problem is that the lightning strike hits randomly.

I can't control the destination.

But what if the lightning ball hits the target instead of the ground.

I picked up this technique because of the multiple lightning strikes.

But the power of the lightning ball is much larger before the explosion.

A curiosity appeared in my eye.

I want to try it against the humanoid puppet.

Then I walked to the monitor and set the settings.

Boom!

The next second, a humanoid puppet appears above the platform.

It's an Early Stage SS- Elite Humanoid Puppet.

When the humanoid puppet rushed out to attack me.

"Lightning Drop," I released the technique.

In the blink of an eye, the lightning ball appeared in my right palm.

When the humanoid puppet got closer to me.

I raised my hand and slammed the lightning ball against the humanoid puppet's chest.

Boom!

The lightning ball explodes the next second the humanoid puppet flew backwards like a broken kite before hitting the ground hard..

This all happened within seconds.

The lightning explosion opens the gap.

The next second, the lightning strike hits the inner parts of the humanoid puppet.

Chapter 808: The next big stage

From MC's Perspective:

After spending a few hours in the Lightning drop practice.

I returned to my room.

The days passed, all the group duels were over.

Finally, it was the day of the next big stage of the internal competition.

All the winners from the 1st group to the 10th groups have been selected.

Now these 10 winners will fight each other to decide the final winner of the internal competition of the SS-Elite Stage.

One hour before competition,

I'm getting ready in my room.

I have made enough preparation so that I can avoid the variables and catch the opponent off guard.

So I'm getting on with the new technique.

After getting ready, I recalled the techniques in mind.

1.

Sword Divide: Big wheel (Proficient)

2.

Lightning Wheel: Big wheel (Intermediate)

3.

Lightning Phantom: Big wheel (Intermediate)

4.

Blood Field Technique: Small wheel (Proficient)

5.

Soul Tower Method: Small wheel (Intermediate)

6.

Soul Needle Art: Small wheel (Intermediate)

7.

Lightning finger technique: Small wheel (Intermediate)

8.

Blood Fist Technique: Small wheel (Intermediate)

9.

Healing Hand: Small Wheel: Small wheel (Beginner)

10.

Lightning Drop: Small wheel (Beginner)

There are 10 techniques in my hand.

If there is a do or die duel against the same level of warriors.

Then I'm confident of winning it.

Then I sighed inwardly.

Last time, the teacher and Elder Robbie came to pick me up.

I don't know whether they will come today.

Just as I'm thinking about them.

I got a call from Elder Robbie.

When I attended that, I came to know that he had arrived.

The next second, I walked out of the room and turned towards the lift.

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Elder Robbie is standing there cross armed.

Seeing that a smile appeared on my face.

"It's been a few days since I last saw him.

Otherwise, I can contact him daily," I said in my heart.

Then I walked up to him.

The other hand, Robbie is observing Zack.

He spotted some changes in Zack's posture.

"He is confident," His eyes flickered.

"Zack, looks like you are confident with your new technique," He asked.

Now he knows where this confidence arises from.

"Yes, I got a good start in the new lightning technique," I replied to him.

Then I started wondering why teacher Lowell is not here.

"Good" "Good"

Robbie said.

Then he saw changes in Zack's eyes.

"Are you thinking about Lord Lowell?" He asked.

Hearing that I nodded my head at him.

“He went for an important mission.

You will see him later,” Robbie said with a slight change in emotions.

“Let’s go to the duel arena right now,” He added.

Then we entered the lift.

But I don’t know why I couldn’t help but think that Teacher Lowell is facing some kind of danger.

When the lift arrived in the lobby.

We walked out.

As usual the staff wearing tuxedos are working.

After seeing Elder Robbie, they greeted him.

Some of their gazes fell on me.

Because today is the main day.

The internal competition is reaching the end.

And my name is already known to the Federation members.

We then left the lobby.

Then we hopped into the air cab.

Shortly after,

We reached the arena building.

I see a crowd entering inside the building from the other side of the great.

All of a sudden the image of a bald headed warrior and Nero came to my mind.

I don't know whether they will come or not.

I don't see them as the winner of the group duels.

When the air cab landed on the ground.

Both of us stepped outside of the cab.

As we entered the building, the fat arena manager came to greet us.

"Lord Robbie, you have come.

What about him?" The fat manager asked.

"Lord Lowell went for a mission.

So don't worry about him," Robbie said.

“Oh, then it’s alright,” The arena manager revealed with a smile on his face.

If Lord Lowell is not here, it’s good for him.

At Least he can escape from that fierce gaze.

Then his gaze fell on Zack Lockwood.

His opinion has changed drastically since last time.

“Zack Lockwood, all the best.

I know you can surprise us again,” The arena manager said.

Hearing that my eyes flickered.

This fat manager usually doesn’t look at me.

This time his attitude seems to have changed.

“Alright, you can go to the challenge’s room.

I will see you in the evening,” Robbie said.

“Okay,” I answered before leaving the place and started moving towards the challenger’s room.

A quick gleam flashes in my eyes.

I don’t know who is waiting.

But this time I won't enter the pod chamber to avoid them.

My previous duels must have given them some info on me.

Soon, I reached there.

I took a pause before entering the room.

The next second, I saw 9 people inside the room.

Among them 6 are male warriors and 3 are female warriors.

Upon seeing me they stopped chatting and directly looked towards me.

Quiet!

The whole room was silent for a second.

I looked towards them one by one before finding a place to stand.

I got close to the window and stood cross armed.

"Hey, is he the one?"

"He is Zack Lockwood."

"Yes, it's him."

I was here during the 2nd group duels,” One of the warriors said.

“He is just an Early Stage SS-Elite Warrior.

It’s unbelievable,” A female warrior commented.

At this time, a slender looking orange haired Warrior snorted and said,”He had a good run so far.

But that’s all.

He won’t be able to reach the final.”

The orange head Warrior was Fred.

He is from one of the big forces.

Yet he joined the Federation to work.

Past few days have been hard for them.

Though they have won their respective group duels.

But the most talked about person was Zack Lockwood.

They have even heard that most of them came to watch Zack Lockwood specifically.

Similarly, the other few warriors voiced their dissatisfaction.

They thought they would get a reaction from Zack Lockwood.

But nothing like that had happened.

Seeing that it's not working, everyone stopped talking ill against Zack.

Chapter 809: Part 1: Duel against Natalie

From MC's Perspective:

Duel arena,

Large number of people have come to watch the duel.

Most of them are here to see the duel of Early Stage SS-Elite Warrior.

After the 2nd group duels, they didn't see Zack Lockwood.

Now they have the opportunity to watch the duel.

When it was the time for the duel.

The crowd started cheering out loud.

At this time, the announcer walked in.

Like always, he welcomed everyone before explaining the rules.

The rules are the same for the

stages.

Like how they have conducted the duels for each group.

In today's duel, 5 of the 10 will go to the next stage.

From there one of them will get a free pass to the next stage.

Then the remaining four of them will fight one against another.

2 of the winners will get to the next stage.

The final two participants will be selected from the top 3.

One of them will enter the final duel automatically.

The remaining 2 of them will have to fight each other to get the final spot.

The rules are not that confusing.

It's just the one who will get a free pass will be hated by others.

"Since you have understood the rules.

Let's see who is going to participate in the 1st fight," The announcer said.

After saying that he looked up and set his gaze on the hovering screen.

From the audience to the arena staff everyone is looking towards the screen.

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When the name and photo was shown on the screen.

Uproar!

The whole spectator area erupted with loud cheers.

They have been waiting for this exact duel.

They want to see how Early Stage SS-Elite can fight against the Peak Stage SS-Elite Warrior.

Inside the contender's room, my mouth curved into an arc.

Since it's the first duel, I can save purple essence.

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Natalie is one among the 3 female warriors.

She is a metal elemental warrior.

I turned towards her before leaving the room.

The other hand, Natalie followed suit as well.

When both of them left the room.

The warriors looked at each other before discussing.

“Hey, whom do you think is going to win?”

“It’s a tricky one.”

“Lightning element is no joke.

I heard it has an edge over other elements.”

“Natalie is not weak either.

We have seen her group duels.

She won’t give up that easily.”

Meanwhile,

Robbie’s eyes flashes with a glint.

Seeing that Zack is going to fight in the first duel.

He sighed inwardly.

Actually, he lied to Zack earlier.

He is not going to stay here all day.

The matter of Redwood City is still unsolved yet.

The Federation Head also got negative results from his connection.

Not many have information on the people behind the top list ranking duels founder.

The force itself is a huge and secretive organization.

So much so that the people in the inner post have a hard time finding out about them.

The fat arena manager showed a gleeful smile.

This time he won't be ignorant.

He will show his support to Zack Lockwood.

Duel Platform,

The other hand, we are walking towards the platform.

I see a picture of mine appearing on the big screen.

The next second, I hear a loud chanting of my name from the crowd.

After reaching the platform, I stood on one side.

Natalie walked in and stood opposite me.

Boom!

The barrier starts to cover the platform.

I started to observe Natalie.

Then I activated the perceptual ability.

The next second, my consciousness immediately started covering the platform.

Not a single detail can escape from my mental power.

When the barrier covered up the platform completely.

Boom!

Natalie released her technique.

A sharp metallic spike shot from her.

Each one of them is sharp and deadly.

When those metallic spikes appeared in the mid air.

My mental power has shrouded it.

I can observe its details.

When one of them reached my body.

I simply side stepped enough to evade the attack.

One by one, I started evading the attack.

The metallic spikes hit the empty platform.

Boom!

One after another a metallic collision happened.

Outside,

The crowd was quiet in the spectators area.

No one is making any sound.

Because they have seen this scene before.

Zack Lockwood is evading the attack just like that.

Those who have to watch Zack Lockwood specifically are cheering out loud.

They almost forgot that Zack Lockwood is an Early Stage SS-ELITE Warrior.

Duel Platform,

Natalie was startled.

But she was expecting this move.

Then she released another technique.

A sharp blade appeared in her hands.

The next second, she rushed out to attack.

The other hand, I decided to use the lightning attack technique.

I started to charge the black sword with purple essence.

In the blink of an eye, the black sword flickered with a purple glint.

“Sword Divide”

The next second, I raised the sword and discharged towards the enemy.

Boom!

A powerful lightning beam swept across in the straight line before getting closer towards the target.

Natalie was startled.

She used the Silver Blade in her hand to counter the attack.

When the lightning beam comes in contact with each other.

Boom!

The powerful lightning hits the Silver Blade hard.

The impact force was so powerful.

She dropped the blade on the ground before retreating a few steps backwards.

Seeing that my eyes flickered.

Her Silver Blade has blocked most of the lightning power.

She is not like others.

Her metallic technique is strong.

A look of understanding dawned on me.

In order to confirm it, I started charging the sword again.

The black blade started to shine with purple light within seconds.

When the charging was complete.

I released the attack towards the opponent again.

Boom!

The purple beam once again tore through the air and started reaching the opponent.

Seeing that Natalie released the defensive technique.

A Silver shield appeared right before the powerful lightning beam hit it hard.

Boom!

A deafening sound reverberates throughout the area.

The lightning power caused a huge dent in it.

But it was not enough to break it completely.

Chapter 810: Part 2: Duel against Natalie

From MC's Perspective:

Duel Platform,

When there was a dent in the shield.

I tried to attack it again.

While Natalie was forced to retreat backwards.

This all happened within seconds.

“Lightning Finger Technique”

I released the technique.

The next second, a purple beam forms at the tip of my forefinger.

When the purple ball appeared.

I shot the electric ball towards the shield.

Boom!

In the blink of an eye, the purple beam reaches the target.

When it came in contact with the shield.

The explosion happened again.

The lightning power heavily impacted the shield.

Because of it, the dent starts to expand in the blink of an eye.

Seeing that I don't want to waste the opportunity.

So I continued to release the finger technique.

Boom!

One after another lightning purple ball hits the silver shield.

When the dent expanded.

Cracks start to form.

Short after,

The whole shield was shattered into pieces.

Natalie, who was behind the shield, was attacked as well.

The lightning power rampages through her body.

Because of it, her body became stiff for a moment.

She is trying to fight back using the metallic element.

At the same time, I got close to her body.

I didn't expect the continuous attack from the lightning power to have this chain reaction.

Natalie's expression changes drastically.

She saw Zack Lockwood in front of her.

She was not in the condition to fight.

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Any attack from him will seriously injure her.

Before Zack Lockwood releases another lightning technique.

She closed her eyes and admitted defeat in front of everyone.

The other hand, I felt relieved in my heart.

She didn't make me release another lightning technique.

Tud!

I retreated backwards and returned to my usual position.

Uproar!

The audience erupts with loud cheers.

Like everyone had guessed, Zack Lockwood has managed to defeat the Peak Stage SS-ELITE Warrior.

Which shows that Zack Lockwood didn't have any luck.

He was able to defeat Peak Stage Warriors because of his ability.

The other hand, the barrier starts to come down.

At this time, Natalie was able to move her body a little.

When the barrier came down.

The announcer entered the platform and declared Zack Lockwood as the winner.

Hearing that I started walking back to the challenger's room.

I guess my duel was the fastest to complete.

I don't know about others.

Administration room:

The fat manager was not surprised by the result this time.

He then slightly turned towards Lord Robbie who was looking at the duel platform.

Robbie was happy in his heart.

He can now confirm that Zack will reach the final stages of the competition.

A quick gleam flashes in his eyes.

"I guess it's time for me to leave," He muttered to himself.

He still has a lot of pending work.

The matter of Redwood City is still unresolved.

After thinking for a moment, he turned towards the fat manager and said, "I'm leaving.

You can take care of the competition here."

Hearing that the fat manager was surprised.

But he didn't inquire further.

Robbie didn't intend to inform Zack.

After leaving the arena building, he went towards the Teleportation Platform to enter Redwood City.

RedWood City:

10 minutes later,

Robbie arrived in Redwood City.

After sending a message to the City Lord, he started touring the city by himself.

He has been visiting this place frequently.

But so far they haven't found any clue yet.

What's more tricky is that something else is going on with the organization which conducts the top list ranking duel.

Time passed,

Robbie is spending some time in each one of the important places in the city.

Meanwhile,

The City Lord Marie was aware of Robbie's actions.

But she didn't interfere with him.

She knows even if she confronts him nothing will happen.

All of a sudden, she received good news from her assistant.

That patrol guards have found something.

Hearing that she summoned her assistant.

When she arrived at the hall, Marie looked at her and asked, "What happened?"

"Is there any credible information?"

Hearing that, her assistant replied, "We found a strange activity of a particular group of warriors.

They have been acting weirdly for the past couple of days."

"Upon further digging, we found that they are from 2 Academy Institute," She added.

"Academy Institute," a strange glint flashes in Marie's eyes.

She is hearing it for the first time where trouble is caused by the academy people.

Then she asked, "Which institute are they from?"

"The Eclipse Institute"

"The Giant Tower Institute," Her assistant replied.

"What are they doing here?"

“What’s their purpose?” Marie muttered to herself.

Shaking her head, she said, “Let’s continue to follow them.

See what they are upto?”

After receiving the instructions, her assistant left.

She doesn’t think that academy people are going to be a threat.

But she doesn’t know that they are the ones who are behind the sinister plans.

Time passed,

When it was close to evening.

Robbie decides to leave.

But before that he plans to meet the City Lord.

His trip again turned futile.

He didn’t find anyone with sinister aura or anyone with suspicious behavior.

When he reached the City Lord Mansion.

He was greeted by her good friend, the City Lord Marie.

Then they entered the meeting hall to talk.

Both took their seats opposite each other to sit down.

Looking at Robbie's dull expression.

Marie chuckled and said, "Looks like your search ended in failure again."

Robbie raised his head and looked into her eyes.

"Yes, there were no suspicious people.

The City Looks calm and busy," he said.

"But I couldn't get rid of the uneasy feelings in my heart," He added further.

Hearing that Marie thought of something.

She doesn't know whether it will help or not.

Robbie saw a change in her expression.

He asked, "Do you know something?"

Marie looked at him and replied, "We our guards have found suspicious activities by the Institute warriors."

"Institute?" He asked back.

Marie nodded her head before explaining everything.

“Giant Tower and Eclipse Academy,” Robbie said to himself.

If Lowell was here, he would be shocked by hearing this news.