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Brovnen gently smoothed his sleeves, put his hands behind his back,

And lightly touched the deck with his toes, instantly rising into the air.

Just as he was about to land on the water,

He gathered his spiritual energy under his feet, creating an invisible barrier between his feet and the sea.

Then, his body moved across the sea with incredible speed and silence,

Far faster than a ship could move.

Reaching the research vessel, he lightly touched the ground again,

Rising nearly a hundred meters into the air, he arced through the air and landed directly on the bridge of the research vessel.

The crew hadn't noticed anything amiss.

Since the fishing boat had been following them without getting too close,

No radar alarms were triggered.

The watch officer was focused on getting into the Roaring Forties before the next storm hit,

To avoid increased risks, he was solely focused on heading straight ahead.

Furthermore, this area had never been frequented by pirates, so he had no sense of caution.

As he and the crew propelled the ship at full speed,

They were completely unaware that a figure had appeared outside the control room from the top deck.

While everyone was busy, the control room door suddenly opened,

And a figure stood there, his expression cold and somewhat menacing.

The crew inside the control room was startled by the sudden appearance of the stranger.

The ship had departed from Japan a little over a month ago, carrying both crew members and members of a research team.

Although these two groups hadn't known each other before,

They had become somewhat familiar with each other over the past month,

Making it unlikely that a complete stranger would suddenly appear.

But who else could be on this vast ocean besides their own crew?

The driver instinctively asked, "Anada..."

Before the man could finish, Brovnen swept his sharp gaze across the crowd and said coldly,

"Who speaks Chinese? Come out and speak!"

His words caused the dozen or so people present to freeze in shock.

For Brovnen, calming these people was a matter of a single thought.

However, calming their minds didn't mean he could control them.

Only those who could understand his commands would obey him and be under his control.

The others, who couldn't understand his commands, were now as if they had lost consciousness, standing motionless in place.

Soon, a young man stepped out from among the restrained people.

He walked a few steps forward to Brovnen and said in fluent Chinese,

"I can speak Chinese."

Brovnen nodded in satisfaction and asked him,

"What's your name?"

The man respectfully replied,

"My name is Matsushita Heikichi."

Brovnen waved his hand dismissively,

"Matsushita? From now on, you're a lackey."

"Do whatever I tell you to do wholeheartedly."

"Refer to yourself as 'this humble one' when speaking to me, understand?"

Matsushita Heikichi immediately replied with utmost devotion,

"This humble one obeys."

Brovnen grunted and asked him,

"Tell me, how many people are on your ship?"

Matsushita Heikichi said,

"There are twenty-six crew members and twenty-two members of the research team."

Brovnen frowned and asked,

"I just had someone shout for help from the fishing boat."

"Why didn't you help?"

Matsushita Heikichi quickly replied,

"It's not that this humble one was unwilling to help,"

"But the captain ordered full speed ahead,"

"And this humble one had no choice but to obey."

"Captain..."

Brovnen snorted coldly, then opened his right hand,

Powerful spiritual energy emanates from his palm and invisibly surrounds the entire research vessel.

In that instant, everyone on board was completely captivated.

Then, he looked at Matsushita Heikichi and said coldly,

"Now you will speak and make everyone on board obey your orders."

"And follow your lead in everything!"

Matsushita Heikichi immediately complied, picked up the microphone on the walkie-talkie,

Switched the channel to ship-wide broadcast,

And rattled off a string of words.

The gist of which was that from now on, everyone must strictly obey his orders.

After he finished speaking, Brovnen continued,

"Tell everyone to continue their work as usual."

"And maintain normal communication with the outside world."

"Don't reveal any weaknesses."

These people were like robots waiting for orders, instinctively obeying whatever command was given.

So, when Matsushita Heikichi gave them the order in Japanese,

Everyone immediately returned to their work, as if nothing had happened.

However, once Matsushita Heikichi gave an order,

They would execute it with all their might.

Matsushita Heikichi himself only obeyed Brovnen's orders,

So Brovnen could control everyone at will simply by using Matsushita Heikichi's Japanese-Chinese communication skills.

Immediately afterward, he said to Matsushita Heikichi,

"Lackey, use the walkie-talkie to call your captain over here!"

Matsushita Heikichi bowed respectfully, then immediately picked up the microphone and gave the order to the captain.

Soon, the gray-haired captain rushed over.

Upon seeing him enter, Matsushita Heikichi said to Brovnen,

"This is our captain."

Brovnen stared at him intently, initially wanting to smash him to pieces,

But then he reconsidered.

Since this ba5tard was the captain, his professional skills were undoubtedly up to par.

He still needed these men to work for him.

He couldn't afford to kill the most senior and experienced captain.

However, remembering how this bastard had "failed to save him" earlier, he couldn't swallow his anger.

So he coldly said to Matsushita Heikichi,

"Tell this ba5tard to strip nak3d and stand at the bow as his punishment!"