

Hail the King 641

Chapter 641: Terrifying a.s.sa.s.sins (Part One)

Danielle's expression instantly changed.

Elite soldiers in black armors rushed into the poor neighborhood and appeared in every alleyway, surrounding this little courtyard. They were fully equipped with the best s.h.i.+elds and spears, and it felt like they were the waves in a tsunami that were gus.h.i.+ng at the poor kids.

When Danielle glanced around, all that she could see were these black armored soldiers, and that scene made her feel desperate and hopeless.

Standing on the roof of a big stone house that was more stable, there was a burly young man with long blue hair. He was the person who just spoke, and the bright sunlight was s.h.i.+ning on his face.

He was the no.1 master of Hot Spring Gate, Dillies.

Danielle's beautiful silver eyes opened wide, and her pupils contracted. As a One-Star Warrior, she was already very sensitive to warrior energy. To her, this young man with blue hair was like a sun in the sky with his burning aura. In fact, since his warrior energy flames were so bright, even the morning sunlight seemed dim when compared to it.

This was how terrifying a peak Six-Star Warrior was.

Under the wave-like pressure, Danielle felt like she was suffocating.

In comparison to Dillies, Inzagi and the other four black knights didn't emit any warrior energy surges. It felt like they were even weaker than the ordinary soldiers who didn't even know combat techniques.

Danielle was extremely anxious since she felt the difference.

“Dillies?” Inzagi turned around and looked at the soldiers who were coming over. Then, he looked up at the young man with blue hair who was standing on the roof and said, “You are finally here. You also brought soldiers with you? Hahaha! Where is Old Tolemy?”

“Who do you think you are? Do you think my father would come here and deal with a little fish like you?” Dillies said as his long blue hair fluttered in the air without wind. With an arrogant expression, he said, “Only the King of Chambord is qualified to talk to my father!”

“Really?” Inzagi replied in disdain and smiled. Then, he suddenly disappeared.

In the next moment, Dillies who was standing on top of the roof suddenly changed expressions. A dash of sharp hidden energy was aimed at his throat, and he felt like the sickle of the Grim Reaper was coming at him. He couldn't tell where his opponent was and how this man was attacking, but his sharp warrior instinct told him that he was in great danger. As a result, all the hair on his body stood up.

Subconsciously, he pushed using his legs and unleashed all his fire-elemental warrior energy. The roof collapsed under his feet as if it was made from sand, and Dillies was able to dodge the killing strike barely.

However, he wasn't intact; a few streaks of blue hair were cut off and fell in the air.

Even though Dillies dodged the first strike, he didn't escape from danger. That murderous sensation still surrounded him.

It didn't matter how hard he tried, this no.1 master in Hot Spring Gate couldn't detect his opponent's location. He could only rely on his instinct to rival with the invisible energy.

Rival was a big word. In fact, he could only use his instinct to try to dodge and survive his enemy's attacks.

The invisible, deadly energy never disappeared.

Dillies roared and dashed around, but he still felt like his opponent was targeting his throat.

It was a terrifying a.s.s.a.s.sination skill.

Dillies was greatly suppressed, and his powerful fire-elemental warrior energy couldn't be used. He was at a significant disadvantage, and he couldn't even find an opportunity to catch his breath and reorganize.

Back!

Retreat!

Escape!

Those were the only things that this no.1 master of Hot Spring Gate could do. Even though he wanted to fight back with his combat techniques, his opponent didn't leave him any room or time.

The structures and buildings he stepped on all collapsed like sand sculptures, the hard ground also cracked, spilling specks of dust in all directions as if it was a pot of boiling water.

Chapter 641: Terrifying a.s.s.a.s.sins (Part Two)

This earth-shaking scene surprised everyone.

Danielle was so surprised so that she covered her wide-open mouth, and stars glittered in her eyes. She couldn't believe what was happening.

The only people who were not surprised were the other four black knights. They clearly knew how powerful Inzagi was.

Under the King of Chambord's teaching, Inzagi was already beyond the realm of Seven-Star, and his a.s.s.a.s.sination skills were insane! In addition, his innate ability of hiding and merging into the s.p.a.ce around him put him in a nearly invincible position. Therefore, dealing with Dillies was like playing with a child for him.

After 20 seconds, Inzagi suddenly appeared in front of Danielle, showing everyone where he was at.

He looked das.h.i.+ng and unique, and people felt like he was a hermit.

Whoos.h.!.+

Fire-elemental warrior energy was unleashed in a roar. After Inzagi stopped his attacks, Dillies finally got the opportunity to fight back. As he shouted, Dillies used his combat technique and threw a fire dragon at Inzagi.

He wanted to suppress his opponent with his thick warrior energy! He wanted his opponent to know that a.s.sa.s.sination skills were useless in front of true power!

However, Inzagi didn't panic.

Boom! He reached out his hand and grabbed onto the fire dragon that was coming at him. It felt like a tiger raised its claws and pressed down a provoking snake.

The aura that Inzagi suddenly released overpowered Dillies' fire-elemental warrior energy, and all the flames were wiped out.

"This....." Danielle couldn't believe her eyes. She finally detected Inzagi's warrior energy, and it was far superior than Dillies'. If Dillies' warrior energy flames were as bright as the sun before, it was now as dim as a candle in front of Inzagi's warrior energy flames.

Didn't matter if it was in terms of warrior energy volume or combat technique, this no.1 warrior of Hot Spring Gate lost completely.

Dillies who was planning another strike paled and froze, having no courage to attack again.

"Do you understand it now? Only a little Tolemy Family and a little [Rapid Wind Legion] is nothing in His Majesty's eyes! You are weaker than an ant! If you look around the empire, can you find a person who dares to be disrespectful toward my king?" The mockery on Inzagi's face become more obvious, and he looked at Dillies as if he was looking at a clown.

Dillies opened his mouth but couldn't come up with a counter.

All the elite soldiers of the [Rapid Wind Legion] who were fully armored seemed as useless as straws.

“You..... Don’t underestimate us! If I give the order, the archers will shoot. Even if you can get out of here alive, that girl behind you as well as those kids couldn’t.....” Dillies threatened.

“You can try,” Inzagi replied with an emotionless expression on his face, “You can try to see if your archers could fire their arrows.”

Dillies was stunned.

He suddenly realized that the other four black knights who were silent disappeared. They didn’t emit any auras, and no one knew where they went. However, that dangerous sensation could be felt, and it was even more intense than before. All the soldiers felt like they were weak rabbits that were targeted by giant beasts, and they shivered uncontrollably.

It turned out that the assassination skills of those four black knights weren’t weaker than Inzagi’s.

“This is terrifying! How come the King of Chambord has so many terrifying assassins under his command?” Dillies thought.

Chapter 642: Get Out! (Part One)

A drop of sweat slowly slid down Dillies’ forehead.

After hearing what happened in the poor neighborhood from Kulun, Dillies wasn’t too concerned. After all, the King of Chambord wasn’t here; it was just a few weak kids who were saved by the king a little more than half a year ago. That was why he decided to come here with the elite soldiers.

“They were only poor kids; what can they do after about half a year? Although we couldn’t offend the King of Chambord and do anything to them, we could still scare them a little. We can threaten them a bit before letting them go, and that should handle this situation nicely,” he thought.

However, he never expected that those poor kids who were like ants in his eyes before could get this powerful. Right now, he was the ant! Even though he was the No.1 Master of Hot Spring Gate, he was still no match for these people.

It was unimaginable.

Dillies was in an awkward situation.

If he really apologized and admitted defeat in front of thousands of soldiers of the [Rapid Wind Legion], then his title as the No.1 Master of Hot Spring Gate would become a joke, and everyone would laugh at him.

However, what could he do if he didn't want to apologize?

These assassins were far more powerful than him, and they were supported by the King of Chambord who couldn't even be held back by the royal family of Zenit..... What made Dillies more desperate was that even if he could find a way to detain these people, what could he do after? He couldn't punish them or kill them. After all, the King of Chambord was overly protective of his people. If this insane ruler got mad, the entire Tolemy Family and Hot Spring Gate might turn into ashes under his rage.

Dillies was unwilling to admit defeat, but he couldn't do anything about it! This was the first time that Dillies sensed the powerlessness as a weakling.

"What? Why are you still here?" Inzagi frowned and sneered, "If you don't get out of here right now, don't blame me for not giving you the opportunity. Before sunset today, all of the members of your Tolemy Family need to walk to this courtyard in plain clothes and pay respect to Uncle York and all my friends who were killed here more than half a year ago. Also, I need your father to personally kill Kulun, the perpetrator of that incident, right here. You need to experience the pain that we experienced, and it will also remove a tumor from Hot Spring Gate. If you do what I said, it will put an end to this. Otherwise, your Tolemy Family will be wiped out when the moon rises tonight."

"You....." Dillies was enraged; he didn't expect this black knight to come up with such a hard requirement. He shouted, "Don't push it too far!"

"Push it too far?" The mockery on Inzagi's face intensified. He added, "Never mind; I don't want to talk to you anymore. Just a friendly reminder; you need to learn to admit defeat and surrender when you are this weak. If you think you have the power to resist and fight back, I will be waiting here for you. For now, if you don't want to die, get out of here! Relay what I said to the decision maker in the Tolemy Family!"

It was a slap in the face.

As soon as Inzagi finished speaking, a series of whooshing noises sounded as if it was resonating what Inzagi said.

The archers who were behind the front formations were gasped as they felt like a gust of wind blew by. They were all pulling their bows, but the bowstrings that were made from tough yet elastic beast muscles were all cut in halves like weak hairs. Close to 200 strong bows were turned to trash, but no one saw the people who did it.

This was too scary.

It was clear that their opponents didn't want to kill anyone. Otherwise, it wouldn't be bowstrings that were cut but their necks.

No one could defend against this!

Dillies shivered uncontrollably.

All of his courage disappeared instantly. The fate of his family was now in his hands, and this pressure was suffocating him. His arrogant and powerful stance melted like snow on a hot summer day, and he had to lower his head under Inzagi's glare. After he kicked the ground, his body turned into a dash of flames and disappeared in a flash.

"Retreat!"

Chapter 642: Get Out! (Part Two)

Dillies' voice sounded from afar.

More than 1,000 elite soldiers who came here in high spirits lost their morale. After hearing that command, they quickly moved and disappeared like the falling tide, leaving a bunch of messy footsteps behind on the ground.

Danielle, who watched in amazement at what was happening, had her understanding of the world around her flipped up-side-down.

“Philip defeated Dillies who is the No.1 Master of Hot Spring Gate? And he won so easily?”

What surprised Danielle even more was that one of the ten main battle legions of Zenit, the [Rapid Wind Legion], retreated in panic after Inzagi said a few things.

“It looks like Dillies is really scared of the power behind Philip..... Could it be..... Could it be that Philip is really under the legendary King of Chambord? And he is valued a lot? What kind of a person is the King of Chambord really? He didn’t even show up here, but his name is enough to scare the Tolemy Family who had been at Hot Spring Gate for many years. Even Dillies who is a Six-Star Warrior doesn’t dare to do anything but to run away.....”

Although Danielle heard of the King of Chambord from other mercenaries, she was still very sad over the death of her close ones and focused her attention on training and taking care of these orphans. Therefore, she didn’t know much about the king.

At this moment, this pretty female warrior suddenly realized that she only heard of this name before but didn’t know anything else about him. She was curious as to who this legendary man was.

“Alright, Danielle, don’t just stand there. Go buy a few magic carriages in the city. After all of this is over, let’s all go back to Chambord City. No one will bully these kids there, and they could learn from the best teachers and instructors. If you want to, you can even study there as well!” Inzagi said as he handed a bag full of gold coins to Danielle who was still in shock. Then, he asked Owen and Raul to go with her to buy the carriages, food, and clothes that they may need.

On the way, this female warrior couldn’t hold back her curiosity. She pulled the ears of these two young men who she didn’t see for more than half a year, and she asked them about what happened to them after they got separated.

This was Danielle’s first time hearing their experiences, and she was glad that the five of them got so lucky.

“So, Philip is now the first disciple of the King of Chambord, one of the most powerful people in the empire. His identity is really prestigious, and even the leader of the Tolemy Family would have to come out and greet him. No wonder Dillies didn’t dare to say anything back after Philip scolded him.....” she thought.

This was the first time that Danielle had this much money, and she felt a thrill when she spent it while under protection.

After about two hours, they bought all the things that they might need on the way back to Chambord. Most of the stuff was bought by Owen and Raul since Danielle never even heard of the items that they purchased. After all, Danielle wasn't experienced in planning long trips.

When everything was bought, they hired a few grooms and went back to the poor neighborhood. However, the entire neighborhood was surrounded by the elite soldiers of the [Rapid Wind Legion] again, and no one knew what was happening on the inside.

All the people who wanted to see what was going on were pushed away by the soldiers, and Danielle and the other two black knights were blocked as well.

"Stop! Leave, or you shall be killed!" a powerful military commander of the [Rapid Wind Legion] said to them as the soldiers protected him.

Chapter 643: Leaving, Breakthrough (Part One)

Seeing how strictly the poor neighborhood was guarded by soldiers, Danielle, who was sitting in front of one fancy magic carriage, was shocked. "What is going on? d.a.m.n it! Could it be that the Tolemy Family is trying to go back on their words? And they sent troops over to kill us all? We should have left right away! Now, we wasted so much time buying these items..... What should we do?"

Owen and Raul, who were guarding this carriage from the two sides on their black horses, looked at each other and smiled.

"Hahaha! Sister Danielle, don't worry! Even if old Tolemy has 10,000 times the courage, he won't dare to do anything," Raul said with disdain as if the soldiers in front of him were nothing in his eyes.

"Sister Danielle, you say that because you don't know what King Alexander His Majesty is capable of in the Zenit Empire, and you don't understand what kind of status Brother Philip holds in the Chambord Kingdom. To be frank, even the leader of the Tolemy Family who has absolute power in Hot Spring Gate is far below Philip's level. Haha! They wouldn't dare to do anything! Unless

everyone at the Tolemy Family is stupid, and none of them want to live! If Brother Philip wants, he could put this b.l.o.o.d.y n.o.ble family into history in a few hours on his own!”

Michael Owen was one year younger than Raul, but he sounded a lot bolder.

Danielle was stunned.

She realized that she still hadn’t adapted to the huge change.

Her friends who she lived with in that courtyard about half a year ago all transformed. They had trouble finding enough food for everyone before, but they were now confident warriors. They were able to fight for themselves in this chaotic world, and their powerful stances shocked Danielle continuously.

“Do you all want to die? Get out of here!” Seeing the magic carriages approaching without signs of stopping, the military commander who shouted before dashed forward and slashed the horsewhip in his hand at Owen with viciousness on his face. Like a vicious snake, this horsewhip dashed toward Owen without mercy.

“Back off!” Owen said as he waved his hand.

A dash of green wind-elemental energy blade shot out and cut this horsewhip into exact 20 pieces. Then, it pa.s.sed by this commander’s ear and cut off a few strands of his hair.

This control of energy was shocking to everyone in the area.

This commander was terrified, and he almost fell off his horse. As he got mad and was about to command his soldiers to shoot arrows, he suddenly realized something.....

He suddenly realized that the two black knights in front of him were wearing unique armor. Although the two sets of armor looked ordinary and a little rough, they were actually made from the fur of high-level demon beasts. Black flames would appear around them when they were under the sun, and vague magic energy fluctuations could be sensed. Also, the horses these two black knights were riding on were taller than ordinary war horses and were more energetic.

“The King of Chambord’s black knights?” This terrifying thought appeared in this commander’s head, and his face instantly paled. He jumped off his horse weakly and asked with a flattering smile on his face, “You guys... two misters, are you envoys from Chambord?”

“Go away!”

Owen rode his horse forward without even looking at this commander.

This a.s.sa.s.sin who was only 14 years old was a little extreme. Since he had been around the king for more than half a year now, he picked up some of the king’s att.i.tudes. He truly admired soldiers who were unyielding, and he hated these people who were arrogant in front of people who they thought were weak and soft in front of people who they believed were powerful.

“Yes... Sir, this way. Please... Quickly! Move away! Let these two gentlemen and their carriages through! You b*stards! Why are you all so slow?” After getting scolded, this commander didn’t dare to get angry. He quickly ordered the soldiers who were defending this area to create a path and let Danielle and the two black knights through.

After this, Danielle finally calmed down again.

She now truly believed that the Tolemy Family wouldn’t try to take revenge on them.

As to the name, ‘King of Chambord,’ this female warrior had engraved it into her soul.

Elite soldiers of the [Rapid Wind Legion] stood on the streets in this poor neighborhood, but no one dared to jump out and stop them. Soon, Danielle and the two black knights arrived at the courtyard, and Danielle was surprised even though she mentally prepared herself.

There were many members of the Tolemy Family who were wearing white robes in the courtyard.

These n.o.blemen who were usually arrogant were s.h.i.+vering in fear at the moment, and they were ashen-faced. Haughtiness and proudness could no longer be seen on their faces, and it seemed like they were more tamed than puppies. They stood in the courtyard with their heads lowered.

In the middle of the courtyard was a little altar created temporarily by wood, and there were all kinds of rare food and treasures on this altar as tributes.

Chapter 643: Leaving, Breakthrough (Part Two)

Kulun who was usually reckless in Hot Spring Gate was tied up, and he looked dull and dispirited. If he weren't propped up by two strong men who were half-naked on the top and holding knives, he would have collapsed onto the ground.

"Kill him! Kill this trash who only brings trouble to the family!"

"Kill him! He brings shame to Tolemy Family! He offended the King of Chambord, and his fate was already determined a long time ago!"

"Use this dumb*ss' head as an apology to the King of Chambord His Majesty!"

"Kill him and burn him! I told you all that he should be disciplined! Kulun had been acting recklessly in Hot Spring Gate for a while now, and he is going to do something that brings doom to the family sooner or later! Humph! The leader of our family just wants to protect his son! Now, his youngest son caused such a big crisis for the family! I think old Tolemy should step off as well. He should resign from his position and take responsibility for this tragedy!"

"Yeah! The King of Chambord is too powerful! How could we mess with his first disciple?"

"d.a.m.n it! Dillies is an idiot! Just because he wants to protect Kulun, he tried to challenge the first disciple of the King of Chambord! Who does he think he is? Does he really think that he is invincible? He completely ignored the potential consequences that his actions might bring to the family!"

Loud and angry shouts sounded in the crowd. Under the leadership of a few people who were trying to pivot the opinions one way, all the members of the Tolemy Family who were dragged into this were mad, and they cursed at Kulun as if he wasn't the second inheritor of the family but a vicious enemy.

Everyone who shouted was a core member of the family.

In order to save themselves, they all shifted their anger onto Kulun and the current family leader. There were fights everywhere! The Tolemy Family wasn't in one piece, and there were fights for

power within it. Therefore, some clever members tried to use this opportunity to flatter the King of Chambord and also harm the current family leader so that they could gain more benefits and power.

Inzagi stood behind the small altar with the kids. He didn't say anything; he stood there and sneered as if he was watching a clown show.

A gloomy old man who was in his fifties slowly walked onto the altar, and he was holding a green sword. As he looked around, his domineering aura instantly suppressed the family members who tried to cause an uproar.

This gloomy old man was the current leader of the Tolemy Family.

He sneered and shook his wrist before piercing through Kulun's heart mercilessly. As Kulun's screams sounded, this old man kicked him to the ground and pulled out the sword that was stained by his son's blood. Then, he cleaned the blood with the bottom of his shoes.

The entire process was quick and without hesitation.

There was no emotion that could be observed on old Tolemy's face; it felt like it wasn't his son who just died but a chicken. He was truly cold-blooded.

He glanced around and stated chillingly, "Kulun is a big trouble maker, and he is guilty of almost all crimes. I have killed him now and delivered the punishment. Humph! I know that there are people similar to Kulun in this family, and I will reorganize the family and execute anyone who committed hideous crimes. I will give the residents of Hot Spring Gate, the King of Chambord His Majesty, and Emperor Ya.s.sin His Majesty a good answer!"

It was absolutely quiet around the altar; everyone sensed the murderous spirit in old Tolemy's words. Some people wanted to use this opportunity to force the family leader to resign, but who knew that he was merciless and would kill his son without hesitation? In addition, he was going to use this chance to 'cleanse' the family. The game of power sure wasn't humane.

After seeing this, Inzagi called over Daniele and others. After packing up everything in the ragged stone houses, they loaded the carriages and left the poor neighborhood. None of them wanted to talk to the corrupted n.o.bles anymore.

Old Tolemy's expression changed a little and looked at Kulun's corpse beside him. He kicked this corpse off the altar and ordered a soldier beside him coldly, "Go bury this trouble maker somewhere! He is useless, and it is better now that he is dead!"

After leaving Hot Spring Gate, everyone felt relaxed.

Danielle and the kids felt an unprecedented thrill, and they were humming songs on the way like birds that finally broke out of their cages.

Inzagi and the other four black knights were happy as well.

They only came here for the revenge, but they met their friend who they thought was dead. It was a pleasant surprise.

Inzagi exhaled deeply, and his expression suddenly changed.

The threshold that had been blocking his path of cultivation showed signs of moving, and he was joyous.

"It is just like master said!" he thought.

Chapter 644: Returning to Chambord (Part One)

Sensing the change that was taking place in his body, Inzagi roared as the green warrior energy flames instantly enveloped him. Surges of warrior energy dispersed into the area like waves in a tsunami, and his long black hair fluttered in the air without wind.

Whoos.h.!.+ He jumped off his horse and dashed into a magic carriage.

"Huh? What is going on? What is happening to Philip?" Danielle who was singing with the kids in another big carriage was shocked by this sudden event.

"This is good! Philip is about to break through!"

“Haha! His Majesty said that Brother Philip could definitely break through the threshold after this mental barrier is lifted! Hahaha! Master was not wrong! From now on, Brother Philip’s path of cultivation would be smooth and broad! Sister Danielle, don’t worry! This is a good thing!”

The four black knights were surprised and felt happy for Inzagi.

They rode their horses around the carriage that Inzagi was in and guarded him.

Waves of green warrior energy flames traveled through the walls of the carriage and dispersed into the air, dyeing half of the sky green. Wind-elemental warrior energy rushed into the magic carriage from all directions, and streaks of small tornadoes formed around the carriage and circled in like playful kids. As these tornadoes moved around, rocks and dust got sucked into them, but the area within 100 meters of the carriage was very calm.

This scene was magnificent.

-The Morning of the Second Day-

As the wedding day of the King of Chambord approached, more and more people came to Chambord City. At the moment, long lines formed on the southern bank of Zuli River.

There was only one Reserve Whale Battles.h.i.+p on the Zuli River transporting people, and it couldn’t rest at all. The huge body of the s.h.i.+p created a series of waves, and it traveled back and forth between the two banks with a level of speed and agility that didn’t match its huge size. The foreigners who first saw this scene were all surprised.

“Wow! Such a big s.h.i.+p! This is my first time seeing something like this! Does it belong to Chambord as well?”

Magic carriages slowly stopped at the port.

Danielle stuck her head out of the window and saw the ma.s.sive s.h.i.+p on the river. She got surprised just like other foreigners, and the kids around her who just woke up rubbed their sleepy eyes and got out of the carriage. They were instantly shocked by the huge battles.h.i.+p, and none of them felt sleepy anymore.

Until Danielle and the kids actually got onto the s.h.i.+p, they still hadn't woken up from the shock.

This female warrior ran around the deck of the s.h.i.+p with the kids as they looked around, and they were hyped.

Although some other pa.s.sengers beside them were shocked by the size and the speed of this s.h.i.+p, they didn't show that on their faces. These people who dressed fancily and thought that they had seen everything pointed at Danielle and the kids who were in ragged clothes, and some of them even scolded them arrogantly and treated them like b.u.mpkins.

Only those people who rode [King Alexander] before looked at Danielle and the kids with fear and respect in their eyes. They knew that people weren't allowed to run around on this s.h.i.+p; if someone ran into the restricted area on the s.h.i.+p, they would be beaten by the masters of Chambord.

These people who were more observant saw Danielle and the kids walk out of the VIP zones, and the restricted areas on the s.h.i.+p were opened to them as well. When they ran around on the s.h.i.+p, no masters of Chambord came out to stop them.

"These people's ident.i.ties aren't that simple," they thought.

After 20 minutes, the s.h.i.+p arrived on the other side of the river. Danielle and the kids said goodbye to [King Alexander] unwillingly and went back to their magic carriages before going into the city.

Then, the magic teleportation arrays before the defense wall excited them for a while as well.

The organized and wide streets, the bright storefronts, the busy people, the magic items, the polite patrol soldiers, the smile on people's faces..... All these made Danielle and the kids feel like they were in a paradise.

This was their first time seeing this beautiful city, and they all felt like it was many times better than Hot Spring Gate, which was one of the top ten cities in Zenit.

"Brother Philip, is there a poor neighborhood here as well? If not, where are we going to live tonight?" The cute Millie blinked her big eyes and asked.

Inzagi smiled and replied, “There are no longer poor neighborhoods at Chambord City! Everyone could live in bright houses, and you guys will be living in clean houses and sleeping on soft and comfortable beds! Also, fireplaces will be lit so that you won’t be cold, and there would be food for you all to eat and get full on!”

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All the kids started to cheer after hearing that.

To them, what Inzagi described was the best place in the world!

“Hahaha! Look at how happy you guys are! Let’s go to the best restaurant in the city first to feed you guys, and then I will take you to where you will be living. Later, we will take magic photos and fill out applications at the Department of Revenue. After that, you will be citizens of Chambord, and you can all receive free education. If you work hard enough, you can even get enrolled into Chambord’s Civil and Military University.....”

As the kids asked questions such as “What is revenue?” and “Where is the Civil and Military University?”, Inzagi answered all of them with a big smile on his face. The carriage traveled on the right side of the road and stopped when there was a red light...

After half an hour, they arrived at a nice restaurant in the dining region of Chambord.

The magic carriages were parked by the waiters, and Inzagi led the kids who skipped into the main hall.

Since it was still in the morning, there weren’t many customers yet.

Owen and Raul went up to order, and Inzagi and everyone else sat down at the tables near the window.

Even though the magic carriages were fast, they traveled more than 200 kilometers in the night, and they were a bit tired and hungry.

These 20 to 30 kids were playful and curious. Even though they were all hungry, they still ran around, chatted, and cheered like happy birds.

At this moment, Inzagi suddenly heard a series of talks.

“Hey, did you hear about it? The guests who were welcomed by the King of Chambord personally yesterday were all masters from the Black-Cloth Shrine of the Holy Church, and there were about 800 of them. This is the first time that Chambord let so many people into the city at once. Several envoy groups from big empires were asked to camp on the other side of the river, and only the key figures such as princes and their guards were allowed into the city. The Holy Church sure is powerful! Even the King of Chambord doesn’t dare to neglect them!”

“Hahaha! You know too little! It isn’t that simple! I heard that the King of Chambord is the [G.o.d’s Favorite Child] of the Black-Cloth Shrine, and a lot of people are saying that King Alexander is about to become the bishop of the Black-Cloth Shrine! Therefore, it is reasonable that he allowed the people from Black-Cloth Shrine into the city.”

The two mercenary-looking men were murmuring to each other beside Inzagi on the next table, and Inzagi heard them clearly.

He didn’t react at all, and he only continued to eavesdrop.

“Yeah! The King of Chambord is about to become the bishop of the Black-Cloth Shrine..... This is strange; this news got around quickly a few days ago. It seems like some people are trying to promote it, and I’m not sure if it is the truth.”

“We can wait and see. The Northern Region Church is hosting the Shrines’ Ranking Battle in about half a year. If the King of Chambord goes there, then.....”

“Yeah, you are right. I also heard that a lot of big characters came to this city.”

“Compared with people who came a few days ago, they aren’t that influential; they are just masters from other affiliated kingdoms. They are people such as [Magic Princess] Cindy, [Silver Armored Vicious Sword] Reyes, and Shevchenko who ranked no.2 in the competition at St. Petersburg. Also, King Constantine of the Byzantine Kingdom in the south also came here.”

These two mercenary-looking men knew a lot of information. As they chatted, they didn't notice that the handsome black knight beside their table picked up all the critical information.

However, Inzagi stopped eavesdropping after a while.

Right now, Chambord had its intelligence network. All the mid-level to high-level officials in the six departments at Chambord would instantly know what was happening in and around the city.

When Inzagi boarded [King Alexander] this morning, someone handed him a detailed intelligence report in the command center of the battles.h.i.+p. What these two mercenaries said were all recorded on that report.

Soon, the fancy and delicious dishes were made and served.

As Danielle was about to call over the kids who were still running around and playing, a series of heavy footsteps sounded by the stairs. Then, 15 to 16 vicious-looking strong man appeared by the stairs on the second floor with weapons in their hands.

Inzagi only took a quick glance and saw the same symbol on these mercenaries' weapons and armors.

The symbol was a handsome horse running in the wind; they were members of the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group].

Chapter 645: The [Four Spikes] under the King of Chambord (Part One)

From the symbols alone, it seems like these people weren't of low-status in the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group], and they all looked like arrogant hooligans. As soon as they walked up to the second floor, they glanced around viciously. When they noticed that there were kids who were wearing ragged clothes, one of the mercenaries who had a red bandana on his head and a cross scar on his right cheek frowned.

"What is going on? This restaurant is quite upscale here; why are there so many little beggars in here? d.a.m.n! They are dirty, and I'm losing my appet.i.te!" this man with the cross scar murmured to himself angrily.

A tall and thin mercenary behind him understood what he meant. He slapped the table in front of him and shouted overbearingly, “The [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] is hosting a meeting with masters from the [Fire Blood Mercenary Group], and we are taking all the tables on the second floor. Anyone who is not related should leave right now! Otherwise, bear the potential consequences yourselves!”

There weren’t many guests on the second floor, and the ones who were here all paled after hearing the name of this mercenary group. Some of them wanted to yell back at first, but they now decided to pack up and go down the stairs without hesitation.

Inzagi frowned and pulled back the other black knights who were about to confront these mercenaries. Then, he called over the waiters and asked them to move all the dishes on the tables to the first floor. After that, he waved at Danielle and the kids and tried to continue eating on the first floor.

“d.a.m.n! Such a hottie! Look at that waist! It must be great when riding her!” a few mercenaries saw Danielle who was wearing red leather armor, and their eyes lit up as they whistled at her.

Danielle only gave them a hard stare.

She heard of the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] before, and she knew that she couldn’t fight against them. In order not to cause more trouble for Inzagi and others, she just headed toward the stairs with anger on her face.

“Hahaha!” Seeing this, the mercenaries of the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] got even more reckless and arrogant as they laughed and slapped the table.

The tall and thin mercenary who shouted at first had a sly smile on his face. When little Millie was walking by him, he suddenly moved one of his feet forward and tripped this little loli who didn’t expect this.

Bam! Millie fell onto the ground, and her nose started to bleed. The acute pain made this girl cry instantly.

“You.....” Danielle was infuriated.

She saw what this mercenary did, but she was much weaker and wasn't able to react in time to save Millie.

“What? This dirty little beggar stepped on my foot and stained my precious magic battle boots. How should we settle this?” That tall and thin mercenary looked at Danielle up and down with a lustful smile on his face. As he laughed, he continued, “Hottie, are you a relative of this little girl? Hehe, great! How are you going to compensate me? It is going to be at least a few gold coins. Hehehe, if you don't have this much money, then you have to come over and accompany us for a bit.”

These mercenaries had more important things to do, and they shouldn't keep a stranger on the second floor. However, Danielle was really pretty, and her figure was almost perfect as well. On top of that, she had a unique temperament that ordinary girls didn't have. Therefore, the mercenaries from the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] couldn't hold themselves back.

“We haven't done anything for several days since we arrived at Chambord City. This pretty girl looks like a mercenary, and she is only wearing ordinary clothes. She probably doesn't have a big background, and we can kill her after we vent our urges on her. No one is going to know a thing!” they thought.

“You..... don't push it! You tripped Millie on purpose!” Danielle shouted at this tall and thin mercenary angrily after she helped Millie to get up and wiped the blood off Millie's face heartbrokenly.

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“These guys are too bad! How could they do such a thing to a kid? They are vicious and made Millie feel hard,” she thought.

“Hahahaha! I am pushing it! What can you do? I did it on purpose! Are you going to compensate me or not?” that tall and thin mercenary asked loudly.

Little Millie was scared, and she shrunk in Danielle's arms and didn't even dare to cry.

Inzagi who already walked downstairs with the other kids came back to the second floor. He looked around and instantly understood the situation. As he frowned, he whispered something into Owen's ears as the latter came over. Then, Inzagi patted Danielle's shoulder and walked down with her and little Millie.

“You want to go? d.a.m.n it! You are seeking death! You b*stards.....” This tall and thin mercenary was enraged after seeing this.

As he slammed the table and was about to chase, a black figure suddenly appeared in front of him.

When this mercenary saw a young black knight easily blocking his way, he was stunned by the speed that this mysterious young man demonstrated. He didn't dare to make a move without more information, so he asked angrily, “Who are you? How dare you interfere with the matter of the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group]? F*ck off!”

“Didn't you say that you want compensation?” Owen opened his palm and showed ten s.h.i.+ny gold coins. Then, he tossed them to this tall and thin mercenary, and the gold coins stacked on top of each other beside the latter's feet, forming a perfect cylinder. Then, Owen laughed provoking, “The money is here. It is up to you to get it!”

“Yuck! You little b*stard! How dare you try to play tricks in front of me?” The thin and tall mercenary was stunned for a second, and he fell for the provocation. He pulled out his sword and slashed it at Owen furiously.

Owen sneered and dashed away.

Whoos.h.!.+ His body disappeared like a phantom.

Whoos.h.!.+ Whoos.h.!.+ Whoos.h.!.+

A series of air-piercing noises sounded, and blood was spilled. The tall and thin mercenary was surprised at first, and then he started to scream like a pig that was being slaughtered.

The right leg that he used to trip little Millie was chopped off from the knee, and it fell beside the stack of gold coins.

As a desperate expression appeared on his face, his body silvered and fell to the ground as he continued to scream and groan.

Tink! Tink! Tink!

All the mercenaries on the second floor were shocked, but they reacted instantly. They all drew out their weapons and quickly surrounded Owen. With murderous expressions on their faces, they stood in their positions and even blocked off possible escape paths such as the windows and stairs.

The leader who had a cross scar on his right cheek walked up and looked down at Owen with a serious expression. He opened his mouth and said, “Interesting; I didn’t expect myself to misjudge people..... Where are you from?”

“What? You trying to befriend me after losing to me?” Owen didn’t panic. Instead, he scolded them ferociously, “Since you are in Chambord City, you should keep quiet. You guys are way too weak, and you are just bringing shame to your [Wind Horse Mercenary Group]. Even your group leader wouldn’t dare to be reckless in front of Our Majesty. Who are you? How dare you to behave this way?”

“You..... you are under the King of Chambord?” This man with the cross scar on his cheek was shocked.

“I’m one of the [Four Spikes] under King Alexander His Majesty’s command, [Killing Spike] Michael Owen.” This young black knight quickly gave himself a cool nickname.

Since they were young, Owen and his peers had strange ideas. Therefore, Owen and the three others thought of cool nicknames for themselves, and they named their group, [Four Spikes]. They thought of their nicknames for a while now, and they finally got to use it today.

After hearing Owen’s words, this man with the cross scar on his face turned ugly.

Chapter 646: Slap Yourself (Part One)

Although they didn’t know what [Four Spikes] meant, they were clear that this young black knight was a master of Chambord.

“d.a.m.n it! The stuff we have to talk about with the [Fire Blood Mercenary Group] is related to the King of Chambord, and that is why we have to make sure no other people are on the second floor. However, we attracted the attention of the masters of Chambord..... What should we do?”

After seeing how Owen moved, this man with the cross scar knew that this black knight who was very young was a terrifying master. Even if they wanted to keep him here and attacked him as a group, they probably couldn't succeed. In addition, if they started a fight, other masters of Chambord would notice this and ruin their big plan.

Therefore, this man with the cross scar got mad, and he sneered at the tall and thin mercenary who was still screaming and groaning. "Shut up! If it weren't for this idiot, we wouldn't have offended the masters of Chambord!"

After hearing that, the tall and thin mercenary was terrified, and he bit onto his lips and didn't dare to make any sound, even though big sweat drops appeared on his forehead due to the acute pain.

"Mr. Owen, this brother of mine already lost his leg. What do you say that we end it here?" Since they got more important things coming up, this man with the cross scar on his face decided to end this incident quickly, so he endured the anger and tried to put an end to this quickly.

"He tripped our princess, and it would be too easy for him only to lose a leg. However, since we are the host and are forgiving, we will end it here. However, those of you who whistled at my big sister need to slap yourself on the face three times." Owen looked handsome and calm, but he was very sharp. Therefore, he stared at the mercenaries who whistled at Danielle and said coldly.

The man with the cross scar frowned, but he took a deep breath and kept his emotions in check. Without turning around, he ordered, "You all heard this master! Why aren't you moving? Slap yourselves three times hard to apologize to that lady!"

Pia! Pia! Pia! A series of loud slapping noises sounded on the second floor of this restaurant.

The [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] could be considered disciplined. As soon as that man with the cross scar gave the order, all the mercenaries slapped themselves hard without hesitation. Their faces swelled, and streaks of blood leaked out of their mouths.

After doing that, they all stared at Owen viciously in silence, and it looked quite chilling.

A cold smile appeared on Owen's face as he said, "Ok, we will put an end to this right here. However, I have to remind you that Chambord City isn't like any other places. You better behave in

Chambord City, or the consequences will be severe. Ok, you guys continue whatever you are doing; I will be leaving now.”

He wasn't scared of the viciousness these mercenaries expressed at all, and he turned around and left.

Dashes of light appeared in the eyes of this man who had a cross scar on his face, but he didn't say anything.

“Oh, one more thing. It seems like a lot of you are not willing to admit defeat. If you guys really want to challenge me, come and find me later; we can settle it on a Sword-Testing Stage. Hehe, these stages are set up so that warriors could put an end to conflicts using force, but we would need to sign contracts. After all, killing is allowed on these stages. If you want, I don't mind killing you all!” Before Owen walked downstairs, he suddenly turned around and said that. In the same time, he crossed his thumb over his throat, provoking these mercenaries even more.

The man with the cross scar clenched his fists, but he knew that this young man was provoking them on purpose. Therefore, he forced himself to be quiet, and he watched Owen disappear from the second floor.

“Yuck! What are you so proud of? That King of Chambord can't even live long! You are only his little henchman, and I will come and find you as soon as the King of Chambord is killed! I will make you beg for your death!” a powerful mercenary spat and cursed in the direction that Owen disappeared.

“Shut up!” the man with the cross scar shouted, “What are you saying? Do you think that we don't have enough troubles?”

As Owen walked down the stairs, a sly smile appeared on his face.

Even though he was domineering a moment ago and stepping over the line a little, he wasn't arrogant; all of that was planned, and he already discovered a lot of things.

In the main hall on the first floor, Inzagi was already eating with the kids.

Chapter 646: Slap Yourself (Part Two)

Danielle was really anxious right now. After all, the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] was the no.1 mercenary group in an area within 500,000 kilometers of the Zenit Empire, and it was almost on par with the empires in this region. It was far more powerful than the Tolemy Family at Hot Spring Gate in all aspects, and she was afraid that Owen might not be able to deal with all those mercenaries alone.

Now seeing Owen walking downstairs unharmed, she finally relaxed.

This female warrior was more and more confused.

“Is the King of Chambord really only the little king of an affiliated kingdom in Zenit? Why does it seem like nothing in this world could hold him down?” she thought.

Half an hour passed, and all the kids finally got full and could no longer eat.

Inzagi left with them and didn't pay more attention to the mercenaries of the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group]. This made the man with the cross scar relax and exhale deeply.

After all the kids got on the carriages, and they were about to leave, Inzagi and the other four black knights saw a group of 20 or so mercenary-looking people walking near. They were all burly and pressing, and their weapons and armors had bloody flame symbols on them.

This symbol belonged to the no.2 mercenary group in the region, [Fire Blood Mercenary Group].

What surprised Inzagi and his peers was that the leader of this group was a long silver-haired female mage who had long legs and a beautiful body.

Her black magic robe couldn't cover up her alluring figure, and the short wand that was about half a meter long was shining in her hand. In addition, there was a strange demon beast that looked like a colorful parrot on her shoulder, and its long, beautiful feathers fluttered in the wind like a waterfall and attracted a lot of attention.

This female mage led a group of warriors and walked past Inzagi and his group.

Inzagi wasn't sure if it were his hallucination, but he felt like that woman glanced at him and his group for a second before looking away.

"This beautiful woman is deadly!" he thought.

However, he didn't stay here any longer. He rode the magic carriages and left with the kids.

Since Inzagi was one of the powerful masters of Chambord, he had his own mansion. Even though he hadn't lived here for a while, there were servants and maids who cleaned it regularly. Therefore, the kids were able to live in here after they did some quick organizing.

Danielle and the kids looked at the big rooms and the beautiful gardens, and they all smiled wholeheartedly.

From now on, they didn't have to worry about wind sneaking into their house, being cold and hungry, seeing mice around, getting attacked by wild cats and dogs, getting the walls collapsed onto them..... The list went on and on. Overall, they were able to have nice and comfortable rests.

"Haha, from now on, this is your new home! In half an hour, there will be people coming here to take your magic photos, and you guys only need to cooperate. I already ordered the servants to make all of your clothes, and you only need to rest for now. I have some errands to run, so please excuse me for a while," Inzagi said to the kids with a smile on his face after getting them settled down.

"Oh, ok. We will behave ourselves, Brother Inzagi. You should go and do your work." The kids were all understanding.

Inzagi rubbed their heads and reminded Danielle a few things. Then, he rushed out of his mansion.

When he came out, the other four black knights were already waiting for him.

They looked at each other and nodded. Inzagi dashed toward the back mountains, and the other four returned to the restaurant that they were at before.

After he got to the back mountains, Inzagi roared, and a shadow suddenly rushed down the hills; it was Blacky who now had a pair of huge wings.

Inzagi leaped onto Blacky's back, and it flew toward Sky Castle that was located on Five Sword Sky Mountain.

Chapter 647: Path of a.s.sa.s.sin (Part One)

Since Blacky was able to leap over the dragon gate, it was able to undergo a magnificent transformation.

Ever since Blacky took that leap of faith at that valley half a month ago, it was a turning point in its life. It broke the limitation that the holy creator put on it when it was born, and it achieved something that was unimaginable! It turned from an ordinary dog into a mutated supreme king-level demon beast.

Right now, its body was as giant as a huge mountain, and it scared all the demon beasts in the area.

Its huge wings looked like they were made from numerous black blades, and the wingspan was at least 100 meters. As Blacky fluttered its wings, clouds of dark green wind-elemental energy circulated underneath them, lifting its huge body into the air.

It was really agile, and it dashed toward the Sky Castle on the Five Sword Sky Mountain instantly.

Inzagi stood on Blacky's back calmly as his long hair fluttered in the air.

Suddenly, Blacky sniffed through its nose as if it smelled something unique.

It fluttered its wings and turned around 180 degrees rapidly. Its huge eyes emitted a terrifying red flame as if it detected something, and it opened its mouth and roared as it spat out a cloud of orange fire.

This terrifying fireball dashed toward one location like a meteor, dragging out a long time.

Boom!

As it dashed forward quickly, it slammed onto something invisible.

The s.p.a.ce rippled like waves, and the huge fireball exploded, releasing heated energy in all directions and burning everything that it touched.

As this explosion took place, it felt like a portion of the blue sky was torn open like a painting, and black cracks appeared.

Suddenly, a scream sounded, and a figure who was burned black fell from the cracks. This person tried to dash away instantly without even turning his head around. He turned into a phantom and quickly disappeared.

Blacky let out a series of terrifying yet m.u.f.fled roars.

However, it paused for a second and didn't chase. Instead, it flew toward the Sky Castle.

It quickly pa.s.sed through the invisible energy sphere that protected the Sky Castle, and it landed on the central mountain before the [G.o.dly King Palace].

Inzagi jumped off Blacky and entered this palace.

Fei was resting on [The Throne of Chaos] which was located behind that mystic white lotus deep inside the palace.

As if he knew that Inzagi was coming, Fei opened his eyes and glanced at Inzagi up and down. Then, he said with a pleasant smile on his face, "Nice, you finally broken through the threshold. Haha, you even jumped up twice and reached mid-tier Nine-Star! This is unexpected. Did something unique happen in Hot Spring Gate?"

Inzagi bowed respectfully and told Fei everything that had happened, didn't matter if it was big or small.

"Eh, you did good, and killing only Kulun is a better decision. Even though old Tolemy and Dillies are bad eggs as well, Zenit is going to need them. Chaos is about to arrive on the continent, and killing them and destroying the [Rapid Wind Legion] would only decrease the overall strength of Zenit and turn Hot Spring Gate into a mess in a short time. With them there, they could guard the gate that would block anyone from coming to our Chambord from the south." Fei nodded after

hearing Inzagi's report, and he was pleased with what Inzagi and the other four black knights did at Hot Spring Gate.

Chapter 647: Path of a.s.sa.s.sin (Part Two)

He thought for a bit and added with a smile, "I didn't expect that there would be any survivors that night; this is a pleasant surprise. This must be the reason why you leveled up two realms, right? Good, just treat Danielle and the kids according to your own plan. Let the Revenue Department do their investigations. If they all have clean backgrounds, let them join Chambord. Only the kids who experienced hards.h.i.+p would treasure what they have. Like Owen and others, they will become elites of Chambord sooner or later."

"Thank you, Master." A thankful expression appeared on Inzagi's face.

Then, he told Fei about the meeting between the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] and the [Fire Blood Mercenary Group]. After that, Inzagi added worryingly, "According to Michael's test, their intents aren't pure. I'm afraid that they are conspiring about something, and they aren't friendly toward Chambord. They might be planning to ruin Your Majesty's wedding in a few days."

"They are just a bunch of clowns!"

Lights appeared in Fei's eyes, and it seemed like he already knew about this. As he knocked on the armrest of [The Throne of Chaos] with his fingers, he closed his eyes and thought for a moment. Then, he said, "You guys can further investigate this matter between the [Wind Horse Mercenary Group] and the [Fire Blood Mercenary Group], and I won't ask any questions. You guys can use any methods you want, as long as you don't cause a big scene."

"Yes, Master."

"Eh, you are at mid-tier Nine-Star, but the residual power of the G.o.dly herb that I gave you is still in your body, and it isn't converted into warrior energy yet. You don't need to stay in the Sky Castle to cultivate temporarily. Peaceful cultivation is useless to you at the moment, and you need more experience as an a.s.sa.s.sin. You need to know that the path of a.s.sa.s.sins is about taking the perfect opportunity in chaos. Once you miss, you can retreat and re-strategize or wait nearby for another opportunity. You need to judge the situation well and make the best decision. It is quite chaotic in the city right now, and it is the perfect environment for the five of you to practice. Let loose and trigger changes in your bodies through real combat!"

“Yes, Master.” Inzagi bowed again and left the [G.o.dly King Palace].

Now, Fei was the only person in this palace, and that mystic white lotus was slowly swaying on the surface of the pond.

Little Racc.o.o.n was nowhere to be found. Since it didn’t fit in, it rarely played with Blacky and the three little dragons. It usually ran around and chilled in the Sky Castle, and it was rare to see this animal unless it was dining time.

A blue portal appeared in the palace quietly, and Fei stepped into it.

-Nightmare Mode, Diablo World-

It snowed every day on the summit of Mount Arreat, and everywhere was covered.

A terrifying battle was taking place, and it had lasted close to four hours in the heavy snow.

Suddenly, an angry roar sounded, and it shattered all the snowflakes that were falling from the sky, signaling the end to the battle.

On the ancient altar, one of the three Ancients, Talic, finally fell. This most powerful Ancient roared and turned back into a life-like golden statue. Clouds of golden mists flew out of this golden statue and into Fei’s body, nurturing all the cells in his body and strengthening his power.

This was the completion of the second last quest, [Rite of Pa.s.sage], on the fifth map, [Harrogath].

Just like Normal Mode, since Fei wanted to kill Baal in the [Worldstone Chamber], he had to endure the test put up by the three Ancients, Talic, Krolic, and Madawc. These three Ancients in Nightmare Mode were many times more powerful than the Ancients in Normal Mode, and the three skills, [Whirlwind], [Leap Attack], and [Throw Axes], reached a new level in their hands.

Chapter 648: Chambord’s Increase in Strength (Part One)

In the last four hours, Fei and Elena experienced the most excruciating battle that they ever fought.

It was fortunate that Fei and Elena experienced a similar battle once in Normal Mode, and they were able to coordinate much better.

Just like last time, Fei battled Talic and Korlic head-on. Using [Immortal King's Stone Crusher] and the battle style of the barbarian, he was able to defeat Talic and his two swords and Korlic and his battle ax.

On the other hand, Elena and Madawc got into a long-ranged battle. Using her insane archery skills, she was able to defeat the third Ancient, Madawc who mastered [Throw Axes].

This quest was tough, and Fei and Elena were both severely injured after the battle, especially Fei. In the end, he used up all the potions on him, and his HP fell to a dangerous level. Elena was covered in blood as well. If it weren't for the protection offered by the new item, [M'avina's Embrace – Kraken Sh.e.l.l], she would be more injured than Fei.

Of course, the higher the risk, the higher the reward.

Now, Fei's barbarian character reached Nightmare Mode level 99, and it was the level threshold in this mode.

Similar to what happened in the Normal Mode, the two clouds of golden mist from the two golden statues nurtured Fei's body after Talic and Korlic were defeated. This meant that Fei was about to undergo another transformation.

In addition, he received the essences and understandings Talic and Korlic had toward [Whirlwind] and [Leap Attack], and these two skills were even more powerful.

By using the [Immortal King's Stone Crusher] to cast these two techniques, the primitive and violent sensation was gone, and a lively sensation replaced it. It felt like these two techniques had their souls, and Fei was able to use them with even more control. Just in damage dealt alone, these two techniques could rival with Mythical-level Combat Techniques used by Sun-Cla.s.s Lords.

Valkyrie Elena received a lot of benefits as well. She was now a Nightmare Mode level 90 Magic Archer, and her body was nurtured by the cloud of golden mist from Madawc's golden statue. She was getting more powerful, and she was slowly elevating from the realm of archers. She also received Madawc's essence and understanding toward [Throw Axes], which was a technique that was similar to archery.

After the battle, both Fei and Elena were exhausted.

Even though they used [Full Rejuvenation Potions] to heal their bodily injuries, that spiritual level fatigue couldn't be recovered in a short time.

Fei fell back and sat on a pile of snow by the altar, and he grabbed a handful of snow to clean the blood off his body. He only felt a little refreshed after that.

Elena was in no hurry. She cleaned her weapon and her armor gracefully, and she soon returned to her usual state as she stood by Fei's side.

"Our wedding is only in two days; are you happy?" Fei smiled and teased the Valkyrie.

"Eh." Elena nodded with a smile on her face; she wasn't shy at all.

This was what Elena was like; she never hid her love for Fei, and she wasn't as shy as girls who were young and conservative. She always expressed how she felt, and she wasn't going to change her character just because she was in love.

"Haha! What if there are people who try to mess with us on our wedding day?" Fei stood up and said as he lightly caressed Valkyrie's long red hair and smelled the fragrance on his fingers. He knew that his wedding wasn't going to be calm, and he was letting Elena know ahead of time.

Chapter 648: Chambord's Increase in Strength (Part Two)

"Kill!" Elena grasped her battle bow firmly and flicked the bowstring.

Fei laughed; Elena's way of dealing with problems was always simple and straightforward.

"Ok, I will listen to my cute Elena Her Highness. We will kill anyone who tries to mess with us on our wedding day," Fei said as he carried his huge war hammer on his shoulder, not looking like a king and a powerful master at all.

Stepping on the thick snow, Fei walked toward the only entrance to the [Worldstone Keep] that was behind the frozen waterfall. In the same time, he laughed and said, “However, we need to improve our strength if we want to teach our enemies a lesson. We need to do more work these two days. If we could defeat Baal who is on the [Throne of Destruction], we might be able to elevate our strength to the next realm.”

Elena finally blushed a little after hearing Fei’s playful words, and her beauty was unparalleled, stealing the spotlight from the nature around her. However, she was walking behind Fei, and the king didn’t see that beautiful scene.

The two of them broke the hard ice outside the [Worldstone Keep] forcefully and walked into the dark entrance.

Battles were about to arrive again.

The [Worldstone Keep] was divided into three levels, and the third level led to the terrifying [Throne of Destruction]. It was a palace filled with the power of h.e.l.l, and it was b.l.o.o.d.y and murderous.

Final Boss, Baal, was hiding there, and along with it was the most terrifying monsters and demons from h.e.l.l.

Only after killing all most enemies could Fei enter the [Worldstone Chamber] and battle with the real Baal. Then, Fei would be able to go to the next difficulty level after pa.s.sing through the Nightmare Mode.

After about four hours, Fei and Elena cleared the first two levels in the [Worldstone Keep], and daily gaming limit was about to ran out. Therefore, they had to exit from Diablo World.

-[G.o.dly King Palace]-

After returning to the real world, Fei sat back down on [The Throne of Chaos] and closed his eyes, thinking back to what happened in Diablo World and comprehended understanding Talic and Korlic had toward those two techniques. Then, he exhaled and started to think about the situation Chambord was in.

He could clearly tell that a storm was brewing above Chambord City.

This time, Fei wasn't facing opponents like Crown Prince Arshavin but various forces outside the Zenit Empire. The Chambord Kingdom was growing too fast, and too many people were drooling over it as if it was a huge piece of meat.

The upcoming battle was a life-and-death battle for Fei and the entire Chambord Kingdom.

Fei's wedding day was going to be a day where a lot of blood was going to be spilled.

However, how many of Fei's trump cards did the outsiders know about?

As Fei was pondering about how he could overcome the upcoming challenge, sudden changes occurred. Several powerful warrior energy fluctuations appeared around the [G.o.dly King Palace], and they dispersed into the area like smokes. These fluctuations were unstable, but they were all powerful, each reaching the Moon-Cla.s.s Realm.

Fei's face changed color, but he soon got excited after thinking about something.

"Hahahaha! Great! They all broke through at this critical moment! Now, all the issues are solved! Hahahaha! We can create a storm of our own and let the vicious schemer and conspirators pay with their blood!"

Chapter 649: Chambord's Increase in Strength (2) (Part One)

This sudden good news instantly made Fei feel optimistic about the future of Chambord.

The powerful warrior energy surges were appearing out of the stone palaces around the [G.o.dly King Palace].

At this critical moment, the warriors of Chambord such as Cech, Drogba, and Pierce who were cultivating diligently in Sky Castle all broke through around the same time. With the help from the unique environment in Sky Castle and the effect of the G.o.dly herbs, they were able to work hard and achieve a small miracle. All the broke through the threshold at peak Nine-Star and stepped into Moon-Cla.s.s.

Fei got a little emotional.

One year ago, these people were all insignificant; some of them were little warriors, and some of them didn't even have warrior energy. However, they were all breaking into the Moon-Class Realm which was the dream for a lot of warriors on this continent. If this information got out, it would be a piece of shocking news! After all, this cultivation speed was beyond imagination!

The so-called super geniuses were about this level.

As he sensed the surging warrior energies around him, Fei thought of something and took out six combat weapons from his storage ring; he prepared them a while back. He waved his arm, and the six weapons flew toward six stone palaces on the mountain.

These combat weapons were among the hundreds of combat weapons that Fei got from the last ancestral place of the dwarfs, and he already pre-arranged a lot of them.

In the next moment, the combat weapons appeared in the stone palaces.

Drogba, Pierce, Torres, Cech, Oleg, and Robbin were enveloped in their warrior energy flames in surprise and joy, and they were experiencing the transformations that were taking place in their bodies. Suddenly, they saw mystic and powerful weapons flashing before their eyes.

[Black Haired Vicious Fist] Drogba got a huge tower shield that was more than two meters tall and one meter wide. It was a level 6 combat weapon, and it was named [Holy Collision]. It was in the shape of a trapezoid, and it was curved outward, forming sharp edges on the surface. Also, there were lines of deadly spikes on the four sides of the shield, creating a rare magic array. As a result, streaks of magic energies circulated on the shield and made up all kinds of mystic symbols.

[White Haired Fast Sword] Pierce got a broadsword that could only be used by two hands. It was also a level 6 combat weapon, and it had three blood grooves on it. With both edges sharpened, the blade looked as reflective as a pond of water. What was unique about this sword was that its tip separated into two like the tongue of a snake, and the two tips curled backward, forming two back hooks with lines of teeth in them. The hilt of the sword was engraved with writing from the Mythical Era and was named [Sky Splitting Scar].

[Son of Wind] Torres got a level 6 bow of course, and it was named [Will of Gods]. Its body was fancy, and it was gilded with Gods engraved on its body. In addition, there were patterns that

resembled two different beasts on the two ends, and the beasts had their mouth open, emitting one green beam of light between them. This green beam of light was the bowstring. This bow was about two meters long, and it looked tough to control. What was more surprising about this bow was that the bow could be separated into two at the halfway point, creating two knife-like short-range combat weapons. This bow's shape and functionally were both top-tier.

[Destructive Finger] Cech received a pair of gloves that matched his skin color. It was named [Lover's Touch], and it was delicate in comparison with the combat weapons that other warriors got. Not sure what material it was made from, it almost had no magic symbols on it, and its style was ordinary as well.

When Cech put it on, he felt like there was one more layer of skin, and it was hard to notice. The only thing that gave it away a little was the hard finger cots.

Warden Oleg got a huge spherical hammer that didn't have a handle. Instead, it was connected to a long black chain, and it was named [Greeting of the Darkness]. The spherical hammer had a diameter of one meter, and the black chain allowed it to be used in both short-range and long-range combat. In fact, if Oleg wanted, he could use this huge hammer as a shield as well. It was visually shocking, and it was a rare combat weapon.

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The weapon that appeared in front of Robbin was named [Wind's Kiss], and it was a set of three curved knives. The bodies of the blades were as thin as paper, and they were the perfect light weapons for someone like Robbin to use. They could be used in short-range combat, and they could also be used as long-range throwing knives. The three knives were like winds when they were thrown into the air, achieving almost 100% stealth. They had the ability of killing enemies without even alarming them.

The six warriors of Chambord grasped onto their combat weapons at almost the same time.

Fei picked out these combat weapons according to their warrior energies and combat techniques, and he was absolutely right. The six warriors felt like these combat weapons were becoming parts of their bodies, and they felt smooth using them.

"Hurry up and get used to the combat weapons. Communicate with them and become one with them. You need to get ready to experience nature's challenges," the king's voice sounded by their ears.

When obtaining contact with combat weapons that didn't have owners, warriors had to communicate with them using their souls.

Since combat weapons had their own souls, the warriors had to get their acceptance before they could unleash 100% of the power of these unique weapons. After receiving the acceptances, these weapons could also be stored in the warriors' bodies, becoming their greatest help.

Therefore, the six warriors of Chambord didn't dare to wait, and they quickly used their souls and warrior energies to communicate and own up to these combat weapons.

Soon, six clouds of elemental storms dashed toward the Sky Castle. Like six pillars that connected the land with the sky, they moved around Sky Castle when they got close, and they absorbed similar elements in the air to strengthen themselves.

As these elemental pillars got bigger and bigger, they got closer and closer to the six warriors who were sitting in the six stone palaces on the mountain in the center of the Sky Castle.

The orange earth-elemental storms were aimed at Drogba and Oleg's palaces.

The silver metal-elemental storms were aimed at Pierce and Cech's palaces.

The green wind-elemental storms were aimed at Torres and Robbin's palaces.

After breaking through to Moon-Cla.s.s, the six masters got natural law's attention, and the elements in nature started to reject and attack the six of them. Only the ones who successfully endured nature's challenges could temper their bodies, condense their warrior energies, and elevate into the new realm for real. Only after both their warrior energies and life energies transform, they would be considered as real Moon-Cla.s.s Elites.

Fei sat on [The Throne of Chaos] and appeared in the sky above the summit of the central G.o.dly mountain.

He was carefully monitoring the elevation process of the six masters. This experience would be dangerous to any warrior, but nature's challenges that these six warriors of Chambord were facing were even more powerful. Since natural elements were abundant in and around the Sky Castle, the

elemental storms were much crazier. If the six warriors weren't careful, they might experience a backlash and die instantly.

Fortunately, the mystic power of the stealth energy sphere around Sky Castle blocked all sensations. Therefore, when looking from the direction of Chambord City, nothing was happening at Five Sword Sky Mountain, and the masters there couldn't sense the violent and mighty nature energy here.

"Squeak! Squeak! Squeak! Squeak!!!!"

Little Racc.o.o.n crawled out from somewhere and screamed as it jumped onto the stairs connected to [The Throne of Chaos]. Its cheeks were puffy as if it was chewing on something.

It was staring at the six elemental storms that were powerful enough to disturb the void, and it was clear that it was scared by this sudden change. Right now, it was staring at Fei with its teary eyes.

Fei smiled and waved his hand, taking Little Racc.o.o.n up onto the throne.

Nature's challenges lasted about one hour.

Then, the chaotic natural elements finally disappeared, and the storms were gone. The blue sky and white clouds were revealed again.

The six masters didn't disappoint Fei. They finally passed through the tough nature's challenges and transformed themselves just like Blacky. Like carps that jumped over the dragon gate, they became powerful Moon-Cla.s.s Elites.

Chapter 650: Sudden (Part One)

At this moment, the six elemental storms that were dispersing into the region symbolized the rise of the Chambord Kingdom.

From now on, this level 1 affiliated kingdom of the most northern level 1 empire on the continent had eight Moon-Cla.s.s Elites, and the king almost reached the Sun-Cla.s.s Realm. If Fei could take one more step forward, he would become one of the most powerful masters in the area of 500,000 kilometers around Zenit.

If that happened, the real strength of Chambord could be more powerful than the empires around it.

As Fei stood on [The Throne of Chaos], he could clearly sense the natural laws circulating around him. In fact, natural laws were everywhere, and they were like the veins on the leaves.

As a Nightmare Mode level 99 Barbarian, Fei was already equivalent to a peak Full Moon Elite.

However, if he actually trained warrior energy step by step and had sufficient understanding of nature, he would be able to comprehend more natural laws and tell that there were numerous invisible chains in the air, locking the mortals down.

The real masters could only break these natural laws on them before they could get any more powerful.

Fei wasn't like any other ordinary master on this continent. Since his power came from Diablo World, he wasn't too keen on the natural laws compared with other masters on his level. However, through the clouds of golden mist from Talic and Korlic's golden statues, Fei was able to get empowerment, and he achieved level up without having to have a good understanding of the natural laws.

Currently, the chaotic elements in the air started to disappear, and Drogba, Pierce, Cech, Torres, Oleg, and Robbin finally finished their transformation.

Their auras stopped growing, and their acc.u.mulations and natural talents were able to be compared now.

Cech had the most amount of acc.u.mulations among the six warriors, whereas Torres had the most talent. Therefore, the two of them quickly got to level 8 low-tier New Moon, far surpa.s.sing other four warriors.

Even though they couldn't be compared to Lampard who had many secrets on him, they could still be considered as insane geniuses among all masters who advanced to Moon-Cla.s.s.

Then, it was Pierce, Drogba, and Robbin. The first two almost didn't have much warrior energy foundations before meeting Fei, and they were elevated to this realm by Fei alone. On the other

hand, Robbin met Fei a lot later, so he only got access to Fei's resources shorter. Therefore, the three of them only got to level 4 low-tier New Moon.

Lastly, there was Warden Oleg, the fatty who loved to flatter the king.

According to how it should be, Oleg would be more powerful. When Drogba and Pierce were still only strong men who had no warrior energies, Oleg was already a One-Star Warrior. Also, he had been serving Fei longer than Robbin, and he should be at a higher realm.

Unfortunately, this fatty had his mind on too many things such as flattering the people around him and managing the Justice Department of Chambord. In addition, he wasn't as crazy about cultivation as people like Pierce and Drogba, lacking the strong motivation to become a powerful master.

Instead, he was more into obtaining a perfect body and getting more physical strength. Therefore, he spent most of his time tempering his body, and this unique training method made him lag behind others after reaching Moon-Cla.s.s, and he was only at level 1 low-tier New Moon.

Roar! Roar! Roar! Roar! Roar! Roar!

Chapter 650: Sudden (Part Two)

Suddenly, six roars sounded from the six stone palaces around the [G.o.dly King Palace] one after another, and people could feel the excitement in the voices.

Although they had been working hard and trying to reach Moon-Cla.s.s every day, they all felt unbelievable after finally achieving their goals. As they stood in their stone palaces, they thought back to their journey and felt like they were dreaming. There were numerous Nine-Star Warriors who were stuck at that level on the Azeroth Continent, and they weren't able to break through to Moon-Cla.s.s didn't matter how hard they tried. Now looking back, they all had humble beginnings, but they were able to walk through and the path of cultivation and achieve the milestone that many geniuses couldn't do.....

It was unreal!

Fei sensed the joy of his loyal henchmen, and he laughed out loud.

In the next moment, he returned to the [G.o.dly King Palace].

The king moved his mind, and a vast energy scanned through the six stone palaces around him. The six warriors of Chambord suddenly felt like their visions blurred, and the scene before them s.h.i.+fted, In the next second, they somehow disappeared from their stone palaces and appeared in the [G.o.dly King Palace].

This was one of the miraculous skills that Fei learned after reaching peak Full Moon Realm.

He was able to utilize the power of natural laws and teleport people who were much weaker than him to him in a certain range; this already resembled the power of Sun Anomalies.

Once Fei can get the power to alter and reconstruct the natural laws, he will be able to form his sun anomaly.

“Your Majesty!” The six warriors all greeted and bowed since they quickly realized what was going on.

Seeing their king smiling at them, the six of them felt very emotional, and they didn’t know how they could express their grat.i.tude. If it weren’t for the effort of care of this young king who created numerous miracles, how could they successfully turn their fates around, becoming Moon-Cla.s.s Elites and transforming their lives? Now, their lifespan doubled, and they could fly in the sky without restrictions.

The six of them all single-kneeled.

“Get up! The six of you finally achieved Moon-Cla.s.s! Hahahah! Out of the 12 Golden Saint Mountains, each one of you will get one!” Fei looked at them and nodded pleasantly. Then, his eyes landed on Robbin.

Out of the six warriors, only Robbin wasn’t a saint seiya yet.

-Two days before the King of Chambord’s wedding-

It was about four o'clock in the afternoon, and it was sunny.

This moment would be recorded in history books with emphasis, and it was going to be the story that numerous traveling poets told.

It was still busy on the streets of Chambord City. People were coming and going, and the street vendors were busy getting customers. There were nobles who were wandering around, traveling poets who were going to tell stories, and bylaw enforcement officers who were patrolling the area with stern expressions..... This was a typical afternoon, and it wasn't too hot or too cold; it was just right.

Suddenly, a shocking incident happened, surprising everyone.

The clear-blue sky suddenly darkened without any warning, and it felt like the bright sun was devoured by something. Soon, the entire region was enveloped by darkness. It felt like someone spilled ink around, staining everything. It was so dark that people couldn't even see their fingers in front of them.

No one knew what was happening.

Suddenly, the bright stars shone in the sky, painting a beautiful scenery.

The stars were glaring like gems, and they were showing off their beauty which was rare to see.