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Chapter 1201: An Unknown-Meaning Trap

During the Dark Synchro process, even the starlight was swallowed by the darkness. The originally shining starlight was swallowed up in the deep darkness as if a powerful existence was summoned from the underworld.

Countless eyes lit up one after another in the dark, like will-o'-the-wisp flickering in the night. The eyes seemed to form a special pattern, extending and spreading along the body of a giant.

The majestic and ferocious dark dragon awakened from the underworld, and the low and powerful roar was like a bass bombardment. It was covered with purple and black eyes, like the most terrifying monster born from human fantasy.

[Hundred Eyes Dragon, ATK 3000]

Yusei was still in shock: "Hundred Eyes Dragon... Is there really a monster with a negative level in the world?"

"Hahahaha, that's right! Hundred Eyes Dragon is the top combat power I have obtained after becoming a Dark Signer after death. It is the embodiment of my strong will for revenge!

Feel the power of my anger, Yusei!"

Kiryu waved his hand.

"I will set the last card in my hand on the field. At this moment, Hundred Eyes Dragon will gain the monster effects of all DARK monsters in my graveyard!" (animation effect)

Yusei frowned: "Can this dragon gain the effect of monsters in the graveyard?"

"That's right! I said this dragon is the symbol of my immortal resentment. It can gain the abilities of all DARK monsters in the graveyard!"

Kiryu laughed loudly, and at the same time, his graveyard area flashed with golden light, and the spirits of dead monsters floated in the air around Hundred Eyes Dragon.

"First, it can gain the effect of 'Infernity Dwarf' in the graveyard! While I have no cards in my hand, all my monsters gain the ability to inflict piercing battle damage to the opponent!

Then there is the effect of 'Infernity Beast'! While I have no cards in my hand, if this card attacks, the opponent cannot activate any Spell or Trap Cards until after the Damage Step!

Then there is the effect of 'Infernity Necromancer' in the graveyard! While I have no cards in my hand, once per turn, I can select 1 'Infernity' monster in my graveyard and Special Summon it."

Yusei understood: "So as long as there are enough monsters in the graveyard, the monster effect of Hundred Eyes Dragon..."

"That's right, Yusei! The monster effect of Hundred Eyes Dragon is infinite!" Kiryu laughed sharply again, "I will slowly torture you to death, Yusei! Feel it first!

First, use the effect of the 'Infernity Necromancer' obtained from the graveyard! When Special summon an 'Infernity' monster from the graveyard! "

"Yusei, that card." Yuei Vu prompted.

"Yes, Senior Yuei Vu."

Yusei now fully understood the use of the card that Yuei Vu stuffed in his hand, especially after knowing the empty-handed combo of Kiryu's "Infernity" and "Hundred Eyes Dragon", he couldn't help but deeply admire Senior Yuei Vu's foresight and such precise card selection.

"Open the set card!" Yusei waved his hand, "Continuous Trap —

— Shadow-Imprisoning Mirror!"

Looking at the backfield on Yusei's field, Kiryu raised his eyebrows nonchalantly: "Huh? What the hell is that?"

I have never heard of this trap, it must be an unknown-meaning trash card picked up from the scrap heap by Yusei...

"As long as this card is face-up on the field, all the effects of DARK monsters activated by both sides on the field or in the GY...

...will be negated!"

Kiryu snorted.

Ha, it's really some unknown-meaning stuff again. Yusei has always been like this, always likes to put weird things in the deck, and always like to say "No card is worthless" and so on...

...Well, wait a minute.

The effects activated by DARK monsters on the field and in the graveyard are negated?

"..."

Nana Nana Ni!?

Kiryu's smile gradually disappeared, and his expression gradually became petrified.

DARK monster... Isn't that my entire deck?

That's right, although it may be very unfortunate for Kiryu, his entire deck was DARK attribute...

You just negated my entire deck with one card ???

Moreover, the ace monster Hundred Eyes Dragon that he took great pains to summon, its effect was also "gain the monster effects of all DARK monsters in the controller's Graveyard".

Pay attention to "DARK monsters".

So it meant that his Hundred Eyes Dragon was also useless.

"Yusei!" Kiryu gritted his teeth.

This guy has changed, completely changed.

Yusei was not like this before!

The monster effect could not be activated, and Kiryu groaned in frustration: "Tsk, but the attack power of the Hundred Eyes Dragon is still relatively high! Go, Hundred Eyes Dragon!

Attack 'Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn'!"

The eyes of the Hundred Eyes Dragon all lit up with a strange purple light, as if the energy filled the pattern, along the way into its mouth, turned into a beam of impact vortex, and Raiden was shattered into pieces under one blow.

[Yusei, LP $4000 \rightarrow LP 2900$]

The strong touch of darkness made Yusei's D-Wheel tilt, and the front of the motorbike was almost out of control. Although he was mentally prepared, the intensity of this impact still caught him off guard.

"What a strong power," Yusei barely kept the D-Wheel on the track, gritting his teeth and said, "Kiryu... Is this the power he has? It is indeed stronger than the Shadow Duelist we met before."

"I end my turn."

Kiryu, whose monster effect was locked, was also in a bad mood and ended this turn in a depressed mood.

Yusei's trap really made him feel a little sick. But the good news was that at least the Hundred Eyes Dragon still had an advantage on the field. Even if it was used as a Normie, it still had 3000 ATK, the same combat power as the legendary Blue-Eyes White Dragon.

Then it's Yusei's turn.

The effect of Shadow-Imprisoning Mirror was continuous, and it also affected Yusei himself. All DARK monster effects were negated, including the "Junk Synchron" that Yusei must use every game, so the overworked worker may have to take a day off today.

But it didn't matter.

"I summon 'Lumina, Lightsworn Summoner'!"

[Lumina, Lightsworn Summoner, ATK 1000]

"Lumina's effect – Once per turn: I can discard 1 card, then target 1 Level 4 or lower 'Lightsworn' monster in my GY; Special Summon it. Come back, Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn!"

[Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn, ATK 1700]

"Raiden's effect – During my Main Phase, I can send the top 2 cards of my Deck to the GY."

After stacking two cards in the Graveyard again, Yusei then showed another card in his hand: "Then I Special Summon 'Boost Warrior'!"

[Boost Warrior, DEF 200]

"Boost Warrior can be Special Summoned from my hand when there is a Tuner monster on the field." Yusei raised his voice, "Level 4 Tuner 'Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn', Level 3 'Lumina, Lightsworn Summoner', Level 1 'Boost Warrior', tuning!

Clustering wishes will become a new shining star! Become the path that lights the way!"

[4+3+1=8]

"Synchro Summon!" Yusei shouted, "Fly —

— Stardust Dragon!!!

Guided by the starlight, the light curtain poured down like a waterfall. The starlight from the noble wings dispelled the darkness, and the silver-white dragon flew into the sky!

[Stardust Dragon, ATK 2500]

"Finally it is here... Stardust, your Signer Dragon!" Kiryu's expression twisted, "But Stardust's attack power is only 2500!

This level of power is no match for my Hundred Eyes Dragon!"

Yusei waved his hand: "Open the set card: Trap Card – Shooting Star! When there is a 'Stardust' monster on the field, target 1 card on the field; destroy that target.

I destroy your 'Hundred Eyes Dragon'!"

Kiryu: "..."

Chapter 1202: Kiryu's Belief

The trap effect was activated, and Kiryu fell silent as he watched his "Hundred Eyes Dragon" being pierced by the Stardust Dragon's meteor-like impact, all its eyes piercing purple light, and the whole thing expanded and exploded into pieces.

He felt as if something was strange.

In his impression, Yusei's duel should be a fair and square fight between big monsters. Although he used to like to use traps, most of the traps were either blocking attacks and reducing damage, or functional traps that cooperated with monsters.

He didn't use traps that directly exploded cards like today.

Although it's not that there was anything wrong with this tactic, it's just that when it was used by Yusei, people who were familiar with him always felt that he was playing a sneak attack without honor...

But the main problem is the damned "Shadow-Imprisoning Mirror". God knows what is wrong with Yusei to put such a thing in the deck.

And for Kiryu's deck, the effect of this thing could be called a critical hit.

As mentioned before, Kiryu's "Infernity" deck could only activate its effects when the hand was 0. So all the resources he used for the operation were piled up in the graveyard, and the hand must always be kept at 0 cards.

Now the problem comes. Because of the blockade of the Continuous Trap, the effects of the monsters in his graveyard are all locked. The hand is 0 again, which means that all his available resources are directly cut off, which means that he is basically dead...

Kiryu, a Dark Signer who died once, went through a lot of hardships to crawl back from the real underworld to play cards with Brother Crabhead, relying on an obsession with playing cards.

However, Brother Crabhead only played this one card, and almost sent him back to the underworld...

But it doesn't matter!

"The final effect of the Hundred Eyes Dragon," Kiryu said solemnly, "When this card is destroyed and sent to the graveyard, I can select any card from the deck... and add it to your hand."
(Animation effect)

"Select any card..." Yusei said in surprise, "Such a powerful searching ability?"

"It is indeed very strong in terms of searching ability." Yuei Vu also gave a rare positive evaluation, but then changed his mind and said, "But this guy doesn't try to use BISS, right?

Hundred Eyes Dragon is also a DARK monster, and that effect will also be negated by our continuous trap."

However, Kiryu had obviously considered this level long ago: "Activate the Trap Card 'Typhoon'! Target 1 face-up Spell/Trap on the field; destroy it!"

He pointed to Yusei's backfield: "I will destroy the continuous trap 'Shadow-Imprisoning Mirror' on your field!"

The typhoon rolled up and domineeringly rolled the mirror high into the air, and it was torn to pieces under the strong wind pressure!

"This way, the effect block will disappear. I will select a card from the deck and add it to my hand."

Kiryu glanced at Yusei and showed a gloomy and ferocious sneer.

It was as if adding the card in his hand meant that he had a sure win.

"The blockade disappears, and the effect of 'Hundred Eyes Dragon' continues to be activated." He said, "I will add this card from the deck to my hand..."

He pulled out a card that popped out of the deck and showed it, with a cold and complacent smile on his face.

"Earthbound Immortal Ccapac Apu!"

It was too far away to see what the card was, and Yusei only vaguely saw that it seemed to be a monster card.

He didn't know what the card was for, but the name sounded like it was very awesome. And seeing Kiryu's confidence, as if he had grasped the victory by holding this card, Yusei pondered for a moment, and then decided to play it safe.

No matter what, for an effect like the Hundred Eyes Dragon that "pick any card from the deck and add it to your hand", you should pick the card with the strongest performance and the most potential to win.

Even from this perspective, that card should be crucial.

So he waved his hand.

"Open the set card!" Yusei said, "Trap Card 'Mind Crush'!"

Kiryu: "?"

What is that?

"Mind Crush allows me to declare a card name. If the opponent happens to have a card with the same name in his hand," Yusei shouted, "the opponent must discard all cards with that name... to the graveyard!"

Kiryu: "???"

Wait a minute, Crabhead, explain to me, what the hell is this?

"The card I want to declare is, of course, 'Earthbound Immortal Ccapac Apu'!"

Kiryu: "..."

Seeing the Earthbound Immortal in his hand being thrown into the graveyard, Kiryu fell into a brief contemplation.

He was in a bad situation now, very bad.

Every Dark Signer had an Earthbound Immortal. Each of these gods had a terrifying power, which could drive the opponent into the abyss of despair in an instant. It was the proof of their identity as Dark Signers and the strongest trump card.

But now, his trump card had not been firmly grasped, yet it has been thrown away by others...

"Battle!" Yusei shouted, "Stardust Dragon, attack Kiryu directly!"

Stardust Dragon hit his face with a shot, and the impact of the sonic speed of the shot almost made him flip over directly.

【Kiryu, LP 4000 → LP 1500】

But Kiryu had a strong determination to stabilize the D-Wheel, and seemed to be determined to continue playing this card.

"Tsk, you are just trying to be clever." Kiryu gritted his teeth, "Then it's my turn!"

He put his fingers on the deck and took a deep breath.

Now he was out of ammunition and food, and the situation was already extremely bad.

It was not an exaggeration to say that he is on the verge of defeat.

But he was unwilling to fail like this.

He kept saying that he hated Yusei and wanted to take revenge on Yusei, but in fact, that was not what he really wanted.

In the original work, when Yusei first fought Kiryu, he should have lost. Yusei's D-Wheel overturned due to overload, and the duel was forcibly terminated. At that time, if Kiryu really wanted to complete his revenge, he could have attacked Yusei.

But he didn't do it.

Because the truth was, he didn't want Yusei to die at all.

He became a Dark Signer and climbed out of the abyss of death again. His real wish that lied deeply in his heart...

...was actually just to play another game of cards with Yusei.

A hearty and exciting game of cards.

He finally got this opportunity and finally got this dream game, but he found that he was completely suppressed by the opponent and couldn't even play cards normally.

Does this mean that even if I became a Dark Signer, the gap between me and Yusei is still so huge?

Does it mean that Yusei's strength has improved by leaps and bounds during these days, and now I'm just a small fry to him?

Such a thing is absolutely unacceptable!

This duel must not end like this!

He wanted to show Yusei the new power he had gained after returning from the underworld!

"Draw!"

It was a draw full of his belief in resurrection and a bet on everything!

This card would directly change the outcome of this duel!

Chapter 1203: You Have Changed

Destiny Draw!

This may be a common skill that every famous duelist in the anime had – they would definitely draw the right card in desperate situations.

Looking at all the characters in the previous Yu-Gi-Oh, there has never been a character who couldn't draw the card he wanted when he was empty-handed and his LP was low and was defeated without any suspense.

If there was, it meant that the person was definitely not a true duelist, and could only play a supporting role in the anime at best, and may not even have a chance to show his face.

But it was obvious that Kiryu was definitely not that kind of character. Judging from his reaction, he seemed to have successfully drawn the card he wanted.

"Hahahaha, it seems that fate is still on my side, Yusei!"

He waved his hand and covered the card he drew directly.

"Set a card, I end my turn!"

Yusei looked at the set card in his back row, thinking.

Seeing Kiryu's reaction... that should be a card that can turn the table, right?

Is it a card like "Mirror Force" that can reflect the attack back?

But even if it is Mirror Force, it can be countered by the effect of Stardust Dragon. Kiryu should know this.

"My turn, draw!"

Yusei looked at the lone set card on Kiryu's field and then looked at his remaining life points, and made up his mind.

In short, he must attack no matter what.

The protagonists of all generations were actually like this. Instead of being timid and afraid of wasting offensive opportunities, they preferred to take the initiative to attack and step on the pit.

"Stardust, give Kiryu the last blow!" Yusei shouted, "Shooting Sonic!"

Stardust Dragon raised its head, and the starlight condensed in its mouth, condensing into a silverwhite light ball, breaking through the air and shooting at Kiryu!

If he wanted to launch a counterattack, this was Kiryu's last chance!

And the set card of Kiryu... actually moved!

"Look, Yusei, this is the absolute power of us Dark Signers!" Kiryu laughed loudly again, "It can instantly dominate this high-speed field and crush any opponent!

Open the set card: Continuous Trap – Call of the Haunted! Target 1 monster in my GY; Special Summon that target in Attack Position!"

Yusei thought: "Summon the monster in the Graveyard... Masaka?"

"That's right!" Kiryu laughed, "It's the card you threw to the Graveyard last turn!"

Yuei Vu watched silently from behind, thinking that Brother Crabhead actually opened the Mind Crush too early...

Yuei Vu had no doubt that if Brother Crabhead didn't open this Mind Crush in the previous turn, then Kiryu would definitely not draw "Call of the Haunted" in the next turn, but another card that could help him summon the Earthbound Immortal.

The cards needed by true duelists were all printed on the spot, and different cards could be printed according to the situation.

Of course, we couldn't blame Brother Crabhead. After all, he didn't know the effect of the Earthbound Immortal. What if the effect was "can be summoned directly from the hand in the Standby Phase" or something like that? Then he would miss the opportunity to activate the Mind Crush.

But... it's not a big problem.

Yuei Vu glanced at Brother Crabhead's hand.

Unfortunately for Kiryu, it doesn't matter. The result of the duel won't change...

At this time, a huge heart that seemed to be made of rock appeared in the sky.

That thing kept beating in the sky, stepping on a certain beat and echoing heavily, sounding like a heart. The cracks on the uneven surface were filled with purple lines as if glowing blood was flowing along a specific route.

Then, with the heart as the center, a huge shadow appeared.

It was a pitch-black giant. The body was upright, and there were fluorescent blue lines on the body like the Nazca lines. The translucent shadow towered over the city, dwarfing even the towering buildings.

"Is that... a monster?" Yusei was also a little surprised, "Such a huge monster?"

"It's not a monster, it's a god!"

Kiryu showed off by quoting one of the most classic lines in Yu-Gi-Oh!

"And, the Earthbound Immortals won't come to the world easily! Every time they come, they need a large number of souls as sacrifices!

In the current situation, the souls of the citizens of this city are the sacrifices!"

"There are actually monsters that require to sacrifice human souls!?"

Yusei's face suddenly changed.

What a terrible evil god!

"Feel the absolute power of the Earthbound Immortal, and then fall into despair! Hahahaha...

...Eh???"

Kiryu's laughter stopped abruptly.

Because he was confused to find that the shadow of the giant in the sky had disappeared out of thin air.

The huge heart floating in the air, after beating a few times, suddenly stopped beating.

Only half a second later, the huge heart also turned into a transparent image and disappeared.

Kiryu: "???"

What's going on? Where is my Earthbound Immortal? Where is such a big Earthbound Immortal?

It can't be that Ccapac Apu stuck his head out, took a look at the sky, and found that it was not a good time to play cards today, so he slipped back?!

Well, that's impossible.

Then the problem could only come from his opponent.

"The Earthbound Immortal... is it such an evil monster?" Yusei said in a deep voice, "It's really dangerous. If you really summon the Earthbound Immortal, then all the innocent citizens in this city will become your sacrifices, right?

Kiryu, I believe that you should still be there somewhere in your heart, and you shouldn't be such a person.

Do you really think that for your so-called revenge, it doesn't matter even if all innocent people are sacrificed?"

"Shut up, shut up, shut up!"

Kiryu interrupted his sermon angrily.

"What did you do to my Earthbound Immortal!? My Ccapac Apu, where is he???"

His implication was: Don't try to divert attention with your Talk no Jutsu! Tell me quickly, did you use BISS to make my Earthbound Immortal disappear?

At this time, he checked the duel information on the duel disk and found a card that Yusei had silently activated in a chain at the moment when he activated "Call of the Haunted".

Brother Crabhead's secret technique – digging a trap without talking.

I secretly dug a pit for you, but I won't tell you.

The card he activated was "D.D. Crow".

"I discard 'D.D. Crow' from my hand and activate its effect." Yusei said, "Target 1 card in the opponent's GY; banish that target.

And this effect can also be activated during the opponent's turn."

Kiryu's pupils shrank.

"You...you..."

"That's right." Yusei nodded, confirming his thoughts.

I sent your Earthbound Immortal to another dimension, so you can't summon it.

Kiryu was stunned.

"Stardust Dragon, attack," Yusei said softly.

[Stardust Dragon, ATK 2500]

[Kiryu, LP 1500]

No suspense, no variables. Kiryu had 0 cards in his hand, no grave traps, and his field was empty.

Stardust had opened its mouth and started to accumulate power, and endless starlight was injected into its mouth, ready to turn into a shock that broke the speed of sound at any time.

Kiryu gently closed his eyes.

He thought this would be a hearty battle.

He thought that after becoming a Dark Signer, he had gained unprecedented power, and he was no longer the same as before.

But he didn't expect that Yusei's transformation was even more outrageous than his.

He couldn't help but start to doubt one thing.

Did Yusei deliberately go easy on him during the days of Team Satisfaction... or did he become so strong during the time they were apart?

But it seemed that he had no chance to know the answer.

"You have changed, Yusei..."

Kiryu's last words were drowned by the starlight shooting at the speed of sound.

[Kiryu, LP 1500 \rightarrow LP 0]

Chapter 1204: One Step Ahead

Kiryu lost.

There was no thrilling fight between the big monsters, and Yusei did not have to use BISS on the spot, or use the "Crimson Dragon Printing Machine" to print a card that looked like a fake card to kill the Earthbound Immortal in seconds.

Or rather, he did not even have the chance to print a card.

Because his opponent did not even summon the Earthbound Immortal...

Throughout the duel, the two trump cards of the Dark Signer were actually quite frustrated. The outrageously Dark Synchro "Hundred Eyes Dragon" was directly trapped when it appeared, and it behaved like a Normie from beginning to end.

The Earthbound Immortal was even worse. Strictly speaking, he did not even appear on the stage, only poked half of his head out to take a look at the situation. He may not have seen what was going on before he was kicked into another dimension.

This was not a thrilling battle, because the situation was one-sided from beginning to end. Yusei did not summon any fancy monsters, and the tactics can be summed up in one word – trap.

In short, trapping the opponent so he could not deploy or summon monsters, that was a victory.

It was calm, but it was the daily life of the card player.

The player's duel was so simple and boring.

Kiryu overturned.

This was also natural. If you lost the bet on such a life-or-death card game, you would definitely overturn. And because it was a Shadow Game, his car overturned quite miserably. The front wheel of the D-Wheel was blown away, and the outer shell of the vehicle was scratched in many places and seriously damaged. It was definitely impossible to run away.

Kiryu himself was also thrown out, and rolled several times on the ground in embarrassment until he hit a stone that was divided by the Nazca lines and stopped with difficulty.

The burning lines gradually faded, the flames went out, and the portrait of the giant disappeared.

"Kiryu!"

Yusei jumped out of the car and rushed forward to check on his good friend.

But of course, it was no use.

For those who were defeated in the Shadow Game, there was only one ending waiting for them.

"... Well done, Yusei."

At the moment of death, Kiryu no longer made facial expressions and seemed to have barely regained a trace of rationality.

"Kiryu, don't talk, I'll take you now..."

"It's useless." Kiryu shook his head, "The person who lost in the Shadow Game... cough cough... the soul will disappear, this is inevitable.

But it doesn't matter anymore, anyway, I'm a long-time dead person, it's better to say that I'm lucky to be able to talk to you here now. My wish has been fulfilled, and I don't have anything else to worry about."

Yusei was stunned: "Wish?"

"By the way, you don't know yet, Yusei?" Kiryu smiled, "The guy who will be chosen as a dark Signer... is someone who can't let go of his obsession even if he dies.

All of us are chosen as dark Signers because of an obsession that we don't want to give up no matter what. And that obsession is our wish when we become dark Signers."

"Then you..." Yusei was puzzled.

Logically speaking, Kiryu's obsession should be that he was betrayed by his companions and tried to take revenge on Yusei.

But he clearly lost, why do you say that his wish has been fulfilled?

"Because my wish... Yusei," Kiryu said lightly, "I just want to have the final duel that we couldn't achieve at that time, to satisfy the alliance."

Yusei was stunned.

"Kiryu, you..."

"Thank you, Yusei, this is a very good duel. I realized my shortcomings and also saw how powerful you are now.

In this way, I can finally... be satisfied."

"Kiryu!"

Under Yusei's loud shouting, Kiryu's body petrified little by little, turned into ashes, and disappeared in the wind.

Be satisfied... What a bad line.

Yuei Vu on the side complained in his heart.

The disappearance of his former buddy in front of him seemed to hit Brother Crabhead hard. He lowered his head and didn't speak for a long time.

At this time, Yuei Vu, who claimed to be a good teacher and friend, knew that it was time for him to come out and perform his duties.

"Don't be too sad, there's nothing we can do about it. Even if he says he doesn't hate you in his heart, as a Dark Signer, he was originally a puppet of the King of the Underworld.

In the final analysis, he actually died a long time ago. What you did was just to help him get rid of this sad fate."

Yusei took a deep breath, adjusted himself, and nodded gently: "Well, thank you, Senior Yuei Vu. I understand."

As expected of the most mature protagonist, his mentality is adjusted quickly. If it were some other hot-blooded male protagonists, this situation might not be recovered without being depressed for ten days or half a month...

While affirming Brother Crabhead, Yuei Vu reminded him: "By the way, Kiryu's deck seems to be still there."

Yusei, who almost ignored this fact because of his low mood, finally reacted and looked in the direction of his finger.

Hey, it seems to be true. Although Kiryu is gone, the duel disk and deck are still on the ground...

Then he felt that he quickly figured out the connection.

Kiryu was blackened by the power of the Dark Signer. Those strange "Dark Synchro" and the "Earthbound Immortal" that he failed to summon are all the power of the King of the Underworld, and are the natural enemies of the Signers.

Then from the cards left by Kiryu, maybe we can find clues about other Dark Signers, or help them understand the so-called power of the King of the Underworld and know what kind of enemies they are facing.

As expected of Senior Yuei Vu, he considers things carefully.

And the most important thing for duelists is the card. Since Kiryu is gone, saving his deck is also a good way to commemorate him.

If Kiryu himself knew about it, he would definitely feel relieved.

In addition, Brother Crabhead was a little curious about what the "Earthbound Immortal" that Kiryu was so confident that he could turn the tide with one card was like.

He quickly found the "Earthbound Immortal" from Kiryu's deck.

Just holding this card in his hand, he felt an indescribable invisible pressure. The dragon mark on his arm also reacted immediately, as if instinctively reminding him that there was something fishy about this card.

Earthbound Immortal Ccapac Apu, level 10...

It's actually a level 10 monster!?

Yusei was secretly shocked.

Born in the Satellite area, most of the things he "picked up" were low-star monsters. Even if he had learned to print cards since he was a child, the limit of what he could print was only the Level 8 monster Stardust Dragon.

He had never seen a Level 10 monster before.

Yusei continued to read the effect of this card.

"This card can attack directly."

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A monster with an attack power of 3,000, and it can attack directly!?

Wouldn't it be basically finished with one punch?

Seeing the effect later, he couldn't help but be even more surprised.

"This card is unaffected by the effects of your opponent's Spell/Trap Cards.

This card cannot be targeted for attacks by your opponent.

If this card destroys an opponent's monster by battle, inflict damage to your opponent equal to the destroyed monster's attack power."

Yusei was really surprised.

A monster has four effects?

And it can attack directly, cannot be attacked by the opponent, and is not affected by Spell/Trap effects... Isn't it a nearly invincible monster?

No wonder Kiryu was so confident when he added this card to his hand. It is indeed a scary card.

" ..."

Fortunately, I am one step ahead.

Chapter 1205: Underground

Yusei took Kiryu's deck as a souvenir and put the Earthbound Immortal in his pocket.

Before they could discuss what to do next, the next wave of earthquakes hit again.

Today's Neo Domino is really full of disasters. The Nazca giant paintings appear one after another, and the earthquakes are also one after another without stopping.

There was another strong tremor, and it felt as if the city was going to be torn apart. From where he stood, Yusei could even see several buildings in the distance that had been sunk into the ground with the thick dust.

And just above that direction, another huge Nazca painting appeared. This time it was the image of a whale, the burning lines were still there, and the strange blue light illuminated the city below.

Yusei became serious: "Could that be..."

"Earthbound Immortal, that's right." Yuei Vu said, "Looking at that pattern, it should be the Earthbound Immortal of 'Whale', right? So it's Bommer..."

Bommer, a duelist from a small mountain village fought for his hometown. But every one in his hometown village became the sacrifice to the Earthbound Immortal and died tragically. Bommer mistakenly thought that it was the work of Godwin, the director of the Public Security Bureau, so after his death, he turned into a Dark Signer to avenge Godwin.

Of course, the current Yusei didn't know him.

"Who are you talking about, Senior Yuei Vu?"

"Nothing."

Yuei Vu pointed to the direction where the whale pattern appeared.

"That place should be the Public Security Bureau, right?"

"It seems to be."

"Then should we go over and take a look?" Yuei Vu said, "The targets of the Dark Signers should all be the Signers who are linked to their fate.

And the Signer in the Public Security Bureau is..."

"Jack!" Yusei immediately became nervous.

Brother Crabhead's situation can perhaps be described as "he abuses me a thousand times, but I still treat him like my first love" – Jack was clearly a betrayer who stole his D-Wheel and his card, but Brother Crabhead held no grudges from beginning to end, and could even continue to treat Jack as his companion.

Hearing that his friend might be in trouble, he was more nervous than anyone else.

Yusei got on the D-Wheel without saying a word and rushed all the way to the direction of the Public Security Bureau.

"The world timeline has changed again." Yuei Vu muttered while thinking beside him.

In the original plot, the attack rhythm of the Dark Signer Group was far less tight than it is now. On the contrary, the Dark Signers in the animation seemed a little unhurried, and they had to choose the right time and the right place.

In contrast, the current Dark Signers seemed a little particularly impatient. The team members of the Signer Team have not yet been determined, and the teammates have not yet recognized each other, but the Dark Signer team has begun to attack them one by one.

However, Yuei Vu could probably guess what they were thinking.

The trigger must be the unexplained tragic death of Rudger, the leader of the Dark Signers.

Someone attacked Rudger and killed him in a duel. Because the Dark Signers had the inherent idea that "only Signers can defeat Dark Signers", and the figure of a powerful dragon did appear in the sky before Rudger fell, they believe that a Signer who knew about it took the initiative to attack them.

That's why they were impatient to come out in full force and launch a counterattack against the Signers.

But Yuei Vu knew that the person who defeated Rudger was most likely not a Signer.

So who is that person?

That guy took the initiative to attack Rudger, the leader of the Dark Signers, for this effect? To intensify the conflict between the two sides and let them fight as soon as possible?

But why?

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Ushio opened his eyes with difficulty, and there was a dark area in front of him, almost pitch black.

The drowsy brain seemed to refuse to work, and was very resistant to "waking up". The dull feeling of suffocation came like a tide, and the pain in the head seemed to tear his brain apart.

He tried to get up, but found that the limited capacity in this confined space did not allow him to do so. After his eyes barely adapted to the environment, he found that there seemed to be a circle of broken walls and ruins around him, and he seemed to be trapped in a ruin.

It took him a long time to barely recall the last content before the blackout, and remember how he ended up in such a place.

The giant paintings composed of Nazca lines emerged one after another, and the uninterrupted earthquakes severely damaged the city.

At that time, Ushio saw that a building was about to collapse, but there was a child at the bottom of the building who was at a loss. He didn't think much at the time, and immediately jumped up to save the child, but then the road under his feet suddenly cracked. He fell into the ground, and tons of broken bricks and stones crashed down on his head...

Recalling this, Ushio felt that he was lucky.

"It turns out that I am not dead..." Ushio scratched his head.

When the ground under his feet collapsed, the house above his head collapsed, and he lost consciousness in the blink of an eye, he thought he was dead.

Normally, it seems that this should be the case. He couldn't think of any reason to survive in that situation. But the fact is that he is not only alive, but also seems to have no injuries on his body – at least he hasn't found any injuries so far.

It's a miracle.

The problem now is to find a way to get out of here.

"Hey! Is there anyone?"

Ushio tried to shout upwards, hoping that his voice could penetrate the unknown thickness of the upper ruins and be heard by the rescuers on the ground – if there really were rescuers.

Unfortunately, he shouted a few times, but there was no response.

Ushio was unwilling to sit and wait for death, and the current position made him very uncomfortable. He struggled hard, imagining that maybe this place was not far from the ground, and maybe he could push away the rubble and crawl out with his own strength.

Unexpectedly, after he tried for a long time, although the thick pile of materials on his head did not loosen at all, the rubble on the left side of his body was obviously loose.

Ushio struggled hard and finally kicked the pile of rubble on the left side with all his strength. The debris and piles collapsed to the ground.

The space kicked open was barely enough for him to curl up and pass through. Ushio tried his best to squeeze out of the narrow hole, and finally, he felt clear after going out.

When he landed, he found that the outside was like... a corridor?

A corridor sleeping in the dark, with cold metal plates on all four walls.

Ushio was a little confused. He pinched himself hard to make sure he was not in a dream.

Theoretically, he should be somewhere under the city.

But why is there such a structure underground?

It feels like some kind of research institute.

He walked along the corridor and came to the end of the corridor. At the end was a sealed alloy door with a doorplate next to it.

It read "Momentum Reactor Room".

Ushio felt a chill on his back and his breath was choked.

Because he suddenly realized where this place was.

Behind this door was the location of the first-generation perpetual motion machine Momentum.

The mysterious building he was in was the center of the "Zero Reverse" incident many years ago, the research institute of the first-generation Momentum.

Chapter 1206: Signers Gathered

Neo Domino City was plagued by disasters, and the battle between Dark Signers and Signers officially kicked off.

Yuei Vu guessed correctly. Bommer, who became a Dark Signer, did take the lead in launching an attack on the Public Security Bureau.

Although he thought that Godwin, the culprit, was dead, he felt that Godwin was only the mastermind, and other high-ranking officials in the Public Security Bureau must be Godwin's accomplices in murdering everyone in his village.

Therefore, Dark Signer Bommer drove a tank-like D-Wheel, directly smashed the gate, and rushed into the Public Security Bureau headquarters, just like a terrorist attack.

Of course, the Public Security Bureau immediately organized a counterattack, but the power of the sheriffs was completely worthless in front of a Dark Signer. Bommer directly summoned a materialized "Flying Fortress SKY FIRE" with the power of darkness, and a series of air strikes and bombings made the sheriffs anxious.

Fortunately for them, the Public Security Bureau still had King Jack Atlas.

As both a Signer and a Duel King, Jack naturally came forward to fight. The two of them dueled in the dark on the streets outside the Public Security Bureau that had been blasted into a thousand holes by the earthquake and had a life-and-death contest.

And the result, of course, was that Jack won.

Although it seemed that he was developing towards the path of a comedian in the middle period, in fact, Jack's strength was still quite reliable for him to become a Duel King. Among the regular characters that appeared in the early stage, it seemed that there were really few who could beat Jack except Yusei.

When Yusei arrived, he just happened to catch up with the end of this duel.

At this time, the whale-shaped Earthbound Immortal "Chacu Challhua" had appeared, and his huge body was floating above their duel track. His size and aura did look a bit like a god.

However, Jack was worthy of being the man who inherited the title of "Duel King". He was indeed quite talented in some aspects.

Bommer: Earthbound Immortal can attack the opponent directly, and cannot be targeted for attacks by the opponent! Earthbound Immortal is invincible! Jack Atlas, you lose!

Jack: Haha, since Earthbound Immortal cannot be the target of attack, then I will use Red Dragon Archfiend to attack you directly!

Bommer: Wait, I have Earthbound Immortal on the field, and you can't attack me directly when there are monsters!

Jack: Since it can't be the target of attack, then it is equivalent to not existing on the field!

Bommer: Is... that so 0.0?

Jack: Of course it is! There is only one king, and that is me! Go, Red Dragon Archfiend, attack directly!

Bommer: Damn it!!!

Dark Signer Bommer, pawned.

Indeed, the description of the animation effect of Earthbound Immortal was "This card cannot be targeted for attacks by your opponent." According to this effect description, if we follow the regular Yu-Gi-Oh rules, there is no such operation as "If I can't attack Earthbound Immortal, then I will directly attack the duelist himself."

So either we can only say that the duel rules in the animation are different from the real world, or we can only explain it as BISS...

In this way, there Dark Signers have already been dealt with.

The Dark Signer leader Rudger, defeated by an unknown duelist.

Dark Signer Kiyanagi, defeated by Yusei Fudo.

Dark Signer Bommer, defeated by Jack Atlas.

But the good news was that according to this trend, the young reporter Carly Nagisa who loved Jack seemed to be able to escape the fate of becoming a Dark Signer.

In the original work, Carly was discovered by Divine when she infiltrated the Arcadia Movement, and was killed by Divine in a Psychic Duel. She became a Dark Signer after throwing her body from a high building. Her obsession and wish to become a Dark Signer was to be with Jack.

However, Divine, the Cupid who "matched" them, had died, so it seemed that Carly may not have this opportunity...

Bommer was defeated, but Yusei and Jack's Mark of the Dragon radars still responded.

So the two temporarily put aside their respective grievances and unfinished business (according to Jack), and followed the guidance of the Mark of the Dragon to the next place where the giant painting appeared.

The content of the third Nazca giant painting was "Lizard".

The corresponding Earthbound Immortal was "Ccarayhua", held by Misty Tredwell.

Misty was a world-famous model with a high appearance and had been working and living abroad for a long time. But she had a beloved younger brother who was said to have died at the hands of "Black Rose Witch" Izayoi Aki.

After learning of her brother's death, she was distracted and drove off the road and fell into the sea due to depression, drowning in the water.

But after death, due to excessive longing for her brother and hatred for the murderer Izayoi Akira, she became a dark Signer and resurrected, coming for revenge with hatred.

However, Izayoi already knew the truth of the matter at this time. She was not really the murderer of Misty's brother, and the real murderer was actually Divine.

Divine killed Laura's brother, just like he had killed many other people. And he put the crime on the head of the "Black Rose Witch", so that Aki, who was constantly hated and isolated, had to find a sense of belonging in him and willingly became his pawn.

When Misty appeared in front of Aki, Aki tried to explain to her, but Misty, blinded by hatred, just thought that she was shirking responsibility. Misty was determined to make her pay with blood and didn't listen to her explanation at all.

However, just when the duel reached its climax, Yusei and Jack arrived.

When he encountered Divine in the building of the Arcadia Movement before, Yusei followed Yuei Vu's advice and turned on the recording function of the duel disk to record Divine's confession of the crime. It came in handy at this time.

After hearing the recording in Yusei's duel disk, Laura finally believed that Izayoi Aki was not the murderer of her brother, and she was just a poor girl who was used.

The female Dark Signer immediately lost the will to fight, and all the hatred was transferred to the culprit Divine.

But then she learned that just a while ago, Divine's series of disgusting actions seemed to be exposed somehow, and the Psychic Duelists of the entire Arcadia Movement knew his little secrets.

Then his fate could be imagined.

Those betrayed Psychic Duelists hated him as much as they respected him in the past. Divine, who was already dying, was immediately drowned in the sea of Psychic Duelists and torn to pieces by the army he had built.

With the culprit executed, Misty Tredwell lost her obsession as a Dark Signer and had no reason to continue fighting.

After being defeated by Aki in the duel, the Dark Signer returned to where she should have been without any worries.

Dark Signer Misty Tredwell, defeated by Izavoi Aki.

When Aki and Yusei met for the second time, the girl looked at the red mark on Yusei's hand that seemed to echo each other, and couldn't help but curl her lips and reveal a smile.

She began to feel that the crab-headed man was right.

Maybe this mark was not a curse. After all, it was because of this mark that he followed the guidance again and helped her clear her name in front of the angry avenger.

Maybe... he really cares about me?

Maybe this mark is really the proof of our bond.

(The girl immersed in her own world automatically ignored the fact that Jack also had a mark glowing on his hand)

So Izayoi joined the team, and the three Signers followed the positioning of the "Crimson Dragon GPS" and continued to rush to the next Nazca painting.

Chapter 1207: Let's End This!

The last Singer was named Luna.

Unlike other Singers, Luna was a little lolita who had just turned eleven.

She had a twin brother named Leo. The carefree parents of the two children had been wandering abroad for a long time, and only the two of them lived in a superior apartment in the top district of New Domino City.

So from the setting point of view, the elder brother Leo was a standard "having sister, having a house, and parents are busy", a complete protagonist template.

Unfortunately, at least at this stage, Leo was just an ordinary elementary school student, and he didn't have any bitter and vengeful life experience or any special abilities. His sister Luna, on the other hand, was born with the "Dragon Birthmark", the symbol of being chosen by the Crimson Dragon, and has the innate ability to communicate with duel monsters.

In comparison, the "having brother, having a house, and parents are busy" sister was more in line with the protagonist template.

As a Singer, Leo's opponent is Dark Signer Demak. Unlike other Dark Signers with a deep hatred background, this guy was just a tool villain needed by the plot. He seemed to be a "loyal follower of the Earthbound Immortal" in the setting, had a villain's face and did villain's things, but had no background and no characteristics.

The only slightly special thing was his Dark Synchro monster "Zeman the Ape King". There was a spirit boarding this card, and the spirit of Zeman the Ape King was still strong enough to suppress the entire spirit world and cause many reversals in the spirit world in the plot setting.

However, after Luna defeated Demak in a duel, the evil spirits were also eliminated and peace was restored in the spirit world.

After defeating Demak, the only designated extra among the Dark Signers, Yusei and others arrived immediately.

Everyone was surprised that there was such a little loli among the Singers. However, after a discussion of the setting, Leo dragged his sister to join their Singer team without saying a word.

It could be seen that little Leo had long imagined that one day a group of cool people would suddenly appear and say that their organization needed him to be the savior.

Now the boy's dream has finally come true, but the problem was that the savior mark he dreamed of may have been signed by mistake when it came to the door, and it actually grew on his sister's arm. This made Leo very unhappy: I, as the older brother, came first

But now a new problem has come.

Each Singer defeated their corresponding opponent, the offensive of the Dark Signer seemed to have been disintegrated, the Nazca paintings disappeared one after another, and the crisis of the city was resolved.

But the mark on each person's arm was still flashing, and there was no sign of stopping.

When they came together, the four marks responded at the same time. Four red beams of light shot into the sky from their arms, breaking through the sky, as if turning into a huge barrier that was turned upside down from top to bottom.

The surrounding buildings and cracked roads all disappeared, replaced by a dark starry sky. They seemed to be in the center of the boundless universe, surrounded by countless blinking stars in all directions.

The first thing that appeared in front of them was a long runway that seemed to be paved with white light.

The two sides of the runway were full of believers in white clothes, chanting and worshiping something devoutly.

They noticed that each of the believers had a glowing red mark on their hands, the light pierced through the sleeves and shone through, outlining a clear dragon mark on the arm.

At the end of this passage, there was a huge altar with sacred fires burning on both sides.

"That's the ancient People of the Stars..." Izayoi said softly.

"The Singers of ancient times?" Yusei said.

Then the era changed, and the scene disappeared quickly. The scene in the void beneath everyone's feet turned into a burning city, with buildings collapsing, the earth wailing, and the mark of Nazca being struck on the ground like a brand, like the mockery of the god of death.

"Ah, that's our city!" Luna said.

"And the Satellite area." Yusei frowned.

Then, a beam of dazzling light broke through the sky from somewhere deep in the satellite area. The light was beautiful and deadly, dazzling but also accompanied by irresistible terrifying destructive power.

The powerful impact of light swept across the ground, turning all the buildings affected into ashes. The ruins and rubble turned into dust and dissipated in the light, and the Neo Domnio and the Satellite area were all reduced to ashes in an instant.

These pictures were so vivid and realistic that everyone who saw them seemed to be there, personally trapped in this desperate nightmare.

"Is this the future?" Aki covered her mouth and said in surprise.

This was like the end of the world. If this was really a prediction of the future, what was about to happen was simply purgatory!

"Will Neo Domino and the Satellite District be destroyed?" Jack frowned, "No, it's impossible! The Dark Signers have been defeated, right?

Even if our city was originally going to face the fate of destruction, this fate should have been rewritten by us!"

Yusei didn't say anything, but he was frowning in thought.

Unlike the others present, Yusei clearly knew that the Dark Signer was only a part of the threat they might face, and there were many other forces involved.

In the past two days, he followed Yuei Vu to investigate and found too many strange things. Godwin's death and the disappearance of his body after his death, the infiltration of the Arcadia Movement, the infiltration of the mysterious power called Nightshroud, and the Dark Signer leader Rudger was also killed by an unknown force first...

This made him unable to be optimistic that as long as the Dark Signer was defeated, everything would be fine. Yusei could feel that the sky above the city was still shrouded in an unknown haze, and the invisible mastermind was behind the haze, smiling at them sarcastically.

"Yusei, the location where the beam of light was released." Yuei Vu reminded, "Is it deep in the satellite area?"

Yusei came back to his senses after hearing Yuei Vu's reminder.

"By the way, the beam of light that destroyed the city!" he said, "That address is where the old Momentum is!"

"It turned out to be the old Momentum?" Jack frowned, "The center of the zero-point reversal?"

"Yes." Yusei said firmly, "Everyone, let's go to the ruins of the old Momentum together. Maybe we can find something."

Hearing Yusei's suggestion, the remaining few people looked at each other.

"I listen to Yusei." Izayoi Akira took the lead in stating his position.

"Oh, oh, is the team to save the world going to set off?" Although Leo was not a Singer, he was full of energy, "Go, Luna!"

"Leo, you are annoying."

Little sister Luna complained softly but did not object.

In the end, only Jack remained silent.

In fact, everyone could see that this awkward king had already acquiesced to this decision in his heart. But from Jack's perspective, he felt that he was the duel king, and if this Singer team should have a leader, it must be him.

But then he thought about it, and it seemed that he had lost when he sneaked out late at night to play cards with Yusei.

He didn't win the card game, and he was a little timid, even when grabbing the right to speak.

Then the solution was very simple.

"Yusei!" Jack waved his hand, "Let's take this opportunity to settle the unfinished business between us!"

Yusei: "?"

Chapter 1208: King's Duel

Even Yusei, who was a duel-minded person, couldn't keep up with Jack's pace all of a sudden.

Yuei Vu couldn't help but say in his heart: Please stop your Kaiba Seto behavior...

"There must be a battle between you and me." Jack shouted, "If we don't decide the winner, even if we are in the same team, there is no future between us!"

Yuei Vu wanted to say again: Your line is too bad.

What future can there be between you two grown men? What kind of weird line is this?

"Oh oh oh, do you want to duel? In a place like this?" Leo's eyes lit up.

Leo was a die-hard fan of Jack, a fact which could be seen from the wallpapers on the walls of his room and the collection of Jack's figures.

Well, through these, it could also be seen that this kid was really rich.

"Yusei's duel?"

Izayoi, who may have retained some of her girlish traits, did not say anything, but her face showed an expression of "want to see".

"Okay." Yusei nodded, "It is indeed as you said, we will have a battle sooner or later. Why not end it now?!"

Only the little loli Luna whispered: "Shouldn't we have more important things to do than duels?"

Of course, this opinion was unanimously ignored by everyone.

"Riding Duel, Acceleration!"

[Jack, LP 4000]

[Yusei, LP 4000]

"I'll go first!" Jack rode his white Wheel of Fortune to the pole position and shouted, "Draw!"

[Jack, SPC $0 \rightarrow 1$]

[Yusei, SPC $0 \rightarrow 1$]

As expected of the king, even drawing a card was more powerful than others.

As the "Duel King", Yuei Vu felt that he would never be able to draw cards as vigorously as Jack.

"I summon 'Dark Resonator' in defense position!"

The monster card was taken, and a little devil holding a tuning fork jumped out to Jack's field, taking a defensive stance to block him.

[Dark Resonator, DEF 300]

One of Jack's favorite Tuner monsters in the early stage.

"Set three cards, I end my turn!"

There was an extra face-down card in front, on the left, and on the right of the Wheel of Fortune.

"Oh, three face-down cards at the beginning!" Leo was very excited, "Jack has been firing on all cylinders since the beginning!"

"My turn!" It's Yusei's turn.

[Jack, SPC $1 \rightarrow 2$]

[Yusei, SPC $1 \rightarrow 2$]

"Come on Yusei, do your best to challenge the king!" Jack shouted, "Then you will use your body to deeply realize what a huge gap there is between you as the pursuer and me as the pursued!"

Even if you say so, it was you who lost last time

Yuei Vu couldn't help but want to complain, but Jack couldn't hear him. The old complaint stuck in his throat, and he always felt uncomfortable

"Summon 'Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn'!"

[Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn, ATK 1700]

Yuei Vu nodded slightly.

Very good. It seems that he has successfully turned the card bound to Yusei's 502 skill from "Speed Warrior" to a brand new monster.

Brother Raiden was honored to take over the position of the Speed Warrior and become the new champion of "death from overwork".

"Raiden's effect – Send two cards from the top of the deck to the graveyard!"

Two cards were sent to the graveyard, and one of them popped out immediately.

"The effect of 'Felis, Lightsworn Archer'!" Yusei said, "If this card is sent from the Deck to my GY by a monster effect: Special Summon it!"

[Felis, Lightsworn Archer, ATK 1100]

Two monsters jumped out one after another, and Yusei looked at the Resonator that Jack was defending on the field and thought for a moment.

If I remember correctly, Dark Resonator should be the same type of monster as those lower-level monsters that Yusei favors. It has the ability to not be destroyed by battle once per turn.

In this case...

"I activate the effect of 'Felis, Lightsworn Archer'!" Yusei waved his hand, "Tribute this card, then target 1 monster the opponent controls; destroy that target!

Destroy 'Dark Resonator'!"

Felice's body was surrounded by golden light, and she raised her hand and shot an arrow wrapped in a white halo. But the moment the arrow left her hand, she also dispersed into countless golden light spots and dissipated.

The arrow of white light pierced through the body of the Dark Resonator, and the demon groaned and was also dispersed into light spots.

"Tsk, some new tricks?" Jack muttered.

Jack and Yusei had fought many times in the past, but he had never seen this series called "Lightsworn". Including the last time they secretly played cards in the duel venue late at night, Yusei had never taken out this kind of card.

Could it be that Yusei, this guy, has gained some new opportunity to continue to become stronger in the few days since our last fight?

Thinking of this, Jack's heart tightened.

Although the last duel was interrupted, if the fight continued, Jack would undoubtedly be the loser. Both of them knew this.

And even in this situation, this guy actually became stronger?

Damn it, unforgivable! Yusei!

"And, after Felice's effect is activated, send three more cards from the top of the deck to the graveyard."

After piling three cards to the graveyard again, Yusei shouted: "Battle! 'Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn', attack directly!"

Raiden kicked his foot and disappeared out of thin air. The next second, he flashed behind Jack and stabbed Jack's back with a cold dagger.

[Jack, LP 4000 \rightarrow LP 2100]

[Jack, SPC 2 \rightarrow 1]

Jack endured the impact of the virtual touch and groaned: "Preemptive strike? You've become stronger again, Yusei."

"The support of my companions allows me to evolve again and again, gaining stronger power, so that I can protect more people."

Yusei drew four cards in one breath.

"Set four cards, I end my turn!"

The onlookers couldn't help but gasp.

Good guys, are you guys competing to see who can set more cards?

Yusei pointed at the assassin on the field.

"At this moment, the effect of 'Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn' is activated." He said, "At the end of the turn, send two more cards from your deck to the graveyard."

"Companions?" Jack said disdainfully, "Only the weak will huddle together for warmth. The real strong don't need companions!

It's my turn, draw!"

[Yusei, SPC $2 \rightarrow 3$]

[Jack, SPC $1 \rightarrow 2$]

"Activate the Speed Spell 'Angel Baton'!" Jack said, "It can only be activated when I have 2 or more Speed Counters. Draw 2 cards, then discard 1 card."

Then he showed a new card: "Then, when the opponent has a monster on the field and I have no monster on the field, this card can be Special Summoned directly from my hand!

Appear, Vice Dragon!"

The one who appeared was a sturdy, ugly purple-black dragon with sharp teeth like saw teeth and white mucus wrapped around its mouth.

"But when Vice Dragon is special summoned by this effect, its original ATK and DEF must be halved."

[Vice Dragon, ATK 2000 → ATK 1000]

"Yusei, maybe you did evolve, but I didn't stand still!" Jack shouted, "I am different now than the last time we fought!

Watch out, Yusei! This is me now, the duel of the transformed king!"

Chapter 1209: Three Steps Ahead!

"Watch out Yusei! This is a king's duel!" Jack was very arrogant.

"You dare to say that." Yuei Vu said leisurely.

Yusei said: "But Jack does have that ability. Jack, who has won all the way to now and kept his throne, is unquestionably strong."

"Relatively speaking." Yuei Vu smiled.

In fact, in his opinion, the fledgling protagonists of 5DS were all cute newbies, and their strengths were about the same.

After all, even the Red Dragon Archfiend, a useless white monster that card masters didn't even want when given away for free, was actually the ace of the deck. This also showed that Jack's early deck was weak.

As he remembered, the Red Dragon Archfiend card was once given as a gift with a comic magazine. The magazine cost 250 yen, in other words, Jack's very soul was worth this price.

Therefore, "Jack's very soul costs 250 yen, including shipping fee" had become a popular topic among card players.

Everyone liked to complain that Blue-Eyes White Dragon was a noble Normie. If there was no supporting card, it was useless except for 3,000 attack points.

However, you must admit that in many cases, Blue-Eyes White Dragon was more useful than Jack's Red Dragon Archfiend.

Because Blue-Eyes was just a blank card with 3,000 attack points, while Red Dragon Archfiend actually had side effects. During its turn on the field, all monsters on the field that had not declared an attack must self-destruct.

This side effect was simply stupid...

Jack turned over a card in the backfield: "Open the set card: Trap Card – Revival Gift! Special summon a Tuner monster in my graveyard! But the monster special summoned by this effect will have its effect negated."

He drew the card that was withdrawn from the graveyard area and put it on the duel disk.

"Come back to the field, Dark Resonator!"

A black vortex opened up on the side of the speeding Wheel of Fortune, and the red-eyed demon holding a tuning fork flew out onto the field with a sly grin.

[Dark Resonator, ATK 1300]

"The second effect of Revival Gift." Jack continued, "Special Summon two 'Gift Fiend Tokens' on the opponent's field!"

[Gift Fiend Tokens, DEF 1500] x2

Looking at the two tokens that popped up on his field, Yusei frowned slightly: "This tactic is..."

As old friends who have been together for many years and know each other well, Yusei naturally knows Jack's tactics well.

Red Dragon Archfiend had the ability to "destroy all defense position monsters on the opponent's field when attacking", so Jack was not afraid that sending two tokens to the opponent would lay the groundwork for the opponent to use them as Tributes or Synchro Materials in the next round.

Jack now had a level 3 Tuner "Dark Resonator" and a level 5 "Vice Dragon" on his field, for a total level of eight. So there was no doubt that he would Synchro Summon his trump card, Red Dragon Archfiend!

"Yusei, trap it." Yuei Vu said.

"I know." Yusei pressed the button on the duel disk and turned over the card beside him, "Trap Card 'Fiendish Trap Hole! Destroy one monster Special Summoned through a card effect!" (manga card)

"Special summon by the effect of a card?" Jack said in a deep voice, "Dark Resonator is through the effect of 'Revival Gift'..."

"That's right," Yusei said, "So 'Dark Resonator' is destroyed!"

The poor Resonator didn't even stand firmly before a black hole opened up under his feet, and a black and hideous claw grabbed it, and dragged it into the deep black hole with a scream.

Jack frowned as his tactics were interrupted: "You actually played these tricks on me. Then, I will use the 'Vice Dragon' on the field as a sacrifice! Tribute Summon! Show up—

–Level 6, Strong Wind Dragon!!!"

The Vice Dragon turned into a colorful halo and disappeared, and a brand new dragon emerged from the halo. It was a blue dragon, and its wide wings fanned a transparent storm.

[Strong Wind Dragon, ATK 2400]

"Strong Wind Dragon's effect!" Jack shouted, "If this card is Tribute Summoned by Tributing a Dragon-Type monster: It gains ATK equal to half the original ATK of the Tributed monster!"

"The ATK of Vice Dragon is reduced to 1000 points after the summon due to its own effect." Yusei said, "But if it is tributed to summon Strong Wind Dragon, its ATK will still be calculated based on the original 2000 points."

"That's right! Therefore, Strong Wind Dragon's attack points increase by 1000!"

[Strong Wind Dragon, ATK 2400 → ATK 3400]

"Wow! Even if the summoning of Red Dragon Archfiend was interrupted, he continued to summon monsters with attack points even higher than Red Dragon Archfiend!" Leo began to worship his idol, "Jack is so strong!"

"Jack Atlas is indeed a strong man who deserves the title of King."

Izayoi Aki acknowledged Jack's strength in her heart, and looked at Yusei with some concern.

"Is Yusei okay?"

The girl didn't realize that she had turned into Brother Crabhead's fan without realizing it...

"Battle!" Jack shouted, "Strong Wind Dragon, tear Yusei's monsters to pieces!

Strong Hurricane!"

The Strong Wind Dragon roared and flapped its wings to launch an attack. But Yusei swept his arm and blocked its attack by opening the backcourt.

"Open the set card: Continuous Trap – Fiendish Chain!" Yusei said.

"What!?" Jack's pupils shrank.

Damn, isn't that my card? Yusei, how come you have this thing too?

Yes, that's right. When Fiendish Chain first appeared in the animation, it was Jack's card. Yusei should not have it in the original work.

So the Fiendish Chain in Yusei's hand here, needless to say, was naturally stuffed into him by Yuei Vu.

In the case of Riding Duel when most Spells were unusable, staple traps like Fiendish Chain would appear particularly fierce.

"Monsters bound by the 'Fiendish Chain' cannot declare an attack, and the effect is also negated." Yusei said, "So the effect of 'Strong Wind Dragon' is negated, and it cannot launch an attack!"

Seeing his attack blocked again, Jack gritted his teeth in anger: "Damn Yusei, did you set so many traps?"

Leo couldn't help but say: "Yusei is also very strong. That Jack's attacks were resolved one after another like this"

"But it's not over yet! This level of traps has long been within my calculations!"

Jack stepped on the accelerator.

"I told you before, Yusei? The duel of a true king should be three steps ahead of the opponent! Even in this situation, I have been prepared! This is what a true king should look like!"

As he said, he waved his hand and another face-up card flipped.

"Trap Card 'Synchro Call'!"

Yusei narrowed his eyes: "That card is..."

"Target 1 monster in my Graveyard; Special Summon it, but its effects are negated!" Jack shouted, "Then, immediately after this effect resolves, Synchro Summon 1 DARK Dragon or Fiend-Type Synchro Monster using only monsters I control as Materials, including the Summoned monster!"

"DARK Dragon-Type Synchro Monster..." Long Ke whispered to himself.

"Red Dragon Archfiend!" Leo was very excited, "Jack's trump card is coming!"

"I resurrected the monster discarded by 'Angel Baton' from the graveyard! Show up, level 2, Tuner monster 'Force Resonator'!"

[Force Resonator, DEF 500]

"Level 2 Tuner 'Force Resonator', plus level 6 'Strong Wind Dragon', tuning!"

[2+6=8]

"The ruler's heartbeats will now file through here! Take witness to its creation-shaking power!"

Jack shouted with full power.

"Synchro Summon! My very soul-

Red Dragon Archfiend!!!"

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"My very soul——

——Red Dragon Archfiend!!"

The earth was penetrated by scorching lava, and the fire pillar broke through the crust. The ferocious dragon roared out of the ground, and the super-high temperature magma flowed along the rough texture of its body.

[Red Dragon Archfiend, ATK 3000]

Jack's trump card, his proof of being a Signer, and the strongest dragon that accompanied him to win countless victories!

"Under this situation, he still summoned the Red Dragon Archfiend..." Yusei said, "Sure enough, Jack is not just bragging without any evidence, he is indeed getting stronger all the time."

"It's too early to be surprised at this level!"

Jack raised his voice and interrupted him: "Go, Red Dragon Archfiend! Absolute Powerforce!!!"

With Jack's roar, the Red Dragon Archfiend soared to the sky! The dragon waved its black claws, and its claws were wrapped in flames. As it swung, it turned into a scorching torrent and rushed towards Yusei's field!

But his first target was not Raiden in the attack position, but the "Gift Fiend Token" in the defense position on Yusei's field.

The burning flames swept across Yusei's entire field, and the two Gift Fiend Tokens were instantly burned to ashes under the high temperature.

"At this moment, open the set card: Trap Card – Lineage of Destruction!" Jack flipped another card from the backfield, "During the turn in which a Defense Position monster the opponent controlled was destroyed, select a level 8 monster on my field. The selected monster gains a number of additional attacks equal to the number of the opponent's Defense Position monsters that were destroyed this turn during the same battle phase!" (anime effect)

"What!?" Leo exclaimed, "The same number of times as the defense position monsters destroyed, that is to say..."

"Because two 'Gift Magic Tokens' were destroyed," Jack shouted, "the 'Red Dragon Archfiend' can attack twice more!"

"The 'Red Dragon Archfiend' itself has the effect of destroying all defense monsters. Using this effect, and in turn, using the side effect of 'Revival Gift' to send tokens to the opponent, it actually achieved a positive effect?" Izayoi murmured, "King Jack is really a terrible duelist.

He was interrupted by traps one after another in one turn, but he was able to complete this OTK combo..."

At this point, she couldn't help but look at Yusei with concern again.

Yusei... he won't lose, right?

"See, Yusei? This is the power of the king, the power of absolute suppression!"

Jack shouted at the top of his lungs.

"Go! Red Dragon Archfiend's additional attack! Kill the annoying guy first! Absolute Powerforce!"

Another claw went down, and the flames rushed over. Poor Raiden was instantly swallowed by the flames and burned to ashes in an instant.

[Yusei, LP 4000 \rightarrow LP 2900]

[Yusei, SPC $3 \rightarrow 2$]

"The last additional attack! Directly attack Yusei!!!"

[Red Dragon Archfiend, ATK 3000]

Jack curled his lips and showed a smug sneer.

"I won, Yusei!"

There were no more monsters blocking him. Seeing the burning claws of the Red Dragon Archfiend approaching, Yusei's face did not fluctuate at all, and he just took out another card slowly.

"Then I special summon 'Battle Fader' from my hand."

"What!?"

Looking at the swaying pendulum on the field, Jack showed a "I'm so surprised" face.

Yusei, why did you steal my card again!?

Yes, that's right, Battle Fader, the divine card that once dominated the environment, was used by Jack in the original game. However, somehow, Yusei seemed to have an identical one...

After all, this thing was not a rare card in the 5DS era, and it was not difficult to get one.

"Battle Fader can be special summoned from the hand when the opponent declares a direct attack, and then the battle phase is forced to end." Yusei said, "However, if this card is Summoned this way, banish it when it leaves the field."

The pendulum swayed, and invisible power was released from the pendulum, as if rewriting the rules of this field.

The Red Dragon Archfiend stopped its attack unwillingly, and the text on the display of both sides' D-Wheels automatically changed to "Main Phase 2".

"Tsk, there is still such a trick left?"

Jack seemed a little frustrated that his OTK failed.

"Set a card, I end my turn."

Watching Jack cover the last card in his hand, Yuei Vu crossed his arms and said leisurely: "It seems that he is finally almost out of ammunition."

But it was already worthy of praise. Facing two fiendish cards, he could still play an OTK combo... In the current duel environment of Neo Domino, it was no wonder that he was the duel king with this strength.

But it may end here.

In the original animation, Jack was not Yusei's opponent. Except for the one time he seemed to have lost to Jack once many years ago in Yusei's memories, every time they fought, Yusei won.

Now Yusei has his own senior to guide him, while Jack has almost no change compared to the original. With such conditions, if Yusei still had any suspense against Jack, then this senior might as well just find a piece of tofu and slap his head to it to commit suicide.

"My turn!" Yusei drew a card.

[Yusei, SPC $2 \rightarrow 3$]

[Jack, SPC $2 \rightarrow 3$]

"Open the face card: Trap Card – Reckless Greed!" Yusei said, "Skip the Draw Phase for the next two turns, and draw two cards from the deck."

"I summon 'Lumina, Lightsworn Summoner'!"

[Lumina, Lightsworn Summoner, ATK 1000]

"Lumina's effect – Once per turn: I can discard 1 card, then target 1 Level 4 or lower 'Lightsworn' monster in my GY; Special Summon it. Come back, Raiden!"

[Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn, ATK 1700]

"Raiden's effect – During my Main Phase, I can send the top 2 cards of my Deck to the GY."

Yusei raised his voice.

"Level 4 Tuner monster 'Raiden, Hand of the Lightsworn', Level 3, 'Lumina, Lightsworn Summoner', Level 1, 'Battle Fader', tuning!"

[4+1+3=8]

Jack snorted.

"Is it coming, Yusei?"

"Clustering wishes will become a new shining star! Become the path that lights the way! Synchro Summon—

-Fly, Stardust Dragon!!!"

Starlight connected in a straight line, and the sacred white light sprinkled from the sky! The silverwhite dragon spread its gorgeous and noble wings, swung its long neck like a swan, and its cry pierced the sky!

[Stardust Dragon, ATK 2500]

Leo was stunned: "Wow... so powerful..."

He had to feel this way.

Because just like Jack's "Red Dragon Archfiend", Stardust Dragon was not just a projection created by the stereoscopic imaging system. It was a part of the Crimson Dragon, and it was inhabited by a powerful spirit. Its spiritual power was incomparable to that of ordinary monsters.

The moment Stardust appeared, several Signers present had physiological reactions.

In the confrontation between Stardust Dragon and Red Dragon Archfiend, the invisible aura created invisible sparks, and the four Signers felt a severe burning pain from the marks on their arms almost at the same time!