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Chapter 491: The Profound Intent of Tie Long, Xie Yitian Joins Mechanical City!_2

Among these people, some were nostalgic and still missed their former home in the War City.

But there was another group who were extremely excited.

From now on, this would be their new home!

Thus, Su Yu had completely conquered the entire War City, making it a part of his forces.

Meanwhile, the Mechanical City continued to move towards the City of Heavenly Punishment without stopping.

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With the speed of the Mechanical City, in just four or five hours, it had traversed thousands of kilometers and arrived near the City of Heavenly Punishment.

At this moment, there were hundreds of thousands of people in the City of Heavenly Punishment.

Among them, ten thousand were combat personnel from the Mechanical City, and about seventy thousand were the original residents of the City of Heavenly Punishment, deemed innocent by Xie Yitian, and thus spared.

The remaining hundreds of thousands were actually one person, the flesh-and-blood vessels of Xie Yitian.

Xie Yitian had occupied the bodies of hundreds of thousands of Heavenly Punishment believers, but he did not take these vessels back to the Illusion City; instead, he left most of them in the City of Heavenly Punishment to assist in the city's construction and repair.

At this moment, as the Mechanical City approached, all these people noticed the commotion.

"What's going on? We've detected a super-large enemy approaching, its size... larger than the City of Heavenly Punishment!"

"It seems to be invisible, and it's moving almost at the speed of sound!"

"It's visible now, it's huge! My God! What is this thing!"

"What does it want to do, does it want to eat us?"

"What kind of monster is this, could it be the embodiment of an Evil God, or a creation of Zhang Chenfeng?"

Just like in the previous War City, everyone was extremely terrified by the arrival of the Mechanical City.

Even Xie Yitian was frightened out of his wits.

Even though he was a seven-star powerhouse, nearly an eight-star, he had never seen such an enemy.

He even suspected that it might be a part of the Brutal Evil God's body or a creation of Zhang Chenfeng's.

"It's over, aren't we doomed?"

Xie Yitian had only one thought, which was that they were doomed.

Other weaker people still held a glimmer of hope, but Xie Yitian understood that if either of those possibilities were true, he would undoubtedly die today.

Just then, the people in the City of Heavenly Punishment suddenly received communication from Su Yu:
"Don't panic, everyone, I'm Su Yu..."

Su Yu naturally wouldn't be as mischievous as Tie Long, deliberately frightening these people, and sent a notification as soon as he approached.

With that, the previously panicked City of Heavenly Punishment became lively.

Everyone was stunned for a moment, then suddenly erupted:

"What, this is the Mechanical City? We just left the Mechanical City, how did it become like this? It's a hundred times bigger!"

"Not only is this city huge, but it can actually move? A big city with legs that ran thousands of kilometers, coming to the City of Heavenly Punishment to swallow it? Am I dreaming?"

The people in the City of Heavenly Punishment looked up to the sky, staring at the overwhelmingly oppressive underbelly of the Mechanical City, emotionally stirred, and discussed animatedly, feeling like they were dreaming.

The ten thousand combat personnel, having left the Mechanical City for a long time, were somewhat homesick, not knowing when they could return.

Now their "home" had grown legs and come to them; how about that, what a situation?

"What dream, this is the Divine Power of the great Su Yu, I always said, he is a god descended onto the world, and you didn't believe..."

Some fanatics immediately knelt to the ground, worshipping the "miracle."

And Xie Yitian, this seven-star powerhouse, was also stunned for a long time.

Finally, he sent his data form to the top of the Mechanical City to meet Su Yu:

"Mr. Su Yu, it's really you!"

It wasn't until Xie Yitian saw Su Yu that he finally breathed a sigh of relief, believing Su Yu's earlier words.

It wasn't that he didn't trust Su Yu, but that it was all too incredible.

To let such a large city traverse thousands of kilometers, what kind of mighty power was this?

Xie Yitian couldn't imagine what level Su Yu was at now? Nine stars? Or even higher?

Actually, Xie Yitian was overthinking it.

The entire Mechanical City was actually built by Su Yu and the Mechanical Spirit, both eight-star Transcendents.

It just looked too shocking, scaring Xie Yitian.

Su Yu's overwhelming power made it possible to create such a Miracle City.

This was far beyond the capabilities of even an eight-star or nine-star Transcendent.

When Su Yu saw Xie Yitian's data form arrive, he smiled slightly: "Of course it's me, how's the new Mechanical City?"

Xie Yitian responded without hesitation: "Miraculous! It looks almost like those creations of Zhang Chenfeng's in orbit!"

Previously, the largest Mechanical Creation Xie Yitian had seen were Zhang Chenfeng's creations.

He thought that level of power was far away from him.

But he didn't expect that in such a short time, Su Yu had already built such a Miracle City!

Thinking of this, Xie Yitian suddenly widened his eyes: "Could it be, Mr. Su Yu, you've already reached the level of Zhang Chenfeng?"

Upon hearing this, Su Yu quickly waved his hand: "You're overthinking, I'm still far from that."

"This Mechanical City is currently just at the level of a beginner nine-star, not as powerful as you think."

However, Xie Yitian didn't believe it at all when he heard this.

In his heart, he believed firmly that Su Yu's power was now unfathomable, possibly far surpassing nine stars.

Perhaps he had completely revived the ancient powers! Reaching the level of Zhang Chenfeng.

And what was Su Yu saying? What does "just at the level of a beginner nine-star" mean? Is that something a human would say?

Seeing Xie Yitian's "Mr. Su Yu, are you kidding me" expression, Su Yu was somewhat helpless.

Su Yu couldn't be bothered to explain further, so he thought for a moment and said: "City Lord Xie, I have a few things to tell you..."

Then, Su Yu explained in detail what had happened in Beihan City and Wind City to Xie Yitian.

He also told him about the disappearance of Sun City and the conspiracy of the demon hatred.

The most important was the backlash of the Subspace, that so-called "calamity."

These deep mysteries made Xie Yitian's scalp tingle.

"So much has happened during these days!"

In the end, Xie Yitian couldn't help but exclaim.

He looked at Su Yu, his gaze a little strange.

Was Su Yu's everyday life always so exciting?

It had only been a few days, and so much had happened.

Xie Yitian felt that if he let his mind wander for just a moment, the world would turn upside down, undergoing dramatic changes.

And most of these changes were related to Su Yu.

"City Lord Xie, what do you think now?"

After Su Yu finished speaking, he posed a question to Xie Yitian.

This question seemed a bit vague.

What do you mean by "what do you think now"?

But Xie Yitian immediately understood Su Yu's meaning. After pondering for a moment, he firmly answered: "Mr. Su Yu, I will join!"

When Xie Yitian said this, he meant that he wanted to join the Mechanical City, allow it to absorb the resources of the Illusion City, and take in its population.

This world was too dangerous, and Xie Yitian felt that he could no longer protect the million people of the Illusion City, nor even himself.

If it weren't for Su Yu's intervention last time, he would have already died under the "calamity."

But who knew if the calamity ended with just one wave?

Perhaps, after some time, there would be another crisis.

If that time came and Su Yu wasn't by his side...

Therefore, Xie Yitian only considered for a few seconds before deciding to completely align with Su Yu!

"Great! City Lord Xie, you won't regret this choice."

Su Yu was pleased to see Xie Yitian agree so readily and smiled.

"I definitely won't regret it!"

"Besides, Mr. Su Yu, you are now the City Lord, and I will be your subordinate in the future. Just call me Xiao Xie..."

Xie Yitian hastily said, quickly assuming his new role, and showed no airs of a seven-star powerhouse, directly asking Su Yu to call him Xiao Xie.

"Xiao Xie..."

Su Yu was a bit speechless; Xie Yitian looked young but was actually a centenarian, whereas Su Yu was still young.

Call him Xiao Xie? Su Yu felt a bit overwhelmed.

But there's no choice, Su Yu's demeanor as a big figure was too convincing...

"Cough, cough, just a habit."

"City Lord Xie, let's watch the process of the City of Heavenly Punishment being devoured together."

Su Yu lightly coughed twice, not taking up Xie Yitian's offer, and maintained the address of City Lord Xie.

Xie Yitian did not insist, closed his mouth, and silently watched the live broadcast of the Mechanical City devouring the City of Heavenly Punishment.

He watched with intense focus; it was a spectacle he had never seen before!

Most importantly, he had hundreds of thousands of vessels in the City of Heavenly Punishment, with hundreds of thousands of eyes watching simultaneously, a sensation that others simply couldn't comprehend.

As he watched, he muttered to himself:

"Indeed, seeing such a grand scene in reality is far more spectacular than in a virtual world..."

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Su Yu listened on the side, slightly amused.

This Xie Yitian still reminisces about his virtual world.

It seems Xie Yitian is planning to build a model of this Mechanical City in the virtual world.

He's quite similar to Tie Long, who loves photography, while Xie Yitian likes "modeling".

But it's no surprise, even a seven-star strong individual has hobbies, otherwise how would they pass those thousands of years of long life?

It's likely that Xiao Shengyin and the others have their own ways to pass the time.

As for Su Yu, he doesn't need it.

For Su Yu, improving his strength and studying mechanical and spiritual energy knowledge are his greatest hobbies, enough to fill his time to the brim, still not having enough time.

In fact, Tie Long and Xie Yitian wouldn't mind being like Su Yu, taking strength improvement as their greatest hobby.

The key is, they can't do it.

After Tie Long and the others advanced to seven-star, their strength increased too slowly, with no significant progress over decades or even centuries.

Helplessly, they could only find some interests or hobbies to pass the time.

And as for Su Yu, his strength improved too quickly, with plenty of motivation, making rapid progress every day, taking upgrades as his hobby.

This is something that Tie Long and the others truly envy.

To increase his strength, a series of prompts suddenly appeared on Su Yu's profession panel:

[Gained 100,000 Professional Experience (War Mechanic LV6)]

[Your profession level has increased!]

[Your profession War Mechanic has advanced to LV7]

[Your core ability Power of Dominator has been upgraded simultaneously!]

Su Yu's War Mechanic level has been elevated again.

At the same time, Su Yu felt his power had also increased with the level-up.

"What's going on?"

Su Yu was a bit puzzled, did devouring the City of Heavenly Punishment also provide experience?

He carefully sensed it and found the level-up wasn't because he devoured the City of Heavenly Punishment.

It was because Tie Long and those surviving remnants in the City of Heavenly Punishment were earnestly praying to him in their hearts.

Tie Long was currently wandering around the Mechanical City, marveling at this Miracle City, his amazement growing with every sight, so the believer instinct acted up, and he couldn't help but praise Su Yu's divine power in his heart, which brought a lot of experience to Su Yu.

The survivors of the City of Heavenly Punishment, however, had lived in the city steeped in faith for a long time, every one of them was a qualified religious fanatic.

Now that they saw the Mechanical City descend, they immediately thought it was a miracle and couldn't help but pray devoutly in their hearts.

Their faith was fervent, thus bringing a lot of experience to Su Yu, allowing him to level up again.

Originally, Su Yu had issued an order that those who wanted to become his believers had to meet certain conditions.

Only those injured or disabled in battle could pray to Su Yu to receive the Mechanical Blessing and become his Mechanical Believers.

But these survivors of the City of Heavenly Punishment were filled with fervent emotion in their hearts, how could they care about those bans, they were all praying secretly in their hearts.

They all thought, if Su Yu doesn't allow praying, surely chanting secretly in their minds is alright?

"These guys... forget it, I won't bother."

Originally, Su Yu didn't want to "preach" extensively among humans, but he couldn't control these zealots from the City of Heavenly Punishment.

They fervently prayed in their hearts, and Su Yu couldn't stop them.

He couldn't very well prohibit their thoughts, could he?

So Su Yu couldn't be bothered to stop it.

Moreover, if these zealots didn't believe in Su Yu and started believing in some bizarre things, it would be even more problematic.

As long as the ordinary residents of the Mechanical City didn't engage in such random prayers, Su Yu didn't want all his followers to become religious fanatics or zealots.

"Come to think of it, these survivors from the City of Heavenly Punishment, although they are quite weak in strength, their Power of Faith is truly strong. The combined faith of these tens of thousands almost surpasses Tie Long, an eight-star Transcendent."

"Is it because they are more fervent?"

Once determined, Su Yu comfortably enjoyed the benefits brought by this faith.

He watched as the profession experience for War Mechanic on the profession panel steadily increased, and couldn't help but smile.

Since taking on the War Mechanic profession, all the upgrades have relied on the "efforts" of the believers, making it completely hassle-free for him, which is truly convenient.

Thus, Su Yu continuously absorbed the power of faith to level up.

The Mechanical City also continued absorbing the City of Heavenly Punishment, filling itself.

After a good three or four hours, as dusk approached, the Mechanical City finally devoured the entire City of Heavenly Punishment, leaving only a large pit behind.

In fact, it could have been faster, but the Mechanical City took time to "digest" after the consumption, slowing it down significantly.

Those who lived in the City of Heavenly Punishment watched the process of its consumption from beginning to end, like watching a blockbuster movie they've never seen before, and were satisfied.

Then they were all transferred to the Mechanical City, becoming its new residents.

Of course, they were overjoyed, finding empty houses to settle into one by one.

After the consumption was complete, the fill rate of the Mechanical City increased from 3% to 15%!

Evidently, the City of Heavenly Punishment was much larger than the War City, with resources several times more, making the Mechanical City quite "full".

As the filling rate increased, the weight of the Mechanical City also increased significantly.

Even though it devoured the Energy Core of the City of Heavenly Punishment and enhanced its power, Su Yu still found it a bit taxing.

"What a strain..."

Su Yu tried having the Mechanical City take a step and found its speed had slowed down a bit.

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If the quality of the Mechanical City increases any further, it might just come to a standstill.

"Tsk tsk, it's getting too fat..."

Su Yu shook his head.

The Mechanical City getting heavier and heavier is a troublesome issue; the energy problem needs to be solved quickly.

Fortunately, the only problem now is that the speed has slightly decreased, from 300 meters per second to around 280, which is not a huge impact.

"Mr. Su Yu, where should we head next? To Illusion City?"

Xie Yitian saw that the City of Heavenly Punishment had been completely devoured and immediately spoke up.

Su Yu glanced at him. This guy was really proactive.

Knowing that Su Yu was going to destroy and devour his Illusion City, yet he looked eager and impatient.

"Then let's head to..."

Su Yu was about to agree with Xie Yitian.

The City of Heavenly Punishment is about five thousand kilometers away from Illusion City, much closer than from Holy Hidden City or Wind City.

Going to Illusion City first would be more efficient.

However, Su Yu thought about it for a moment and said, "Better first head towards Chairman Xiao and their people. They are migrating with millions of people, and it's a long journey with potential dangers."

Su Yu planned to first transfer those millions of migrating people into the Mechanical City to keep them safe, making it much more secure.

Xie Yitian heard this and quickly agreed, "Then let's head there first."

Thus, the Mechanical City set off again, heading southward.

Both the Mechanical City and the City of Heavenly Punishment are in the northern hemisphere.

However, Holy Hidden City and Wind City are at the equator, in the southern hemisphere, so the distances are very far, close to ten thousand kilometers.

The great migration had started one or two days ago, but it actually hadn't traveled far yet.

The journey was long, and with the reduced speed of the Mechanical City, it took over ten hours to get close to Xiao Shengyin and their group by the early morning of the next day.

"In about half an hour, we will be able to see them."

Su Yu stood at the highest point of the Mechanical City, looking ahead, thinking to himself.

He breathed a sigh of relief, always worried that something might have happened to Xiao Shengyin and their side during such a long time.

But now it seemed everything was fine, which reassured him.

Just at this moment, Su Yu suddenly changed his expression and pulled out a token from his waist; it was the token Tie Long had given him when he first joined the Transcendent Union.

At this time, the token was emitting spiritual energy fluctuations, and the voice of Xiao Shengyin came from it, "Mr. Su Yu, where are you? We are not feeling quite right..."

Su Yu asked in a deep voice, "What's going on? Is there a problem with the migration?"

Xiao Shengyin replied, "I don't know, we haven't discovered any enemies. But it feels like something is not quite right, a big disaster seems to be about to happen."

Su Yu pondered for a moment upon hearing this and said, "Continue your journey as normal without showing any signs of abnormality, and be careful with your defenses. I'll be there in about half an hour."

Upon hearing this, Xiao Shengyin felt relieved, "Half an hour? Rest assured, Mr. Su Yu, we have confidence in holding on for half an hour, no matter the enemy; it's just that..."

Su Yu understood the underlying worry in Xiao Shengyin's words.

Xiao Shengyin and Shao Lan are powerful, and they should be able to hold off strong enemies for half an hour.

But those tens of thousands of migrating people do not possess the same abilities, and if a battle truly erupts, it could result in total annihilation if not careful.

"Don't worry, once I get there, they will be safe."

Su Yu assured them.

Although Xiao Shengyin couldn't understand why Su Yu was so confident, he chose to trust Su Yu nonetheless.

After hanging up the communication, Su Yu fell into deep thought.

Beside him, Xie Yitian couldn't help but ask, "What happened?"

Su Yu came back to his senses and said, "There might be trouble with Chairman Xiao's side. It could be the demon or one of Zhang Chenfeng's creations targeting them, about to launch an attack."

Only these two possibilities could make Xiao Shengyin and them feel a looming disaster.

Xiao Shengyin has formidable strength and a sensitive mind, noticing something amiss, yet unable to locate the enemy's trail.

"What? The demon or Zhang Chenfeng's creations are planning to attack Chairman Xiao's group?"

Xie Yitian was taken aback.

Su Yu glanced at him, "Don't worry, we are very close."

"If there is any movement, I will go directly with the Brutal Battle Armor, and the Mechanical City's power will be temporarily provided by you and Tie Long."

Upon hearing this, Xie Yitian immediately responded, "Understood!"

Then he seemed to think of something, eyes lighting up with excitement, "Mr. Su Yu, is there a chance to witness the power of the Mechanical City?"

Su Yu nodded, "That's right. I also want to seize this opportunity to test the power of the Mechanical City!"

When Su Yu said this, a cold glint flashed in his eyes.

Beside him, Xie Yitian became even more excited upon hearing this.

He was very curious about the strength of the transformed and upgraded Mechanical City.

Could it be that in half an hour, there would be a chance to witness it?

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At this moment, on Xiao Shengyin's side.

"How is it?"

Shao Lan and Qi Chen asked Xiao Shengyin.

Xiao Shengyin nodded slightly, "Mr. Su Yu said he could reach us in half an hour, and once he's here, the millions of migrating people will be safe; we can rest assured."

Upon hearing this, Shao Lan and Qi Chen both breathed a sigh of relief.

Then again, with some curiosity, they said, "Mr. Su Yu's strength is formidable, but how does he plan to protect these millions of migrating people?"

"The aftershocks of Seven-star Transcendents' battles can easily destroy cities, let alone Mr. Su Yu, who is far beyond seven stars, and likely the powerful enemy hidden in the shadows too."

"Once a battle erupts, these millions could be wiped out in no time. How does Mr. Su Yu plan to protect them?"

They couldn't understand where Su Yu's confidence came from.

"Never mind, since Mr. Su Yu has confidence, he must have some backing; let's wait and see."

Afterward, Xiao Shengyin and the others continued leading the millions on their journey while awaiting Su Yu's arrival.

Half an hour later.

"It seems there's no danger..."

After waiting for half an hour, Xiao Shengyin and the others didn't find any threats looming.

Although the ominous feeling kept reminding them of a life-threatening danger.

"Could it be a false alarm?"

"Never mind, Mr. Su Yu will be here soon."

Xiao Shengyin and the others said with calm hearts.

Just then, their expressions suddenly changed as they looked toward the north.

"What is that? So big! So terrifying!"

"Could this be the hidden danger we've been sensing?"

"This presence surely has at least a nine-star level of power!"

They sensed the approach of the Mechanical City and were utterly shocked.

They thought the Mechanical City was the lurking enemy.

Meanwhile, Su Yu also saw Xiao Shengyin and the others.

Su Yu was also taken aback.

Because, from Su Yu's perspective...

Xiao Shengyin, Shao Lan, Qi Chen, and even the millions of migrants they were leading, each had a twisted fleshy tentacle attached to their heads!

These flesh tentacles extended from the top of their heads, reaching skyward, where they fused into an incredibly twisted massive flesh mass hundreds of meters above the ground.

On the flesh mass were many indifferent and emotionless eyes, staring unblinkingly at Xiao Shengyin and the others below.

Xiao Shengyin and the others seemed completely unaware of this horrifying scene!

Xiao Shengyin and his group constantly felt danger, yet couldn't identify its source, thinking the enemy was merely lurking in the shadows without launching an attack.

However, the truth was, the attack had long been launched, yet Xiao Shengyin and the others couldn't see it at all!

It's noteworthy that Xiao Shengyin is an experienced Eight-star Transcendent, and Shao Lan, Qi Chen are veteran Sevens!

To launch an attack right before their eyes without them noticing — such strength...

"This is... the demon!"

"So huge! Nearly a third the size of the Mechanical City!"

"And managing to escape Chairman Xiao and the others' notice, could it be... its main body?"

Su Yu immediately recognized that this gigantic twisted flesh mass was the demon, and most likely its main body!

At this moment, the cold eyes on the demon's body all simultaneously shifted to look at Su Yu, as it obviously discovered Su Yu's arrival.

After glancing at Su Yu, the demon's eyes narrowed slightly, seeming to show a mocking smile.

Then the tendrils connecting to the tops of Xiao Shengyin and the others suddenly thickened, seemingly accelerating the extraction of something from their bodies!

"Not good!"

Su Yu secretly exclaimed, then suddenly activated his power and issued a command to the Mechanical Spirit:

"Mechanical Spirit, aim at that flesh mass, and have the Mechanical City crash into it for me!"

Chapter 494: Battle Begins, Collision! The Battle of Doomsday!

At this moment, on Qiu Mo's side.

"What's going on, where did Su Yu get such a Giant City in just a day or two, and it can move at high speed? What is this thing?"

Although Qiu Mo showed a mocking smile towards Su Yu, it was actually extremely shocked internally.

It was also someone who recognized value, and upon seeing the gigantic Mechanical City, it immediately understood that this creation was of a very high level, with immense power.

Even with nine-star strength, it couldn't make something like this.

In fact, Qiu Mo had fused several dozen Seven-star Transcendents, theoretically possessing dozens of seven-star abilities, far more extraordinary than Su Yu.

Among them, there might even be those skilled in mechanical creation.

But it didn't have Su Yu's Profession Panel, where various abilities conflicted with each other, making it difficult to resolve.

So most of the seven-star abilities were abandoned, specializing only in a few strong abilities.

The Mechanic's ability was also abandoned due to severe conflicts, and naturally, it couldn't create a miraculous construct like the Mechanical City.

Otherwise, today might have been a battle between Qiu Mo's City of Revenge and Su Yu's Mechanical City.

"Damn it, if I had such a mobile city back then, I could have evaded danger and wouldn't be in this state now!"

"But it's fine, Su Yu's city will be mine! It will become my dominion in the future!"

After the shock, what flashed in Qiu Mo's heart was jealousy and greed.

It was formed by several dozen Seven-star Transcendents who lost their cities under Zhang Chenfeng's creations attack.

It had a deep obsession with cities.

Now seeing Su Yu create such an advanced Giant City, one that could grow legs and run around, avoiding danger at will.

It would be strange not to feel jealous and envious.

If it had Su Yu's Mechanical City back then, would it have ended up like this?

"I now have one eight-star, two seven-stars, and a few million people as hostages, perfect for threatening Su Yu, making him dare not act rashly..."

Sinister thoughts swirled within Qiu Mo's heart.

It planned to use Xiao Shengyin, the other two, and those millions of migrating people to threaten Su Yu, thereby seizing the opportunity to achieve its goals.

At the very least, it could buy some time.

After all, Qiu Mo was currently linked with Xiao Shengyin and the others using its abilities, extracting their "Power of Memory", making movement somewhat difficult.

So it needed to delay some time.

"Su Yu, you're late, these people are already in my grasp! Their lives are at my mere thought! If you want them to live..."

Qiu Mo pondered over its words inwardly.

However, before it could think it through, Su Yu had already given a command to the Mechanical Spirit to collide.

"Collide?"

Hearing this, the Mechanical Spirit immediately questioned.

Su Yu actually didn't order an attack but chose "collision", such a primitive attack method?

The Mechanical Spirit was already prepared to launch a full salvo at Qiu Mo with the Mechanical City.

It was actually very eager to see the full power of the Mechanical City's attack.

Yet Su Yu's order was simply to crash into them?

However, the Mechanical Spirit calculated quickly and understood Su Yu's intent almost immediately.

There were millions of humans ahead, and if they used direct firepower, with the power of the Mechanical City's heavy weapons, even a slight collateral impact would be fatal to those people.

So Su Yu chose a relatively safer attack method, initiating a physical collision with Qiu Mo.

Originally, with the intelligence of the Mechanical Spirit, it should not have overlooked this matter.

The only reason it hadn't considered it before was that it hadn't considered those millions of human lives at all.

In the Mechanical Spirit's mindset, only Su Yu was important, and the lives of other humans were irrelevant to it.

After all, it was just a Data Life, and empathizing with humans was very difficult.

Although it was difficult to empathize with humans, it didn't stop it from executing Su Yu's orders.

After understanding Su Yu's intent, the Mechanical Spirit executed Su Yu's command without any delay.

Boom!

The Mechanical City accelerated instantaneously.

The Mechanical City's long-distance sprint speed was capped at 280 meters per second, but it could have a burst at short distances.

It accelerated to just a bit shy of the speed of sound, which was its short-distance burst limit.

It couldn't go any faster, or else it would hit the sound barrier, which the current Mechanical City couldn't withstand.

Although it didn't reach the speed of sound, the speed near the sonic barrier, combined with the immense mass, gave this collision a nine-star level power!

Such a large city, almost equivalent to a small asteroid in outer space.

Fully loaded, and if accelerated to dozens of times the speed of sound, a fierce collision with the ground would have almost apocalyptic power!

The current Mechanical City, though not that powerful, was still terrifying enough.

Even before the Mechanical City collided, over on Qiu Mo's side, there was already a roar of anger and shock:

"Don't you care about their lives..."

It had a large number of hostages, so it wasn't too worried. Who would have thought Su Yu would be so ruthless, attacking on sight?

Faced with Qiu Mo's roar, Su Yu naturally ignored it, and the Mechanical Spirit even more so.

During the collision, the Mechanical Spirit thought to itself: "The master cares about other humans' lives, so he chose to collide. In the future, I must also care about them a bit, and include them in my calculations..."

The Mechanical Spirit reflected on its earlier oversight.

It was attempting to "discern its master's intentions", trying to understand Su Yu's thoughts to better serve him.

The Mechanical Spirit didn't originally have these kinds of thoughts, but after advancing to eight stars, its intelligence also increased accordingly, so it had more considerations, unlike before, when it would only execute commands without questioning why.

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However, the Mechanical Spirit pondered for a moment before discovering...

its previous thoughts seemed to be somewhat incorrect.

Such a direct collision, although possibly less impactful than a salvo of weapons, was still terrifying.

How many of those millions of people could survive the aftermath of the collision?

If Su Yu truly cared about those millions of people, and the lives of Xiao Shengyin and the other two, how could he initiate a collision without saying a word?

The Mechanical Spirit once again felt it couldn't figure Su Yu out.

"Or does the master have a deeper meaning?"

thought the Mechanical Spirit.

At this moment, the Mechanical City had already fiercely collided with the twisted mass of flesh that was the true form of the Vengeful Demon.

Before the Mechanical City hit it, the Vengeful Demon was already desperately twisting its body, trying to avoid the impact, but it was at a critical juncture and its movement speed was astonishingly slow, making evasion impossible.

Then...

BOOM!

The next instant, the shield of the Mechanical City fiercely slammed into the body of the Vengeful Demon.

A vast city spanning hundreds of kilometers, ramming at subsonic speed into a giant mass of flesh spanning tens of kilometers—what an earthshattering event!

In an instant, at the point of contact, a violent explosion erupted, with nuclear-like light and heat seemingly forming a small sun in mid-air!

Not just light and heat, but a terrifying shockwave expanded in all directions.

"Not good!"

Seeing this, the Mechanical Spirit immediately activated its full capabilities, setting up layer upon layer of shields inside the Mechanical City.

In an instant, most of these shields shattered.

The structure of the Mechanical City was also partially annihilated.

Fortunately, the annihilated areas were manifested through data and could be quickly restored.

As for the physical parts of the Mechanical City, they were well protected, and the city's residents were unharmed, though greatly startled.

However, at that moment, the Mechanical City could only protect the people within it; those on the ground were completely beyond consideration.

At this moment, seeing all this unfold, Xiao Shengyin, Qi Chen, Shao Lan, and the others were all aghast.

They hurriedly attempted to activate their abilities to dodge and defend against the terrifying shockwave.

However, as they just began to activate their abilities, they found that their powerful Spiritual Energy within was utterly unresponsive! Unmoveable!

No! It wasn't that their Spiritual Energy was unresponsive, but their "memory" of using Spiritual Energy had vanished!

They forgot how to use their Spiritual Energy!

This was the Vengeful Demon using some bizarre method to extract the memory of Spiritual Energy usage from Xiao Shengyin and the others, robbing them of their power.

Having lost their memory of Spiritual Energy, Xiao Shengyin and the others were just slightly sturdier ordinary people.

Thus, an eight-star powerhouse and two seven-star powerhouses could only stand stupefied, waiting for the shockwave to reach them.

Though they lost their Spiritual Energy, they could actually withstand just one shockwave since their physical constitution still prevailed, something the Vengeful Demon couldn't extract.

But if there were a few more hits like this, they would surely die.

Not to mention, how many of the tens of thousands of migrating people behind them could survive this shockwave?

"Mr. Su Yu is truly ruthless to launch an attack so directly!"

"...However, we haven't known him for long, and our relationship isn't deep."

"Did we misjudge him before?"

"Are we all going to die here today?"

In their hearts, Xiao Shengyin and the others couldn't help but feel a touch of despair.

Amidst the intense collision, neither the Vengeful Demon nor the Mechanical City had their invisibility effective anymore.

Thus, those millions of migrating people also witnessed this earth-shattering clash.

They weren't desperate but looked utterly bewildered.

This doomsday-like scene made most people feel unreal, wondering if they were dreaming?

Why, while traveling, did they suddenly witness a Sky City fighting with a massive blob in the sky?

Could it be an illusion?

However, in the next instant, the terrifying shockwave arrived, making them realize it wasn't an illusion but reality!

"So, the end of the world has come, and we're going to die?"

The millions of people didn't have time for despair, only one thought on their minds—Judgement Day had arrived, and they were doomed.

In such catastrophic aftershocks of a doomsday battle, how could they possibly survive?

Indeed, in their eyes, the collision between the Mechanical City and the Vengeful Demon was nothing short of a doomsday war!

Some people, with slightly more thoughts in mind, felt not despair but regret:

"It's just a pity that we won't get to see the outcome of this great battle. We don't even know who will win or who—or rather, what—the participants of this battle are?"

These people, like ordinary folk facing the apocalypse, couldn't even muster a sense of despair.

What use is despair in this situation? Better to think if there's anything regrettable...

At this moment, a peculiar power suddenly appeared out of nowhere upon them.

Under the influence of this power, their bodies immediately became much firmer.

The terrifying shockwave impacted Xiao Shengyin and the others without causing any harm, only blowing them around uncontrollably!

And as for the millions of residents, most of them were directly swept up into the air, drifting randomly.

Fortunately, they were merely blown away, but under some unknown protective force, there were no casualties among the millions, though they were greatly frightened, screaming and shouting.

The millions of people were confused—what happened? They weren't dead?

But Xiao Shengyin and the others quickly understood: it was Su Yu's power! Who else would have such means to protect them?

"Turns out, we misjudged Mr. Su Yu!"

Xiao Shengyin and the others all breathed a sigh of relief.

It seemed that Su Yu did care about their lives after all.

Their guess was correct; the force just now was indeed Su Yu's Power of Dominator! An ally's protection!

As a War Mechanic, Su Yu had become the dominator of the battlefield.

Now that the Mechanical City had initiated a collision with the Vengeful Demon, it was already an extensive war.

Thus, activating the ability allowed for strengthening the allies and weakening the enemies.

This way, Xiao Shengyin and the others could be protected from the fallout.

Su Yu, seeing how effectively his Power of Dominator worked, also breathed a sigh of relief. Honestly, during the collision, he didn't have full confidence; now it seemed the effect was good.

Then he immediately instructed the Mechanical Spirit: "Mechanical Spirit!"

"Yes! Master!"

The Mechanical Spirit didn't wait for Su Yu to finish and already understood his intention.

It promptly materialized a massive number of mechanical arms, grabbing and fishing at Xiao Shengyin and the millions of people.

This was to take the opportunity to grab everyone into the Mechanical City for protection!

The efficiency of the Mechanical Spirit was exceptionally high, as it utilized the ability of Data Materialization to manifest millions of small mechanical arms; in a short time, almost all the population had been grabbed and was being reeled into the Mechanical City.

At this moment, the Mechanical Spirit was maximizing its Computational Power.

In less than one-tenth of a second, it precisely controlled millions of mechanical arms to grab millions of people, consuming an immense amount of computational power.

It's worth noting that Su Yu's Hundred-Armed Mecha already required a very high computational demand.

What about a million mechanical arms?

Moreover, the Mechanical Spirit also maintained the materialization of most of the Mechanical City's structure simultaneously, consuming an even more ridiculous amount of computation.

Only because the Mechanical Spirit had advanced to eight stars and received Su Yu's Mechanical Blessing could it accomplish such feats.

Beside them, Xie Yitian, seeing the operations of the Mechanical Spirit, was utterly flabbergasted.

As a Data Ghost, he understood all too well the significance of the Mechanical Spirit's operations.

Currently, managing tens of thousands of human carriers was already taxing for him; most carriers only moved mechanically and clumsily, barely able to carry out simple commands like moving forward or backward.

Yet the Mechanical Spirit could simultaneously manifest and control millions of mechanical arms with precise manipulation.

This method was simply beyond Xie Yitian's imagination.

"Is this Mr. Su Yu's power, or his Data Life servant's power? This power, it must be eight-star, maybe even nine-star?"

"Indeed, Mr. Su Yu has a way to help Data Lifeforms surpass eight stars, maybe even nine stars. Following him can't be the wrong choice!"

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At this moment, Xie Yitian, after witnessing the astonishing operation of the Mechanical Spirit, was both shocked and excited, as if he had seen a deity.

The incredible power displayed by the Mechanical Spirit was what Xie Yitian had pursued in the data domain for hundreds of years.

No! Xie Yitian believed that even if he ascended to eight stars, he wouldn't be able to achieve what had just occurred.

That is... the realm close to nine stars!

It's like witnessing a martial arts prodigy demonstrate a supreme technique in front of a martial fanatic; that fanatic would naturally be awestruck.

However, Xie Yitian is not a martial fanatic but a "data fanatic."

At this moment, he had no doubts about choosing to join the Mechanical City.

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Meanwhile, in less than a second, the millions of residents had all been captured into the Mechanical City by the Mechanical Spirit and protected.

The million mechanical arms manifested by the Mechanical Spirit moved at blinding speed, dazzling the observers, then suddenly retracted with precision and elegance.

As the millions were pulled back to the Mechanical City, the entire city seemed to pause for a moment.

The energy consumption of the Mechanical Spirit was so immense that even it needed to "catch a breath."

Su Yu at this moment twitched slightly.

In that instant, he had frantically supplied energy to the Mechanical Spirit to accomplish that miraculous operation, and his own consumption was not small.

"Thankfully, these people have been saved. The upcoming battle can proceed without too many concerns."

Su Yu felt a sense of relief.

With so many ordinary people on the ground earlier, he couldn't fight freely.

Now that these people were protected, it was much more convenient.

Su Yu looked towards the ground and saw severed fleshy tentacles everywhere.

It was when the Mechanical Spirit forcefully pulled off the fleshy tentacles from over the people's heads during the rescue.

However, three people had not been rescued.

They were Xiao Shengyin, Shao Lan, and Qi Chen!

The three still stood there, with fleshy tentacles connecting them to the demonic foe in the sky.

The fleshy tentacles on their heads were particularly thick and tough, so when the Mechanical Spirit tried to rescue them earlier, it couldn't sever them immediately and had to give up.

Fortunately, all three were strong beings above seven stars, with robust vitality; they wouldn't die immediately, so there was no need for excessive worry.

Su Yu looked at the enemy creature again, seeing it in a rather miserable state.

Its fleshy body had been smashed into pieces in the epic collision earlier.

The remaining part was charred, with many of its numerous eyes closed, likely blinded.

Not to mention, all the fleshy tentacles connecting to the millions were severed.

"Su Yu!"

The monster roared thunderously.

"Tsk tsk, this thing looks fierce, but its physical body seems weak."

Su Yu muttered to himself.

He noticed that although the creature was large and seemed to be physical, it suffered greatly in the collision.

He had chosen to directly collide, and it turned out to be the right decision.

The data flickering from the Mechanical Spirit also analyzed this.

"Master, was this your plan? Did you calculate its weakness beforehand and choose to collide with it deliberately?"

"Not only did you attack its weakness, but you also rescued those millions of humans. Truly amazing!"

The Mechanical Spirit rarely expressed admiration.

It had been pondering the intention behind Su Yu's direct collision order.

Now, it thought it had figured it out.

Su Yu's strategy was flawless; initiating the collision was indeed the optimal solution!

Not only did it severely damage the demon, but it also successfully rescued millions of humans.

The Mechanical Spirit felt that its computational power, though strong, couldn't compare to Su Yu's strategic mind. No wonder he was its master!

The victory of that previous collision made the Mechanical Spirit admire Su Yu greatly.

It resolved secretly to learn from Su Yu.

In future battles, it would strive to maximize its computational power and achieve flawless tactics! In the instant of facing the enemy, find the optimal solution immediately!

As a Data Life entity, its greatest strength was computational power, so after battles, it would immediately start summarizing and analyzing experiences, allowing it to grow stronger.

However, its current analysis was noticeably different from the truth...

"Hehe..."

Su Yu smiled slightly, seemingly acknowledging the Mechanical Spirit's words.

In truth, he was shaking his head internally.

The decision to collide was not a flawless strategy.

He simply refused to be threatened.

With hundreds of thousands of hostages in the enemy's hands, any hesitation would lead to being controlled by the enemy.

Knowing the enemy's treachery, once threatened, the consequences would be unthinkable.

Thus, Su Yu simply ignored everything and launched a strong attack!

As for the outcome of the collision and whether the millions could be saved, Su Yu had no confidence.

If there had been significant casualties, it would just be unfortunate for them.

In any case, Su Yu would not allow himself to be threatened by worrying about these people.

That would result in saving no one and endangering himself.

Fortunately, the result was good; millions were saved.

"If I had been weak and compromised under threat, the outcome might have been disastrous for both me and the millions."

"My firm attack led to a happy ending instead."

"It seems that in the future, upon encountering an enemy, one should not listen to their nonsense and threats; just fight..."

Su Yu also pondered on the battle experience internally.

Su Yu's takeaways and those of the Mechanical Spirit were worlds apart.

It seems the Mechanical Spirit still has a long way to go to understand Su Yu's mind...

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The conversation between Su Yu and the Mechanical Spirit occurred within their consciousness, lasting less than a second.

During this second, neither the Mechanical City nor the Demon of Vengeance launched an attack; they were both "catching their breath."

A second later, the damaged shield outside the Mechanical City suddenly lit up, indicating it had been restored.

On the Demon of Vengeance's side, the shattered flesh also writhed and returned to its original form, but the newly grown flesh looked a bit pale, probably not as robust as before.

"Su Yu, did you really think you saved those people?"

"I have already absorbed their important memories. Even if you save them, they will soon become walking corpses..."

Just recovering, the Demon of Vengeance roared angrily at Su Yu.

It seemed it still refused to give up.

However, Su Yu had already learned from his combat experience and didn't listen to its nonsense; he instantly gave the Mechanical Spirit a command.

This command was very concise, consisting of only two words: Fire!

The Mechanical Spirit revered and trusted Su Yu immensely.

Thinking its master, unparalleled in wisdom, had devised another plan, it unhesitatingly aimed the Mechanical City's heavy cannons at the Demon of Vengeance.

Boom!

Moments later, the heavy cannons on the rooftops throughout the Mechanical City opened fire with a thunderous roar!

Heavy Plasma Cannons, Heavy Fusion Laser Cannons, Heavy Pulse Shattering Cannons!

These were heavy weapons mounted on the Assault Tanks, and this volley had the power of a seven-star attack.

Moreover, the caliber of the heavy cannons within the Mechanical City was enlarged tenfold, with hundreds and thousands in number.

This volley was even more terrifying than the previous clash; it was the true power of war machinery unleashed!

A true nine-star strike!

In an instant, an explosion even more intense than before erupted in mid-air.

A massive fireball entirely engulfed the Mechanical City and the Demon of Vengeance.

The fireball had a radius of over a hundred kilometers, truly like a small sun descended upon the world.

And the Mechanical City and the Demon of Vengeance were completely in the "Sun Core."

The instantaneous temperature here was even over a hundred million degrees!

And it was not just the physical temperature; the most terrifying part was the overwhelming Spiritual Energy impact that could destroy everything.

Both the Demon of Vengeance and the Mechanical City were being destroyed by this terrifying power!

That's right, even the Mechanical City could not avoid it.

After all, the power of this strike was too great, and at such a close range, even the Mechanical City could not escape.

In just a thousandth of a second, the Mechanical City shrank by half under the terrifying power.

Another thousandth of a second, and the Mechanical City shrank to only a third of its original size.

This was because the parts of the Mechanical City that materialized were annihilated by the explosion's power.

Fortunately, at this time, the peak power of the explosion had already passed.

The Mechanical City immediately activated its power, releasing layers upon layers of shields.

These shields were almost instantly annihilated again, but they bought the Mechanical City a bit of time.

Finally, after a second, when the Mechanical City had only 17% remaining, the explosion's power finally subsided to a level it could withstand.

Su Yu and the Mechanical Spirit both breathed a sigh of relief, knowing they had survived this ordeal.

Looking back at the Demon of Vengeance, where was it now? That creature had already completely vanished in the explosion.

It didn't have the defense of the Mechanical City, and within a thousandth of a second of the explosion, it was entirely vaporized.

In mid-air, only a half-transparent shadow remained, writhing as it tried to recover, but obviously, it was impossible; it no longer even had substance.

"Su Yu... don't get complacent, I will return..."

The shadow of the Demon of Vengeance struggled to utter a threat before dissipating in the air.

"Heh, and that's it."

Su Yu smiled slightly. Had that earth-shattering strike just now directly killed the Demon of Vengeance?

But it's no wonder, that strike just now almost destroyed the Mechanical City itself, let alone the Demon of Vengeance, which took it head-on with its flesh?

This encounter with the Demon of Vengeance took less than a minute, resulting in a major victory for Su Yu.

However, it seemed that the Demon of Vengeance was not completely dead; its abilities were strange, and it wouldn't die that easily.

Su Yu quickly discovered that although the Demon of Vengeance had disappeared, it had left some peculiar things behind.

There were millions of these things; they were neither energy nor matter, seemingly just data, but they had a breath of life.

Su Yu immediately determined that these things were "memories."

They were the lost memories of those millions of people, as well as those of Xiao Shengyin and the others.

It seemed that the Demon of Vengeance had extracted these memories and stored them in its body; now that its body had been destroyed and vaporized, these memories were exposed.

Su Yu hastily used their abilities with the Mechanical Spirit to retrieve these memories back into the Mechanical City.

After a brief inspection, as expected, these were the "memories" extracted from the humans and Xiao Shengyin and the others.

The Demon of Vengeance, using some unknown method, had extracted these memories, and they hadn't turned into mere data.

They seemed to possess a soul and life, able to exist for a long time without needing a container or energy.

These memories were not just from the brain.

They also included body memories and subconscious memories.

Even memories related to the manipulation of Spiritual Energy were included.

"No wonder the Demon of Vengeance said those people would become walking corpses after he extracted their memories."

"This wasn't just memory extraction; it was the extraction of life essence."

Su Yu nodded slightly, looking at these memories.

Fortunately, he made the right choice just now by directly obliterating the Demon of Vengeance and reclaiming these memories.

Otherwise, the millions of people rescued would have been useless.

Xiao Shengyin and the others, being Seven-star Transcendents, lost their memories and forgot how to use Spiritual Energy.

What about ordinary people? They might even forget how to breathe.

Su Yu reclaimed these memories, truly saving those people.

"The Demon of Vengeance was probably digesting these memories earlier, unable to fight back, which is why I dealt with it so easily."

"Had I been a bit later, who knows what the outcome would have been."

"These are Xiao Shengyin and company's Spiritual Energy memories... wait! Xiao Shengyin and the others!"

After pondering for a moment, Su Yu suddenly remembered those three and quickly looked over.

Only to see that the original ground had turned into a huge crater-like basin, with the ground within it melted by the high temperature, flowing with hot lava.

Su Yu scanned with his spiritual power and sensed that the three of Xiao Shengyin were submerged at the bottom of the lava, almost burned down to their bones.

"Such a miserable state!"

Su Yu was slightly surprised, hurriedly commanding the Mechanical Spirit to extend mechanical arms and retrieve the three.

"They're still alive!"

Upon being retrieved, the three looked pitch black, truly like charred coal.

But their chests were still faintly rising and falling.

This was proof they were still alive.

Seven-star Transcendents indeed had a strong life force.

Even though they had already lost the memories of controlling Spiritual Energy, they managed to survive the shock wave of that earth-shattering attack.

Although Su Yu's Power of Dominator protecting them played a part, their own vitality was also crucial.

"Master, your strategy was correct again! You saved the three of them too!"

The Mechanical Spirit said.

Looking at what were now charred three people, Su Yu felt a bit guilty. Had he really saved them?

"This must be their calamity, can't blame me."

Su Yu comforted himself inwardly.

It's not his fault; it was bad luck for those three.

After all, they were destined to have a calamity, predestined to be unlucky. Keeping their lives wasn't bad.

But given how miserably they ended up, who knows if they'd recover completely.

Would it require using Mechanical Blessing again?

But would the three of them be willing to believe in Su Yu? Moreover, they had lost consciousness, how would they believe in Su Yu? These were all issues.

As Su Yu was pondering how to save these three, his expression suddenly changed, and he looked up at the sky.

In the sky, the eternally lingering radiation clouds were blown apart by that terrifying explosion, revealing the blue sky above.

And in the blue sky, a few light spots were flickering.

Su Yu's scalp tingled, instantly realizing what those light spots were!

They were artificial mechanisms in planetary orbit, created by Zhang Chenfeng!

Just having battled the Demon of Vengeance, the commotion was too great, and it had attracted Zhang Chenfeng's creations again!

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In the earlier explosion, the rising fireball and mushroom cloud soared into the sky.

At this moment, these fireballs and mushroom clouds have gradually dissipated.

This is the characteristic of the Spiritual Explosion: quickly detonating, quickly dissipating, clean and efficient without pollution.

When the fireball and mushroom clouds dissipated, the exposed sky was a long-missed blue, spotless, like a sapphire.

The radiation clouds, which had lingered for thousands of years, were blasted open with a huge hole, revealing the blue sky.

However, around the blue sky, there were still gray radiation clouds.

Su Yu looked up, as if looking at the sky from the bottom of a gloomy well.

Even though the long-awaited blue sky was seen, it felt even more oppressive.

This oppression was not just a psychological sensation.

Because in the blue sky, those points of 'starlight' represented absolute destruction, they were Zhang Chenfeng's creations!

"As expected, as soon as this battle ended, these things were summoned!"

Su Yu's expression was grave, graver than when facing the enemies before.

He finally had to face Zhang Chenfeng's creations left behind!

"It seems that Xiao Shengyin and the others truly have a great calamity."

Su Yu thought to himself.

Previously, he guessed that the calamity Xiao Shengyin and the others had to face was either the enemies or Zhang Chenfeng's creations.

The result was that none of his guesses was right.

The reality was, the enemies and Zhang Chenfeng's creations came in turns.

First, deal with the enemies, and then immediately confront Zhang Chenfeng's creations.

Unexpectedly, they took turns, an immortal struggle.

It seemed that these three owed the Subspace 'debt' way too much.

So, the 'collectors' sent by the Subspace were exceptionally brutal.

In the current state of Xiao Shengyin and the other three, facing Zhang Chenfeng's creations would mean certain death unless a miracle occurred.

"Or maybe this is also the calamity for me, Xie Yitian, and Tie Long?"

"If that's truly the case, it seems the debt of the Brutal Core is recorded on my head too?"

Su Yu's mind flickered, thinking of another possibility.

If this lineup is not only because of Xiao Shengyin and the others but because of Su Yu himself, then it makes sense.

Even though Su Yu had only been a seven-star Transcendent for a month or two, he had absorbed a large amount of Subspace Energy, much more than others had in hundreds or thousands of years.

Although he mainly utilized the Brutal Core to efficiently absorb Ghost Energy.

But who knew whose head this debt was recorded on? If it was counted on Su Yu's head, then for the calamity to arrive early was also normal.

If that's the case, today's crisis would be hard to get through!

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Su Yu's comprehensive thinking only took him less than a hundredth of a second.

At the moment the light points appeared in the sky, he had already considered everything from every angle.

And at this moment, looking up at the sky, rapidly thinking was not just him; Xie Yitian and Tie Long were also doing the same.

Xie Yitian stayed beside Su Yu all the time, and Tie Long also arrived when the battle started.

At this moment, they naturally also noticed the light points in the sky.

"Is this the blue sky? Indeed, it's much more beautiful and real than the one in the virtual world..."

"Mr. Su Yu, have we been targeted by Zhang Chenfeng's creations?!"

"What do we do? Do we run?"

They didn't think as much as Su Yu did; seeing the blue sky and those light points, they were only briefly dazzled because this was the first time they saw such a beautiful sky in their hundred years of life.

But immediately they realized the immense danger hidden within this beauty.

The earlier battle between the Mechanical City and the enemies was already shocking enough.

And those things in the sky were likely stronger than the Mechanical City, and not just one of them.

So they immediately thought of running.

Zhang Chenfeng's creations; and there were several of them. Not running would mean certain death, wouldn't it?

However, Su Yu remained unpanic-stricken and did not flee.

When he saw the enemies, he had already anticipated this moment.

The size of the enemies was evidently extremely strong; regardless of whether Su Yu or it won the battle, it would inevitably create a huge commotion, attracting Zhang Chenfeng's creations' attention; that was bound to happen!

Having foreseen this matter, Su Yu naturally had his own arrangements.

"Mechanical Spirit! Descend and restore the entire Mechanical City."

"And..."

Su Yu relayed data, issuing orders to the Mechanical Spirit.

"Yes! Master!"

The Mechanical Spirit seemed a bit nervous at this time; after receiving the order, it immediately went into execution.

The entire Mechanical City descended rapidly, directly down into the lava pit on the ground.

The Mechanical City was already very damaged due to the prior explosion.

Landing in this lava pit, the entire city immediately caught fire.

With no one moving in the entire city, it looked like a city that had already been destroyed after a battle.

And the residents of the city, along with the half-dead Xiao Shengyin and their group, were already gathered and protected by the Mechanical Spirit.

The Mechanical Spirit used multiple layers of shields, combined with the material part of the Mechanical City, to build a large Sanctuary, putting everyone inside, then sank to the bottom of the lava.

Even though there were millions of people, when gathered together, they didn't occupy much space.

After all, one person would only take up about one or two cubic meters of space at most; if packed like sardines, a building's space could hold a million people.

Although this environment was certainly not comfortable, now facing a life-and-death crisis, who would care about comfort? Surviving was the priority.

After handling all this, Su Yu breathed a sigh of relief.

"I wonder if we can fool them?"

Su Yu looked up at the sky, thinking to himself.

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His plan was to disguise the Mechanical City to look as if it had already been destroyed.

Not just disguise, in fact, the current Mechanical City really was destroyed.

A third of the entire city was gone, completely in ruins.

However, being the "Unyielding City of Machines," once it was destroyed, it was particularly easy to restore.

Especially since most of its structure was nihilistic data, restoration was just a matter of a thought from the Mechanical Spirit.

Now, Su Yu did not allow it to recover but kept it in this state of destruction.

The purpose was to deceive the "eyes" in the sky.

Su Yu also used his invisibility ability to hide the entire Sanctuary below.

To prevent Zhang Chenfeng's creations in the sky from discovering that while the city was evidently destroyed, millions were still living, which would be a joke.

After doing the disguise, Su Yu looked up at the sky, quietly waiting.

What needed to be done had already been done.

Now it was up to see how effective it was.

Sure enough, the light spots in the sky flickered for several minutes, but no attacks descended.

It seemed that Su Yu's disguise had succeeded.

The creations of Zhang Chenfeng in the sky, after observing for a while, determined that the Mechanical City had been destroyed and decided there was no need to attack further.

From this far away, those creations probably couldn't see through Su Yu's disguise.

"Mr. Su Yu, is this enough?"

Xie Yitian and Tie Long were also looking up at the sky.

Seeing that no attacks descended for a long time, they both breathed a sigh of relief.

Could it be that this hurdle was passed?

But, was it really that simple?

The light spots in the sky, although not attacking, did not stop flickering.

At the same time, Su Yu, Xie Yitian, and Tie Long felt the pressure in their hearts growing increasingly stronger.

Su Yu chuckled and shook his head, "There's no way it's over."

"Although the city is destroyed, we're still standing here, aren't we."

"The things in the sky have already noticed the three of us."

Su Yu looked at the sky and murmured.

At this moment, the few light spots in the blue sky were not only flickering but also seemed to be getting bigger!

"The city's residents can hide, but we Seven-star Transcendents, with our massive energy, are not easy to conceal."

"Besides, I don't want to hide."

"Gentlemen, would you be interested in joining me in experiencing the power of Zhang Chenfeng's creations?"

"Otherwise, unwillingly, I'll stay here to cover for your escape."

Su Yu spoke softly, looking at the ever-enlarging light spots in the sky.

In fact, if he activated the invisibility function of the Brutal Battle Armor, both he and those beside him, Tie Long and Xie Yitian, could be hidden away.

But he didn't do so.

Because he had a crazy idea to confront Zhang Chenfeng's creations directly and see what power these things had to blockade an entire planet for millennia!

"What? Mr. Su Yu, you want to experience the power of Zhang Chenfeng's creations?"

Upon hearing Su Yu's words, Xie Yitian and Tie Long were astonished.

Previously, all they thought about was running away.

Unexpectedly, Su Yu was thinking of facing the battle head-on!

"As expected of Mr. Su Yu!"

Tie Long couldn't help but sigh; after all, as a Galaxy Warrior, a passion for battle was written into his genetic instincts.

Previously, the instinct to survive suppressed the instinct to fight.

But now, after hearing Su Yu's words, he felt a bit ashamed and no longer suppressed his battle spirit.

His face immediately showed a fervent battle spirit, energy surging from his entire body, almost ready to explode.

"Haha, today is a good chance to broaden my horizons!"

After releasing his battle spirit, Tie Long laughed heartily.

Evidently, he was not going to leave.

He had already become a devoted disciple of Su Yu, with utmost loyalty.

Since Su Yu decided to stay, how could he abandon Su Yu?

As for Xie Yitian, he hesitated for a moment; among the three, he was the weakest, only a Seven-star, and not the kind specializing in frontal combat.

But after a moment, he firmly nodded: "Then I can only experience it myself!"

His face did not show the same battle spirit as Tie Long's.

Instead, it was full of terror, worry, curiosity, and anticipation.

Despite his fear of Zhang Chenfeng's creations, his curiosity was overwhelming, as he'd long wanted to study them.

But in the past, there was no opportunity for contact, as those who did mostly perished.

This time presented a perfect opportunity, and he wasn't about to miss it.

Most importantly, having just joined the Mechanical City faction, how could he face future situations if he ran away now in danger?

"Anyway, Mr. Su Yu's abilities are unfathomable; he surely has a trump card..."

Xie Yitian consoled himself internally.

He believed that since Su Yu chose to confront Zhang Chenfeng's creations, he must have the confidence; following Su Yu's lead must be safe.

His confidence in Su Yu was greater than even Su Yu's own faith in himself.

Seeing the two making their choices, Su Yu smiled slightly, continued looking skyward, and said softly.

"In that case, let's wait."

Thus, the three stood atop the ruins of a building in the Mechanical City, quietly watching the sky.

A minute later, the flickering light spots in the sky suddenly stopped simultaneously.

Su Yu, Xie Yitian, and Tie Long immediately felt the pressure surge.

"Here it comes!"

The words flashed through their minds simultaneously.

Boom!

In the next moment, endless light descended from the sky!

The light was incomparably intense, even larger in scale than the still-intact structure of the Mechanical City.

It carried scorching power, enveloping Su Yu, Xie Yitian, Tie Long, and the remnants of the Mechanical City.

As expected, Zhang Chenfeng's creations were ruthless; even with the Mechanical City in ruins, they didn't relent, attacking Su Yu and the others and delivering an added blow to the city.

"Hold on!"

Su Yu shouted softly, unleashing his power to resist the pillar of light's bombardment.

Xie Yitian and Tie Long, beside him, naturally powered up to defend.

At this moment, their only option was to be on the defensive; after all, the enemy was far in the sky, beyond their attack range -- what else could they do but defend?

"Such terrifying power..."

Xie Yitian and Tie Long instantly realized something was wrong after resisting for just a moment.

Was that beam truly just light?

It was concentrated spiritual energy barreling down in violent form.

They had never seen such an extravagant attack method.

Typically, spiritual energy manipulates physical matter in reality, causing various physical effects for attack and defense.

But now, Zhang Chenfeng's creations used pure spiritual energy directly as a weapon for bombardment.

This pure spiritual energy was an extremely valuable resource for ordinary Seven-star Transcendents.

This beam was like throwing mountains of gold and silver, and yet it could genuinely be deadly! Even Seven-star Transcendents couldn't withstand such a brutal spiritual energy assault!

Realizing this, both Xie Yitian and Tie Long were immensely shocked but also deeply frustrated.

If they were struck down like this, it would indeed be the most exasperating way to die!

Tie Long unleashed the Galaxy Battle Armor entirety, adorned majestically in it: "Such a simple attack method, how could it possibly lay me low!"

He roared, allowing his battle armor to bathe in the light beam, motionless, and within a short time, the Galaxy Battle Armor showed many damages from the strike.

However, the armor simultaneously was rapidly restoring itself, as Tie Long was absorbing the pure spiritual energy to replenish himself.

Xie Yitian's body was directly shattered.

But he didn't die; he transformed into illusory data, which continued to be shattered, yet he absorbed the beam striking him, converting it into Data Spirit Power to restore himself.

Under this terrifying light beam, both Tie Long and Xie Yitian were in a state of "dying and reviving."

Injured on one hand, absorbing the energy from the attack to restore themselves on the other.

One careless mistake and they would truly die!

This terrifying light beam, after a full minute, finally dissipated.

Tie Long and Xie Yitian both relaxed entirely: "Did we make it through?"

They felt a sense of relief and survival joy.

Beside them, Su Yu calmly stated: "It's far from over; that beam just now wasn't even considered an attack."

"It was merely delivering energy to us to help us recover slightly."

"The real battle is coming next!"

Chapter 500: Trial, the Terrifying Giant God Soldier Mecha!

Upon hearing Su Yu's words, Xie Yitian and Tie Long were simultaneously stunned.

That astonishing beam of light just now wasn't even considered an attack, just a "small gift" for their meeting, to replenish their energy?

Instinctively, they couldn't believe it.

The beam nearly blasted them to death, and it still counted as a gift?

However, upon further reflection, if Zhang Chenfeng's creation really intended to kill them, there certainly were more efficient methods of attack.

Gathering pure spiritual energy into a light beam for an attack indeed seemed somewhat wasteful.

Could it really be a gift?

It's just that the gift was too "heavy", almost crushing them to death.

Yet, would Zhang Chenfeng's creations be so kind-hearted? Clearly, they were supposed to destroy them, and yet they gave a "gift" before the battle.

The gift turned out to be precious pure spiritual energy, did they have more energy than they knew what to do with?

Moreover, the way of giving the gift was overly violent; if a weaker seven-star were to face the light beam, they'd likely have been blasted to death.

Is this what you call gifting?

Is this the overbearing nature of Zhang Chenfeng's creation, feeding them a "feast" before sending them on their way?

Had all the seven-star Transcendents who died under Zhang Chenfeng's creations experienced the same treatment?

Doesn't seem like anyone heard of it.

Just as the two looked at Su Yu with suspicion, trying to find an explanation.

The anomaly happened again.

The previous beam of light was too massive, containing a huge amount of spiritual energy.

Only a portion of it was absorbed by the three of them, while the remaining dispersed around them.

At this moment, those pure spiritual energies underwent two dramatic changes.

They first became illusory, transforming into data form!

Then the data transformed again, turning into substance.

In a short time, these energies transformed from elusive energy into stable, durable reality.

This is spiritual energy datafication and data materialization, two abilities.

This is the signature ability of Mechanical Spirits!

Obviously, Zhang Chenfeng's creation also possessed powerful data abilities, certainly much stronger than Mechanical Spirits.

They, far away in orbit, across hundreds of kilometers, effortlessly used this power to transform a great amount of intangible spiritual energy into physical substances.

These materialized data quickly formed into three giant entities, quietly suspended in mid-air.

These three entities were three humanoid mechas.

Each one measured a hundred meters high, with a streamlined design, appearing akin to imposing and majestic giants cast in iron.

They bore no long-range weapons, seemingly designed solely for melee combat.

Once they took shape, a hum of mechanical operation resounded from within them.

Moments later, the three machines shuddered simultaneously, coming to life.

Their red eyes glowed with danger, swiveling their heads to lock onto Su Yu and the others.

Each one gazed at a different target.

Among the mechas, there were size differences. The smallest, barely a hundred meters tall, focused on Xie Yitian, bearing no weapons.

The middle one, slightly taller than a hundred meters, wielded a massive chain blade and focused on Tie Long.

The final one, exceptionally giant, reached a height of two hundred meters, wielding both chain and light blades.

Its eyes locked onto Su Yu.

Upon being targeted by the two hundred-meter giant mecha, Su Yu felt his heart tighten.

As an eight-star Transcendent and a dual-divine-position Evil God, his instincts constantly warned:
Danger! Extreme danger!

You could die! A careless move means death!

Clearly, the giant mecha was extraordinarily powerful, posing a life-threatening danger even to Su Yu!

Faced with such danger, Su Yu smiled and, with admiration, said to the three mechas:

"This is... the Giant God Soldier Mecha!"

"Zhang Chenfeng's ace battle group from back then, I finally get to witness it firsthand. Even if they're just data manifestations..."

"These three are different from those I saw in images earlier, must be different models..."

Indeed, these three mechas were the Giant God Soldier Mechas from millennia ago! Absent for a thousand years, they finally reappeared.

Zhang Chenfeng's creation didn't directly attack but instead used data materialization to form Giant God Soldier Mechas as a "welcome" to the three.

"Let's each take one, once we defeat them, we'll be fine!"

Seeming suddenly aware of many things, Su Yu turned to Tie Long and Xie Yitian and said.

Meanwhile, Xie Yitian and Tie Long were sweating bullets under the gaze of the other two mechas, clearly under immense pressure.

Upon hearing Su Yu's words, they were shocked and quickly asked:

"Mr. Su Yu, what did you say? These are the Giant God Soldier Mechas?"

"Mr. Su Yu, what do you know? What's going on?"

The two of them were now utterly puzzled.

They initially thought that once Zhang Chenfeng's creation targeted them, it would follow with a cataclysmic orbital bombardment, not stopping until they were destroyed.

Surprisingly, they first received a "gift", getting dazed by pure spiritual energy.

Then came these three menacing giant mechas, as if to use them to kill the three of them at close range.

Was this all necessary?

Logically, Zhang Chenfeng's creation, positioned high above out of the atmosphere, held the advantage.

Having already locked onto them, wouldn't a long-range bombardment be much more convenient?

Why go through the trouble of producing these three mechas?