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Chapter 761: Discussing the Past (2)

Even if he wanted to, he would need other people's help to do it.

Samuel knew some people with light element in that world, but they have passed away.

The great magic beast tide... basically killed everyone whom he knew and buried the entire world along with it.

"I can," Riya said with a grin. "If I were to disguise myself, can you find me, Samuel~?"

Hearing her playful lightened tone at the end of her sentence, Samuel arched his eyebrows and smiled faintly. "I can sense you through your mana signature and your aura. It wouldn't be so easy to hide your breath completely in front of a magic warrior, Little Riya."

Riya was stunned and then her cheek reddened slightly. "How do you know that nickname?"

Only Amelia would use that nickname from time to time in private. She felt a bit embarrassed to be called little when she was already an adult, but Amelia insisted.

So she could only agree with the other party.

The premise was to call it in private.

"I heard it from Amelia," Samuel admitted frankly. "When she calls you, she often calls you out with that name while hopping around the house."

Riya: "..."

She could totally imagine Amelia did that.

But really...

Riya rubbed her cheek with some embarrassment. "Don't use that nickname in public."

"Then in private?" As he spoke, Samuel had leaned closer to Riya's ear, his breath felt hot on her skin.

This posture made Riya's body stiff and her brain shutting down. She has been single for so many years and didn't have any experience in such a thing. Even though Samuel did tease her a bit when they were traveling together in the crack in the past, he would still keep his distance and never truly did anything too much.

After all, the two of them were actually wary of each other in the beginning.

Both of them were returnees and have seen too much in that world. A completely different world where resources were placed at the most important place while human lives were treated as worthless things.

So many people died just because they have more resources.

It was far more lawless.

The threat of the magic beasts couldn't stop the fighting of these people who lived at the bottom in the slightest bit.

Only the great magic beast tide seemed to have woken them up from the dream of peace that they had. They thought that their biggest enemy was their competitors but they forgot that there were many magic beasts eyeing them.

In the end, none of them survived.

"You..."

Bang!

Hearing the sound, the two people quickly moved towards the window to check the situation outside. Riya's eyes narrowed when she saw the flying magic beasts outside.

"Corpse Eater Flying Magic Beast," Riya spat out.

After seeing so many magic beasts, she never thought that she would see these corpse eater flying magic beast. These corpse eater flying magic beast were known for the fact that they liked eating corpses, especially the decayed one.

In a way, they were quite similar to the corpse eating bird that existed in the Green Planet.

But those birds were usually found in desert, so not many people know about them.

"There had to be a pile of corpses nearby..." Samuel's expression was not very good. The corpse eater flying magic beast would only linger around in the areas where there were a lot of corpses.

While the existence of corpses were not exactly a bad thing as the corpse eater flying magic beast didn't only hunt human corpses but also magic beasts' corpses, but Samuel knew very well that so many corpses were also the sources of bacteria and plagues.

Why did the officials agreed right away when Riya asked for the magic beasts' corpses?

Because if they were left behind, they would also be burned down to prevent these magic beasts' corpses from polluting the Green Planet.

Even if their effort might not be able to match the death rate of these magic beasts outside, they had to try their best to maintain the environment in the Green Planet for the sake of the future generation's survival.

While the result was not very good so far, but at least they tried.

But with so many corpse eater flying magic beast out there, it was certain that there had to be a large number of corpses nearby.

As for whether it was a pile of human corpses or magic beasts' corpses, they had to figure it out by themselves.

"I'll clean it up," Riya said as she approached the door and then stopped.

"Riya?"

"How to open the hatch?"

"Pfft." Samuel chuckled and stepped forward. He grabbed the handle and opened it without hesitation while turning to look at the soldiers. "Keep the helicopter stable!"

"Yes!"

Whizz!

Series of wind whistling from outside could be sensed and the two people were stunned.

"These corpse eater flying magic beast had already reached rank 7." Riya was surprised and then frowned.

For these corpse eater flying magic beast to grow so quickly, how many corpses have they eaten?

This is not just one rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast but a bunch of rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast.

"Then I'll deal with them," Samuel had already taken out his sword as he spoke and lightning started to gather around his hand and transmitted into the sword. The air was crackling along with the lightning.
"Lightning Sword Slash!"

Boom!

The large slash directly headed towards these corpse eater flying magic beast but it only managed to kill three of them while the rest were either blocked with the wind shield or avoided.

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast were really strong.

Riya's expression changed and she raised her hand and runes formed in it before she slapped it on the side.

"Get down"

"Screech!"

The group of rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast screamed out loudly, starting off sonic attack along with wind elemental attack.

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Swoosh!

The strong wind nearly turned the helicopter upside down. Thanks to the runes that Riya used to stabilize the helicopter, it was not destroyed directly by the corpse eater flying magic beast.

But Riya's expression was not very good as she drew several more runes and slapped them one by one to the window.

Reinforcement, stabilizer, and various other simple runes.

The corpse eater flying magic beast were the master of the sky and upon reaching rank 7, they could use sonic attack and wind element, making it extremely hard to deal with them. The sonic attack was basically transmitting the mana through their voices, attacking their opponent through it.

This method was not easy to master for humans even though some people were really interested to learn it.

After all, sonic attack was hard to defend.

Both Riya and Samuel felt their ears ringing for a bit.

"Hold it back, 10 seconds."

"Got it." Samuel grinned and then took a safety rope and wrapped it around his waist. He actually wanted to use his sword to fly, but this movement consumed too much mana.

For a rank 7 magic warrior like him, flying is still a hard thing to do.

He had to wait until he reached the peak of rank 7 or to reach rank 8 before he could fly freely on the sky.

Otherwise, he could use some flying equipment.

Swish!

Standing on the edge of the helicopter, Samuel looked at the group of corpse eater flying magic beast in front of him coldly and yelled, "Die!"

Lightning converged once more, carefully avoiding the helicopter behind him, and started to form a net of torrent, attacking these corpse eater flying magic beast in fierce manner.

Swish! Boom!

"Screech!"

Various wind attacks were launched by the corpse eater flying magic beast, heading straight towards the helicopter, threatening to bring it down. Some wind blades hit the helicopter, forming a mark there but it could not penetrate through the helicopter.

At this moment, the helicopter's defense has been strengthened repeatedly through Riya's runes and formation.

Otherwise, it would have been destroyed by the rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's attack just now.

Samuel saw that these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast were already trying to attack again and waved his sword repeatedly, weaving lines of thunder all around the areas but didn't block the driver's route.

The soldier could feel his hand trembling when he saw the scenes in front of him, but he didn't dare to let go of his hand from the steer.

Because he was absolutely sure that if he dared to let it go, Samuel and Riya will not have time to save him!

Damn it!

How did a normal transport mission ended up with battle against rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts?

The soldier was already sweating like crazy.

Swish! Swish! Boom!

"Screech!"

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast were angry after being attacked by Samuel repeatedly. They rushed forward, wind billowing and countless invisible wind blades were rushing forward.

The mana fluctuation alone was more than enough to cause storm here.

Samuel saw these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's movement and his eyes narrowed.

"Riya, they're about to form tornadoes!"

A group of rank 7 flying magic beasts were capable of creating natural disasters. This was something that everyone knew.

Even other profession were able to create a large scale attack, like this lightning net that Samuel made. So the magic beasts were naturally also strengthened considerably when they reached rank 7.

Of them was the fact that they could use magic more proficiently and the fact that they could cooperate well with each other!

Just thinking about the bitter battle that awaited them, Samuel's expression was not very good.

If they were on the ground, he could do something to stop these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast, but they were in the air.

Brrt!

The sword buzzed and Samuel arched his eyebrows before the corner of his lips curled up slightly.

There were only a few seconds left and he could see that Riya was already forming Protective Rune Circle behind him. There was no time to waste and he jumped off the helicopter without hesitation.

"Mr. Samuel!" The soldier was horrified, but he could only control the helicopter and tried to make it remain stable.

Otherwise, he and Riya would die!

"Oh lord of the thunder, storm of natural disaster, fast and thunderous... Descent into the world, lighting storm field!"

BOOM!

Lightning strike down from the sky, hitting the rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast in front of Samuel as he pointed his sword forward.

The sky darkened and lightning descendent one after another, hitting these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast in a matter of seconds.

Everything happened so fast.

People from other areas nearby could see the sky darkened and they saw the rain of lightning in the distances.

In an instant, this matter was put on trending.

Many people watched this, wondering what happened or what kind of natural disaster happened here.

Boom!

Samuel saw that he was around one hundred meters away from the ground swiftly changed to wind element, slowing down his descent and stopping him to fall to his death.

His safety rope has long been cut off.

Brrt!

Samuel could sense the sword's excitement and he chuckled.

"Sorry, my mana is already running out from that move." Samuel looked at the corpses of rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast around him and smiled.

"The rest is hers."

"SCREEEECH!"

The remaining rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast were angry when they saw many of their companions fell down under Samuel's intense lightning storm barrage not long ago. Some of them rushed down, but Samuel swiftly used his sword to attack them.

Bang!

Seeing his normal attack was blocked, Samuel didn't look surprised.

If these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast were so easy to kill, they would not have caused so much trouble before.

Swish!

Samuel saw the helicopter sway and frowned.

Did he jump down too early?

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Boom!

Lightning converged once more and Samuel was prepared to attack those rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast.

If Riya is not ready yet, then he had to fight back and buy her more time.

The two of them have cooperated so many times and Samuel often bought Riya some time for her to use her move.

In a way, Samuel was more like a warrior when he was partnering with Riya.

Swish!

At this moment, Riya had jumped out of the helicopter and she was suspended in the air. Seeing this scene, Samuel arched his eyebrows and laughed lightly. "She'll definitely surprise other returnees when they saw this scene."

Most rank 7 wouldn't be able to fly right away because of various restrictions. Even though magician could learn flying magic spell and magic warrior could also learn some kind of spells related to flying, they usually needed time and accumulation of mana before they could use it.

But Riya did it.

Whether it was because she was the first one to advance to rank 7 or because she was naturally talented, many people will definitely envy Riya in the future.

"Miss Riya!" The soldier was stunned and shouted once again. He felt that he was about to have heart attack twice today just from the performance of Samuel and Riya.

These two people were important returnees in the eyes of the people in Continent Z.

Even the higher ups have high expectation from these two people, which was why they were given a lot of privilege and was allowed to use helicopter to complete their mission.

Their abilities had long far surpassed many other people.

It was only through their capabilities that many problem could be solved directly, which was why the higher up appreciated the two of them. Moreover, both Riya and Samuel were people who were still willing to obey the official's arrangement and didn't make trouble.

If every returnees were like them, they would not feel anything.

But after hearing what the other returnees did in Continent Y and Continent X, it could be said that the officials were grateful that their returnees were not like that.

They truly couldn't imagine what they would feel if their returnees were such white eyed wolves.

People were not afraid that they didn't live well but afraid of comparison.

With such comparison in other continents, the officials were already extremely grateful with Samuel and Riya.

So in a way, they also treasured these two people more.

Before the soldier came to pick Riya up and brought her to the border, he had been warned repeatedly that Riya's safety is the top priority. They could afford losing a lot of soldiers, but they couldn't afford losing Riya.

If Riya were to know what they were thinking, she will definitely scold them.

Because what they treasured is her runes instead of herself.

"Don't worry about me!" Riya yelled and looked at these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts in front of her with some excitement. The rank 7 magic beasts that she faced before have been weakened to a certain degree because of the person or whoever who made the World Fusion and Mana Integration Formation.

But these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were different.

They should have advanced to rank 7 after a period of time on the Green Planet, thus giving them a lot of strength, allowing them to advance to rank 7.

They were much stronger than those rank 7 magic beasts.

"Get away as far as possible."

Riya saw these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were coming and swiftly raised her hand, drawing runes as she jumped to the back, controlling the operation of the Protective Rune Circle around her.

Yes, her Protective Rune Circle was capable of bringing her flying around and it was also controllable.

After advancing to rank 7, one of the most prominent features of all professions, except warriors, were the fact that they could fly. The warriors had to advance to rank 8 first before their auras were enough to support them flying but they could already glide from a certain height depending on their strength.

For Riya, flying meant using flying runes.

The problem is, the flying runes consumed a lot of mana and drawing it with such limited mana was also a problem. She had to wait until she reached rank 7 before she could incorporate it into her Protective Rune Circle.

After that, where she wanted to go, she only needed to arrange the direction.

'Unfortunately, I only have two hands.'

Sometimes, Riya felt a bit of pity that she only has two hands.

When she was controlling the Protective Rune Circles to fly around, she had to use her left hand to maneuver it while her right hand was drawing other runes.

This required extreme dual handling.

Otherwise, she wouldn't be able to use her runes perfectly.

Swish! Swish!

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast started to attack Riya from a distance, trying their best to maintain their distance and didn't come any closer.

"Clever," Riya muttered, but she didn't relax and continued to draw runes after runes.

Bang! Bang! Bang!

"Screech!"

The battle in the air was fierce and fast.

Samuel could see Riya was fighting at rapid speed against these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast as they fell to the ground one by one as corpses. Either their heart would be punctured by some kind of magic arrows or their neck was cut off.

It seemed that Riya was using the earth and metal elements the most.

Brrt!

The sword vibrated, seemingly asking Samuel to participate in the battle. It hadn't had enough drinking these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's blood and wanted more!

Samuel tapped his sword. "This is Riya's battle, we're not allowed to participate."

Brrt!

The sword is protesting.

There were more than enough rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast for them to join in!

Swish! Bang!

More explosion happened and Samuel saw that these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast suddenly changed their direction. His expression changed.

"Riya!"

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Even before Samuel warned her, Riya had already seen these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's plan.

She gritted her teeth and swiftly infused more mana into her Protective Rune Circle.

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were really smart.

Swish! Bang!

Layer of earth element blocked these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts, making them crash midair. The next moment, the large wall tilted and fell in their direction.

"Screech!"

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were half crushed and some of them escaped in time. Some others were trapped and couldn't fight it back as the wall promptly crushed them down to the ground.

Riya's expression was cold as she stood in front of these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts and the moment they got close to her Protective Rune Circle, they were counterattacked with various runes and formation that she had arranged.

Lightning, fire, metal elements, and various other attacks shredded several rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts that didn't manage to escape.

The rest of the rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts moved away rapidly when they saw their companion's fate.

"Screech!"

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were angry.

But they didn't dare to get closer to Riya.

"I know you're smarter than those rank 7 magic beasts from before, but if you think that you can make me lose the battle with only this, then you're wrong." Riya sneered and took out a mana stone from her space and crushed it in her hand.

This basically replenished her mana that she had used when she was fighting against these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts.

Forming this special Protective Rune Circle at rank 7 consumed around one third of her mana. After all, if she wants to be able to fly, the amount of mana that she needed increased exponentially.

The good thing is that the Protective Rune Circle would still be able to operate on its own as it was absorbing mana from the outside.

But the time was limited.

When she was besieged by countless rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts, Riya knew that the Protective Rune Circle wouldn't last long either.

"Miss Riya!" The soldier in the helicopter felt fear and swiftly tried to stay far away from the battlefield. He saw that these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were trying to get close to him. Even though the helicopter has been modified after the world changed and has been strengthened by Riya, it was definitely not a match against this group of rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast.

The soldier couldn't understand why these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast were so smart. Even when he was accompanying Riya to fight against rank 7 magic beasts before, those magic beasts didn't seem to be so smart.

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts seemed to understand that Riya would not let them hurt the person in the helicopter.

'I have to go faster.'

The soldier didn't want to be Riya's burden.

The modified helicopter could go very quickly.

While it was still not a match against the rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's speed, but it was far faster than ordinary helicopter the past.

"Get out of here," Riya said coldly to these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts in front of her. She could see that there were still hundreds of rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts around.

Even though it was not impossible for her to kill all of these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts, but it was not worthwhile.

Riya estimated that there were more rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts in their nest.

They had to find it.

And if possible, destroy it.

When these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast become so strong that it was hard to deal with, they would have to face a grand magic beasts tide with rank 7 magic beasts as the main attacker.

With these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts attacking from the sky, how many bases would be able to handle it?

Riya didn't know.

But she could see that the situation was not very optimistic.

"Screech!"

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts swiftly attacked Riya once again and Riya sneered, drawing the runes with both hands.

Since she has to stand here to protect the helicopter behind her, then let the Protective Rune Circle deal with the damage this time. This was not very cost effective, but she wanted to deal with the rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts as soon as possible.

"Brilliant Frozen Strike."

Ice formed around Riya, spanning a kilometer's wide.

"Screech!"

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts felt the danger and some of them wanted to escape, but it was too late.

Swish! Swiss! Swish!

Just like Samuel's previous lightning storm field, the Brilliant Frozen Strike done at rank 7 was more than enough to wipe dozens of rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts in an instant.

Their bodies were pierced into a sieve and fell down one by one like a broken kite.

"Screech!"

More than 300 rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts came to attack but less than 50 were able to escape.

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts understood that the human in front of them was not an opponent they could face, so they turned around and flee back to where they came from.

Swish! Swish! Swish!

Riya looked at these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts in the distance and heaved a sigh of relief as she controlled the Protective Rune Circle to bring her down.

"Riya! Are you alright?" Samuel saw Riya's last move of exchanging injuries for injuries and panicked for a moment. Even though he knew that the Protective Rune Circle is strong, but what if?

If these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were too strong, they could still break Riya's Protective Rune Circle.

Chapter 765: Reprimand

"I'm fine," Riya quickly said before Samuel could lift her up.

Even if there were no one else here, she didn't want to be treated like a child in public, alright!

"The last move...."

"Don't worry, I have already estimated the strength of these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts' attack and they couldn't break through my defense. But the mana is almost running out," Riya replied as she poked at the Protective Rune Circle around her.

Since she used that large scale magic spell... or well, it was more appropriate to call it formation, her mana was almost completely used up.

Even using the mana stone didn't help her much.

'Rune master is a profession that consumed a lot of money and mana...'

Thinking about it, Riya felt a bit depressed.

She really had to work so hard just to advance in her profession and nothing seemed to be able to change it.

"That's good, but please don't try to take risk like that again in the future." Samuel gritted his teeth as he looked at Riya with some annoyance.

Stretching his hand, he rubbed Riya's head and messed up her hair.

The battle didn't do much damage to Riya's long hair as it was still relatively neat, but Samuel's action basically destroyed it completely.

"Samuel! Don't mess around with my hair!"

"Then you should pay more attention when you fight next time."

"Uh, next time! Next time!"

"You're saying that without any plan to do it!"

The two of them bickered around and the soldier had already controlled the helicopter to turn around when he saw that these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were flying away.

Seeing Samuel and Riya were still very energetic, the soldier heaved a sigh of relief.

It was just...

He didn't really want to eat this dog food.

The sound of the helicopter getting closer stopped Samuel and Riya from messing around.

"I want to recover my mana and let the officials trace back those rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts." Riya stretched her hand. "Let's deal with their nest."

"I think letting these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts alive is not a bad thing. They will consume the corpses on the ground basically act as cleaner," Samuel said his opinion.

Even in that world, they would not eliminate all rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts. The main reason is because these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts usually liked corpses more than living magic

beasts. Only when their population reached a certain point would they start hunting for living magic beasts.

Just like now.

There were so many rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts gathering around and these magic beasts had the confidence to attack some relatively weaker magic beasts to be their food.

"I know that they're useful, but it's better for their number to remain small. These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts reproduced so quickly," Riya replied with gloom in her tone.

Just thinking about what these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts could do, Riya felt really annoyed.

She didn't want so many rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts to appear and made trouble.

"I'll let the higher ups check them out," Samuel said and took out his phone. It seemed that he had to let his father worked overnight to figure out these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts movement.

"Ok." Riya smiled happily.

In this world, her connection was definitely not as good as Samuel, so she better let him be the one to call and figure out some things. Besides, communication was not exactly her forte and it would be better to let Samuel be the one to handle it.

Sending a message to his father, Samuel nodded at Riya. "They have already arranged for the satellite to follow these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts' movement."

With Samuel's request, Mr. Jones directly asked the military and the higher ups for this matter. They directly agreed and let the satellite worked directly to monitor the rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts movement.

To be honest, the appearance of these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts still surprised the higher ups a bit.

But considering how long the first earthquake had happened, it didn't seem to be that surprising that there were rank 7 magic beasts roaming around on the Green Planet...

Not a surprise my *ss.

After hearing this report, the higher ups immediately arranged for a meeting overnight, trying to scan all the magic beasts on the entire Continent Z. They wanted to find out if there were other rank 7 magic beasts that they have missed out, thus failing to detect.

If there were any, they had to make remedy as soon as possible so that they would not have any troubles in the future.

As for Continent Y's request for help?

Sorry, they were busy.

The potential of more rank 7 magic beasts' tide appearing in the near future was more than enough for them to panic.

Just these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were enough to make them more alert and all.

But Riya and Samuel didn't know about these things at all.

They wanted to take these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's corpses first and deal with it.

"Unfortunately these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's meat couldn't be eaten." Riya sighed.

"...They might have eaten humans, so it's better not to eat it." Samuel reminded.

Riya nodded.

Thinking about it, these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were one of the few magic beasts that had no qualms about what they ate. Any kind of creatures could be eaten as long as they started off as a corpses.

Well, it was also because of this that these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts were hard to eliminate and also left alone to a certain degree in that world.

Chapter 766: Collect

"But their blood is the best for making some specific formation and also to make refined weapons," Riya said with a grin.

This was one of the reasons why she wanted to hunt down these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts. There were two professions that could use their blood, the rune master and the weapon refiner.

"Then we'll collect a lot," Samuel said without hesitation.

They had already gathered these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's corpses that they killed.

Thankfully, Samuel didn't use fire element when dealing with these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast or there might not even be any corpses left.

So Riya took these rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beast's corpses back to her world and let her jade dolls drained their blood as soon as possible. Since she has already made these jade dolls to help her work, why should she work on her own?

She should recover her mana as soon as possible.

"Um."

Samuel saw that Riya had fallen into meditation and also stopped talking. He had used up a lot of mana in that battle, so it would be a good idea to meditate and recover his mana too.

It was just...

He felt that they were simply asking for more work when they were already given a lot of job to do.

These rank 7 corpse eater flying magic beasts really came at the wrong time.

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Continent Y, Soul Magician Ami's side

Ami the Soul Magician meditated for a long time in the place where there were many magic beasts died. Magic beasts from all kind of ranks died in this place, turning it into a burial place.

Not only magic beasts, there were also many humans who died.

After a magician and magic warrior's death, the mana in their bodies would slowly dissipate and the environment where they died would be filled with cold mana that was very suitable for a soul magician.

So a soul magician usually liked places with a lot of death.

And not only after humans' death, even after magic beasts' died, their mana would also dissipate and it was the type that Soul Magician liked. Ami has been waiting for this for a long time and prefers the mana that dissipated after human's death compared to magic beasts.

After all, humans' mana were gentler.

In the past year, there were many magic beasts that came out of the crack and had faced humans. However, there hasn't been a large scale death after the first earthquake. The second earthquake brought out the rank 7 magic beasts, which were too strong for most of them.

Because of this, many bases were destroyed.

Ami has been moving from one place to another, gathering the cold yet 'delicious' mana greedily. With so many bases destroyed in Continent Y, this was simply the best breeding ground for a soul magician like her.

It was very comfortable.

"Mhm... finally reaching rank 7."

Seeing the large number of magic beasts' corpses in the distance, Ami sighed. After advancing to rank 7, it wouldn't be so easy for her to absorb the cold mana anymore because she needed much more than before.

This little bit was far from enough.

These magic beasts were too low in ranks and most humans couldn't even reach rank 3 and was still hovering at the bottom. The mana that dissipated after their death was so little that Ami was depressed.

She purposely waited in the soul form.

Because Soul Magician's physical form was extremely weak and could easily die. So she simply designed her own death and made a drama that those people liked.

As long as no one come chasing after her, she's good.

Naturally, Ami would not let other returnees used her body, so she hid it far away, ready to be used again once her soul form's transformation was over and it was time for her to return. The other returnees all have different profession.

Who knew if any of them were also a pervert who would take advantage of other people's corpses?

She refused to let her corpses be used.

"Hmm, Continent Y is still quite powerful." Ami looked at the distance where nuclear weapon has been issued and the corner of her lips curled up slightly.

Soul magicians were a special type of magicians who will not follow the conventional path of magician nor warrior. They were still called magician because they needed to meditate like normal magician but most of the time, these soul magician would like to collect the dead people's 'soul.'

Of course, the saying of the soul was nonsense.

As a soul magician, Ami has the most say about this.

What she liked was the mana that dissipated after other magicians died because it was the most delicious and pure, very suitable for her practice and growth.

With the mana gathered from them, Ami was able to advance to rank 7.

But this is not enough.

"I have to train now that I have reached rank 7." Ami sighed.

Since she was basically hibernating during this period of time and was busy strengthening her own soul, Ami knew very well that the rapid improvement brought by the death of so many people at this time made her strength skyrocketed.

But at the same time, she lacked control and means to protect herself.

'Time to hide again.'

Ami stretched her hand and then smiled faintly.

The main reason why Soul Magician was called as such was because their means of attack and defense were completely focused on their soul.

Thus, many people had no defense when facing a soul magician.

Any physical defenses are useless against her and only a true powerful soul would be able to resist.

As for soul treasures?

With the Green Planet's condition, how could it be possible for them to produce even a single one?

Ami swiftly moved to her hiding place.

There were still a lot of death people but most of them were ordinary people, which were worthless for her.

Chapter 767: It's not the Time to Meet

The real powerful ones have long been killed and their dissipated mana was absorbed into Ami's body.

Well, there might be other powerful magicians and magic warriors, but Ami has no time to care for them. She only roamed around the areas where the three cracks were located and took advantage of the situation.

As for helping?

What a joke.

She has been 'dead' for such a long time and stayed in hibernation in order to prevent herself from being too tired after working a lot. Collection the cold mana was not easy because she had to go on the scene right after a person's death.

And if the person who died was only at rank 1...

Ami felt that she would be wasting her time.

Her body was still ethereal and people couldn't see her figure clearly. Even after advancing to rank 7, this matter didn't seem to change in the slightest bit and it was hard for other people to see her.

Of course, other rank 7 magicians, magic warriors, and even warriors could sense her.

The mana fluctuation was too obvious.

Her body was basically consisted of mana and it was only through some secret methods that she managed to preserve her soul.

"There's no way any returnee could be so selfless," Ami muttered under her breath as she looked at the destroyed bases all around her.

Devastation was basically everywhere and Ami had gotten used to it. After the first earthquake, she was only able to live better because of the agreement with the higher ups.

But every single day, she would have to fight against countless magic beasts.

These magic beasts didn't care whether they were strong or weak, delicious or not as they only cared whether they could eat them.

It was truly annoying.

There were so many magic beasts that Ami felt like vomiting whenever she thought about it.

If it was not because she had to keep her image, she would have long severed the relationship with the officials from the very beginning.

But she didn't want to let go of the comfortable life.

Until the magic beasts' tide came over, reminding her of the painful past in that world where the magic beasts came rushing over to her.

A Soul Magician should be able to survive.

But she was wrong.

When these magic beasts reached rank 7 or above, they could sense the soul that was floating. Some magic beasts such as the Ghost Transformed Beast could even attack one's soul directly, thus killing her.

In that world, she didn't manage to stay in the state of soul for long before she was completely killed.

It was really miserable.

So in this world, Ami decided to leave and hide first, collecting the cold mana bit by bit in secret and become stronger before any rank 7 magic beasts could appear.

As long as she could reach rank 7 and managed to rebuild her body...

She will be unmatched.

"The message said that the advanced passage could be opened, but who would want to leave this place and explore such a dangerous world." Ami's eyes flashed with a hint of coldness.

When she received the message after advancing to rank 7, she knew very well that it would be impossible for her to stay in this world for a long time.

Because of that damn passage.

Whoever made the World Fusion and Mana Integration Formation had already anticipated that these returnees might not be willing to fight. But if they didn't want to fight, they might not even have the chance to live.

The coming of those magic beasts were basically certain.

The message was not long, but it was enough to let Ami know that the Green Planet will be destroyed in the future.

And the returnees were basically the few people who were selected in order to help the Green Planet.

Heh... helping?

Ami sneered and swiftly disappeared, ready to train.

She will not come out until it was time for those people or magic beasts to come onto the Green Planet.

It's better to care for her own life and death than to care about other people.

Swish!

Ami couldn't be found on the surface of the Green Planet anymore.

Even though the officials were trying to find her through following the large pattern that formed in the sky after her advancement to rank 7, they were still incapable of chasing after her.

The technology that had been upgraded was still unable to fully detect mana's movement. Even if they wanted to try following Ami and figure out her location, they couldn't do it.

She was just like a ghost.

Appearing and disappearing in an instant.

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Within a certain place

It was dark.

There was only faint light in this dim cave with countless runes extending to the walls and a person was sitting at the center of the formation.

He had long silver hair and has been closing his eyes in meditation.

Even after several people had already advanced to rank 7, he still didn't change his posture and remained motionless.

Their movements couldn't disturb him.

The messages that entered various returnees' mind naturally came from here.

And the moment Ami reached rank 7, the man opened his eyes and looked at the distance.

"Six..."

It was already half of the 12 people whom he sent to that world in order to gain experience. Each and every single one of these people were the people who could walk the longest on their respective extreme paths...

But their personality was really worrying.

And with him disturbing their original fates, they were basically rewriting their own path and life.

But...

"It's still not the time to meet. Temper yourself... for the next trial would not be easy." The figure closed his eyes once more and tranquility descended on this place.

Even though the outside world was still filled with chaos because of the magic beasts, none of those could affect him.

Chapter 768: Continent Y's Affairs (2)

Continent Y

With Nalan and Navi abandoning the bases, no one could protect these bases from the attack of the magic beasts' tide anymore.

Countless magic beasts poured out and even though these returnees were trying to stay as far away from the crack as possible, countless magic beasts still came out of the crack. They drowned up various bases and destroyed many people's homes.

Curses could be found in various internet forums.

Many people were blaming Nalan and Navi because of their incompetence and their inability to deal with these magic beasts, causing so many people's death.

It seemed as if everything was their responsibility.

As Navi was resting, she looked at the internet and there was a mocking expressions on her face. Right now, she was guarding her cousin, Nalan, who was resting and meditating. They had to keep running away because these magic beasts seemed to have put a locator on them.

No matter where they ran to, countless magic beasts would swarm over and followed them without hesitation.

This made Navi so depressed that she wanted to curse.

Her mana amount was still lacking and their professions were basically closer to a defender and an attacker. There were no support and the foolish soul magician had already died a long time ago.

Oh wrong, she sensed the mana and seeing the pattern that appeared in the sky, Navi's expressions turned for the worse.

"Nalan! So many people had already advanced to rank 7. If we don't hurry up, we will be left behind far away by these people!" Navi really felt the urgency when she saw that so many people had already advanced to rank 7.

If they didn't hurry up, it seemed that they would be lagging far behind from others.

"I know." Nalan opened his eyes and looked at the distance.

At this moment, he understood why Ami didn't want to serve the officials in Continent Y and instead faked her own death.

Because it was really useless.

No matter how much they worked for the officials, they couldn't really give them the benefits that they truly wanted. Because these officials were weak and their ability to gather resources were far weaker than them.

But a little meat is still meat.

They could only endure while gathering their own resources through killing so many magic beasts in the past year.

It was so tiring that Navi had long wanted to go on a strike.

But she didn't dare.

The officials still held so much power in Continent Y and if they wanted to develop in this continent, they could only pinch their nose and endured the treatment given to them.

This magic beasts' tide could be said to be the perfect chance for them.

Since the officials were too busy to take care of them, the two of them could easily escape from their supervision and avoided doing the work that the officials arranged for them.

And if they still needed the officials later...

They could quibble and try to make sure that the officials would be willing to trust them again.

With their abilities, they were confident that the officials couldn't afford to truly abandon them.

So they were unscrupulous in their action.

It was just...

Their action of abandoning their post had already caused many bases to be lost and many people dying because of them. There were so many people who died because they didn't dare to fight the magic beasts and chose to abandon them.

For both Navi and Nalan, they had already done their best.

It was impossible for them to stay on the base walls and fought against those magic beasts to their death.

They were not so selfless.

If they were so generous and kind, they would have died several times over when they were in the other world.

"Tsk, Ami is doing much better than us. If I know about this, I would have long faked my own death too," Navi grumbled when she looked at the pattern in the sky.

She was envious.

Ami didn't have to deal with those annoying officials and even though she has been hiding away, she could easily reach rank 7.

The two of them had been working like a dog for the officials, yet they were still unable to reach rank 7.

"I'll reach rank 7 soon enough," Nalan said with a frown.

"Is this place not good enough?" Navi asked back. They were looking for a place that suited Nalan to let him advance to rank 7, but even until now, Nalan was still dissatisfied with the location and refused to advance to rank 7.

Navi couldn't do anything about it.

After all, it would indeed take some time for Nalan to advance to rank 7 and if his location was not safe enough, it would be dangerous for both of them.

Navi might not be able to protect Nalan completely on her own.

"You're really picky," Navi grumbled again and stood up. "There are not many safe places around here and these magic beasts will never give up until they can reach us. I don't have any means to create formation or anything like that to protect you."

They have already heard the famous rune master from Continent Z.

Even though Continent Z did a good job in protecting the person's identity, her deeds still spread far and wide.

After all, various products in Continent Z had long become the source of envy for other continents. They also wanted to use those things, but Continent Z often refused on the basis that it was not enough for their own internal use.

And rune master is simply the best support.

The formation that she created could easily protect her when she advanced to rank 7.

It was also because of this that Riya managed to advance to rank 7 and thus became the first person in the entire Green Planet to advance to rank 7.

She was basically the target of envy for many people all over the world.

Chapter 769: Nalan and Navi

Unfortunately, the rune master was very low key and refused to show her face in public. Even when she did, the picture would be blurry and all they could see was the figure wrapped in magic robe with long hair.

The two of them were sure that if this rune master dared to show off in public, there would be many people who would go and try to poach her.

After all, the rune master was a very powerful support.

At least, that was what most people thought.

"...I don't dare to ask for her help." Nalan shook his head. They were not close to other returnees and had no intention of trying to ask for help. Because every returnees had already experienced that cruel magic world where strength reigns.

If they didn't want to die, they would have to follow through the rules and used various means to survive.

Most of them were not easy to deal with.

No stupid person would be selected to go to that magic world and then sent back to the Green Planet and faced the fierce attack from the magic beasts.

For them to be able to survive for years meant they have some capabilities.

And Nalan was not going to put his life and death in the hand of someone whom he didn't know.

"I don't dare either... Where do you want to go now? The officials will definitely not be willing to help us," Navi asked while playing with some magic cores. She has gathered quite a lot of magic cores from killing the magic beasts that chased after them.

While the rank of these magic cores were not very high, she could still use them after some processing.

This was one of the advantage of having a lot of elements.

She could use various processes that many other people would find troublesome and dealt with. One of them was the process of purification of these magic cores.

But it would still consume a lot of her mana, so Navi was usually lazy to do it.

If it was not because meditating every day would only give her slow progress, she would not be willing to purify these magic cores.

"Do you still want to go back and curry favor with those officials?" Nalan asked back, his voice was cold.

He didn't want to go back and associate himself with those officials anymore.

Even though they painted off a good pie for him and Navi, the two of them knew that it was simply impossible for the officials to fulfill their words.

Those were nothing more than lies.

The lies that could never be realized.

They have had enough with those people.

"No."

Looking at the forum where many people were cursing them, Navi pursed her lips and sneered. "With so many righteous people trying to kidnap us morally, why should I bother trying to help them? They should try their best to save their lives instead."

In the past year, how many magic beasts have Nalan and Navi killed together and eliminated?

The number was large and the officials helped them to process these magic beasts.

They did take some magic cores and some of these magic beasts' corpses as reward, but Nalan and Navi also knew that they had to pay to get something done, so they didn't have much to say.

Anyway, it was still beneficial to them in the end.

But these people seemed to take it for granted that all returnees have to protect them.

What a joke.

"I don't work hard just to be used by these people as their shield when things are going badly." Navi put away her phone, not wanting to see more of those curses and so on. "I've never been a soldier and I don't have the obligation to help these people."

The funny thing is, none of the returnees were soldiers.

Even though some of them did affiliate themselves with the officials or some other righteous organization, most of them were ordinary people who had no connection with these things before.

Nalan and Navi were not exception.

One of them was the young miss of a powerful business family while the other one was her cousin whose living condition was more ordinary. The two of them originally didn't have much interaction with each other before they went to that world and experienced many things together.

After all, being close with familiar person made it easier for them to work together.

Even though they couldn't say that they liked this nominal cousin, the two of them still managed to get along well.

As long as they could get resources, they were willing to cooperate.

Moreover, the paths they took were completely different and there was no chance of clashing against each other. This made their cooperation even more smooth as there was no clash of resources.

What Nalan and Navi needed were different from each other.

"Good. And here I thought that you suddenly want to be a good person," Nalan said in joking tone.

Seeing the pile of corpses in the distance, the two of them didn't even change their expression and continued to move away.

There were many magic beasts chasing after them and they had only managed to recover a bit of their mana and strength. If these magic beasts were so persistent and caught them, then they would have to fight for a long time before they could release themselves.

It would not be so easy.

And neither one of them were willing to fight.

It would only be a waste of time.

"No way." Navi scrunched her face. "When did you see me being so kind? If it's not because I have to take care of my image, I would have never even participated in those charity events."

For Navi, those things were a waste of time.

But her family back then wanted her to participate in various matters, which made her have to swallow her curses and went honestly.

Chapter 770: Nalan and Navi (2)

After the world changed, Navi and Nalan still took care of their families to a certain degree.

But they refused to be controlled by them.

Four years in that world had already changed them to be completely different. They no longer needed family affection as much as they used to be when they hadn't had such long experience.

Yes, life is difficult.

But it was also much more comfortable.

Without anyone restraining them and forcing them to behave in a way that was beneficial for the family, the two of them experienced freedom. They could do whatever they wanted and carved their own future, far away from their hypocritical family members.

For both Nalan and Navi, their experience over the years was actually pretty good.

In that world, the two of them were still cousins and they worked together in the magic families to get more resources and become the geniuses that many people envied. One walked in the path of magic warrior and the other walked in the path of elemental magicians.

After they reached rank 7, the two of them almost never met each other.

Who would have thought that they would have to face grand magic beasts' tide that basically destroyed the entire world?

Thankfully, they didn't die but ended up being sent to this world.

"This place is pretty good. Can you hold on for an hour?" Nalan asked after he found a relatively suitable place for him to advance to rank 7.

"Sure." Navi didn't care and waved her hand.

"Good."

With that, Nalan prepared enough barrier in the building while Navi waited outside. The two of them knew that they would never get too close to the other party during the advancement period because it would be dangerous.

They didn't trust the other party that much.

Even though the two of them were cousins, they would still keep a certain distance from each other.

Especially when it concerned the matter that would affect their entire future.

"It's really troublesome." Navi leaned against the door and then took out a few magic cores to start purifying them.

The mana contained within these magic cores couldn't be absorbed directly by humans because of the violent nature. If they tried to absorb it forcefully, what awaited them would be their own deaths.

Navi was processing them bit by bit to make sure that the mana contained inside could be absorbed.

This process took time.

And since she was only waiting for Nalan to finish advancing to rank 7, she had more than enough time.

"It's really boring."

After the two of them came back, they didn't know each other were still alive at the beginning. After all, they lived quite far away and their family's connection was actually quite far from each other.

Navi talked with her family and was almost angered to death by them.

These people didn't trust her and only thought that she was making trouble in the beginning when Navi said that she wanted to collect training materials.

She was so angry.

But at the same time, Navi had better understanding of her status in the family. As long as she's still useful, her family would be willing to pamper her and listen to her nonsense. But when she had no value for the family, they would throw her away without hesitation.

What a hypocritical family.

Navi didn't even know how she managed to survive for such a long time in this kind of family.

Especially after experiencing the large degree of freedom in the other world, Navi felt even more annoyed when she looked at her family members and wished that she could deal with them.

She hated them.

Thankfully, she could still stay further away with some excuses and when the world truly changed, Navi sneered when she saw her family members coming to her. They were so righteous when they rebuked her because they felt that she was only making troubles and only came to her because of the benefits that she could offer them.

But so what?

Since the world had just started to change and many places were destroyed in the earthquake, Navi decided to send her family members to collect resources and handed them over to the officials.

As long as they behave well, Navi was sure that the officials would be happy to take care of them.

Because they were seen as the 'leash' that could control Navi.

But Navi herself only felt that it was such a joke.

No matter how much her family pampered her in the past, it was nothing more than based on the premise that she was useful to them. Once she had no value whatsoever, they would never even pay attention to her.

And in the previous magic beasts' tide, the officials basically used these people to give her order.

Navi saw these people begged for her to follow the officials' arrangement and all.

Seeing their expression, Navi only wanted to say...

F*** off!

But in the end, she didn't.

The officials promised her that the magic beasts that she killed could be given to her, so Navi held back and worked patiently.

She obtained a large amount of magic beasts' meat and magic cores.

But she was also tired.

Bang!

Navi narrowed her eyes and looked outside. There were a lot of rank 7 magic beasts rushing over along with other magic beasts of other ranks.

"Damn it!"

The mana fluctuation from Nalan's advancement made these rank 7 magic beasts even more agitated.

They seemed to know that if Nalan managed to reach rank 7, they would die.

"Fire and wind blockage!"

Navi didn't hesitate and swiftly used her magic, creating barrier of fire around the building.

Roar

Seeing that these rank 7 magic beasts were unscathed, Navi's eyes flashed with ruthlessness and used the combination of fire and wind element to create large scale fire around the areas.

roar

Many magic beasts died instantly, turning into ashes, leaving nothing but magic cores on the ground.

Bang!

Seeing the door was broken into, Navi's expression changed. "Nalan, you better be here soon!"