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His physique was towering, a full four to five meters, looking down with furious roars, a bloody wind rushing toward the face.

The Titan Civilization hadn't exploited their own planet for many years.

Their situation was most perilous; the planet had long been at the brink of destruction. However much they took from their mother planet in the past, now they have to give back the same amount. Even then, they might not receive their planet's forgiveness.

By now, the most frequent role they take up is as mercenaries, hired by every civilization, participating in battles across the cosmos to obtain resources and feedback to their mother planet.

But even so, it's all just drinking poison to quench thirst; the decay of the planet has never for a moment stopped.

The destruction of the planet will happen at the latest within a hundred years.

And Blue Star, is now their only hope for survival.

Hearing Xu Lingjun gasp heavily here naturally made him extraordinarily furious.

"What a joke, you're planning to harm my Blue Star, yet you still wish for me to share Blue Star's greatest secret with you? Are you dreaming?"

Xu Lingjun sneered coldly: "I've said before, we Blue Star would rather break than bend. If friends come, we have fine wine; if enemies come, we have knives and guns. It just depends on whether you choose to be my friend or my enemy. I will establish a Mutual Aid Association, and I will be the first president. Every civilization that joins will have the duty to assist each other, but it's not unconditional help. If I help you, you should, in response, give some gratitude to the proactive helper; isn't that reasonable?"

Crowley chuckled coldly twice, his breath carrying a hint of frost, clearly simmering with rage.

He coldly said, "Is this the reason you said before that you weren't here to make peace? To obtain Blue Star's secret, one needs to become Blue Star's clan?"

"Not a clan. Every member of the Mutual Aid Association is equal, the so-called president merely has some obligation for a grand overview, that's all. No one is above anyone else, nor is anyone nobler! However, correspondingly..."

Xu Lingjun suddenly smiled slightly, saying, "But not just anyone can serve in the Mutual Aid Association, such as those civilizations who take pleasure in plundering, those who revel in slaughter, or, those that once treated Blue Star disrespectfully... even if they kneel to plead, I will not agree to their joining the Mutual Aid Association. Instead, I will settle accounts with them, for the crime of harming Blue Star's creatures!"

The word "crime" was spoken heavily.

His gaze fell on Xuan Yuan.

And it was just a glance from Xu Lingjun.

A sudden sense of terror surged in Xuan Yuan's heart, and an instinctive fear made his body spontaneously turn transparent.

He cried out in terror, "Xu Lingjun, you... what are you planning to do..."

As he spoke, his figure vanished from everyone's sight.

Avoiding everyone's gaze, he fled towards the distance.

And at this time, Xu Lingjun had already charged aggressively in his direction...

This action made Xuan Yuan all the more terrified. How dare he attempt to kill him in front of so many Masters of Civilization?

This lunatic, is he not afraid of provoking these civilizations?

"Xu Lingjun, you are presumptuous!"

"Dare you..."

"Stop him!"

All the Masters of Civilization were furiously outraged, especially Crowley who angrily shouted, "Dean, Sam, block him!"

One must know that for this assembly of all the civilizations, he was the initiator, and the Seyin Clan was one of those civilizations... if the Chief of the Seyin Clan were killed in front of them all, his face would be utterly disrespected.

Two blood lights, like lines of blood descending from the Nine Netherworld, wrapped straight towards Xu Lingjun.

The one who struck, wasn't it none other than the Master of Xueyan, Sass?

Quill stood directly in front, towering above like a looming mountain, his fist, much larger than an elephant's head, smashed down fiercely.

Behind, a black mist spread...

Above, even more, golden light spread. The Master of Saiyan Civilization, Becki, weaved golden strands in his palm, layer upon layer to attempt to encircle Xu Lingjun.

The many Masters of Civilization attacked simultaneously, creating a deadlock in every path of retreat or advance for Xu Lingjun.

Trying to escape?

No escape, no evasion...

The strength of these Masters of Civilization was the elite of their own civilizations, and their modes of attack were diverse.

Some had technology, some were mystical, some used Martial Tao, while others had Fighting Qi developed to the ultimate extent!

Crowley remained unmoved, and he didn't need to move. If he dared to make a move, he must have some reliance... he naturally wanted to see what exactly his reliance was.

Then, he couldn't help but be dumbfounded.

Amazed, watching Xu Lingjun raise his hand, a blinding white light sprang forth, dissolving Becki's golden light trap entirely into nothingness.

As for the attacks from others...

Xu Lingjun treated them with complete disregard.

With a muffled boom, the Blood Qi contained an eerie curse, winding around Xu Lingjun's body, this was the strongest ability of the Xueyan clan, which could directly penetrate the target with Blood Eye Power, then forcibly seize control.

Even, they could turn them into their slaves.

But this strike hit its mark squarely.

Sass suddenly screamed miserably...

A pair of crimson blood eyes already bleeding profusely, it appeared terribly tragic.

Xu Lingjun, now at the Divine Soul Realm, had his Spiritual Sense and body perfectly integrated into one, becoming seamless—trying to control his mind was a challenge to his Spiritual Sense and physical body... this was practically courting death!

Quill's gigantic fist, like thunder, smashed down aggressively.

Hit upon Xu Lingjun's body...

A dull sound like a beaten drum, Xu Lingjun merely staggered slightly, and his expression remained unchanged.

A black mist quickly dodged.

Although the white light wasn't directed at him, the Master of Hei Ming Civilization, King Ming, felt like he was teetering at the edge of hell.

The many Masters of Civilization blocked simultaneously, even if due to Xu Lingjun's entanglement relating to Blue Star's greatest secret, they didn't show true prowess... but they didn't hold back either.

Yet even with their joint forces, they couldn't make Xu Lingjun pause for even a moment.

He leaped into the void.

Reached out and grabbed something invisible...

In his hand.

Xuan Yuan's form slowly materialized, at this moment, he was shockingly being strangled at the neck by Xu Lingjun.

He struggled desperately, with fingertips suddenly extending several sharp spikes, stabbing straight towards Xu Lingjun's chest...

Like piercing gold and iron.

The spikes were forcibly broken, and continued a series of kicks, all hitting Xu Lingjun's body.

But Xu Lingjun showed absolute indifference.

Merely exhaled lightly, turned his head and glanced at Quill. Previously everyone tried to stop him, entrapping him, which he neutralized.

But for Quill's brute-force attacks, he directly ignored them.

As a result, that punch left him feeling somewhat stifled... indeed, these cosmic civilization beings were not easily dealt with.

Though with a gentle exhale, he was completely restored, even with significant progress in his Spiritual Power inside, Quill's punch equivalently stood for a month's hard cultivation.

"Not bad."

He praised slightly, turned to look at Xuan Yuan struggling desperately, yet unable to overwhelm Xu Lingjun's iron grip, coldly said, "Years ago, the Silicon Civilization invaded Blue Star, you were among them. Over the years, killing countless of my Blue Star Warriors. Xuan Yuan, do you acknowledge this account?"

"Let... let me go..."

Xuan Yuan's face was flushed red, his figure flickered between visibility and invisibility, fiercely attacking Xu Lingjun... yet his attacks upon Xu Lingjun's body were pitifully weak as if just tickling him.

"Let him go."

Crowley's gaze towards Xu Lingjun was already full of astonishment.

In front of many Masters of Civilization, he directly subdued Xuan Yuan... This chief of the Seyin Clan's civilization, in front of Xu Lingjun, was as vulnerable as a child.

"I just said, I invite you all to join my Mutual Aid Association, but not everyone can join. The civilizations that once waged war on Blue Star, harmed Blue Star Warriors, behaved improperly towards Blue Star, I don't want any of them."

Xu Lingjun spoke decisively, his gaze swept across the Masters of Civilization, finally landing on Quill, saying, "I don't care what reasons there are, as long as they have struck... Chi Yu clan perished, Silicon based clan perished, Flame Race perished, Iron Wing clan regards me as their master, retaining a slim chance of survival. And now, the Seyin Clan will also perish!"

Saying that.

With a slight force of his fingers,

Just now, Xuan Yuan, who was still struggling like a dying fish, his legs suddenly hung limply.

He had already had his neck broken by Xu Lingjun!

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Xuan Yuan is dead.

In front of everyone, his neck was directly twisted and broken.

Everyone tried their best to rescue him, but unfortunately...

Xu Lingjun, however, bore all the pressure, bearing the strength that no one present could resist, and forcibly killed Xuan Yuan.

The master of a civilization, in front of Xu Lingjun, was as fragile as a tender child.

"My eyes... damn it, what did you do to me..."

In the distance.

Sass clutched his eyes in pain, two lines of blood tears continuously dripping down his cheeks.

His scream was the only sound in this inner hall.

It was very strange...

Before Xu Lingjun acted, everyone's attitude towards him was extremely cold, even wanting to take him down at the slightest disagreement, wanting to deal with him fiercely.

But now, when Xu Lingjun defied the will of the world and directly killed Xuan Yuan in front of everyone.

Everyone's eyes on him, instead, had a bit more solemnity...

Fear?

Not quite.

But...

Everyone fell into a dead silence.

"And you, Titan Clan."

After killing Xuan Yuan, Xu Lingjun's gaze turned to Quill and said, "Back then, the Chi Yu mysterious clan often hired your Titan Clan elites to deal with our Blue Star. I don't care whether you were just doing it for money or if there was a personal grudge, as long as your clansmen have stained their hands with the blood of our Blue Star people, then you can forget about joining the Mutual Aid Association I established today!"

Quill's face turned ashen.

The words he wanted to say were directly cut off by Xu Lingjun.

Although he hadn't yet decided to join this so-called Mutual Aid Association, the other party outright denied him...

Still made him feel a burst of anger.

But recalling that punch just now.

The Titan Clan relies on physical prowess, so he was probably the one who held back the least among anyone before, yet that punch was directly blocked by the other party with his body.

And acted as if nothing had happened?

His physical quality, clearly already surpasses the Titan Clan...

When did humans become so powerful?

And the other masters of civilization, one by one, had solemn expressions on their faces.

Staring intently at Xu Lingjun...

As if they were considering something.

"Truly remarkable, it's unexpected that human individual strength has evolved to this level? This is no longer just Martial Tao, is it?"

Jiuxin was, beside Crowley, the only one present who didn't make a move.

Precisely because of this...

She saw much clearer than the others present.

She praised, "You should have transcended Martial Tao, right?"

Xu Lingjun replied indifferently, "This is Immortal Tao."

"In that case, I am quite interested in that Mutual Aid Association."

Jiuxin said, "I wonder if my Primordial Spirit Clan is qualified to join this Mutual Aid Association... but let me be clear, our Primordial Spirit Clan never bows beneath others, so even if we join this so-called Mutual Aid Association, if you wish to command us, we may not necessarily heed your orders!"

"No one wants to command anyone."

Xu Lingjun said calmly, "The cosmos is dangerous, with civilizations as numerous as grains of sand in the Ganges. I formed this Mutual Aid Association primarily to let surrounding civilizations unite to tackle the crisis that might come at any time... The original intention of the Mutual Aid Association is simple: when Blue Star encounters danger, you may choose to help me. That way, if one day you encounter danger, I will help you as well... Having more friends is always better than having more enemies, right?"

"Is that all?"

"And another thing, the civilizations that join the Mutual Aid Association are not allowed to attack each other; this is the most important point, and if anyone breaches this treaty, they shall be collectively attacked."

Xu Lingjun said, "The constraint between civilizations is extremely low, but considering that every civilization will face difficulties in the future... So, for a few friends to lend a hand when you are in trouble, I think everyone should not hesitate to maintain this relationship, right?"

"Sounds pretty good, well I'm in trouble now!"

Jiuxin said earnestly, "Our Elemental Spirit Civilization, although not yet on the brink of destruction, has developed for so many years and has already reached its peak, our Spiritual Qi is depleting, resources are becoming scarce... I want to know, Blue Star also faced this crisis before, but now Blue Star has gotten through it."

"This is also the reason for my visit this time."

Xu Lingjun smiled and said, "As long as you are willing to join the Mutual Aid Association, then I can let you witness firsthand how to save your planet... Of course, this is not free of charge. You mentioned earlier that the Mutual Aid Association has no hierarchy, you do not submit to anyone, so our relationship is equal, naturally there is no such thing as gifts or rewards, this will require you to pay a price!"

Jiuxin asked, "What price?"

"Technology, specialties, unique items, anything, as long as it satisfies us."

Xu Lingjun smiled and said, "Not a lot is needed, but there must be some... this is your opportunity to prove your sincerity."

"Alright, so am I considered joined now?"

"Specifically, a detailed charter is needed, with the purpose of the Mutual Aid Association negotiated, but this requires participation from every member of the Mutual Aid Association, after all, I mentioned earlier, all members of the Mutual Aid Association are equal, and the rules should also be set by all."

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"In that case, I would like to join as well."

Becki from the Saiyan Civilization, who had always worn a defiant expression, now had a serious look in his eyes as he regarded Xu Lingjun.

He said, "The Saiyan Civilization admires the strong. You managed to kill Xuan Yuan under my obstruction; your strength is not beneath mine. This is good, it qualifies you to be my friend. If you are willing to share the secret of Blue Star, I wouldn't mind gaining another friend and offering some gifts and compensation."

"Becki."

Crowley called out softly.

The alliance he had previously formed was disrupted by Xu Lingjun before it even began, disintegrating and clearly headed towards collapse.

"Don't fall for it!"

Quill shouted angrily, "Blue Star has guarded this secret for many years, there's no reason they would suddenly share it with everyone. This is a trap..."

"This truly wrongs us."

Xu Lingjun shook his head and said, "We are not from this cosmos; we come from another parallel universe. Therefore, we aren't well-informed about the previous conditions of Blue Star. When the mysterious races of the heavens invaded, we merely thought they wanted to enslave humanity, hence our furious resistance... the threat of civilization's end? Sorry, we never knew about this. In fact, if we hadn't destroyed the Shilin Race back then, we probably still wouldn't know this secret."

"If that's the case, it makes sense. We have no deep hatred against Blue Star; we acted out of the necessity to continue our species. If Blue Star is willing to selflessly share this secret, then we aren't unwilling to pay a price to acquire it either!"

"Exactly, no one likes war, especially when their own civilization is in danger of a breakdown; fighting becomes even more unnecessary."

The speed with which many civilizations changed their stance surprised Xu Lingjun.

Initially, he thought he would need to use additional pressure, showcasing his strength, to subdue all these civilizations... From the moment he entered, he had already successfully probed everyone present with his spiritual sense.

Their strength was indeed formidable.

Should they all attack at once, Xu Lingjun might only be able to retreat unscathed. Victory would be extremely difficult...

But with the Space Time Gun, if he wanted to escape, no one could stop him.

Otherwise, he would have to reconsider whether to take this risk.

Yet now, it seemed there were hidden truths Xu Lingjun wasn't aware of, as these people agreed one after another, straightforwardly.

"When put that way, it makes sense. The Bingshuang Civilization loves peace, and we've never had any designs on Blue Star. This Mutual Aid Association seems like something our Bingshuang Civilization is also eligible to join."

Crowley said.

Quill was shocked to the point of near disintegration and exclaimed, "What? Your Majesty Crowley, this action is not principled."

At this moment, he felt an acute sense of abandonment.

It should be known...

Many civilizations present had indeed targeted Blue Star.

The Seyin Clan was one, and so was the Titan Clan, among others. But strictly speaking, many of those civilizations didn't even qualify to appear here.

In other words, among the many Level 2 civilizations present, the Titan Clan was isolated.

"Aren't you the unprincipled ones?"

Crowley seemed indifferent, saying, "I advised you a long time ago, King Quill, not to be overly fixated on war. War is bad and causes death; the vengeful spirits of the dead will eventually seek revenge. But you wouldn't listen."

"When did you ever say that to me?"

"Oh, that time you were drunk, you probably didn't hear it, but I did say it. I can testify to that myself."

Quill: "....."

Even Crowley, as one of the leaders, agreed to join the Mutual Aid Association.

Now, it seemed to open the floodgates.

"Our Hei Ming Civilization is also willing to join, but accordingly, in the previous discussion proposed by Xu Lingjun, we must have a place in establishing the rules!"

"Of course."

Xu Lingjun said, "I only wish to go further in the cosmos and have no interest in dominating or leading any civilization... What I seek are merely companions."

"In that case, my Yalin Civilization is also interested. When should we visit?"

"Three months later, you can enter my Blue Star to witness how I revive a dying land."

Xu Lingjun said, "Of course, to prevent you from mistakenly believing I have intentions of ambushing all of you, you can place your forces on the perimeter of the Star Ring. If I truly harbor ill will against you... with numerous clans' armies surrounding, even with our Three Great Iron Walls, we wouldn't withstand your assault."

"This idea is very reasonable; it indeed considers everyone."

Everyone nodded in agreement.

The Luofei Civilization and the injured Sass of the Xueyan Civilization also nodded.

Merely making a friend to gain the method to save their planet is certainly better than a bloody war with Blue Star, which might ultimately yield nothing...

Especially since the other side even thought out their retreat, allowing them to station their forces at the border; it's a gamble. If they truly had bad intentions...

It would be an absolute disaster for Blue Star.

Yet Xu Lingjun seemed completely unconcerned with this... This kind of unreserved trust, even Sass, who had just been wounded by Xu Lingjun, felt a warmth in his heart.

Little did they know, Xu Lingjun truly didn't care.

Dare to attack us?

Sure...

I merely withheld an important detail from you.

For example, beneath your feet, countless Night Demons are buried.

If you dare make a move... the Night Demons will storm into your bases directly, surrounding you completely, and the Magnetic Storm Coil will keep your warships grounded.

You'll become fodder for the Night Demons, reduced to one of their ranks.

Xu Lingjun truly bore no malicious intent, genuinely willing to share the secret. Anyway, it wouldn't harm Blue Star and would reap many additional technological benefits.

Otherwise, he could have used this ploy to capture all civilizations, boosting the Night Demon numbers on Blue Star several times over...

Xu Lingjun thought to himself, I'm truly too kind-hearted.

He sighed, "This is also why I do not allow civilizations that have attacked Blue Star to join, because I don't trust them... Since all civilizations are now part of the Mutual Aid Association, I believe the most important thing is to establish a statute here, one that we all must abide by."

As he spoke, Xu Lingjun's gaze settled on Quill.

Evidently...

This so-called Titan Civilization wasn't within the Mutual Aid Association.

In just over an hour.

From when Xu Lingjun entered the hall to now, even the initiator of this encirclement meeting, Crowley, had joined the enemy's ranks.

Suddenly, the Titan Civilization became the target of all.

Quill glared intently at Xu Lingjun. Despite the multitude of resentments in his heart, his voice had unconsciously softened a bit, or so he thought.

He said coldly, "Xu Lingjun, I advise you to think clearly. Although the Titan Civilization is on the verge of extinction, precisely because we are on the brink, we are more reckless with our actions..."

"So what? Wasn't the lesson from the Silicon Civilization enough?"

Xu Lingjun sneered, "Our reprisals are also without restraint... We will not forgive anyone who has harmed or coveted us. The only reason I don't kill you today is that today is not suitable for bloodshed."

Everyone instinctively glanced at the lifeless Xuan Yuan.

Xu Lingjun said, "But the injury inflicted on us by the Titan Race will not be easily overlooked."

"Very well!"

Quill sneered, "From now on, our Titan Civilization will continue to exist as cosmic mercenaries, and anyone who wishes to wage war on Blue Star, we Titans offer a 30% discount!"

"If you dare appear on our Blue Star's battlefield again, the Titan Race will be entirely wiped out from the cosmos!"

Xu Lingjun's words were calm, not filled with Quill's hatred.

But it was precisely because of the calmness...

That Quill couldn't help but feel his heart sink slightly.

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Quill left in anger.

They all came to carve up the Blue Star, yet under a few casually spoken words from the Master of the Blue Star, they all turned against each other.

Although this was not completely unexpected for them.

The Blue Star's resources are abundant, but as long as a civilization is strong enough, what resources can't be obtained?

The cosmos is so vast, it only depends on whether you have the ability to grasp so much bounty... but the revival of the Blue Star, this secret, Xu Lingjun said it very well.

They invaded the Blue Star actually as a last resort.

They must obtain this secret... even if there is only a one in ten thousand chance, thus, even knowing the Blue Star People may fight them to the end, and they might gain nothing, they had no choice but to venture this risk.

Because this was already their only hope.

But now.

The Blue Star has proactively invited them to share this secret.

How deep is the enmity?

Is it necessary to continue clashing swords with them?

In fact, if it wasn't for Xu Lingjun's refusal, perhaps Quill would have couldn't resist the urge to join this Mutual Aid Association.

Unfortunately...

Previously, the Titan Clan always had the idea of obtaining the Blue Star's secret, but they wanted to have it both ways, so they were particularly enthusiastic about wars against the Blue Star. Although not every conflict featured the Titan Giant Race, they were frequent visitors.

Unexpectedly, this became the reason for their exclusion.

Quill could only leave with full reluctance because he felt that if he didn't leave, he might end up being encircled and captured here...

"In fact, not only the Titan Civilization, the Seyin Clan, the Primordial Dragon Clan, the Leviathan Race, and the Shi Clan—all these civilizations must be expelled because they have all wielded weapons against my Blue Star!"

Seeing that everyone present had already accepted his peace offer.

Xu Lingjun said sternly, "Didn't we previously say that we should draw up an agreement together, one that everyone adheres to... this is my first proposal: Whether in the past, present, or future, no member of the Mutual Aid Association is allowed to take up arms and wage war. Once war is initiated, immediate expulsion from the Mutual Aid Association will follow, and they will be everyone's enemy!"

"This rule is very reasonable."

Crowley seemed eager to prove his presence... after all, he invited everyone yet immediately switched sides. Compared to others, his betrayal was more unacceptable.

But this way is much more stable.

No need to wage war.

He said sternly, "As Your Majesty Xu Lingjun has said, the Mutual Aid Association is not only forbidden from mutual attacks but must assist colleagues within limits... though the specifics of assistance need careful consideration."

"This requires us to gather collective wisdom."

Xu Lingjun smiled and naturally sat in the seat Quill had occupied earlier.

He smiled, "I propose that here, we set all the rules—rules that everyone can accept, and then everyone must adhere to them."

"Agreed."

"I have no objections."

"I have a very good idea. Let me share it with everyone for consideration."

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Everyone gathered their collective wisdom.

After all, these rules may very well benefit them in the future.

Everyone had some ideas, hoping to gain as much as possible while contributing the least.

And everyone present was a standout figure in their civilization, with top-notch intellect and wisdom.

Soon, they hammered out a few iron rules.

First: Within the Mutual Aid Association, no attacks for any reason; breaking this rule means immediate expulsion and being targeted by all!

Second: If a member of the Mutual Aid Association faces an existential crisis, they can choose to pay a price to invite colleagues for assistance; the price must surpass the cost of military intervention, and whether to send troops is a personal choice, not compulsory!

Third: Establish an elder rank, where every civilization must retain at least one elder position no matter their future development, strength or weakness, and the elders have the power of veto.

The rules are simple.

And the simpler they are, the more likely they are to be followed, though there are many appendices.

But those are supplements to the details...

With collective wisdom, in just half a day, perhaps not a perfect but a rule that no one had objections to was successfully discussed.

At this moment.

Crowley's trusted aides, Sam and Dean, had already successfully persuaded civilizations that once invaded the Blue Star and now planned to strike the Blue Star again to retreat.

No choice, the Bingshuang Civilization, as the initiator, naturally had to play the villain...

Nearly a whole day, everyone remained wide awake.

Xu Lingjun's proposal simplified everything.

If possible... they didn't want to make a grand display but to resolve this matter as naturally as possible.

Especially knowing that what they needed wasn't the Blue Star's resources but the method... which means that while avoiding a crisis, the Blue Star doesn't really suffer any loss.

"Alright, all preliminary work is now complete."

Xu Lingjun smiled, "Then, it's time for you to pay the price. If you don't mind, I'd like to invite the director of our Blue Star Technology Research Institute to connect with you. If the offered price is suitable, we can immediately proceed to Blue Star for a ceremony..."

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After pausing for a moment, Xu Lingjun continued, "Of course, to ensure your safety and to address your last bit of doubt, we will specially open up the space on the outer ring for your warships to land. This way, by having your forces stationed outside, your sense of security should be higher, right?"

As soon as these words were spoken.

Everyone nodded in agreement.

There is no doubt now that the entire Mutual Aid Association, aside from the Blue Star, has suffered annihilation.

While the Blue Star can save them, they must also pay some price in return!

"Agreed."

Everyone nodded in agreement.

And so...

They each contacted their respective civilized planets to communicate and figure out what price they must pay.

Meanwhile, Xu Lingjun connected to contact with the Blue Star.

"How's it going? Xiaoxun... is everything safe on your side?"

As soon as the communication was connected, Wang Qingya's concerned voice came through the headset. Obviously, she had been worried sick about Xu Lingjun entering enemy territory alone.

"Everything is going smoothly, and I've already gotten them to agree."

Xu Lingjun smiled and said, "Sister Yaya, you should come over in a warship to evaluate the level of gratitude they're offering."

He actually understood this quite well; after all, during his time at the Bei Xuanwu Martial Mansion, he had studied some topics related to the War Studies Academy at night.

But that was purely to discuss them more deeply with Wang Qingya in the future.

Now his status is different.

After all, as the Master of the Blue Star, it wouldn't look good if I had to step in personally, as if there's nobody else from the Blue Star.

Meanwhile, over there...

When they heard Xu Lingjun invite Wang Qingya over, everyone breathed a sigh of relief, even Han Xu Yang, who had planned to stay in the rear and not ask about external affairs, couldn't help but let out a soft sigh.

After all, this concerns the safety of the Blue Star, and now it seems that allowing his wife to go over means that Xu Lingjun has handled everything very steadily.

Everything is developing in a great direction.

It seems that as long as the Blue Star can provide a method to revive the planets, then this disaster is not just a disaster but might actually be a huge opportunity.

After all, the Blue Star is tied to many surrounding civilizations.

For example, the Titan Civilization... although Quill has issued severe threats.

But that's just his empty words; in fact, if he attempted to mobilize against the Blue Star again, even if civilizations like the Bingshuang Civilization and other Level 2 Civilizations did nothing, they would still be on edge.

After all, who can really know to what extent this so-called Mutual Aid Association helps each other?

In this respect, the Blue Star has gained a large development space...

Because of this.

Xu Lingjun was in a great mood; over the past few days, the rulers of the major civilizations were busy discussing with their ministers and assistants what technology they should offer.

Of course, they can't offer the most advanced technology.

But if they offer something inferior, it might not satisfy them and would make them appear lacking in sincerity.

Especially since this is the first collaboration; if they lack sincerity, should they resort to war for formulas again?

Previously, nobody felt this was a problem...

Because they were used to gaining benefits through plundering.

But Xu Lingjun suddenly provided an excellent solution, and they immediately felt... that there is a better way.

As a result, they no longer wanted to try the previous methods.

Therefore, they were all racking their brains to give something substantial, but not the core technology... this was worth discussing.

Xu Lingjun didn't have this issue.

He was leisurely touring the ruined landscapes of Krypton Planet.

Despite the devastation, the thick sands and soil sometimes carried a unique charm.

Especially the many majestic temples and halls on Krypton Planet, though heavily weathered by time, still maintained a unique allure.

In fact, these past few days, he was probably the most relaxed of everyone...

Before they were ready, before Wang Qingya arrived.

He was very idle.

And during this day, while Xu Lingjun was out traveling and taking a break to drink water, a pleasant voice suddenly reached his ears.

"You seem to not take this matter seriously at all? This is a matter of life and death for the Blue Star, but you seem... not very concerned?"

Xu Lingjun didn't even need to turn around to know who the speaker was.

Jiuxin.

The Master of the Primordial Spirit Clan, and aside from Crowley, was the only one who didn't take action against Xu Lingjun.

In fact...

Also one of the only two that Xu Lingjun couldn't fully understand.

Without action and exposure, Xu Lingjun naturally couldn't discern their intentions.

"Aren't you the same? I'm relaxed because I've gotten what I wanted. What about you? How do you have the leisure to secretly follow me for so long? I thought you were busy discussing with your subordinates what kind of technology or resources to exchange for the revival method of the planets!"

Xu Lingjun looked back.

As expected, it was Jiuxin...

Her form was nearly indistinguishable from a human but appeared illusory, much like a virtual 3D anime character. Her skin was so white that it was difficult to see any pores, yet it wasn't the white of Caucasians, but a crystal-clear white, clean and translucent.

It caused Xu Lingjun to take a few extra glances... After all, in his past life, several of his wives actually looked like that, bringing back memories.

"I've already decided what to exchange, and I know in my heart. So, like you, I've also become leisurely."

Jiuxin wasn't surprised that she seemed to have been discovered by Xu Lingjun all along.

She slowly approached Xu Lingjun...

Sitting down.

With a smile, she said, "Xu Lingjun, I won't address you as Your Majesty; I want to ask you something."

"What is it?"

She stared at Xu Lingjun and asked, "Does the method to extend the Blue Star truly exist?"

"If it didn't exist, how would I end things?"

"Indeed, if it didn't exist, the Blue Star might never achieve great things again, because if so many civilizations teamed up, they could easily eradicate the Blue Star. Is that why you chose to compromise?"

Xu Lingjun looked at her and asked, "Do you think you can destroy the Blue Star by teaming up?"

"Maybe not, since the Blue Star is too mysterious. Your trump cards are too well-hidden. Even those who fought you for years, like the Seyin Clan, don't know what your ace is. But once you revealed your trump cards, the Silicon Civilization and the Flame Civilization were completely destroyed in just a few days. Now, the Iron Wing Clan only continues because they surrendered and chose to become your clan, right?"

"That's right."

"Impressive, indeed. That's why we chose to join your Mutual Aid Association."

Jiuxin said, "Although the Mutual Aid Association is nominally equal, you as the organizer and initiator obviously have some differences compared to those who joined later, and hold the leadership... Especially since your Blue Star holds the method for the continuation of their planets, but do you know why we all chose to join this Mutual Aid Association?"

"The Blue Star continuation method?"

"That is part of the reason, but I guess you only know that part of the reason."

Jiuxin chuckled, sitting down beside Xu Lingjun, laughingly said, "Not to belittle you, but the Blue Star's foundation is too shallow, but you... how should I say it, aren't exactly nouveau riche either? Because you're advancing step by step. Your hundred years of development is not inferior to our thousands of

years of continuation, even the cultural foundation is similar. But, after all, a hundred years is too short. It's normal that some things you are unaware of."

"What do you mean by that?"

Xu Lingjun contemplated and looked at Jiuxin, saying, "You've been secretly following me for so long and now reveal yourself to tell me this... What are you planning?"

"Can't you see?"

Jiuxin said, "The Primordial Spirit Clan is a non-physical race. We initially were just a thought. As our power increased, we gradually completed the transition from virtual to real, like myself. So we can sense some strong fluctuations, like... you. That's why I know how strong you are."

She smiled and said, "I'm befriending you with some information you may not know... For example, the reason we joined the Mutual Aid Association. Besides the Blue Star secret, there's another secret that may not be inferior to the Blue Star secret."

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"What do you mean?"

Xu Lingjun looked at Jiuxin in front of him and asked, "Could it be that there are other hidden plots or conspiracies involved?"

"There's no conspiracy, but there are quite a few hidden details."

Jiuxin smiled and said, "Right now, Blue Star has just achieved internal resource and governance unification, theoretically speaking, it's merely a Level 1 Civilization. But in reality, your technology has long reached the level of a Level 2 Civilization. Officially becoming a Level 2 Civilization is just a matter of a few years... By the way, do you know the difference between the levels of civilizations?"

Xu Lingjun asked, "Planet level Civilization? Star level Civilization?"

"That's correct."

Jiuxin asked, "So, you should know the difference between Level 1 and Level 2 Civilizations. What about a Level 3 Civilization? Do you know the standard for that?"

"I'd like to hear more!"

"Evolution."

Xu Lingjun was taken aback, "What?"

"Level 1 Civilization and Level 2 Civilization are evolutions promoted by external factors, whereas Level 3 Civilization involves the overall evolution of planetary life."

Jiuxin said, "You on Blue Star cultivate Martial Tao to be able to withstand more powerful enemies... You were forced onto this path, but haven't you noticed that all the civilizations you've engaged with, their individuals are actually quite formidable?"

"When facing an enemy, no matter how strong your individual strength develops, it's still hard to withstand the power of a high-energy cannon shot. But why is individual development so valued by all civilizations? Sometimes even more than technology?"

After asking.

Without waiting for Xu Lingjun to answer, Jiuxin continued, "That's because Level 1 Civilization and Level 2 Civilization only make basic preparations, and by the time you reach Level 3 Civilization, it's not just the development of technology; it must also be accompanied by the strength of life... Xu Lingjun, let me ask you, are you the strongest person on your planet?"

Xu Lingjun nodded confidently and said, "Yes."

"Then... in many years to come, will anyone be able to reach your current level?"

"Of course they can, in fact, they won't be limited to just my current level."

Xu Lingjun said, "I am merely a pioneer for everyone else. The heights I can reach, others will be able to achieve too."

"Exactly, this means that Blue Star possesses the potential to become a Level 3 Civilization."

Jiuxin explained, "A Level 3 Civilization, known as a Star System Civilization, theoretically allows only one Level 3 Civilization per star system... and Blue Star, although a latecomer, has now taken the lead and is ahead of everyone!"

She smiled bitterly and said, "As the Master of Civilization, none of us are weak... Take Crowley, the Master of Bingshuang, for instance. No one knows the depth of his strength, but one thing is undeniable—his strength cannot be replicated. But individual strength doesn't really matter, considering the cosmos, a civilization is considered a life form. So, evolution has to be the evolution of the entire civilization."

"Therefore, when you killed Xuan Yuan in front of all of us without using any specific abilities, you already proved your strength to us. The simple Martial Tao can be replicated, meaning your strength can be achieved by others in the future. You should understand what this implies by now, right?"

Xu Lingjun did not answer.

But he clearly understood what Jiuxin meant.

Blue Star has inadvertently embarked on the path of evolving into a Level 3 Civilization?

Although forced by the mysterious races of the heavens, they embarked on the journey nonetheless... They've been in this cosmos for only a hundred years, yet they are ahead of every civilization.

Star System Civilization?

Blue Star belongs to the Milky Way Galaxy in this part of the cosmos.

So if they can evolve successfully, would that mean becoming a Galaxy Civilization?

"And if I become a Level 3 Civilization..."

"Yes, that's right, all Level 1 and Level 2 Civilizations, including us, would be forced to become Blue Star's clan."

Jiuxin smiled and said, "There's no cosmic rule specifying this, but when a civilization becomes a Level 3 Civilization, that star system will be noticed by other civilizations in the cosmos. By that time, if we do not submit, it's very difficult to survive just by relying on the strength of a Level 2 Civilization under the scrutiny of other civilizations. Therefore, subordination is actually the only choice!"

"As for what others think, I don't know, but the first thought I had when I saw your strength was to immediately eliminate you. There's only one place, and our Elemental Spirit Civilization wants to have it too, but I had this thought only for a moment and then immediately abandoned it."

Jiuxin explained, "Because for over a hundred years, Blue Star has always been engulfed in war, yet you have always remained steadfast. For over a hundred years, you didn't fall. Now, you have become a force to reckon with, and I suddenly feel that even if numerous civilizations collectively besiege you, it will likely still be you who emerges victorious."

She pointed to her head and said, "Our Primordial Spirit Clan can sense the unique energy waves in heaven and earth. Your energy wave is very unique, making me covet it, but more than that, making me fear it. If your power can be taught, then unless we can immediately annihilate you with overwhelming force, as time goes on, I don't believe we would stand a chance..."

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Xu Lingjun: "If you can't beat them, join them?"

"Rather, forge good relations in advance."

Jiuxin said, "The secret of Blue Star's continuation is indeed very important to us. So, if you're willing to share this secret, even if you're ahead of us, we don't mind fair competition with you. If Blue Star truly becomes a Level 3 Civilization in the future, our years of friendship will ensure we won't be mistreated by our clan. Conversely, if we win, we won't do anything crazy to Blue Star."

She laughed, "Your Majesty Ling Jun, you made a great move, revitalizing the whole situation."

Xu Lingjun smiled, "It's purely coincidence. Since that's the case, why not think about what good stuff you can trade with us... Give more good things, and maybe you're investing in your own future?"

"Hahaha, you may not win, although you've taken the lead, a Level 3 Civilization can't be achieved by one person's brilliance alone. It requires the collective effort of all beings in the civilization to bear the pressure. Your development time is too short; the foundation is deep, but the experience shallow, many things require time to settle."

Saying this,

Jiuxin said nothing more, smiled at Xu Lingjun, and got up to leave.

Her purpose was to get on good terms with Xu Lingjun...

And now, her purpose was achieved.

It was naturally time to go.

"By the way..."

Before leaving, she looked at Xu Lingjun with a peculiar expression and asked, "Do I look much like your wife?"

Xu Lingjun was surprised, "What?"

"Don't misunderstand, I can't read minds, but I can sense some of the other's thoughts through close contact... a vague perception, and I sensed 'wife' from you? I know this is a human term for a partner. Do you want me as your partner?"

"No, no, you've totally got it wrong."

Xu Lingjun thought, I have too many wives like this, it's a complete misunderstanding.

Although I am indeed the husband of Tifa Lockhart, Yan Lingji, Liu Mengli, and Feng Qingxue, they aren't actually my wives.

"You only want to be my husband, not let me be your wife? So you want to be involved but not take responsibility?"

Jiuxin's gaze at Xu Lingjun became playful, and she said, "Don't feel embarrassed. In the Primordial Spirit Clan, we don't really have such a concept of partners..."

Xu Lingjun: "Get lost now!"

"Alright."

Jiuxin seemed to know her talent was quite irritating, and she left obediently.

Yet, she was more satisfied...

Hmm, he wants to have offspring with him... is that what it means?

Anyway, it means he actually has a good impression of her, and with some manipulation, it wouldn't be hard to turn it into goodwill for the entire Primordial Spirit Clan. In view of Blue Star's current momentum, being allies is better than being enemies?

After all, after a great war, even if victorious, the price paid might be too heavy to bear.

And Xu Lingjun sat quietly for a while...

Suddenly, he couldn't help but chuckle in low laughter.

"Developing too short? Shallow foundation? You should just say our foundation is shallow; many things require the accumulation of time..."

Indeed, like the Immortal Tao Technique.

Until now, the Immortal Taoist Technique hasn't broken free from the constraints of the Martial Tao, and still requires Martial Tao as its foundation. Only when Immortal Tao detaches from Martial Tao will it truly reach the threshold of that so-called Level 3 Civilization?

And this, without a doubt, requires a long period of time to settle and develop...

Unless there's the Power of Origin.

Xu Lingjun leisurely lay back on the hillside, Jiuxin's words were true. Just as her talent let her sense people's thoughts, Xu Lingjun, now united in spirit and soul, found it easy to discern truth from lies.

Precisely because of this, if they agreed to join the Mutual Aid Association for fear that Blue Star will soon become a Level 3 Civilization—

Regardless of whether they intended goodwill or harbored malicious speculation, stopping now undoubtedly gave Blue Star crucial development space.

Xu Lingjun suddenly felt a surge of confidence.

A few days later.

Wang Qingya arrived at Krypton Planet with micro-speed warships at the fastest speed.

Xu Lingjun had already been waiting here for a long time...

Although the two were now legally married, Xu Lingjun never thought of stifling Wang Qingya's career... like now, coming here actually entailed significant risk, but Wang Qingya, as the director of the Science and Technology Research Institute, was the one to assume this risk.

"Sister Yaya, don't be too polite with them. If it's not enough, make them add more."

Xu Lingjun smiled, holding Wang Qingya's hand, and he naturally felt more confident after Jiuxin's revelations, not just because of Blue Star's secret but also Blue Star's current strength...

If we don't ask for more, it's not fair to us.

"Don't worry."

Wang Qingya gently nodded, then willingly let go of Xu Lingjun.

And by this time, the gifts each civilization had prepared were ready.

Wang Qingya, along with her assistants, analyzed these technologies one by one...

Electromagnetic pulse technology, plasma cannon firing system, curve jump technology, gravity adjustment system.

These are extremely advanced technologies, and some were still being researched by the Science and Technology Research Institute, grappling with unsolved problems. Taking these technological insights back undoubtedly would leap Blue Star's technology ahead by twenty years.

The Primordial Spirit Clan was the most generous.

They directly gifted their resonance technology to Xu Lingjun.

According to Jiuxin, this method allows two souls to resonate at the same frequency, enabling resonance communication.

This made Xu Lingjun's eyes light up, as this method definitely had significant utility...

For example, Jun Qing's dedication to cultivation over the years has already broken through to the Profound Realm, eliminating dependence on medicine, curing her progressive freezing condition.

But the Grandmaster Realm remained an insurmountable barrier for her.

"If we have this technology, I just need to make my soul resonate with Xiaoqing's, and I can directly teach her how to cultivate within. Naturally, this would make it much easier for her to break through."

Xu Lingjun eagerly told Wang Qingya.

"Of course, this ability is one of our Primordial Spirit Clan's most private talents."

Jiuxin seemed quite proud of the technology she had given away, boasting, "I heard you humans need to bathe first, then take off your clothes and mess around for ages, and even then it takes dozens or even hundreds of attempts before achieving resonance by chance. The efficiency is really too low, and the perception unclear. But with this technology, resonance can be achieved every time, from soul to body..."

Xu Lingjun immediately changed his tone: "I can teach you and Teacher Su..."

Then he fiercely glared at Jiuxin.

At such a serious moment, you actually give me room techniques?

He was indignant, angrily accepting this technology...yet he didn't hand it over to Wang Qingya.

He planned to master it thoroughly before giving it to Wang Qingya and the others.

Just like Jiuxin previously suggested, teaching them how to cultivate with it could certainly improve efficiency several times over.

Wang Qingya pursed her lips in a smile, seeming to have seen through Xu Lingjun's mischievous intentions.

But she didn't expose him...

Just gave Jiuxin a deep look.

Then another look at Xu Lingjun, and continued to the next.

This time, all great civilizations had shown sincerity.

The technologies offered might not be their most cutting-edge, but precisely because they weren't the highest end...they turned out to be more suitable for Blue Star. This probably could be considered an unexpected delight.

This analysis...

Took a whole two days, as verifying the authenticity of these technologies was necessary.

Working two days straight through without rest; thankfully Wang Qingya had already dabbled in Immortal Cultivation, otherwise, she might not have endured.

In fact...

When seeing Wang Qingya, the expressions of many Masters of Civilization were somewhat uneasy.

Although very weak, precisely because of this weakness, she could clearly sense her aura was somewhat similar to Xu Lingjun's, indicating that with proper cultivation, talent, and resources, there was no reason she could not one day reach Xu Lingjun's level.

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All the knowledge was accepted by Xu Lingjun and Wang Qingya.

Since they had already decided to join the Mutual Aid Association, especially for the crucial secrets that could prolong their civilization.

Naturally, they valued this transaction very much...

So what was given could be considered extremely important and critical knowledge within their civilization.

Even Wang Qingya couldn't help but be secretly amazed at their sincerity...

Especially the Primordial Spirit Clan, genuinely sharing their most crucial knowledge with Blue Star, was almost too generous to make her wonder if this was a dowry?

Everything proceeded remarkably smoothly.

Two days later...

Wang Qingya had completed all her tasks and gave Xu Lingjun an extremely satisfying reply... What they received was the kind of knowledge that Blue Star urgently needed at present.

Moreover, this knowledge wasn't too advanced for Blue Star but matched perfectly with their technology tree, avoiding any suspicion of forceful advancement.

Evidently... they considered this too, worried that Blue Star might misunderstand it as malicious intent at this critical moment.

So they took care in selecting the technology.

Three days later.

Wang Qingya left with the technological data.

Intending to enrich her Science and Technology Research Institute.

Meanwhile, Xu Lingjun stayed behind to continue dealing with the mysterious races of the heavens... or rather, colleagues in the Mutual Aid Association.

Not just the seven civilizations, but many Level 1 Civilization clans were also part of the Mutual Aid Association.

However, the Mutual Aid Association is about mutual help, not support, so Xu Lingjun had to sternly refuse those civilizations too weak to contribute.

He also expressed the hope of future collaborations.

At this time, a spacious round table.

Everyone sat around in the room. The round table naturally signified equality.

And Crowley, as the former initiator of the invasion of Blue Star, now seemed to be becoming the second leader besides Xu Lingjun.

He was the first to ask the question everyone was most concerned about, asking, "We have shown our sincerity. When do you plan to take us to Blue Star?"

Xu Lingjun replied, "My plan was to invite you to my Blue Star three months later, but I didn't expect things to go so far smoother than anticipated, so there's been quite a long window period. But three months—is it long or short? If I let you go back now and return three months later, wouldn't it be too troublesome?"

Everyone nodded urgently.

"So I propose we move the time ahead and go to Blue Star now since you brought a considerable elite force here for this meeting. Let these forces come along to show our sincerity, how about it?"

"Great."

"I have no objection."

"Chairman Xu is very thoughtful; we all agree."

Everyone simultaneously breathed a sigh of relief.

They brought the most elite forces of their respective civilizations for this meeting. Although the numbers might not be large, after all, it would be inappropriate to bring an entire army for a meeting.

Yet, with so many civilizations combined, the number probably wasn't less than Blue Star's total military forces...

With them coming along, there was definitely nothing to worry about in terms of safety.

Only Jiuxin gave Xu Lingjun a somewhat odd look.

She felt that she seemed unable to hear Xu Lingjun's inner voice... But even if she couldn't, the Primordial Spirit Clan, who communicate innately through brain waves, could naturally sense Xu Lingjun's ease in his words.

Was it because he hadn't lied from the start, so it didn't matter how many people went?

Jiuxin felt there seemed to be another reason behind this.

Unfortunately...

After knowing Jiuxin could resonate with others' minds, Xu Lingjun had just now, despite only glancing at the so-called Resonance Technology, managed to devise a countermeasure with his Spiritual Sense within a moment.

No matter how hard you try, no matter how exhausted you get, don't expect to gain anything from me.

After the discussion, everyone agreed...

And arranged to set out the next day.

That evening, they all packed up, and the next day, a mighty fleet headed toward Blue Star.

This time, however, the leader was Xu Lingjun, the Master of Blue Star.

Choosing the appropriate wormhole location, all the fleets made the warp jump simultaneously.

Before the jump...

Crowley and others discreetly instructed their trusted subordinates to make all preparations, even though they'd become allies, as it was their first collaboration, all necessary safety measures had to be taken.

Only Jiuxin seemed utterly unconcerned about the conditions on the other side of the wormhole.

Even wanting to voluntarily visit Xu Lingjun's fleet as a guest...

Xu Lingjun naturally understood she wanted to extract something from him, so he simply let her be.

After the jump, time lost its meaning.

In the blink of an eye...

The calm cosmos in front of the countless warships quickly zoomed in, a spatial illusion caused by extreme speed.

Distances measured in light-years were just effortlessly crossed through these wormholes by the warships.

When the warships finally halted, the beautiful blue planet was already within reach.

The anticipated attack didn't happen...

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It actually made Crowley and the others breathe a slight sigh of relief, it seems this time, Blue Star is really not playing any tricks.

In fact, the chips have already been laid out. If Blue Star wants to backtrack now, there's really not much they can do.

Fortunately, it seems Blue Star is still filled with sincerity.

And as the fleet appeared...

Soon, several unarmed flying ships dashed towards them from the direction of Blue Star.

Moreover, messages were sent to every warship.

Instructing them to follow wherever they go...

Then, those flying ships headed toward the direction of the Desperate Great Wall.

The warship group followed behind.

After more than half a day's journey, all the warships stopped just outside the Desperate Great Wall, already very close to it.

At this distance...

If they launched an attack, they could directly inflict severe damage on the Desperate Great Wall.

Being allowed to land so close, the sincerity of Blue Star even warmed the heart of Crowley of the Bingshuang clan.

Xu Lingjun was the first to disembark from the warship.

Following him, Crowley and the others also disembarked.

The crowd gathered once again.

Xu Lingjun said, "It's fine to have your forces stop here, as inside Blue Star, not only are opposing forces restricted, even our fleet is not allowed to enter the inner planets to disturb the peace of the people, so please understand."

Everyone nodded.

They had once intended to target Blue Star, and because of this, they had conducted preliminary reconnaissance of Blue Star.

Naturally knowing that Xu Lingjun was speaking the truth and had not lied.

At present, everyone boarded Xu Lingjun's exclusive flying ship and, through the Star Ring, flew toward the planetary interior.

Through the Desperate Great Wall...

Below was the territory of the Baoxue Empire.

Setting foot on the soil of Blue Star as guests was unexpected, and this change was indeed astonishing to Crowley and the others.

And when they truly entered the Baoxue Empire...

Everyone's expressions turned somewhat solemn.

The once Baoxue Empire, one of Blue Star's three poles, had now been reduced entirely to ruins.

Though there was no smoke rising, the charred and uneven ground, and the crystallized soil all clearly indicated that this place had once endured terrifying bombings.

This land had already completely died.

The flying ship flew at a slow speed... especially considering the Baoxue Empire's vast territory.

In the following hours of travel, the many Masters of Civilization couldn't help but express sighs.

The Baoxue Empire, despite its desolation.

But their home planets, though better compared to the Baoxue Empire, if nothing unexpected happened, might follow the same path as the Baoxue Empire in the near future.

In this view, it touched their hearts even more.

Only Jiuxin asked, "Are you planning to bring life back here?"

Xu Lingjun nodded, saying, "This was once the territory of the Baoxue Empire, one of Blue Star's three poles, covering an extensive area, almost more than one-third of Blue Star. Now, this entire region has been swept by nuclear bombs. If life is not restored to this land, in at most a century, Blue Star's soil may run out."

Upon hearing this.

Everyone's expressions became invigorated.

Undoubtedly, compared to their home planets, the soil of the Baoxue Empire was more desolate, clearly already completely dead.

Yet Xu Lingjun intended to revive it... and he was so confident.

If this is the case, if life here could truly be revived, wouldn't it imply that their home planets' decline isn't a problem?

Thinking this, they couldn't help feeling elated.

After a full day's flight.

What the Masters of Civilization saw was all dead silence, long devoid of any vitality.

And the longer it took, the more they anticipated.

They all wanted to see how Xu Lingjun would turn the tide.

After a day...

Ahead, they gradually saw glimmers of life, a lush ancient forest with abundant green plants, seemingly blocking all nuclear radiation.

"This is the Secret Realm."

Seeing the curiosity on their faces, Xu Lingjun proactively introduced, "The Secret Realm is within Blue Star, a fourth power apart from Blue Star's Three Great Empires, because inside it grow powerful Demon Beasts, and Demon Beasts are hard to communicate with humans, almost impossible, so... the Secret Realm is akin to a forbidden zone for us on Blue Star, not easily entered."

"Unexpectedly, Blue Star has a fourth power?"

The Masters of Civilization expressed astonishment, clearly not expecting Blue Star's resources to exceed their imagination... not only supporting three Human Race forces, but there was also a Beast Race power here.

Xu Lingjun explained, "After all, they are the original inhabitants of Blue Star, so we do not disturb them easily."

Original inhabitants?

It seems, even though Blue Star has achieved unification, internally it's not monolithic.

Everyone silently noted this clue, perhaps it might come in handy in the future.

And at this moment, on the ground...

Suddenly a coconut flew fiercely toward the sky, striking the projection screen at the front of the warship with a thud.

Xu Lingjun rolled his eyes, thinking, oh great, Lu Ye has heard, and is venting.

That little sapling understands nothing... I was deliberately showing weakness to the enemy.

After half a day, passing through the Secret Realm.

The Masters of Civilization finally arrived at Blue Star, where Han Xu Yang, the current Master of Blue Star, had been waiting for a long time.

Seeing the Masters of Civilization arriving, he heartily laughed and welcomed them, saying, "The presence of all Masters of Civilization gracing Blue Star brings us great honor, welcome, welcome..."

The Masters of Civilization showed no disrespect toward this figure with a low sense of presence, the true Master of Blue Star.

But respectfully offered their greetings according to etiquette.

The atmosphere was rather harmonious...

Han Xu Yang invited everyone inside to sit, presenting fine wine and delicacies.

And Xu Lingjun further clarified at the feast that rescuing the Baoxue Empire still required some preparatory work.

Therefore, they needed to wait temporarily, and within three days, they would certainly see what they desired.

Three days... not too long.

Everyone nodded, reassured, and began to savor Blue Star's unique cuisine.

Then couldn't help but have their eyes light up, feeling these foods were worlds apart from what they usually ate.

Not surprising, as since these civilizations ventured into the cosmos beyond their own, they faced constant threats from the universe. To survive, they had to unify, fully focusing on technological power and strengthening themselves.

In contrast, Blue Star does not hail from this cosmos.

In their world, the cosmos almost held life only on Blue Star, carefree cultural transmission for thousands of years created their characteristic of never tiring of exquisite food, now brought to this cosmos, indeed unique.

Seeing the astonishment and curiosity in their eyes.

Xu Lingjun said with a smile, "Actually, the Mutual Aid Association might not only be limited to mutual aid among civilizations. In the future, if there is an opportunity, I would like to find an uninhabited planet in the cosmos to serve as a place for many civilizations to exchange cultures, thus bringing closer ties among all our civilizations. Of course, this is for later discussion."

Jiuxin nodded approvingly, saying, "Excellent, our Primordial Spirit Clan loves getting close to other civilizations. If there could be such a planet for us to exchange, we would indeed welcome it greatly."

Master of the Xueyan Civilization, Sass also nodded, saying, "If civilization is no longer at risk of losing its legacy, we wouldn't mind having a deep exchange with the civilizations present, hmm... seeking common ground while reserving differences is the right principle."

Everyone nodded.

This time...

They truly no longer doubted Xu Lingjun's sincerity.

Now, present in the capital of Blue Star, surrounded by an overwhelming force, this kind of sincerity... none of them could manage it in turn.

It seems Blue Star is a friend worthy of deep friendship.

Very good!

Chapter 740 Recreating Miracles

In the following days, Xu Lingjun did not appear.

Instead, Han Xu Yang entertained these Masters of Civilization, accompanying them on tours of the Great Xia Empire's scenic spots.

As for Xu Lingjun...

According to Han Xu Yang's explanation, the Baoxue Empire is vast and rich, and restoring its vitality is as difficult as ascending to the heavens, so more preparations are needed.

Everyone suddenly realized.

Hmm... Humans have already ascended to the cosmos, so it seems this task isn't all that difficult.

But since he's so earnest about it, it clearly indicates there's no conspiracy here. They just need to wait a few more days to witness how a piece of land that had lost all vitality will be revived.

Therefore, although the Great Xia Empire's scenery is breathtaking and captivating, they found little taste in it.

And in fact, Xu Lingjun was indeed making preparations.

The Giant Spirit Stone seized from the Baoxue Empire is not an ordinary spirit stone; it is almost like the source of a spirit vein.

Previously, the White Robed elder could rely on a spirit stone to remain unextinguished for a century... If it weren't for Xu Lingjun's intervention, he might have lived another three hundred years without much issue.

As long as the spirit stone is intact, life will not cease.

After Xu Lingjun had completely depleted the spiritual qi within the spirit stone, he naturally also noticed some unique residual information within it.

This information... is the scene from its birth.

Which is the scene when two Blue Stars from different universes were merging.

Through this, saying Xu Lingjun knows the secret of Blue Star's continuation is not entirely false.

But after all, he had only observed it before, and now, he needs to personally practice and operate with no chance for trial.

Even if he's confident, he must ensure there's no problem whatsoever.

Three days passed quickly.

This morning, just after the Masters of Civilization finished their breakfast...

Someone immediately came to invite them, saying Commander in Chief Xu Lingjun sent his invitation.

"It's finally happening xN!"

Everyone immediately became invigorated. Those who were eating didn't even bother to continue savoring the extremely delicious food, quickly following the attendants to where Xu Lingjun was.

At this moment, Xu Lingjun was standing in front of a giant battleship...

Noticing the arrival of everyone, he smiled and said, "Board the ship, and I'll take you to see how a piece of lifeless land frees itself from doom."

Everyone boarded the battleship.

Soon, the battleship soared into the air, speeding upwards.

Crowley asked, "Where are you going?"

"You can see far only from a high vantage point. Such a large piece of land, you wouldn't think you could see it clearly just by standing on the ground, would you? Come, in the past few days, everything has been set up, and the surrounding residents have been relocated. All the preliminary work has been done. You only need to see the results."

Xu Lingjun said.

He motioned for the pilot to steer the battleship towards the Baoxue Empire...

The battleship slowly moved, heading towards its destination.

The soil below changed from lush and vibrant to increasingly barren and lifeless.

The Baoxue Empire now looked hideous, like a massive scar scorched onto Blue Star.

Especially after these days of visits, knowing the wondrous landscapes of Blue Star, everyone couldn't help but sigh, feeling that the destruction of this nation was truly regrettable...

There must have been many beautiful natural sceneries on such a vast land.

Let the country be gone; they say the Baoxue Empire was never good to begin with...

But the scenery is genuinely a pity.

Soon, the battleship hovered above the Baoxue Empire.

"Now, watch carefully, don't miss any detail."

Xu Lingjun took a deep breath and said, "Because even for Blue Star, there's only one chance... if you miss it, don't blame me."

With that, he pressed the communication button without hesitation and said, "This is Xu Lingjun, start!"

As his words fell.

Nothing happened...

But everyone understood that somewhere on Blue Star, or in many places, surely many people were doing the final checks and preparations.

The ground gradually began to tremble.

Everyone could clearly feel even the stationary battleship in the sky was trembling ever so slightly.

"Is it an earthquake?"

All the Masters of Civilization widened their eyes, especially Sass, the Master of the Xueyan Civilization. The Xueyan Civilization is named for its eyes, evidently possessing unique abilities, a tremendously acute insight, allowing him to see facts not yet visible to others.

At this moment, his expression turned quickly serious.

A cold sweat dripped slowly down his forehead, and he shook his head, saying, "No, the tremor is from above..."

"Above... the sky?"

Everyone quickly looked up toward the sky.

They saw nothing, but a heavy pressure began to spread around them. Even though they were inside the battleship, theoretically cut off from external gravity,

they could still feel the overwhelming pressure from outside.

Initially, besides Sass, none could see it.

But gradually...

As time passed.

When a massive celestial body slowly broke through the atmosphere, imposing itself downward.

It blotted out the sky and sun.

It felt like the sun had been forcibly dragged into the human world...

This massive star was extraordinarily large, and its enormous shadow almost covered the entire Baoxue Empire.

Sharp whistling sounds erupted continuously in the air, with sonic booms exploding one after another. Even the Monarch level battleship they were aboard couldn't withstand the immense pressure, causing spiderweb cracks to rapidly spread across the explosion-proof titanium-glass windows.