

The Growth 139

Chapter 139 - 18: Former Demigod (2/5)

Just as the Skeletons of the City of Remains were fleeing, trying to avoid the aftermath of the battle between Ji Meng and Yuyu.

Kneeling on the ground, Mang San remained motionless, staring blankly at the two behemoths amidst the storm.

"Old Three?"

Noticed Mang San's abnormality in time.

When Mang Qi wanted to reach out to pull him up, he was surprised to find that he couldn't move him at all.

At this moment, Mang San was like a deep-rooted tree, no matter how much effort Mang Qi exerted, he couldn't budge him an inch.

By the time Mang Qi realized something was wrong, he saw the previously dazed Mang San suddenly turn his head towards him.

The turn was so forceful it almost snapped Mang San's head off.

"Old... Qi..."

The husky voice carried a strange aura, as Mang San, grabbing Mang Qi's arm bone, whispered softly.

"Old Three?"

He tentatively called Mang San's name again.

Having realized the danger, Mang Qi wanted to free himself from Mang San's grip, only to discover in despair that he was powerless to break free.

Not only that, but due to Mang Qi's immense strength, visible scratches appeared on the joint bones of their hands.

"Old Three, what's wrong with you?"

Even though he had a foreboding, Mang Qi still wanted to try to awaken his last remaining brother.

"Go!"

Suddenly, Mang San let go of Mang Qi's arm bone, and before Mang Qi could react, he shoved him away.

Unprepared, Mang Qi was thrown several meters away by the enormous force, and only then did he look back in panic at Mang San not far away.

"Old Three!!!"

Accompanied by a frantic shout, the pool of blood under Mang San quickly soaked through his entire body.

To an outsider, Mang San, initially ghastly pale, instantly turned into a bloody skeleton.

From a distance, it was evident that the blood-stained bones began to grow flesh, and Mang San's consciousness was completely erased at that moment.

"Return..."

Flesh interwove with the skeleton, quickly forming appendages similar to Yuyu's.

By now, Mang San, who completely lost his appearance as a Skeleton, muttered while exuding an eerie and seductive aura all over.

Thump!

Suddenly, he stamped hard on the ground, and the newly grown flesh endowed Mang San with power far surpassing that of normal Skeletons.

His speed, his aggressiveness left Mang Qi no time to react.

Swoosh!

Just as Mang San was about to devour Mang Qi, at a critical moment.

A familiar finger bone shot from a distance, piercing through Mang San's head with precision.

"Ah!"

Even though there was no pain for Skeletons, Mang San screamed miserably at this moment.

Immediately afterward, the pierced head rapidly healed before one's own eyes, and the flesh on Mang San's body proliferated abnormally.

In just a few breaths, a mini Yuyu appeared again in the City of Corpse.

"Protect it!"

Only at this time did A Ke, with three faces and six arms, slowly land in front of Mang San, standing against the mini Yuyu.

"Understood!"

Noticing the critical point as well, He Li answered in response.

Then, giving Mang Qi no chance to resist, He Li carried away the unresponsive Mang Qi with one hand and left the battlefield.

"Protect yourselves, your task is only to assist me in containing this monster."

Glancing at the Second Generation Skeletons slowly forming a circle around, A Ke's tone remained as indifferent as ever.

However, for the Second Generation Skeletons who were already used to A Ke's demeanor, it posed no issue at all.

A Ke was the head of the Second Generation Skeletons, the leader who led them out of the shadows of the past.

"Understood!"

"Got it!"

"I know!"

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Amidst a series of responses, the Second Generation Skeletons displayed remarkable teamwork.

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"Hmm?"

Ji Meng, who was battling the real Yuyu, naturally wouldn't overlook what was happening in the City of Corpse.

However, before he could react, the previously beast-like Yuyu unexpectedly retreated two steps, and its decaying, writhing head grew a new Dragon Head.

"Ji Meng! You cannot stop me!"

Once again speaking human language, Yuyu's thoughts were clear, its logic lucid, evidently no longer a brainless beast.

"Stop?"

"You overestimate yourself!"

Although unclear about what happened, it didn't deter Ji Meng from striding forward, delivering a heavy punch to Yuyu's head.

Bang!

In an instant, Yuyu's dragon head, painstakingly reborn, was smashed like a watermelon.

As they say, strike while the iron is hot.

With rich combat experience, Ji Meng raised his right arm in the next second, forcefully drawing down a bolt of Thunder from the hovering clouds.

Rumble!

The flickering Thunder transformed into a blade in Ji Meng's hand, slashing down.

Yuyu, left with only a flesh body, stood no chance against such heavenly might, even the Erosion of Yin Fire beneath its feet extinguished under the Thunder's onslaught.

But, it wasn't over yet.

Swoosh—boom!

With a reverse throw of the Thunder in his hand, Ji Meng's target was the mini Yuyu in the City of Corpse.

For Ji Meng could see clearly that the City of Corpse's Yuyu was its true brain.

After absorbing and devouring Mang San's bones, Yuyu finally reconstructed its head, regaining its Wisdom.

In this scenario, as long as the mini Yuyu wasn't destroyed, no matter how many times Ji Meng obliterated its body, it would be of no avail.

Wisdom and the brain are the key distinctions between a beast and a Demigod.

In truth, if it weren't for Mang Qi being timely protected by A Ke and others, Yuyu, recollecting all his pre-mortal bones, would have achieved a truly complete form.

In which case, not even Ji Meng could handle it as effortlessly as now.

"Roar!"

At the last moment, the mini Yuyu unexpectedly soared into the sky.

Like a Qilin trampling on clouds, or a Celestial Horse riding on mist.

Relying on its flaming ability underfoot, the mini Yuyu not only dodged Ji Meng's lightning attack but also broke out of the encirclement of the Second Generation Skeletons.

"Don't pursue!"

Immediately commanded his subordinates not to chase Yuyu.

A Ke knew better than anyone that this sudden catastrophe had surpassed the Skeleton's capabilities.

"It's quite clever."

As always, defiant and arrogant.

Ji Meng didn't concern himself further with what was happening in the City of Corpse, instead engaging once more in fierce combat with the two Yuyus in the sky and on the ground.

Only this time, Ji Meng consciously shifted the battlefield into the storm and mist, ensuring the disaster caused by Yuyu didn't spread further.