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Chapter 149 - 4: This Body Is the Divine Body, Beneath My Feet Is the Divine Kingdom (4/5)

After moving for a while, the sound of police sirens gradually faded away.

Huo Dou, who had been silent all the way, finally spoke again, bringing up another topic.

"Do you think, in a small city like ours, the probability of encountering possessors frequently is high?"

He didn't directly name anyone, but Huo Dou knew that He Bo could understand him.

After all, the existence of Meng Yao wasn't a secret; even He Bo was part of that operation.

"Not high, you could even say it's rare even over several hundred years."

As expected, He Bo instantly understood the implication behind Huo Dou's words.

In response, He Bo first glanced at the bewildered Luo God, then broke into a helpless smile.

"So what do you think is the reason that causes this city to see new 'possessors' appearing one after another?"

Li Hao, Meng Yao, He Jiali, and even He Bo, who had remained hidden...

In this small city, there were actually four people of varying degrees of being 'possessors.' This clearly can't be described as just a coincidence.

"Uh, how would I know that!"

Turning his head away quietly, He Bo didn't meet Huo Dou's inquisitive gaze.

"This is something for those high-ranking figures to worry about. Our mission is to minimize the subsequent impact of the events."

Nodding thoughtfully, Huo Dou didn't continue to press the issue.

"Everyone harbors 'secrets,' continuing to inquire would just be impolite now."

Among the three present, perhaps only the clueless Luo God was the one without any secrets.

"At our current pace..."

"I fear even after searching for another month, it's impossible to find their whereabouts."

With this thought, Huo Dou suddenly stopped, leaving He Bo and Luo God staring in surprise as he said.

"No matter your reasons for not wanting the police involved..."

"But this blind search is clearly not a viable solution."

"I have a way to find them quickly, but you must help me keep it a secret."

He Bo and Luo God together could observe any water source within hundreds of miles.

However, this was very draining for them, a method they wouldn't use until the last moment.

Thus, though puzzled about Huo Dou's supposed quick method for finding the two missing children, He Bo nodded and agreed to his request.

"No problem, what happens here today won't be known to a fourth person."

Listening to He Bo's promise, Luo God quickly nodded and looked curiously at Huo Dou.

"Me too!"

"I promise not to tell anyone what happens here!"

Luo God had long known that besides his divine techniques, Huo Dou also had the magic abilities obtained from the Ancient God.

Although Luo God also followed Huo Dou to learn for a while thereafter.

But unfortunately, owing to poor talent, after two months of learning, he could still only perform small magic tricks like ignition and lighting.

It was less effective than carrying a lighter, virtually the epitome of a poor student.

Of course, Huo Dou didn't truly charge any fees for teaching those, it was just a joke.

"That's good, after all, I don't want my 'trump card' to be so easily known by others."

Suddenly taking a deep breath, after saying this, Huo Dou stepped forward abruptly.

Tap!

In an instant, an indescribable sound resonated.

Then a second, a third sound continued to emerge, as if resonating with something in the air.

"Gather under the mountains, claim its will..."

"Gather the spirits, endow its god..."

Under He Bo's shock and Luo God's curious gaze.

Huo Dou, with his sturdy figure, began moving in a peculiar stride, consistently twisting his body.

It was akin to an ancient priestess performing ceremonial rites to please the gods.

At this moment, Huo Dou was emanating an aura of mystery and antiquity from top to bottom.

"Mountain Lord heed my command, He Bo receives my decree..."

"Spirits of the mountains! Monsters of the waters!"

"Having received my orders, promptly execute!"

——Exorcizing Spirits and Commanding Ghosts: All Things Spiritual!

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[Another Exorcism and Spirit-Controlling Technique? And it's a Jiuge Witch Sacrifice!]

In the depths of He Bo's heart, the will of the Nine Songs God was once again stirred.

[How is this possible? There's actually another Nine Songs God on this planet?]

[Who is it? Why isn't their quantum information recorded in the 'Civilization Information Library'?)

[Could they be a New God born after my fall?]

[Wait, then how can they maintain such a formidable state in the 'Returning Ruins'?)

A series of roars and queries kept rising.

However, the response to the Nine Songs God was only the emotionless suppression and blockade from He Bo.

Not until the noises completely faded did He Bo manage to turn his gaze back to Huo Dou.

[Jiuge Witch Sacrifice? Is this his trump card?]

With a hint of realization, He Bo continued to watch Huo Dou's "Witch Sacrificial Dance" with a calm expression.

Rustle rustle...

In a vague moment, those entities imbued with spirituality by Huo Dou began to actively disperse.

The wind, water flow, mountains and rivers, big trees, grass and woods, wild beasts...

Everything within sight in the mountain seemingly gained spirituality and began actively searching for those two lost human children.

Meanwhile, Huo Dou, who had been dancing the "Witch Sacrificial Dance," suddenly halted.

A breeze brushed across his face, then transformed into a visible Phoenix Bird in the next second.

Whirr!

As the elf of the wind, the incarnation of natural forces.

Even a briefly manifested Phoenix Bird possessed more spirituality than typical animals.

If there's a flaw, perhaps it's that once Huo Dou ceased his "ritual," the Phoenix Bird would revert into mere wind and vanish.

This is the rule of the Fallen Area, and also the reason it is considered the Tomb of the Gods here.

This universe lacks the high-dimensional rules to support the existence of gods, all the powers derived from gods are destined for extinction.

"Follow the Phoenix Bird, it will lead us to those two children."

A circle of light appeared beneath his feet, the circle transformed into a barrier...

Currently, Huo Dou seemed like a god descended from the Otherworld.

With his own might, he sustained a separately functioning small barrier within a three-foot radius around him.

This barrier continuously revolved and changed, every moment casting different lights and shadows on the ground.

Whether birds in flight, beasts in motion, forests, or lakes...

As the barrier revolved, change came at will, and all things were understood readily.

— the mind remains unshaken, the unbreakable barrier.

— This body is the Divine Body, and the ground beneath is the Divine Kingdom.

Within this small barrier, Huo Dou was the ruling god of everything, a temporarily transcendent high-dimensional being beyond his life dimension.