

World Plot 1251

Chapter 1251: First Grey Star - Punishment I

In front of the Imperial Palace...

Wearing rags and not even a piece of ordinary clothing, Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun, the Barbarian Chief, and the crippled Barbarian King were dragged to the execution stand on the scheduled date.

The execution was recently announced, and this afternoon the crown decreed that all of the Barbarian clan—the Barbarian King, the Barbarian Chief, and Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun—would be punished by death before the sun fell.

Wang Xingmo stood at the stand and said, "The Yi Clan and the Barbarians had dragged our family and city to this disaster. They ruined our peace, destroyed our homes, and massacred our loved ones. I ask, do they deserve a chance to live?"

The angered citizens shouted, "No, kill them all!"

"Kill them all. Kill them all!!!"

Yi Kun is a human, so his skin is not that different from the rest, and his elemental abilities are restrained, so he cannot dodge anything at all. The citizens' hatred for these guys was unconditional, and they even started throwing things at them like rotten eggs and rocks, leaving them with bruises and a foul stench. The two barbarians are still okay, though.

"Fu*k you! You damn commoners! You are not even useful alive. So what if I cleaned you up!!!"
Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun shouted.

Wang Xingmo watched the entire scene with cold eyes. He truly does not care if Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun dies at the hands of the citizens; unfortunately, the lives of these men are for him to end. The more people hear his words, the angrier they are, and the more they throw things at him.

The knight only stepped forward to stop them when the situation got out of hand and people wanted to throw a huge rock at him to kill him right then.

"Halt at once! The ending of these people is to be given to Lord Satan. He will personally punish them all!"

The mention of the name Satan caused the citizens to stop abruptly and display shocked expressions on their faces. Even the Barbarian Chief, the Barbarian King, and Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun were taken aback. Hunter Satan's reputation is well known for his ruthlessness and cruelty. Only the wicked and the offending are afraid of him, while others greatly idolize him due to his unquestionable strength.

Wang Xingmo's mention of Ye Jieye's alias, as was to be expected, caused a massive black dragon that had been waiting in the sky to slowly descend, followed by another well-known figure, Lu Shang, the Young Master of the Lu Clan and Satan's only subordinate. The enthusiasm and cheers from the crowd upon their arrival demonstrated just how much people believed in these two figures.

Those who had lost their loved ones knelt before Ye Jieye, tears falling from their eyes. They had started begging Ye Jieye to give these villains a painful punishment.

"Lord Satan, please punish them in the most painful way before ending their lives. These bastards killed my wife and ate my children!"

"My husband was eaten too."

"They smashed the body of my boy. He is so small, but not even a piece of his corpse was left intact."

"My brother's head is missing. Lord Satan, please don't leave them off so easily. They must die in the most painful way."

"We plead, Lord Satan. Lord Satan, please listen to our wishes!"

They almost prayed before Ye Jieye, who reacted calmly to their pleas. He didn't even glance at them, and his face remained expressionless, but the people heard his words.

Ye Jieye said, "You wanted them to suffer painfully before them or wanted them to suffer for long until they die. Which one do you want to be their ending?"

The citizens were delighted by the choices, and they all called out for the second option.

"The second one!"

"Second one!"

"Second +143"

Yi Kun, the Heavenly Guardian, looked at Ye Jieye with fear in his eyes, even though he tried to appear strong. The Barbarian Chief only raised an eyebrow, as he could not believe that such a thin man could cause him pain. He did not even notice that the Barbarian King, who could see through people, was trembling badly the moment he saw Ye Jieye.

His reaction was even stronger than when he saw Ye Jingxia that night.

The barbarian king began thrashing his small limbs like a fish out of water, his face grew even paler than snow, and his eyes trembled as if they were shivering on their own. Worse, he began shrieking as if he were a terrified cat whose tail had been firmly trodden on.

Agh! Ahhh! Argh!!! AHHHH!!!

The Barbarian King shrieks, "N-No, don't come over. Please kill me. Just kill me. Monster. You are a monster. So much more than the little devil that night!

Ahh! Kill me! Please just kill me!!"

His terrified look at Ye Jieye, his agonizing screams as if he were truly in great pain, but instead he could not hold back his fear of Satan, everyone witnessed it all. Those citizens thought that this barbarian king was weak-willed to be screaming in fear in this way, but only those who knew about the Barbarian King's ability to see through someone's strength were horrified by his reaction.

Yi Kun, the Barbarian Chief, and King Wang Xingmo were all taken aback by the crippled Barbarian King. Nameless remained silently behind his master, occasionally peeking over his shoulder to see what the Venerable would do next. Ye Jieye looked at the wailing, muscular man on the ground coldly, as if he were looking at some kind of

"Loud. Shang, grab him."

Lu Shang responded politely, as always. "Yes, my lord." He walked towards the chained-to-the-neck Barbarian King and dragged him by his chain like some kind of chained livestock. He threw him in front of Ye Jieye.

When the Barbarian King saw Ye Jieye's crimson eyes looking down at him, he trembled and wanted to crawl away, even if it meant injuring his broken limbs. However, Lu Shang held the end of his chain and could not leave, no matter what he did.

Ye Jieye asked, "Did you enjoy fighting with my son? I heard you broke his arms last night."

The Barbarian King trembled under this evil god's gaze, and it made the former lose it completely and even almost bite off his tongue.

Ahhh. Ahhh. Hahhh.

Ye Jieye's evil smirk made everyone flinch, including Lu Shang. They watched as Ye Jieye pointed a finger at the Barbarian King's forehead, and under everyone's gaze, his missing limbs had all regrown. Everyone who witnessed the scene was dumbfounded, and a certain emblem of black angel wings was left on the Barbarian King's forehead.

Gasped!

Snapped!

With a snap of Ye Jieye's fingers, a black throne appeared on the spot, and he took his seat nonchalantly. He looked bored and suddenly commanded his subordinate, Lu Shang.

"Shang, you can begin."

"Yes!"

Wearing black gloves, Lu Shang used his wind control to forcefully make the barbarian king stand afloat. Everyone gasped at this magical scene, but everyone else was left dumbfounded and speechless when Lu Shang tore out the barbarian's arms without hesitation. The barbarian king let out a loud scream, and then this arm exploded into a minced piece of flesh and was thrown into the corner.

ARGHHHH!

Those with strong will were only shocked at first but delighted at the villain's suffering. It took away their home, their loved ones, and their future. The citizens with children ran out immediately, covering their eyes. The females and those with weak stomachs all ran out to the side to vomit.

Under the scream of the Barbarian King, his ripped arms once again regrew like a plant; they were endless. As long as his limbs were ripped, cut, removed, or destroyed, they would regrow almost immediately.

Those whose ends are like his are now pale with horror; they knew that after they were done with the Barbarian King, the next one would be them. The torture of the flesh and the mentality of having his torn limbs regenerate under such pain is too much for the Barbarian King to bear.

He watched himself get his arms and legs cut off, punch himself in the stomach and chest, and even see his heart beating while he was still alive. His shrieks were loud and continuous, and everyone who hated him so much enjoyed his agony.

The Barbarian King looked at Ye Jieye, wanting to hug his feet while pleading with him. Unfortunately, the end of the chain is in the hands of Lu Shang; he can't even reach the tips of Ye Jieye's feet.

"N-No... No more... F-Forgive me! I'm sorry. Please... Stop this.

Just... Kill me. I beg... you."

That night, when the Barbarians attacked their home and tortured them, did not they also beg like this? In the end, no matter how much they begged, those significant family members of theirs were still killed. They can never return. The Barbarian King begs, but the citizens yell at him for being shameless.

"Shameless! When we begged like this last night, you bastards just laughed and killed them!"

"Asking to be spared? Nonsense! This is something that serves you, right!?"

"Suffer. Cry. Screamed. When you ate my child alive, did he cry out like this too? Pei! You don't deserve to say sorry.

You monster!"

The people were yelling with fury, continuing to curse the entity that had destroyed their city and broken up their lovely family, believing that the Barbarian King was deserving of this kind of treatment.

Ye Jieye watched a few more hours and spoke up. "Lu Shang, the next one."

Lu Shang let go of the chain that was fastened to the Barbarian King's neck, stepping on its fingers and crushing it to powder without even looking at the Barbarian King. His expressionless face remained expressionless as he crushed the target to powder, coming over to grab the Barbarian Chief next and pulling him to his master's side.

The Barbarian Chief received the same regeneration blessings from Ye Jieye as a king, and he was subjected to another round of torture.

This time, it was Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun, who was subjected to twice as much torture because he shared the barbarian's level of pain tolerance and frequently fainted, only to be roused from unconsciousness by the application of salted water to his wounds before they regenerated.

After a few hours, the Barbarian King, the Barbarian Chief, and Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun were too exhausted by the amount of torture their bodies and minds had to endure, and they could not even escape after the torture ended. Lu Shang moved his gloves and wrote an isolation circle that prevented the three prisoners from escaping where they were.

Even though nothing but a simple circle on the ground can be seen, clearly the space where the prisoners can be moved is limited.

Lu Shang bowed his head before Ye Jieye and said, "My Lord, it's done."

Ye Jieye nodded and motioned for Lu Shang to step aside. Finally, he stood up from his black throne, which vanished as soon as he did, and approached the Barbarian King, grabbing its head.

"It's time for this lord to exterminate your whole kind."

The Barbarian King and Barbarian Chief trembled when they heard this evil man's words.

"When you attack my wife and my clan, you want to exterminate them, right? Unfortunately, you are too weak to kill them all. But I am not like you. If I want you guys to all disappear, then you can only be obliterated," Ye Jieye said. He used a soul search on the Barbarian King and found out all the tribe locations of their race. She screamed as he felt his soul being ripped apart.

AAAAHHHHHHHHHHH!!!

Chapter 1252: First Grey Star - New Plans

The God of Void searched through the Barbarian King's soul. The soul search process can be painful or painless, and Ye Jieye is doing it in the most painful way. As a result, the barbarian king's screams and pain are genuine and uncontrollable, unlike when he was being physically tortured; in fact, his eyes roll over when Ye Jieye is done with him.

Ye Jieye hummed as he looked through what he saw and mumbled, "150 families and three tribes. Warriors of all tribes came from these three tribes. Then making all of them disappear should be enough."

The Barbarian Chief wanted to yell, but Lu Shang broke his lower jaws immediately. As a warden, he is used to his prisoners speaking beyond their means. Their words and threats were no different from a breeze for his Lord's ears, so it is better not to hear them. The Barbarian King had fainted, and the Barbarian Chief trembled upon hearing what Ye Jieye had mumbled.

Obviously, it was correct that Ye Jieye indeed found the hidden locations of the three tribes and wanted to eradicate them.

Ye Jieye said, "Shang, you will lead the extermination of the Barbarian Race."

"Yes, my lord!" Lu Shang bowed his head in acceptance of his new duty.

With one wave of his hand, Ye Jieye summoned three black portals from behind him, out of which emerged a few men with pale skin and pure black, full-plated armor; an undead wyvern from the second portal; three void giant warriors twice the size of the Barbarian King from the last portal; and three squads made up of undead warriors riding on the backs of the undead wyvern and a giant, led by Lu Shang.

These monsters all kneeled before the God of Void. Even Lu Shang, who is the commander, did the same as they saluted him.

Lu Shang said, "Milord, we are ready."

Ye Jieye nods and waves his hand again, this time using his wife's space element control skills to plan to teleport these guys close to the territory of those three tribes. While he lacks his wife's complete control and accuracy, he still manages to teleport them.

"Obliterate anything and don't leave anything behind."

"Yes, Venerable Lord!"

Following that, all of these fighters vanished instantly and were transported to their intended locations via teleportation.

In the meantime, Wang Xingmo and the people of this realm, along with the three inmates, were taken aback by what they saw when those entities emerged from the dark portal; every one of them was more powerful than the Barbarian King and exuded a sinister aura that caused others to shudder.

Wang Xingmo, who had witnessed the power of being in the tower of God, knew how similar this scene was, and he was dumbfounded. He looked at Ye Jieye in disbelief.

"You are..."

Ye Jieye turned in his direction, and his expressionless face suddenly changed into a smirk.

"Now you know why he wouldn't be interested in your crown and this kingdom. This place couldn't even enter my eyes; why would he be interested in it?" These words were only heard by Wang Xingmo.

This world had heaven and hell, which is also the reason why gods like the one in the tower and Chaos can descend by borrowing a vessel. Ye Jieye snapped his fingers, and a few bone skeletons appeared from another black portal, dragging Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun, the Barbarian King, and the Barbarian Chief to hell.

After the three were dragged to hell, Ye Jieye's purpose for being here was fulfilled, and he walked away towards the tower of God. The three were burned by black flames until they lost their physical form, and the pain of being burned as a soul is worse than with a body. The mortals were speechless and terrified upon seeing hell for the first time.

Wang Xingmo asked, "Where are you going next?"

"The tower... to pick up my son," Ye Jieye said.

As Wang Xingmo, the current king, thought about it, he realized that his eldest son, Xingju, was the one who was infatuated with the throne and had already told Ye Jieye twice that they had no interest in the throne or this kingdom.

Wang Xingmo asked Nameless, "Would you care if I suddenly changed what I wanted to give in exchange after a lot of time passed, Nameless?"

"For beings like us, any price is fine as long as we deem it worth it. There are also eccentric ones who don't care what they get, but their goal must be fulfilled. As long as the changed reward won't affect their goals, we wouldn't care at all," Nameless said.

Wang Xingmo asked, "Can you let me meet that man in the tower without allowing Xingju to know?"

"Possible. Give some time," Nameless said as he disappeared from his master's shadow.

In the Tower of Gods...

After fighting endlessly with the void creatures the man in the black cloak had summoned for him, Ye Jingxia had fully recovered control over his crazed blood. Second Prince Xingju watched the little boy leap around those giant undeads and kill them, covered in the purplish black blood of the undead. Tun Shizhe watched all of this with a smile at the corner of his lips.

Xiao Jing was jumping around in excitement. He had only done such hard training once, when his dad was teaching him how to wield his elements properly.

Ye Jingxia said, "I did it. Father Tun, I can control it properly now." As his eyes flashed from between red and black.

Second Prince Xingju was equally astounded by this youngster's accomplishment and even joined him halfway through, but he took more rests in the middle than this boy, who had been battling nonstop since last night. Tun Shizhe pats his tiny son's head.

Ye Jingxia patted his flat belly and sat on the ground, "Father Tun, I'm hungry~"

"Hm. Wait for a bit longer. Someone is already here to pick you up," Tun Shizhe said as he noticed Ye Jieye had entered the tower.

Ye Jingxia asked, "Who is it? Is it daddy? Oh no! I'm so dirty. Daddy will definitely scold me!" The boy controlled his ice elements and melted them to create water.

A big ball of warm water flushed from above his head and washed away all the dirt, dust, and dried blood on him. He shook his head like a dog dries its fur. Ye Jingxia started jumping in front of Tun Shizhe.

"Father Tun, Father Tun, dry me! Dry me!" Ye Jingxia urged his other father.

Little wisps of fire are summoned by the guy seated on the black throne, and they hover around Ye Jingxia, drying him and his garments. Ye Jingxia is now a clean baby once more; if his clean freak father saw him that way right now, his skin would be scrubbed off from cleaning and bathing.

Twirling around, Ye Jingxia grinned at Tun Shizhe and said, "Father Tun, thank you. I'm going back now. Play with me again next time, okay?"

"Sure. Anytime," Tun Shizhe said.

Ye Jingxia waved his hands and said, "I will bring Xiaxia with me next time. See you~"

"Eh, he is going back already," Second Prince Xingju asked.

{Someone is here to pick him up.}

"Eh? Who?"

When they arrived at the top-floor entrance, they noticed an expressionless Ye Jieye staring at them. Second Prince Xingju trembled, his eyes glinting the same hue as the man beside him. He looked in the direction where Ye Jingxia had fled.

"Satan?"

Ye Jieye took his kid and flew back to the Mo Clan's domain. As soon as they arrived, Mo Xuejing took hold of his son and examined him for wounds. He had been concerned since he saw Xiao Jing get pounded by that barbarian king.

Mo Xuejing scolded his son. "Xiao Jing, don't do that again! How can you fight someone bigger than you!? If you do that again, I'm not going to bring you with us whenever we hunt again."

"Sorry, Daddy. I promise. No more," Ye Jingxia said as he hugged his dad.

Mo Xuejing sighed and had no heart to scold his son anymore. "Okay. Go rest. You played all night."

"Okay~" Ye Jingxia ran out to find his sister.

Following Ye Jieye's return, everyone had congregated in the hall to ask questions about what had transpired at the Aurora Glaciers, even though the three Heavenly Guardians had only heard a portion of what had happened from the other kids.

Mu Zang pulled him over to his side and said, "Xiao Ye, tell Grandpa what happened during your hunt."

With a playful grin at the corners of his mouth, Ye Jieye realized what had happened when he saw Heavenly Guardian Mo Xinyue staring at him from the side. He looked at his wife, who shook his head and pointed to Doctor Guang, who was attempting to conceal himself behind his twin brother, but he was unable to do so due to the mismatch in their body sizes.

Tsk!

Ye Jieye lightly burned the hair of Doctor Guang. Just a bit, but enough to smell burning and see the smoke above his head.

"Ah! My head is on fire. Fire! Fire! Yuhan, help me!! Ah!" He ran to the person whom he knew could help him stop the fire.

Mo Yuhan froze Doctor Guang's head for a moment and felt so cold that he sneezed with a snot.

Doctor Hei commented, "Brother, that's disgusting!"

Hahahahaha~

The other laughed at this silly scene of Doctor Guang. Meanwhile, Ye Jieye started telling them what happened.

"Grandfather Mo, don't be angry that white worm is still alive. I just tied it once into a knot. It can free itself. Moreover, even if that died, you still have another one. Yin Yang snake came in pairs after all," Ye Jieye said.

The news that there are two protector guardians in Aurora Glaciers caught everyone off guard, even the Heavenly Guardians, who were also unaware of the presence of the second serpent Ye Jieye described.

Heavenly Guardian Lu asked, "There is another snake. How come we only see one every time we go there?"

"He is hidden underground. Under the Aurora Glaciers, there's an active volcano. It's a good training ground for those who wield the fire. Grandfather Lu should also go there sometimes," Ye Jieye said.

Heavenly Guardian Mu said, "If Xiao is correct, then the Aurora Glaciers aren't just an ice-based land but a dual fire and ice. No wonder there are two protector guardians. We should inform the crown about this usually, but lately they are in the middle of the fight for the throne. Let's wait for them to stabilize that first."

"There are also the ruins of time. There is a problem one after another. Sigh~" Heavenly Guardian Mo Xinyue.

Ye Jieye said, "After curing Anxia, we plan on returning to Anairam Trench to hunt. There is also the Star Fall Garden."

"You two wanted to hunt in the other danger zones too. That's fine, but what should be done about the Ruins of Time?" Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang asked.

Ye Jieye said, "We will be back before it opens. I had a feeling it would happen at the end of this year, so we still have a lot of time before it opens. But there would be some glitches in the middle, and some monsters might escape during that time."

"If it's like that, then it's better to keep an eye on it. Don't worry, I'm here. If I am not enough, then Mo Xinyue is also here to help," Lu Wangle said.

Mo Xinyue thought for a moment and said, "If you are going to the danger zones, can you help me train a few of our hunters?"

Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing looked at each other.

"We don't mind. Lu Shang and Leica will be going as well to train Yuhan and the rest," Mo Xuejing said.

Ye Jieye said, "Not too many. A small elite group should suffice."

"I also thought so. Six in a group should do. Three from Mo and another three from Lu. That should be enough for an elite team. Zang's people are all veteran hunters. So there is no need to bring them out for training," Mo Xinyue said.

Ye Jieye stood up and said, "Then prepare them before we leave. We planned to stay here for another three days before returning to Numen Town to rest for a week. After that, we are heading to Anairam Trench, then Star Fall Garden next."

"Grandpa, Grandpa Mu, Grandpa Lu, we are going to cure Anxia's physical defects first. Please excuse us," Mo Xuejing said.

Mu Zang said, "Go ahead. That should be prioritized."

"Xiao Ye, where is Shang? Didn't he leave with you?" Lu Wangle asked.

Ye Jieye said, "He will be back before dinner. I asked him to exterminate the barbarians for me."

Silence~

When the others learned that Lu Shang had been dispatched by Ye Jieye to wipe out the barbarians, they did not respond. The individuals who battled these creatures were already struggling to defeat a hundred, but Ye Jieye ordered Lu Shang to wipe them off.

Leica said, "Please don't worry. A'Shang shouldn't be alone. If he is, then he shouldn't be able to return by dinner. Lord Ye must have sent some beings with him."

The elders had only then begun to relax. Ye Jieye did not go into detail about this, and it was clear that he had no intention of explaining the procedure to them, but it seemed that one race would vanish simply for offending Satan.

Chapter 1253: First Grey Star - Aurora Glaced Bingsu

At Somatic Town...

Since Fu Zin's awakening, he and Wang Xingyun have remained in this town alongside the Fu Clan. Despite their state of hiding, they have continued to monitor developments in the capital, so they have also been informed of the news of the Barbarian invasion of the capital and the eradication of the Barbarian race.

Somatic Town is not that big, but the free land surrounding it is large, and this is also owned by this town's mayor, Heavenly Guardian Xian Wu. Fu Zin and his clan bought the only mansion for him and Wang Xingyun, and the rest of the clan members bought the land around the mansion and started building their own house. Wang Xingyun chose to create a school for children where he and Fu Zin teach.

There are also some grocery stores, libraries, and more.

Additionally, they put up a makeshift mini-restaurant because the town's only cafe had been shuttered for a while. It appears that the cafe's youthful proprietors had followed Satan's group into dangerous areas and were now hunting in the capital city, but they had coincidentally been in the Aurora Glaciers during the invasion, which caused them to miss the Barbarian Invasion.

Currently on lunch break.

Wang Xingyun looked at the reports about the happenings in the capital.

"These barbarians didn't step into the city for years, but Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun instigated them. A lot of citizens died because of his selfishness. Is that throne so important in his eyes that he can't even see the people he is supposed to rule and protect?" Wang Xingyun said.

Fu Zin said, "It's because he can't see those parts that Yi Kun can't become the king. Yun'er, can I ask you something?"

"What is it?" Wang Xingyun asked.

Fu Zin responded, "Do you still want to become a king again?"

Wang Xingyun suddenly turned silent, as if thinking about this question seriously. While sneaking a peek at his lover's serious face, he couldn't help but smile, seeing him like this.

"Why? If I told you I wanted the throne, what would you do?" He asked teasingly.

The former prime minister responded seriously, though. Fu Zin answered, "If that's what you want, I will do my best to get it for you."

Pfft!

"Haha~ unfortunately, I don't want it anymore. After all, becoming a king means I can't even marry you, right? In the end, for that stupid crown, not only did my friends become distant from me, my nephews hated me, and even my brother did such a thing. Such a cursed position. I don't want it anymore," Wang Xingyun said.

Wang Xingyun noticed the changes in his lover's expression as he hugged him, understanding that Fu Zin was happy, but why did he also look guilty and worried? Fu Zin was delighted by his lover's words, but he was also a little worried because he knew about Wang Xingmo's plans and why they had to leave the capital city.

Wang Xingyun asked, "Is there something wrong? You don't look good, A'Zin."

"I... I have something to tell Yun'er." Fu Zin decided to tell him what he knew about Wang Xingmo's plans and why they ended up like this.

Wang Xingyun was taken aback, as was to be expected, and wondered why Xingmo had decided not to tell him anything. Perhaps if Fu Zin had not confronted him, he would not have been aware of his plans either. Fu Zin was disregarded as a result of him, and his brother's subordinate attacked him because he thought Fu Zin would obstruct its path.

It would be strange if both he and Fu Zin were unharmed, and they would suffer more at the hands of a single group of assassins.

Since Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun was always one to tie up loose ends as quickly as possible, he was never a kind man. In this case, he dispatched one elite assassination group because he knew that Fu Zin was hurt and that one group would be sufficient.

Wang Xingyun asked, "If the knight that stabbed you is indeed my brother's subordinate, why didn't he know that the sword is poison? You almost died!"

"Maybe that armor he used wasn't his original, and he sneaked into that group just to make sure we escaped. He didn't know that the sword was poisonous," Fu Zin said.

Though he secretly believed otherwise, he was aware that Wang Xingmo always had a faithful guard by his side. The night he went to see Wang Xingmo, he sensed that there was a secret murderous intent coming from somewhere.

He also sensed that the man standing next to Wang Xingmo was more devoted to Wang Xingmo, to the point where he was unwilling to even discuss his master's death with his brother or other family members.

Fu Zin asked, "What do you want to do, Yun'er? If you want to come back and help your brother, I will support you all the way."

"I... I..." Wang Xingyun wanted to help, but he was also afraid that he would destroy his brother's plans. If that happens, then all of his big brother's hard work will be gone. Moreover, his enemy is his nephew. He had no heart to harm the child.

"For now, let's watch over for a bit more. We do not have enough strength to help them in their current situation," Wang Xingyun said.

Fu Zin's eyes flashed with the unknown, and he said, "Maybe there is one person who might be able to help us. As for whether he is willing to help or not, we will depend completely on him."

On the other hand, Ye Jieye and his small group flew back to Numen Town.

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Doctor Guang and Doctor Hei choose to stay in the Mayor's House with Lu Shang and Leica. Ye Jieye and his family returned to their Treehouse restaurant, which was open that night, to serve dinner.

That night, the people of the town enjoyed the special Bingsu dessert that the restaurant had to offer. The flavors were up to them to choose from, and the person making them was none other than Mo Xuejing. The ingredients were something they got from the Aurora Glaciers, especially the special ice that Ye Jieye took from the Glaciers itself.

As for the anomaly in Anxia's physique, Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing decided to do it at home lest others notice any heavenly phenomenon brought on by the activation of Ye Anxia's special physique.

In addition to being the name of the danger zone, the Aurora Glaciers are also an ingredient. The edible special ice at the peak fell during the avalanche, and while most of it was melted by Ye Jieye's flame, some bricks of ice managed to avoid the fate of turning into liquid.

The ice's color is a pink and green hue characteristic of the aurora, which is typically found at the peak of those ice glaciers. Additionally, this ingredient is of a demigod caliber, as it was the preferred sustenance of the White Snake Protector Guardian that Ye Jieye had defeated.

Aurora Glaced Ice

Rank: Demigod grade

Description: A special edible ice only found at the ice peaks in the glacier mountains of the Aurora Glaciers danger zone. It is protected by the land's protector beast, and it is said to be its favorite snack. Moreover, it doesn't melt easily unless eaten.

Effects: Keep body temperature in a normal state for one month upon intake. Even if one bathed in ice water or stayed in a winter-seasoned area, their body temperature would remain normal. It also greatly increases ice element affinity and would allow one to awaken an ice element ability upon eating, if one is lucky.

Perfectly balanced flavors of rainbow milk, legendary-caliber fruits, and a god-caliber, hellish strawberry on demigod-caliber Aurora Glaced Ice. Regretfully, non-fire or ice elemental users were limited to a single cup, as any more would cause them to freeze to death.

As a light element user, Doctor Guang is limited to one cup. He consumed him so quickly that he was now frowning at his younger twin brother, who was actually eating his dessert calmly right in front of him.

A single serving cup of the special dessert is as big as a normal-sized soup bowl and contains at most two inches of shaved ice with various toppings. For an adult, it was a bit lacking.

Munch! (Happy Face)

Chomps~ (Dancing in excitement)

Swallows. (Banzai!)

Doctor Guang: (Flipped the table in anger)

HAHAHAHA~

Mo Xuejing would not restrict his eating if it were not for the fact that he was too young and had a cold body; Ye Jingxia, in particular, can only eat three cups at a time due to his unique physique. The others could not help but laugh at them.

Doctor Guang approaches Ye Jingxia. "Darling, can you give Uncle one scoop? Just one scoop, okay?"

The kind baby Ye Jingxia felt bad for his Uncle Guang and was about to give him a scoop of his Bingsu but stopped when he saw his Uncle Guang hit by his daddy on the head.

Bonk! Owiee~

Mo Xuejing said, "You can't anymore. You'll freeze for real this time!"

"Eh? Just one scoop can have that effect," Doctor Guang said.

Snorted at him, Ye Jieye said, "Let him eat it. Anyway, if he freezes, I can melt him. I can't say it won't be painful though."

Fear came only to the glutton Doctor Guang, who had seen numerous creatures incinerated by Ye Jieye, leaving nothing but ashes behind as they vanished with everything, even their entire existence.

Gulps!

Doctor Guang raised his hands in surrender, completely frightened by Ye Jieye's words. "I'm just joking! No more. I'm full!!!"

"Coward," Doctor Hei said as he just finished his dessert and laughed sarcastically at his elder twin brother.

Ye Jieye said, "Okay. If you guys are done eating, start cleaning the tables and the restaurant. I need to prepare the god-grade Hellish strawberry for my daughter." He returned to the kitchen to cook the god-grade ingredient. Well, he planned to make it into a small candy for his little princess to suck on.

The restaurant was completely cleaned, the patrons had all left after business hours, and they were now eating dinner and finishing their dessert. The tables were stocked on the side, and there was an open space in the center where the two kids could sit with their daddy, Mo Xuejing.

Doctors Guang and Hei are there to make sure that there are no issues throughout the entire awakening process, and if there are, they will be there to assist in resolving them. Lu Shang, Leica, and the two systems will construct a barrier to isolate whatever occurs inside the restaurant.

After some time, Ye Jingxia emerged with a tiny bowl, and everyone was in a state of shock. Inside the rainbow milk, there was a single, tiny golden-crimson rose-shaped candy, and the whole thing exuded a powerful aura of divinity.

Doctor Guang mumbled, "How can a candy look so lifelike?"

"The energy coming from it is amazing," Doctor Hei commented.

There is a reddish-purple barrier surrounding the treehouse; it is a protective barrier that can conceal things from heaven itself and can only be constructed by the Four High Gods. Ye Jieye looked at their minions at the side and softly asked them to create a barrier.

Mo Xuejing had Anxia on his lap and suddenly glanced at his son. "Xiao Jing stays at the side with your uncles. You might get affected by it."

"No, I want to stay here!" Ye Jingxia said.

Ye Jieye said, "Be good. You are an ice and darkness elemental user. While your sister is a fire and ice elemental user, you may be able to block the ice, but what if she used fire? Stay with your uncles for now."

Ye Jingxia wanted to complain, but his sister, who was holding his hand, let him go and patted him with a smile.

"Ge... Gege~ go... I will beh fune!" Princess Anxia comforted her brother. "Dhadha and Baba... Profect meh!"

Chapter 1254: First Grey Star - Treating Princess Anxia's Physical Defects

Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing sat on the ground facing each other, staring at their daughter, Ye Anxia, who was giggling, as Mo Xuejing gently fed their daughter the rose-shaped candy made from Hellish Strawberry, which Ye Anxia happily sucked on. The more she ate, the more energy from ice and fire merges into her body.

Mo Xuejing and Ye Jieye were closely watching all the changes that were happening in their daughter's body. Ye Jingxia gave in when he saw that even his sister was trying to persuade him.

Ye Anxia swirls her tongue around the delicious candy in her mouth. She was even humming with delight and mumbled, "Defish!"

"It's delicious, darling." Mo Xuejing gently corrects his princess's words.

Ye Jieye's candy melted more easily than regular candies; once in Ye Anxia's mouth, it transformed into a liquid that permeated the infant girl's body and flowed throughout her veins and meridians. Ye Jieye knew her growth had ceased upon sealing her physique, which is why, despite all these years, she is still a toddler.

The little princess has a subtle golden glow emanating from her body; those who are acquainted with this energy know that this is a hint of divinity that was thought to be a hidden effect from a god-grade ingredient. Ye Jieye made a special candy consisting of two god-grade ingredients: a lotus seed and god-grade Hellish strawberry.

When the candy's effects were fully realized, a strong surge of frost emerged from the little girl, covering the entire interior of the restaurant in a layer of snow that Mo Xuejing stopped from spreading outside. This time, the frost was followed immediately by a white flame, the hottest flame since the hell flames.

The two doctors were astounded by what they saw as Ye Jieye promptly shielded everyone and watched as he controlled the spreading blue fire like a regular flame, morphing into the shape of a phoenix and flying above Ye Anxia, bowing down and staying at the side when Ye Jieye gives it a glance.

Doctor Guang mumbled, "Though I know that the Lu Clan is the Fire Elemental Clan, this scene of servile is not something we can see every day. That blue is obviously an effect of her special physique. She also inherited her parents' great talents."

"The son is an ice and darkness elemental user while the daughter is a fire and ice elemental user. Both are dual ability wielders, which are supposed to be rare. Is it because their bloodlines are powerful?" Doctor Hei mutters.

Ye Jieye controlled his qi and gave his daughter a cute princess dress that was full of lace and fluffy, but instead of being the typical pink color, it is white and blue. Under everyone's eyes, the toddler little princess grew at a very fast pace. She now has a body that is similar to her age and can stand on her two feet rather than crawl like the baby she used to be.

Even her speech is now straight and does not have to be babbled.. Mo Xuejing and Ye Jieye were smiling at such a scene. It was definitely a scene that gave them extreme happiness.

After her physique is fully awakened, Ye Anxia is now able to freely control fire and ice. She had always been outgoing and a bit of a bully.

With an innocent yet mischievous smile on her chubby face, she turned the whole restaurant into an ice field full of snow and threw a snowball at her brother's face. As for Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing, they already stood up, looking at their daughter, who is now cured.

Ye Anxia said, "Gege, play with me."

"Okay, let's play!" Ye Jingxia said as he grabbed a little snow on the floor and played with his sister.

"Wow, she is so pretty," Doctor Guang said. "Darling, let Uncle Guang play with you too!"

"No! Daddy says to stay away from stupid people. It's contagious!" Ye Anxia declared, leaving Doctor Guang dumbfounded.

Meanwhile, everyone was stunned at first and laughed at them. Doctor Guang's silly expression becomes proof of his stupidity.

Hahahaha~

Doctor Hei was even hitting his thigh as he laughed. "B-Brother, it seems that the little princess hates you."

What Doctor Hei didn't expect was that Princess Anxia pointed her fingers at him and shouted, "Black Bellied!"

Doctor Guang laughed at Doctor Hei, who was flabbergasted, the corner of his pleasant face twitching. This was the first time he had ever seen his twin so stunned; they had been taken off guard by the simple words of the mischievous princess.

Pfft! Hahaha~

"Hei, it seems that the little princess can see through you~ haha! This is the first time I see you react like this," Doctor Guang said.

The children played a lot and were excited for that short hour until they dropped down; the snowy area of Ye Anxia vanished with a single wave of Mo Xuejing's hands, and he carried Anxia and Ye Jieye to the second floor to sleep. Mo Xuejing and Ye Jieye watched their children play for an hour before finally picking them up after they fell asleep on the snow.

During the course of his daughter's awakening, Ye Jieye turned back the clock in the restaurant and fixed all of the broken tables and chairs. Lu Shang and Leica were already accustomed to this scene, but the two doctors were once again taken aback by this act of time travel.

Seeing the two doctors stunned at the corner, Leica helped them wake up but at the same time stopped them from asking more. Ye Jieye ignored their questioning gaze.

Ye Jieye said, "Shang, send a letter to the capital. Inform the elders about Anxia's complete awakening. Tell them she is okay now. Also, ask that elite team they were sending to us to prepare to leave for the Anairam Trench in three days."

"Yes, my lord," Lu Shang said.

Ye Jieye added, "You just can leave now." As he walks up to the second floor to join with his family and rest for the night.

Doctors Guang and Hei were dragged by Lu Shang and Leica back to the Mayor's House for a rest, after which they cleaned up and turned off the lights in the restaurant. En route back, the two doctors could not resist asking Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing, two of their close subordinates.

Doctor Guang spoke, "Hey! That's time element ability, right? Did your boss be able to use it however he wanted?"

"I don't know," Lu Shang replied, obviously having no intention of continuing this conversation.

Doctor Hei said, "Maybe he wasn't like that from the beginning. Rumors say that Satan had lost his memories before, and he didn't even recognize Lord Mo the first time they'd met. No, it's more like he had changed into another person instead."

This comment made Lu Shang halt his strides and turn around, looking at Doctor Hei with an expressionless face.

"Stop fishing. What you are allowed to know will be shared. But things you aren't allowed to know cannot be pried upon. There are also certain things that must be left unsaid because some consequences are something beyond your control."

Lu Shang's words are a clear warning, and it is surprising that Leica was even trying to meditate between them. Leica usually would help smooth things out between the two parties when Lu Shang said something straight forward, but this time, he does not care at all. It seems that Doctor Hei has overstepped his boundaries.

Doctor Hei, upon noticing the awkwardness in the atmosphere, raised his hand in surrender, obviously signifying that he would no longer ask.

Leica said with a meaningful smile, "I don't know your real reason for approaching our group. You aren't like Guang, who came because of his boss. You came for another reason. We don't really mind what you are thinking as long as the lords, the young lord, and the princess are unharmed."

"I have no intention of harming them. This I promise," Doctor Hei said.

Leica followed his lover with a rare smile on his face, though it looks so fake; the two doctors followed the two with unknown thoughts for themselves. Lu Shang snorted as if laughing at his words and walked away once more. This is a man who exterminated a whole race under the orders of his lords, so a mere Doctor Hei does not even enter his eyes.

Meanwhile, in the middle the sea,

At the Anairam Trench's Entrance

After hearing that Ye Jieye and his party were returning to his domain, Heavenly Guardian Fei was so terrified that he locked himself in his clam bed and sent his servants to bang on it every day.

"Master, you haven't eaten for a whole day now. Please come out." A siren maid comes knocking on the exterior of a large white clam.

Knock. Knock.

Heavenly Guardian Fei responded from the inside. "I'm not coming out. I don't want to meet anyone. If Satan and his group come over, tell them I'm in seclusion."

"Master, what do you need a sect for? Satan hasn't come over yet. They say they would come over in three days. Please do your work!"

"Three days! I still have time to escape. Help me pack up everything in the mansion. Packed this mansion itself!" Heavenly Guardian Fei commanded as the huge white clam opened, revealing a mermaid wearing a bear upper pajama and hugging a pillow in his arms.

His followers, the fishmen and siren, stared at their master helplessly; aside from his strength, his master is no more advanced than a toddler. He just knows how to fight. He cannot use his intellect.

"Master, eat first."

"Bring over the work that needs the Lord's crest stamp!"

"Fall in line. Don't cut in!"

"Call the others before the Lord closes himself off again."

The owner and protector of this place, Heavenly Guardian Fei disregarded his orders to pack up and go. He simply could not leave because he felt like it. He wanted to remind them, but a mountain of work and food was put in front of him. His words were buried under his duties, and after a while he forgot that he wanted to leave before the threat of his life arrived in his territory.

This stupid mermaid was traumatized by being beaten nearly to death by Mo Xuejing. He was locked up in this place despite being a small tyrant and having destroyed his own bully tribe. He still had enough strength to fight the other Heavenly Guardians. He was just not used to using his brain to fight.

In the past few days, the ruins of time have been quite unexpected.

Every day Mu Zang comes over here to guard the stone entrance to that unknown dungeon; in his heart, he believes that his beloved husband is still alive, as are his son and son-in-law, and that his grandson's body is safe. This was all very different from what Ye Jieye said about it showing some signs of glitches, which affected its seal.

His life is the same as it was before he regained his abilities. Ye Jieye, his grandson, has become his greatest ally, and no one dares to move him—not even the palace stirs away from him—because what Ye Jieye did to punish Yi Kun, the former Heavenly Guardian, and the barbarians was beyond the reach of the crown and was, in their eyes, a display of power akin to that of a god.

A brief, quiet moment was being enjoyed by all in this world, but in the thoughts of the citizens, Ye Jieye is no different from the deity of death and judgment; in actuality, this beautiful moment is no different from the calm that preceded the enormous storm.

Chapter 1255: First Grey Star - The Silly Fish fainted.

Three days later...

Danger Zone, Anairam Trench's Entrance.

This place also offers escort service inside, so there are a lot of hunters entering this dangerous hunting zone. In addition, most of the ingredients available in this danger zone are legendary-grade and above. Since human hunters find it difficult to fight underwater, the escort service that is offered is in high demand. The business in this danger zone is still as popular as it always has been.

It can be said that Heavenly Guardian Fei's business is quite blossoming; he just needs to fight off some ingredients that want to go to the surface, and his strength is enough. There are some merman guards watching over the entrance. They only need to keep the place in order to protect it. Their master will do so.

Normally, it was a typical day for the people under Heavenly Guardian Fei to welcome guests and keep the place in order. Only Joker-class hunters hunt alone in such a place, and the majority of them requested to be escorted.

Unexpectedly, there are more elite groups gathered at the entrance today. The Fishmen guards and other hunters at the scene looked at the small group of six people who appeared to be elite hunters, and they instantly recognized them as hunters connected to the Mo and Lu Clans when they saw the crest of the flaming lion and white snake.

"Who are these hunters? Most of them are spade-class. There are even two Joker-class!?"

"Maybe they are here to hunt on the ocean floor?"

"Is that even possible? I heard I can at most reach the middle region. The ocean floor is in the core region. One sea creature lives there."

"The Lu and Mo Clans are the family of Satan and his wife. Does that mean they care about coming over as well?"

Almost everyone in the crowd was taken aback by this question, and they became ecstatic at the prospect of meeting their idols. It could be argued that Satan and his wife had already achieved the image of God in the hearts of these hunters. After all, their strength was greater than that of the Joker-class hunters, and they were already on par with or stronger than the Heavenly Guardians.

In the office of Heavenly Guardian Fei, who has been overworked for three days and is now slumped on his own table, his subordinates have locked his clamshell bed. When the Fishermen guards heard the possibility of Satan's appearance, he dashed inside to inform the master.

In the office of Heavenly Guardian Fei, piles of waterproof papers were stacked at towable heights, and sirens moved them in and out.

After skipping work for days, his responsibilities were stacking up, and he had been working on them for three days straight. He had even forgotten about his escape preparations before the source of his trauma arrived in his territory.

Heavenly Guardian Fei said, "No more. I don't have energy. I can't feel my hands anymore. Let's rest. Let me sleep!!!"

For a high-grade mermaid like him, even if he does not sleep for a month, he will still be full of strength. However, his stress meter had reached the breaking point, making Heavenly Guardian Fei more exhausted than if he had been fighting all day. This was because his subordinates were cruel and would not let him sleep, and he could only eat in the middle of his work.

"Master, you can eat lunch after this last batch. There is still another room half filled with work when you lock yourself in your clam bed."

"One more day of work. Master, I can finally sleep starting tomorrow."

"Little demons. You guys are so bad. I'm so hungry. Serve me food first!" Heavenly Guardian Fei requested.

The group of sirens looked at each other, helpless; their master is strong, but not too smart, and he hates to work; these past few days, all he is done is stamp those papers, since most of them had been examined and only required approval; their master's moodiness had caused many contracts and projects to be delayed.

"Okay, Master. Eat as you work."

"Someone serves lunch to the master!"

A few other palace servants bring it trays of food; Heavenly Guardian Fei's subordinates cleared part of the table, and the dish was placed on it, covered with bubble wrap to keep it warm; while the master of the house was eating, a large bubble formed on the table, enclosing Heavenly Guardian Fei; the food inside the bubble fell gently onto the table; only the interior of the bubble is dry, since their master prefers cooked food to raw; this danger zone is where most of the ingredients are found.

Huge grilled salmon, steamed mackerel, takoyaki, and okonomiyaki were among the many varieties of clams that were placed on the table in front of Heavenly Guardian Fei.

Heavenly Guardian Fei's nose was assaulted with such delectable dishes that he could not contain his drool and began to eat, seeing the small pile of food in front of him getting smaller and smaller until his subordinates asked the kitchen to bring their master more of everything.

Heavenly Guardian Fei is quite a foodie. Once he held a fork and knife in his hands, he wouldn't stop eating until everything on the table disappeared. While the master of the house was enjoying his lunch, a fisherman came running to report.

"Master! Master! There is an urgent report!"

"What's wrong with you? Don't you see that I am eating? Whatever, just report immediately since it's an emergency." Heavenly Guardian Fei choked a bit after swallowing a fist-sized Takoyaki just now and was sipping his tea. He listened to the report as he drank his tea.

"Master, a group of elite hunters ranging from Spade to Joker class had arrived at the gates. They were wearing clothes with the crests of the Lu and Mo Clans! The others had speculated that maybe Venerable Lord Satan and his wife would come by as well."

Splurts!!!

Heavenly Guardian Fei choked on his tea and couldn't help but burst it out of his mouth in shock. He even burned his tongue with how hot the tea is—not that it even landed on his clothes—and he started jumping around.

"Hot. Hot. HOT!!!"

The water that poured down on him was caused by his subordinates popping the bubble around his table, which ruined his lunch and was quickly cleaned up by the servants. Heavenly Guardian Fei remembers the report's contents only after the burning sensation has subsided, and he only remembers the last sentence.

'Satan and his wife are coming.'

'They are coming.'

'To his place!?'

SHRIEKS~

Upon realizing this, Heavenly Guardian Fei let out a terrible cry of fear. Some mermaids attack with their voices, a sound that is primarily audible to marine life. The sirens, fishmen, mermaids, and other sea creatures that are sentient all felt their eardrums burst, with some sirens swimming straight towards their master and covering his mouth. Heavenly Guardian Fei even fought between them.

Puhaa!!!

After he won the struggle to remove the hands covering his mouth, Heavenly Guardian Fei begged, "Let me go! I need to escape. Since they are still not here, it's not too late to run!"

"Master, you can't run. You owned this place. If the owner is gone, we cannot run the business."

"Master, think about your food, your treasures, and the money!"

"Master, the Venerable Lords wouldn't come here to harm you. They might be our potential customers. As long as we serve them right, what happened in the past will be forgotten."

"Master...."

These words were convincing, but not enough for the traumatized fish that almost had all his scales removed by Mo Xuejing. "Ahhhh! No. No. No. Let me go.

I want to run. I want to hide."

"Ah! Report there...!???"

One of Heavenly Guardian Fei's direct subordinates noticed the second fisherman guard's arrival and was taken aback, as was his coworker, who is now staring at the scene of their master shouting about wanting to flee.

"What is it now? Don't you see how busy we are!?"

"Reporting to the superior! Venerable Lord Satan, his wife, children, and a few of their subordinates had come over asking for permission to enter the danger zone!"

The moment this report echoes in the office, the sirens holding on to their master and the struggling Heavenly Guardian Fei look at the guard with an astonished look.

Heavenly Guardian Fei asked, "What did you say?"

"Yes, Master! Reporting that Venerable Lord Satan and his group request permission to enter the Anairam Trench!"

"Heh... Hehehe~" Heavenly Guardian Fei's eyes rolled, and he fainted on the spot.

"Ah! Master!!!"

The two Fishmen guards were taken aback by the scene. It was the first time they had seen the master of the house faint, as if he had seen a ghost. His face turned pale white, and his eyes rolled over, revealing only the white in his eyes. The sirens scrambled to check on their master and tried to wake him up, but to no avail.

"Master, please wake up!"

"Someone! Call the Sea Witch Doctor!"

"What should we do? We cannot let the Venerable Lords wait!"

"How about we let them in first!?"

"They should be able to enter the ocean floor. Should we give a map?"

"Whatever service it is, give it all to their group!"

In the end, the subordinates of Heavenly Guardian Fei felt that leaving the Venerable Lords waiting outside was rude and had to order people to bring them over.

Meanwhile, at the gates of Anairam Trench...

Ye Jieye and his group had just arrived in the Anairam Trench area, having traveled there on Roi's back. They were given a water bead by a fisherman guard, which allowed them to breathe and move

underwater. The water bead also prevented water from penetrating their skin, allowing human hunters to enter the underwater Anairam Trench.

However, the effects of each water bead were only temporary, requiring them to eat another one before the effects of the first one vanished.

The Fishmen guard escorted them to the gates, where they met the group of six hunters sent by their clan. Lu Ming's small group had also just arrived a few minutes after them.

"Lord Ye, Lord Mo, the Ancestors sent us here to serve you." A middle-aged handsome man greeted the two heirs. His group members also followed after him and politely greeted their clan heirs.

Ye Jieye gave them a nod, while Mo Xuejing just smiled at them. It was Lu Shang and Leica who took over the command of this group.

Lu Shang said to them, "Once we enter the trench, the command will be on me. According to the rules the ancestors had promised, you must obey our words. I will be the one training you inside as well. Do you understand?"

"Yes, Young Lord Lu!" The six collectively responded.

Seeing his brother and the rest, Lu Ming joined their group and heard what his elder brother said. As expected, Lu Shang looked to their group next and said, "You four will join in their group and follow the same training regime I will give later."

"We understand, Big Brother," Lu Ming said.

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Ye Anxia calls, "Uncle Mingming! How have you become dark?"

After being abandoned in the capital, Lu Ming and his group were taken prisoner by the Heavenly Guardians, who trained them like Spartans for the last few days. Lu Ming's skin had turned tanned from daily sun exposure, and the baby girl who inherited her father's flawless complexion felt that Lu Ming's tanned skin was burned.

"Little fairy, are you lost? What is your name? Can you call me brother instead of uncle?" Lu Ming said.

Ye Anxia pouted. "No! You are uncle! Not big brother! Xiaxia is already has a big brother. It's not you!"

"Xiaxia?" Lu Ming calls.

Only then did his group recognize the little girl. They were a bit speechless and couldn't believe it at first until Ye Jingxia swam to their side and held his sister's hand.

Ye Jingxia said, "Xiaxia, don't get separated from your big brother. There are lots of bad guys in the world." Then he noticed his uncle's face. "Eh? Uncle Ming, Uncle Yu, Uncle Jin, and Uncle Ji? Are you also here to hunt? This we can go to too."

Daddy and Papa brought us here to play!"

Mo Yuhan was shocked. "Wait? Xiao Jing? Then. Is this baby girl really Xiao Xia?"

"Yes. Daddy and Papa cured her three days ago. She is completely healthy now, so we can join the hunt with Daddy and Papa." Ye Jingxia gave a positive answer to Mo Yuhan's question.

Chapter 1256: First Grey Star - Anairam Trench

It is undeniable that the little princess has changed from a toddler who can only crawl to a baby who can walk. Lu Ming and his group were shocked to see Ye Anxia, who had grown up a lot. They were surprised to see the toddler grow up this much in only a few days.

Bewildered, Ye Jingxia asked, "What's wrong, Uncle Ming? You look a bit... stupid?"

"Pfft! Xiao Jing, can you explain what happened to your sister? Isn't she just a toddler? How could she grow big like this in just three days!?" Mo Yuhan asked in disbelief.

Ye Jingxia looked at his uncles strangely, as if asking what was wrong with that. He can only explain what he knows and say, "It's normal. According to Xiaxia's age, this is her real size. The only reason she can't grow before is because Papa sealed her body to keep her physique from awakening. He used time elements to stop her time temporarily.

Now that she is cured, of course her body will grow back to normal. What's wrong with it?"

They were shocked to learn that Ye Anxia had experienced a sudden growth spurt, but they are even more shocked to learn that Ye Jieye possesses the ability to wield time elements, which are even more uncommon than light and dark elements.

In addition, Ye Jieye's power has been demonstrated by the fact that she has been using her time element for years on the young girl and that it has not been deactivated since the girl first experienced the effects of her physique.

Ye Xiajie took over, and Ye Anxia stopped being sickly like the original Ye Jieye because the seal on the little princess had been used constantly and had never been deactivated until the day they cured her defects. In actuality, the original Ye Jieye was only able to use a small amount of time elements on her daughter whenever her sickness flared.

Lu Ming and Mo Yuhan exclaim. "Time Elements!? He can use Time Elements!"

"He didn't before..."

Ji Yoonjun covered Su Jin's mouth with his hand as he shook his head, signaling that he should stop talking. He then glanced over at Doctor Hei, who was standing nearby, and Su Jin understood immediately, nodding his head. Ji Yoonjun then withdrew his hand from Su Jin's mouth, but it appears that Doctor Hei had already heard what Su Jin had to say.

As they are conversing, a few Fishmen guards approach their group. Unlike before, when they were casually in their presence, this time there is a hint of respect and admiration.

A fisherman guard said, "This way, please. The master of the place told us to escort the Venerable Lords and their group."

"Show the way," Lu Shang said.

Ye Jieye and the group were able to enter the trench through the fishermen guards, because the seal that once allowed entry but prevented exit was destroyed by men sent by Heavenly Guardian Yi Kun.

The latter actually intended to use Heavenly Guardian Fei as a tool for his plans, but because Mo Xuejing traumatized him the last time he was beaten half dead, Heavenly Guardian Fei immediately withdrew when he learned that the Lu and Mo Clans were involved in the plan. He never wants to see those two men again.

Since Ye Jieye is Satan, a famous hunter whom all hunters fear and revere, the other hunters were not complaining that he and his group had been granted special access to the danger zone; in fact, even though the place's master had not given him any special treatment, they were all willing to make way for them to continue.

Inside the outer region of Anairam Trench.

Completely different from the dark and full of stone walls before, the whole outer region of Anairam Trench had undergone huge changes.

They had polished the floor and walls to a smooth surface, pasted wallpaper and a carpet in every direction, and hung night pearls the size of a human head with seashell and pearl decorations on either side. They had to swim instead of walk in the water, but the feeling of being in a tunnel is more confining than the open, unrestricted world outside.

"Gege, you can't catch me," Ye Anxia said as she swam around while being chased by Ye Jingxia.

Swimming around like this, it wouldn't be surprising for one to get separated from their group and get lost, especially for children like these two.

Lu Ming immediately chased after the other three members of his group. "Don't run! You'll bump into someone!!"

"Hahaha~ Uncle Mingming chased Xiaxia as well."

"This time, Uncle Ming and Uncle Yu are it!" Ye Jingxia said.

Lu Ming and his group were assigned to babysit the two children by their cousins; of course, the two systems are with them as well, though hidden. Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia were fearless because they knew their parents were with them. So they can swim around without restraints and even play tag as they dodge some other people on the way.

Ye Jieye and the others followed the guards of the fishermen to an underwater palace; the palace is exactly like the imperial palace in the capital city, with the exception of its design, which is based on seashells and other marine materials. The reactions of Ye Jieye, Mo Xuejing, Lu Shang, Leica, and Ji Yoonjun were ambivalent.

Those of the others were in awe of the underwater palace, which is an extremely difficult example of human architecture.

The two children were quite amazed as well, but compared to their house in Vearth, it can only be considered a small room at most.

"It's pretty and sparkling~" Ye Anxia said as her eyes lingered at the colorful pearls in front of the palace.

"Huge sea monster bones! It's my first time seeing one like this. I wonder if it can talk when it's alive," Ye Jingxia mumbles.

Ye Jingxia's eyes didn't catch the colorful pearls like his sister's. Instead, the huge sea monster bones displayed in the garden made him a bit interested.

Su Jin, who heard his words, said, "Xiao Jing monsters can't talk."

The two brats spun around and gave him a confused look; raised among godly divine monsters such as dragons, tree gods, phoenixes, and the like, they looked at Su Jin as though they did not trust what he had said.

Ye Jingxia said, "They can speak. Uncle Roi can speak. How come other monsters or beasts wouldn't be able to do so?"

"That's right, Uncle Su. Big ones can speak to us. It's just that their language is different from what we know," Ye Anxia said.

In disbelief, Mo Yuhan asked, "Are you for real?"

"Young Lord, Princess, don't you want to see the interior of the Ocean Palace?" asked Ji Yoonjun, intentionally changing the subject. After all, even though the kids are telling the truth, the language they are talking about is ancient language, which is common in Vearth. It's not something a mortal can learn.

"Want!"

The two cubs eagerly swam towards the Ocean Palace as soon as Ji Yoonjun asked this question, as was to be expected. No adults dared to stop them, and babysitters Lu Ming and Mo Yuhan, along with Ji Yoonjun and Su Jin, had no choice but to chase after them. The two doctors also followed after them.

After some time, their figures vanished inside the palace, leaving the escorting Fishmen guards perplexed.

Ye Jieye left the children alone and asked the guards, "Where are you, Master? Isn't he supposed to give us permission to enter the Ocean Floor?"

The Fishmen guards were at a loss for words, barely able to decide whether to tell the truth or not, and when they saw Ye Jieye ready to lose his cool, Leica had to intervene and take command.

Leica asked, "Excuse me. If there is something that happened in this danger zone, please tell us. We are here to go to the Ocean Floor, so only the permission of the owner of this place can give that away." His smile though fake looked real for these Fishmen guards, and he confessed what truly happened.

The Fishmen guards confessed to sneaking a peek at Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing besides them. "Actually, a few hours ago, the Master was still awake while working in his office. It was only when he heard that Venerable Lord Satan and his wife were coming that he suddenly fainted."

"Fainted? What do you mean?" asked Lu Shang.

"The Master... he seems to be extremely frightened of Lord Mo after being beaten up by him before. He was traumatized. So when the master heard about the arrival of the lords, he suffered a breakdown and his eyes rolled over," the fishmen guard explained.

Hearing this, Mo Xuejing was at a loss for words. After all, he really was the one who had beaten the man black and blue. It was hardly to be anticipated that the act would cause trauma to the retards.

Pfft!

When Mo Xuejing turned around, he saw Ye Jieye's calm demeanor, as if he hadn't laughed just now. He is also pretending that he doesn't know anything.

Mo Xuejing mumbles, "That wasn't entirely my fault. He is just too weak. Who asked him to anger me?"

Everybody, especially the hunters from their clans, could not help but stare at him in wonder, fear, and surprise. For all their knowledge of Satan's unmatched might, they had no idea that the Mo Clan heir also happened to be a freak, much like his husband.

"It seems that the rumors about Lord Mo beating up Heavenly Guardian Fei are real!"

"Does that mean that the couple both possessed strength beyond Heavenly Guardians? That's amazing!"

"No wonder they are together. They suit one another."

The whispering of the hunters behind them cannot be ignored, and Lu Shang had to reprimand them.

The two Joker-class hunters in the group were also unexpectedly suppressed by Lu Shang's spread aura, which caused the six men to fall to the ground. The other hunters stared at Lu Shang in shock, but they should have expected such strength given that he is the direct subordinate of Satan.

Leica said, "My lords, we shall wait here until you finish your business inside. They needed to warm up after all."

After a silent agreement, Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing headed for the Ocean Palace, where they sought out Heavenly Guardian Fei's token to allow them to enter the ocean floor without the sea protector attacking—it would not be good if this couple killed the guardian beast of this danger zone by mistake.

Meanwhile, inside the Ocean Palace...

Lu Ming was looking around in panic as he lost his nephew and niece. The two cubs were swimming too fast for their babysitters to catch them. They are having so much fun coming out of the house and being on vacation with their parents that they played wildly in this danger zone. In any case, they would not be in real danger at all.

"Ah! Where did they go? Xiao Jing! Xiaxia! Come out now!"

"How could they swim so fast?" Su Jin said while panting.

Mo Yuhan smiled helplessly, as he knew the reason why. "They must be capable of turning ice to water. Controlling water makes you move faster underwater. But it's very hard to transform something solid to liquid at will. Even I can barely change the components of my ice ability. But those two are children of my cousin's."

"It's most likely an inherited talent from Lord Mo," Doctor Hei said.

Doctor Guang, who was wheezing among them, could only be carried the entire distance by his twin brother because he is not very strong at swimming and is somewhat overweight. At this point, a rope fastened to Doctor Guang's right hand was tied around his thick waist, allowing the group to pull him over whenever he became fatigued.

"Ha. Ha. Ha~ I shouldn't have come after all," Doctor Guang said.

Su Jin said, "Who told you to be a glutton!? You instantly chose to join after hearing that there would be various seafood ingredients in this danger zone."

"When I heard... you ate a lot of... the big boss's cooking... It feels... unfair. I want to eat his delicious cooking too!" Doctor Guang said.

Ji Yoonjun and Doctor Hei gave this man a sneer. Only at times like this is the reaction of these two men synchronized.

Ji Yoonjun said, "We must find the Young Lord and the Princess. This Palace is not our territory after all. There might be hidden dangers in this place."

"Should we split up and look for them?" Lu Ming asked, and everyone agreed to this suggestion.

Six of them split up into pairs: Lu Ming and Su Jin, who were Lu Ming's lovers. Mo Yuhan and Doctor Guang became friends; Ji Yoonjun and Doctor Hei, who seemed to have no mutual interest at all. The other four felt uncomfortable with this pairing. As for the other end of the rope tied around Guang, Mo Yuhan is the one holding it now.

Su Jin said, "Should I be paired with Brother Ji?"

"No need. Let's not waste any more time," Ji Yoonjun said as he swam away. Doctor Hei, who had a smirk following after him, gave a feeling of discomfort to the other two pairs.

Mo Yuhan asked, "Do you think they will be alright?"

"Well, my brother is mean by nature, but I don't know if he will tease or scheme against Ji Yoonjun," Doctor Guang said.

Lu Ming said, "It should be alright. After all, Yoonjun is... you know." Except for Doctor Hei, the four of them knew about Ji Yoonjun being a god from another world.

Worriedly, Su Jin mumbled. "Brother Ji wouldn't kill him, right?"

Everyone, "..."

Chapter 1257: First Grey Star - Heavenly Guardian Fei and the two cubs.

Inside the Ocean Palace...

Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia hurried off and concealed their presence while they hid, knowing that their uncles would make every effort to find them both. They did this in order to play a game of hide and seek with their uncles.

The two cubs decided to explore the largest and most opulent room in the palace, which had a dimmed interior with lots of small night pearls scattered throughout. The floor was covered in a thick, plush carpet, and there were some corals in one corner of the room that served as humidifiers.

The furniture that was familiar from the surface was also made in this room, but the materials were entirely different—the glossy rock or glass in place of wood—and the furnishings were arranged in a similar way. The two cubs really enjoyed this room's decor, which made the room feel like a planetarium.

Ye Anxia, who was holding her brother's hand, said it cheerfully. "Gege, this place is beautiful! Can Xiaxia's room become like this?"

"It's not impossible, but which room are you talking about?" asked Ye Jingxia.

He wanted to know if the room his sister was referring to was the one in the treehouse in this world or the one in Vearth, since the latter was a thousand times larger than the former. Every member of the Mo Clan has a whole floor at home, a castle and additional rooms in the main castle in the Nether System, a mansion in the God System, and a room of their own in their eldest brother's residence.

Ye Anxia understood the question and answered. "Of course! My room in this world. I'm also big now. I can continue to sleep with Daddy and Papa."

"That is also true. Then let's pick up lots of glowing things like this as we hunt. You can even choose what color you want and make your room when we get home. Anyway, we can just bring away the treehouse when we leave this world," Ye Jingxia said.

As the two cubs kept exploring, they came across the enormous white clam shell in the center of the room, which was adorned with a rainbow-colored array of pearls and diamonds, making it even more opulent than the room itself.

Ye Anxia exclaims. "What a huge clam! Gege, is this thing delicious? Let's ask Papa to cook it."

"But this thing is already dead, but there is something alive inside, not originally part of the shell. I don't think it's delicious. Xiaxia, if you're hungry, brother, have snacks with me," Ye Jingxia said as he touched his bracelet, which is a space inventory.

Just as he was taking out the food, he realized that they were submerged in water. Ye Jingxia used his water elements to turn them into water, and his father had taught him how to modify the characteristics of his ice. He then used a snap of his finger to enclose himself and his younger sister in a large bubble and to remove the liquid from their clothes.

Finally, Ye Jingxia took out a square lunch box, which had three layers, and he opened three of them, returning the others to his inventory bracelet.

When they opened their lunchboxes, they found themselves in front of a variety of snacks and foods: a box containing sandwiches with cheese, bacon, eggs and more. A second box containing fruits and soups, and a final box containing tiny cakes, chocolates, and desserts.

Ye Anxia's eyes lit up at such a sight, and she forgot all about the enormous shell that she had previously desired to eat. Since she became an adult, she has been able to eat regular meals with her brother and family and has stopped eating liquid or soft foods.

"Gege, can Xiaxia eat now?"

"Not yet. Wash your hands first. Didn't Daddy say to always wash hands first before eating?" Ye Jingxia said.

Ye Xiaxia uses her power over ice to wash her hands; like her brother, she is able to change the qualities of ice into liquid form. Ye Jingxia did not let his younger sister eat until he saw that she had cleaned her hands appropriately; instead, they decided to relax and have some afternoon snacks.

In order to help their divinity be replenished even in their mortal bodies, their father, Ye Jieye, made sure to include god-grade ingredients in their lunch box. This way, in the event of danger, they will be able to use a small portion of their original strength as gods even in mortal bodies.

The two cubs were happily eating when they noticed the enormous clam next to him that was slightly opened, revealing a pair of eyes that were peering at them through the slit.

After fainting, Heavenly Guardian Fei was taken to his room to rest. The realization that the source of his trauma had made its way to his territory shocked him so much that he fainted in instinctive fear. All it would take for him to wake up from his unconscious state would be the sounds of children talking and knocking on his door.

He realized that someone had to enter his home and that his servants and subordinates must be absent because they wanted him to get a good night's sleep.

The smell of food was calling to him from outside his shell, so he opened his shell clam bed to investigate the source of this enticing aroma. To his surprise, he discovered two cubs inside a large bubble, with three lunchboxes in the center of the bubble, each emitting a delicious smell that made him hungry.

Observing the two human cubs occupied with their meal, he extended his arm and picked up the closest egg sandwich to him; but, as he was about to remove it, a tiny, plump hand clutched his wrist.

Ye Jingxia was raised well by his father, so anytime he and his sister are not with their parents, he makes sure to keep his guard up at all times. He was aware of the slight movement of the shell behind them, but he pretended not to see it, curious to find out what the person inside was trying to accomplish.

He was already apologizing to the person inside, who was probably the owner of the room where they were trespassing, so he allowed the person to look at them from his shell without doing anything, but he scowled when the person tried to take their food.

"Wash your hands first before eating! Do you want to eat the germs in your hands!?" Ye Jingxia scolded.

Heavenly Guardian Fei was taken by surprise and fell out of his clamshell bed. Ye Jingxia, though still young, already possesses strength greater than that of adults. A light grab from him is no different than a fork being chained into something. One can hardly escape. He is not a clean freak like his father, but he still detests people eating with dirty hands, especially food shared in groups.

Heavenly Guardian Fei panicked. "Ah! Boy, let go. You're going to break Laozi's bones!"

Ye Jingxia did not care. He pulled Heavenly Guardian Fei completely into their bubbles, dried his clothes, took the sandwich, cleaned his hands, and put it back in the man's hand, not releasing his grip on his own wrist, which he had miraculously healed in the nick of time.

Hmp!

After he did as he pleased and finished his meal, Ye Jingxia disregarded him. In the meantime, Ye Anxia grinned at Heavenly Guardian Fei, noticing that half of his body was a fish with exquisitely colorful scales.

The little princess looks interested in the man's tail. "Uncle Fish, are you really a fish?"

"Laozi is half-fish. I'm a mermaid! Well, Laozi... I mean, Uncle is hungry. Can I really eat your food?" Heavenly Guardian Fei asked, looking a bit reluctant and worried.

Ye Anxia said, "It's okay. There's a lot, and Gege already washed your hands. Uncle Fish can eat as you want. Papa made us a lot of food!"

"Just eat. We entered your room without permission. Don't worry, we didn't take anything inside, and we only came to hide for a bit." Ye Jingxia said it looked a bit cold as he avoided Heavenly Guardian Fei.

Because Heavenly Guardian Fei loves food, he was overjoyed to be permitted to eat as much as he wanted. Ye Jingxia glanced at him as if he were seeing a fool, but the dumb mermaid did not appear to care that much.

Basically, Ye Jingxia had already learned from his dad that a mermaid from Anairam Trench had declared that he wanted them, the children of Satan, to be his toys. This infuriated his dad, who beat the mermaid senselessly.

When he first heard about this, he declared that in the future, Ye Jingxia planned to exact revenge on the mermaid when he saw him again, but now that he was witnessing this stupid, almost innocent-looking half-fish, a foodie doubted that story.

Ye Jingxia's thoughts: 'Is this really the same mermaid daddy had beaten up before? Did he get beaten up too much by his dad and end up becoming silly?'

Ye Jingxia, the little young lord of the Ye Family, felt he was taking care of two hamsters rather than witnessing the happiness that glowed in their eyes as they ate, as he saw the foolish half-fish and his cute younger sister getting along well.

When the owner of the room decided to flush out all the water in the room and let Heavenly Guardian Feu and little princess Anxia roam freely in his place with their two feet, all the lights in the room turned on. Heavenly Guardian Feu then climbed back to his own bed, and the owner of the room is once again lying sideways on top of his opened clamshell bed.

Initially, Heavenly Guardian Fei and little princess Anxia were lying on the fluffy carpet.

Heavenly Guardian Fei spoke, "So, you came into my palace with your parents. You got separated and decided to play hide and seek with your babysitters, then got lost in my room. So, is your family here to hunt? Do you want my permission? Wait, I should have my scales here."

The two cubs wait for the half-fish to rummage under the fluffy mattress inside the shell as if digging something in.

"Found it. This is for you guys!"

Heavenly Guardian Fei hurled a handful of vibrant scales at the two cubs, and they instantly found themselves engulfed in a flurry of rainbow-hued scales, resembling drops of water.

"This is like my jade token. With it you guys should be able to go anywhere in this ocean. But be careful of two things. There is a huge grumpy kraken at the ocean floor. That thing is old and can speak human, but he is mean. Stay away from it or it will take all your things.

The second one is the strange black swamp in the corner of the underwater special region. Though it doesn't seem to be harmful, I heard it sucked a lot of living things as if it were eating them. As long as you don't go near it, you guys will be okay," Heavenly Guardian Fei said.

"Keep the scale with you at all times in the sea. Even if you run out of water beads, that scale will allow you to breathe underwater. Yawns~ I'm so sleepy again."

Heavenly Guardian Fei controlled for the water to return inside the room. His clam shell bed is about to close again. "Uncle is sleepy after eating. You guys should go out and find your people. See you again next time~" Only then did the clam shell completely close and the lights in the room once again turn dim.

Ye Anxia waved her hand and said to Heavenly Guardian Fei. "Good night, Uncle Fish."

"Let's go, Xiaxia." Ye Jingxia held his sister's hand and left the room, allowing the man to peacefully sleep inside his shell.

Chapter 1258: First Grey Star - The three pairs.

Ocean Palace

As arranged, Lu Ming and the others divided into pairs and set out to find the two missing cubs. While they were concerned about what would happen to Ji Yoonjun and Doctor Hei's pair, they had to focus on finding the two missing cubs because if they lost those two brats, Lord Ye Jieye would undoubtedly kill them.

Once the six of them had divided up, they went in different directions: Su Jin and Lu Ming checked the upper floors, Mo Yuhan and Doctor Guang checked the underground, Ji Yoonjun and Doctor Hei checked the outside, and the two sides and the backyard were assigned to them to inspect.

From the viewpoint of Doctor Guang and Mo Yuhan, the mansion consists of just two floors; they had examined the first floor and discovered no evidence of the two mischievous cubs; the subterranean floor resembled a basement, devoid of carpets or night pearls, and completely dark; the polished smooth floor contrasted with rough, unrefined walls and ceiling; the only thing separating it from the other floor is that it is completely devoid of water, requiring people to walk on foot.

Doctor Guang said, "This place is creepy. How can there be no water in this place? Is this an underground dungeon or something?"

"If it is, how come there aren't guards? Moreover, the guard only stays outside the palace but not inside. This whole palace is strange," Mo Yuhan said.

Doctor Guang said, "I don't think that Xiao Jing and Xiaxia will go to this place. Should we go back?"

"No. As if you don't know how fearless those two are. Even if they are surrounded by ghosts, they will only think it's fun and interesting. These kinds of places are what children like to go to the most," Mo Yuhan reasoned out.

This young master's logic makes sense. Bloodline Mo freaks are fearless, no doubt, but he had forgotten that they are also clean freaks, and they would never choose to hide in a location like this, not with its muddy fragrance.

The two had no choice but to continue walking the dim hallway. Fortunately, Mo Yuhan had another source of light in his bag and used it to walk through the place. After a little while walking, they finally understood why there were not any bodyguards in this place: whenever they touched something on the walls, something flew towards them.

Doctor Guang's face grew pale as he spotted arrows aimed at the two of them. If Mo Yuhan had not caught the arrow right away, his head would have been stabbed.

Doctor Guang trembles and falls to the ground, terrified. "Fudge! How can there be arrows!? Is there someone here?"

"No. I heard some kind of sound. A mechanism of some trap. This place is full of traps. We need to leave!" Mo Yuhan said, but as soon as he stepped forward, the area where his foot was lowered and another round of sounds that were similar to those before could be heard.

Whoosh. Whoosh. Bang!

This time, a set of spikes from above fell on them, and Mo Yuhan had no choice but to be dragged away from the doctor with him and escape the falling traps. Mo Yuhan and Doctor Guang looked at each other with ugly, crying faces, and they looked around the empty hallway with horrified expressions because they did not know how many traps were in this place.

"Is this place full of traps? What should we do?"

"Don't fear. As long as we run back to where we came from, we can escape!"

"Yes, that's right!"

The two continued their adventure, which was filled with unknown routes and traps. Just after they stood up and raised their courage,

Click!

Another triggered sound of a trap echoed in their ears when Mo Yuhan and Doctor Guang looked down. They saw both their feet sleeping on something that sunk.

Rumbles~ rumbles...

The two of them felt the earth beneath their feet tilt slightly, and Doctor Guang nearly rolled down this uneven road. Just as they thought it was over, they heard another click and the sound of something moving, and when they looked up, they saw a round stone tumbling down towards them.

"What the hell...!? A rolling stone as a trap. How cliché!" Mo Yuhan mumbles.

Seeing the huge stone rolling down towards them, Doctor Guang ran down. Maybe it was because of his weight that he ran faster than Mo Yuhan at this moment.

"Ah. Ahh~ run. Run!"

"Fuck! How come you run faster than me?"

While this pair is frantically setting off trap after trap, the other two pairs were somewhat more fortunate. Su Jin and Lu Ming happened to run into some house servants and intended to ask them if they had seen two human cubs around.

However, instead of responding to their question, they were misidentified as fellow servants, and before they could respond, they were dragged over to the palace's kitchen.

Heavenly Guardian Fei, the owner of the Ocean Palace, loves human food, so they invited (kidnapped) a human chef to work on the surface. At first, the human chefs are afraid of being surrounded by a race that lives in the water, such as mermaids, fishmen, sirens, etc., because of the differences in appearance. However, the human chef adapted to this place more easily than they anticipated.

In addition to being paid with seafaring ingredients, they were also given pearls, which are valued highly above the surface. However, in the eyes of these marine animals, pearls and corals were no more valuable than waste materials. Eventually, the humans developed a deep affection for this location and began cooking sincere meals for the Master of the Ocean Palace.

In addition, they were granted monthly leave and vacation time, allowing them to return home to their families.

The scene that Su Jin and Lu Ming saw when they were dragged into the kitchen, where they saw human chefs surrounded by creatures twice as big as they were, was shocking. However, they were not in danger, but rather these creatures were like students who came to watch here to learn how to cook food. Who would hate eating delicious food?

Moreover, the kitchen, which is surprisingly devoid of water, is where human food is prepared.

These are the voices that came from the center of the kitchen.

"That's not right! You must make the clam puke mud first."

"Ah! Don't eat with the shell!"

"That's a raw crab! At least boil it."

"Why did you peel the shrimp now? It hasn't been cooked yet."

"Hey! That golden octopus... That wouldn't happen to be one of the grandsons of Lord Kraken, wouldn't it!?"

"Ah! What are you doing!? Let go! You can't cook that!!!"

As if the kitchen staff were accustomed to this scene, a massive tentacle that resembled a huge monster octopus tentacle suddenly struck and destroyed the kitchen's walls. The human chefs fled to the corner to hide, while the other sea creatures assisted in kite-making utensils such as knives, rolling pins, ice picks, butcher knives, and more.

"Octopus! Take it down!"

"That's delicious. Maybe Kraken's tentacles are more delicious."

"Stupid! We cannot ever cut this one tentacle. We better wake up the master of the house. He loves takoyaki the most!"

Left dumbfounded, Su Jin and Lu Ming overheard the human chefs hiding in the corner.

"We shouldn't have cooked takoyaki for them."

"It's your fault. Who told you to make calamares? You even made it with a small octopus and not with squid!"

"The grilled octopus you made called them in the kitchen! You can't blame my takoyaki!"

Su Jin and Lu Ming were stunned by such sights; they had anticipated being pushed into labor upon being discovered, but now that they were exposed, they were unsure of how to respond to the terrifying and absurd scene.

Su Jin whispered, "What should we do, A'Ming?"

"Let's quietly escape," Lu Ming whispered back, but their shoulders were suddenly caught by a pair of inhuman, huge hands with webs.

It's a fisherman with a muscular upper body and a long fishtail wearing an apron on his body.

"You can't run. You still haven't peeled the potatoes yet."

Finally, the pair consisting of Ji Yoonjun and Doctor Hei left the Ocean Palace straight away and made their way to the backyard.

Unlike the backyards in the human lands, which are encircled by trees, flowers, and plants, the backyard behind the ocean palace is adorned with towering seaweeds and corals; colorful fish swim around as though they were butterflies on land, and a few manta rays swim above their heads, acting like birds in the sea.

Ji Yoonjun remained silent the entire time, only speaking to Lu Ming and Mo Yuhan when they ask him to, as his only duty in this world after his mission is Su Jin. The underwater scenery is striking in a different way than the land on the surface. It had a different kind of beauty that would not lose sight of the landscapes that humans are used to.

In fact, Ji Yoonjun feels that this doctor named Hei is different from the rest of the people in this world. As if he is an enlightened one among the mortals. All along, this doctor had been staring at him like a stalker. He was so annoyed that he treated him no different than air.

So Doctor Hei noticed the difference between Ji Yoonjun and the other three. As well as his gap in power compared to Lu Shang, Leica, and the two lords. That's why this man is so interested in him.

Doctor Hei suddenly said, "Aren't you going to look for the children? This place doesn't seem like something they would be interested in. You should know it as it feels too desolated and boring in this area. Those two young ones will not come over here."

"I know. I came here for another reason," Ji Yoonjun said as he turned around and looked at Doctor Hei with a serious look.

Suddenly realizing that he had been caught, Doctor Hei smiled. "So it is because of me."

"You kept on staring at me as if observing me," Ji Yoonjun said.

Doctor Hei asked teasingly, "Why didn't you think that maybe I might just have fallen for you?"

"Your eyes are cold and have no affection; instead, they're filled with entertainment and curiosity. You are not in love with me." Ji Yoonjun thought of something and said, "I see. You have met the original Ji Yoonjun, haven't you?"

"Is it alright for you to tell others about your identity and that vessel? Aren't you afraid I might tell others about it?" Doctor Hei said.

Ji Yoonjun raised an eyebrow at him as if looking at some fool. "Who would believe you even if you said so?"

"You're right. The three who were always with you seem to already know about your identity. Moreover, it seems that you weren't even afraid of the crown knowing. The reason for that is either you have solid backing or have never been afraid of being caught. Maybe it's both," Doctor Hei said.

At his words, Ji Yoonjun's expression darkened. It seemed that this man was aware of the strangeness of the Lords; even though he knew that the Lords might never give a damn about such mortals, he still had a duty to stop him if he attempted to stray from their plans. Observing this abrupt shift in the atmosphere surrounding Ji Yoonjun, Doctor Hei also darkened.

The aura that had previously surrounded this young man gradually faded, replaced by an aura that seemed to harbor murderous thoughts towards him.

Doctor Hei's thoughts: 'Doesn't this seem a bit dangerous?'

Chapter 1259: First Grey Star - Doctor Hei's Ability

Ocean Palace's Backyard...

A tense exchange of words ensued between Ji Yoonjun and Doctor Hei, with the latter seeming to assume that Ji Yoonjun already knew everything, even if it is impossible for a mortal, even an enlightened one, to know about his mission and the existence of the Lord. This could only indicate that the doctor is an outsider, just like him.

However, Ji Yoonjun was unaware that Doctor Hei was merely attempting to gather information from him.

When Ji Yoonjun expressed his desire to kill him, Doctor Hei stopped acting like the strange man he was, even though the reason for his strange gaze was not merely his curiosity about who he was.

Doctor Hei said, "Ah, don't. Don't. I don't know anything about you. The only reason I'm observing you is because my ability to attract isn't affecting you at all. There is also Lu Shang, Leica, and the two Heirs. That's why I thought maybe there is something about that that is weird.

That's really all!"

Doctor Hei was so surprised by Ji Yoonjun's slow speech that he even raised his hands to show it. However, after hearing his words, Ji Yoonjun became more composed and his desire to kill the man in front of him had lessened. It appears that although Doctor Hei is distinct from the other mortals, he is not the same as the destroyers who sneak into worlds and wipe out everything.

Ji Yoonjun asked, "What kind of ability is it? Show me?"

"I don't mind showing you, but since it doesn't work on you, to whom should I try it?" Doctor Hei asked.

Ji Yoonjun heard his ability is close to seduction, but he didn't know the restrictions. "Are there any restrictions? Like living things and non-living things?"

"That... maybe I can use it on anything moving?" Doctor Hei said, a bit unsure of his ability as he had only used it on humans before.

Ji Yoonjun looked around and saw a cluster of fish swimming around the corals not far from them. He pointed at it. "Try it on those fishes."

"All of them?" asked Doctor Hei. "I've only tried it on a single target before."

"Just try it. If it fails, try it on one fish," Ji Yoonjun said.

After a moment of hesitation, Doctor Hei followed orders, controlling his pheromones and using them on the school of fish. The fish, which had been swimming freely moments earlier, suddenly turned toward him, swimming around him as if something had attracted them. Ji Yoonjun reached out to touch him, but the fish slapped his hand with their tails, shocking even Doctor Hei.

Doctor Hei mumbled in surprise, "So, it's possible to control a group. I didn't know that."

Ji Yoonjun flipped his hand, and a dagger appeared in it. He said to Doctor Hei, "Command half of them to attack me."

"O-Okay."

Even the doctor was shocked at how well Doctor Hei directed half of the fish to attack Ji Yoonjun. The fish swam quickly towards Ji Yoonjun, hoping to bite him to death, but were slain by a few swipes of his knife, turning them into sashimi.

"Wow~ you're such a badass!" Doctor Hei exclaimed.

Ji Yoonjun ignored his words and said, "Try to control them to kill themselves. I wanted to see if they could break away from your control."

"Sure," said Doctor Hei as he was asked, and he controlled the fish to kill themselves. Under the eyes of the two of them, the fish swim directly to a stone without holding back, killing themselves.

Ji Yoonjun commented, "Your skills are more interesting than I thought. Let's try it a few more times. I wanted to check on something."

"Ah, wait? What about the cubs?" Doctor Hei asked.

Ji Yoonjun said, "If the Young Lord and the Princess didn't want to be found, no matter what we do, we cannot find them. It's better to let them come out on their own. Moreover, the Lords are in the Palace; no one should be able to harm them."

He suddenly dragged the back collar of Doctor Hei and disappeared somewhere. As for where they went, no one truly knows.

Meanwhile, inside the Ocean Palace's Main Hall...

Ye Jieye and his group were being served by Heavenly Guardian Fei's confidants. The hall had been filtered without water so that the VIP guests could be served human food and drinks. Mo Xuejing, Lu Shang, Leica, and Ye Jieye were seated on the couch, waiting for the palace owner to awaken; a few mermaids and sirens stood by, ready to take orders from the guests.

Ye Jieye was serving his wife some drinks himself, looking as indifferent as ever. Lu Shang and Leica were waiting for their lords in silence, too; they had been waiting for a while, but the house's owner still had not returned, and the brats who had entered before them were nowhere to be seen.

Mo Xuejing suddenly said, "Leica, you and Shang go and find the children."

"Yes, Lord Mo." Leica and Lu Shang accepted his order.

Ye Jieye turned to face the anxious group of sea creatures in front of them, clearly fearing punishment for his failure to bring over the house master. As for Leica and Lu Shang, they obeyed and left the room.

"Where's your master? The owner of this danger zone?" Ye Jieye asked.

These aquatic animals were frightened by his expressionless yet attractive face. Despite their disparate facial preference lists, the couple between them is unquestionably more attractive than any other human couple. They looked even more stunning and handsome than the mermaids, akin to their master.

The only difference is that their presence is stronger than theirs, so they could not lie their way out.

"The Master had fainted before the Venerable Lords arrived and... still hasn't woken up."

"When we last checked, this time his shell bed was once again tightly closed, and we couldn't open it from the outside."

"Please forgive us for our incompetence! Spare us; we will do our best to serve your desires."

The sea creatures before them were all lowering their heads. These sirens and mermaids could not swim in such a place without water, but they wore an artifact around their belt that made them float in the air, and water covered their lower half, which appeared like a water-filled bubble.

Mo Xuejing said with a cold tone, "We don't really need to meet that stupid fish leader of yours. We need to enter the Ocean Floor. That place is considered the core region of this zone, and it needs his

permission to enter it. If you have his token or something that will allow us to go there, give it to us. As for that stupid fish, I will punish him when we get back."

Words have great power, and Mo Xuejing is clearly not going to take no for an answer from these individuals. He also still harbors a strong disdain for Heavenly Guardian Fei; who would love someone who intended to hurt his children? Even the spiteful Mo Xuejing would not be so tolerant.

Ye Jieye passed another cup of iced milk tea to his wife. "Baby, I made you another cup."

"Thank you, A'...A'Ye..." The pause in Mo Xuejing's words seems like he was being shy, but this reaction of his just made the smile on Ye Jieye's face brighter.

One of them sent someone to the master's office to get something they needed there, and after a while, a small box was passed to one of Heavenly Guardian Fei's confidants. The pink bubbles between the couple left the other speechless and not knowing what to say next. But after digesting the words of Mo Xuejing, they finally understood why these Venerable Lords came here.

"Venerable Lords, we heard what you wanted." The siren opened the small box, revealing a rainbow scale. "This is the token needed to enter the Ocean Floor. Please take it."

Ye Jieye took the necessary token and sipped his black coffee in silence, using Qi to take the little box without touching the other and hide it in his space inventory.

"Good work. We will take our leave as soon as the others arrive," Ye Jieye said.

The sea creature in front of Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing felt relieved to see that the special token had been accepted, and they began to tell them about the core region, providing them with all the information they needed to ensure a smooth journey while hunting. After thirty minutes, Lu Shang and Leica returned with the brats, which included the two cubs who had gone into hiding from their uncles.

"Daddy, Papa, we're back!" The two cubs said, running towards their parents for a hug.

Su Jin was fine, since he only had to assist with cooking, but Lu Ming was exhausted from his hour-long shift as an errand boy for dishwashing, peeling fruits and vegetables, and serving food to soldiers and guards at the fishing camp. Meanwhile, Doctor Guang and Mo Yuhan appeared filthy, covered in mud and dust, with an arrow protruding from their heads. Clearly, I suffered a great deal.

Although Ji Yoonjun appears to be as composed and silent as previously, Doctor Hei, who vanished along with him, appeared to have dropped a significant amount of weight. It also appears that he lost a significant amount of pheromones, since Ji Yoonjun put him in a variety of experimental settings to see how far he could go.

Doctor Guang grumbled. "Fuck that underground floor. Isn't it just a warehouse? Why have you placed too many traps?"

"Urk! I feel so sticky. That stupid squid." Mo Yuhan was currently covered with black ink from some squid creatures they fought underground.

Lu Ming said, "A plate of takoyaki. A tray of takoyaki. A box of takoyaki. Dammit! Aren't they sick of eating it? Now I feel puking just smelling that damn takoyaki."

"It's alright. I made you some octopus balls instead. Eat first. I'll save some for you!" Su Jin witnessed his lover running around the palace without rest. He can't even drink a glass of water, much less eat snacks.

"Darling, please don't give me anything with squid or octopus. I feel sick just smelling it." Lu Ming complained.

"Junjun. No more. I've already used up my pheromones!" Doctor Hei took the bowl of octopus balls, and said, "Give it! I'm starving! AH! I'm alive again!"

Lu Shang and Leica can still understand the response of the first four, but for this last pair, they truly did not know what they did and suddenly just appeared at the palace entrance when they could not find them anywhere in the palace. Ji Yoonjun gave him a cold look and turned his head away, pretending not to hear him.

Leica asked, "Ji Yoonjun, what did you two do? You weren't in the palace just now."

"His ability is interesting. We've tested it a lot. It can be used for all things that move regardless of whether they're living things or not. He can even control a huge group or a large target. But it's only useful on something not stronger than the heavens. I asked him to try it to me.

The effects is good but I can break it's control over me anytime." Ji Yoonjun's explanation made the other interested

Doctor Guang, who knew about his twin's special ability, was surprised that he told anyone about it. Even he didn't know the effect of his twin brother's ability.

"Eh? You told him your ability!?" Doctor Hei nodded his head and responded to his twin, "It's the only way to live since I offend him."

Hmp!

Ji Yoonjun glanced at him coldly and give him a snort.

Suddenly, Lu Shang asked, "Are you saying his ability is useful to anything in this world but not those from outside?"

Ji Yoonjun nodded his head, and Lu Shang looked at Doctor Hei with a scrutinizing gaze. Leica, Ye Jieye, and Mo Xuejing looked a bit interested as well.

Leica asked, "If he ascends, would it mean his ability will be able to control those with divinity as well?"

"Maybe. But I think controlling absolute beings is still impossible," Ji Yoonjun said.

Bewildered by their conversation, Doctor Hei was confused, "What are you guys talking about?" But everyone ignored his question. As for the others, they were already aware of the content of their senior conversation. They choose to shut up.

Ye Jieye said, "If he is useful, train him. Our place is lacking in manpower after all."

"Please leave it to me, my lord. I will test him well. If he is useful, then... I will train him personally." Lu Shang said.

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After Ye Jieye's group had finally left the Ocean Palace, Lu Shang and Leica had apparently given the Lord some physical training while they waited for them to emerge, because six hunters, one of whom was performing push-ups, were waiting outside the house.

Only when Lu Shang approached them and said, "Rest for five minutes."

Lu Shang scowled at how frail the six hunters' bodies were—much weaker than the physical strength of his younger brother and friends—as they panted on the ground like exhausted dogs.

"Your physical attributes are too weak. Much weaker than Ming and his friends. The ingredients—some are originally beasts. They know to ambush their prey, and it can be done in groups as well. You can't rely on your elemental abilities alone to survive. You need to gain speed to escape from danger or to be able to chase your hunting target," Lu Shang said.

Leica, who was looking after the cubs, whispered something to Ye Jingxia. "Young Lord, can you help Shang heal those uncles? So we can leave now and start hunting."

Ye Jingxia nodded and began to dance on the ground next to the uncles. He looked so adorable that even his little sister joined in. It is just that the strange chant that was coming out of his mouth felt unreal.

"Uncles get better~ better~ better~ get cured! Uncles get better~ better~ better~ get cured! Light! Light! Make them better! Light!

Light! Cure them!"

Nearby, Lu Ming, Mo Yuhan, and Su Jin can not help but laugh at this scene; after all, it felt so silly yet cute. The two cubs were singing these lyrics while waving their thick waists and swaying their buttocks from right to left. Mo Xuejing asked System Yue to record the entire thing while clapping with the rhythm those cubs are singing at.

Doctor Guang and Doctor Hei were taken aback by the sight of the six men, who appeared to be instantly healed of their exhaustion and muscular aches, as they had no idea that Ye Jingxia was able to use light elements in the same way that Doctor Guang did.

After healing the Uncle Hunters, Ye Jingxia looked tired from all that dancing and ran back to his parents with his younger sister, asking to be carried.

Ye Jingxia stretched his hands up towards his father. "Papa, carry Xiao Jing. Xiao Jing is tired," he said.

Ye Anxia is doing the same to her daddy. "Dada, Xiaxia is sleepy."

Having spent hours running around the Ocean Palace and stuffing their bellies with goodies, the two parents were rendered useless and had to stoop down to pick up the two cubs.

After carrying the two brats up, Ye Jieye said, "Let's go and enter the outer region. This is the map given. Shang, you lead the way."

"Yes, my lord," Lu Shang said.

Mo Xuejing added, "Leica, lead the children and the doctors with you. It's better if you don't hunt with Shang; they will need to train as they hunt after all. While you're at it, test that one too." He pointed at Doctor Hei, who was a bit startled when pointed out.

After glancing at Doctor Hei and saying, "Understood, Master," Leica said he separated from Lu Shang and led Lu Ming and the other five.

When they got to the outside zone, the two brats wanted to play again and asked to be placed, but only Ye's family was strolling around the hunting ground as if they were on holiday.

Ye Jingxia said, "Papa, can we play with Oreo?"

"You can. Ask your dad to let him out of the small world," Ye Jieye said before putting down his son.

Ye Jingxia excitedly ran towards his dad and pulled on his clothes. "Dad, Dad, please let Oreo out. We are going to play! Please, please."

"I don't mind you playing with Oreo Only if you promise to take care of your sister when you play," Mo Xuejing said.

"Xiao Jing promise!"

With a nod of his head, Mo Xuejing touched the snowflake earring on his left ear, and a wave of his hand transported Oreo back to his puppy form. Mutant Tibetan mastiffs, especially the adult ones, are enormous animals, but Oreo was his son's little pet and could shrink itself down to the size of an adult human.

This family actually does not need any water beads to breathe underwater; Mo Xuejing's bubble can allow them to breathe underwater and protect them as well. He simply changed the attributes of his ice ability to water to gain these effects. Once Oreo appeared in the bubble, the bubble shrunk to fit its body, allowing him to breathe and move underwater without problems like them.

Woof!

Oreo was so excited to see his master, Ye Jingxia, and licked his master's face regardless of the bubble in between them. Ye Jingxia giggles as the two cuddle.

Ye Anxia reached out her hands to her elder brother. "Gege, Xiaxia wants to ride on Oreo's back! Dada, please put Xiaxia on the back!"

"Okay. Hold onto your brother, okay?" Mo Xuejing said.

Ye Anxia happily responded, "Yes, Dada."

After a little while, Ye Jingxia also swam up to sit on Oreo's back; Ye Anxia sat in front of him, grinning and patting Oreo's back while using a fur handle as support. The sound of the cubs laughing joyfully as they ride on the large dogs reverberates throughout the outside region.

Nearby, two factions pursued their own pre-selected targets for the day's hunt: Lu Shang led the six hunters from the Lu and Mo Clans, instructing them in numerous formations as he taught them on the spot and encircling a group of swordfish as a target. Leica and Lu Ming's group are engaged in combat with a massive squid.

Though there are other hunters who hunt with the assistance of Fishmen guards, their hunt pales in comparison to that of Leica and Lu Shang, who hunted and chased on their own; indeed, they had already tried hunting on their own, but water had never been a territory for the human race, and they could never match the sea creatures who were born in water.

Why Leica and Lu Shang are able to lead their group is straightforward: Leica is the former god of fate, and star reading is one of his strong suits. It is not difficult for him to predict the target's movements, and he even reduced the target's speed by using his artifact to try a few of its tentacles. Yizhi is represented by the red string.

Leica is not like Lu Shang. This man is a fully fledged God who fought wars for his master; in his former life, he was a God whose strength and abilities were said to be unbeatable by a true war god. Based on his rich experience in battle, hunting is as easy as breathing and drinking, no matter what kind of terrain.

He is an expert in battle formation, so it is not difficult to teach hunters to learn a formation to besiege their targets.

The other hunters who were watching them couldn't help but be amazed.

"Amazing! What kind of formation is that? Is it a formation that can be done even with just six people?"

"Look at that squid. I thought it was weird that it wasn't swimming away, so two of its tentacles were tied up. No wonder it can't run."

"Damn! What a huge dog!? How can there be a dog underwater!?"

"There are children on the top of it. Isn't that dangerous? What are their parents thinking about?"

"Watch your mouth! Don't you see that sickening sweet couple following behind the brats!? That's Satan and the Ice Demon!"

"Fuck! It's really Satan and his wife."

"Why do they look like they are here for vacation while we are here to earn money? Sigh~ such a difference."

"Shut up! I'm feeling depressed now!"

For about an hour, Oreo, Ye Jingxia, and Anxia chased after a school of fish. Mo Xuejing even gave his kids a fishing net where the net is replaced with a bubble; each time the fish was caught, it would be smacked out of the water and stay inside the bubbles. Oreo does the running, and the two cubs just need to move their fish net around to catch fish.

The other hunters present thought this was a ridiculous scene, but they were jealous of the two cubs' ability to catch a mix of rare and legendary-grade fish in the shoal of fish.

The other people in the area became enraged by the scenes of the two children playfully catching fish, the group of six men surrounded by a small group of swordfish, and the group of young men and two doctors catching a squid. The couple that enrages them the most is Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing, who were seen flirting carelessly while sitting on a large stone.

"What a disoriented group!" Collective thoughts of the audience from the sidelines.

In the meantime, while Ye Jieye and his companions are off hunting, events in the capital have changed. While they were rebuilding their city, the seals on the ruins of time began to move, causing a small-scale earthquake that caught everyone off guard.

"Don't panic! Call the Elementalists of the Palace."

"Captain! The sea is shaking and has loosened. There is nothing we can do!"

"I sent an emergency summons to the palace. The rest of you follow me to defend this area."

"Yes! Captain!"

The knights on patrol were moving about to stabilize the area, and Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang, who was stationed to watch over the seal, was taken aback. Those around the Ruins of Time were in a panic, fearing that the seals would fail and all the monsters inside would come out.

"Xiao Ye wasn't kidding when he said that."

Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang narrowed his eyes and studied the seal. As his grandson, Ye Jieye, had mentioned, it had some glitches. It was locked, but not completely. It was as if the door from the other side had been knocked over several times, which slowly loosened the lock. Continuing this, the seal would probably be destroyed.

Shortly after, the seal shook so violently that the land surrounding the dungeon gate showed some cracks. What frightened those in the area was the appearance of two space cracks, and tens of strangely shaped monsters emerged from them.

"Is that a space crack?!"

"There are monsters coming out of the cracks! Don't they come over to the city!"

"Knights! Split into two groups and kill all the monsters."

"Protect the city! Protect the palace!"

Using their weapons, swords and guns, the knights valiantly retaliated against these slime monsters, causing chaos in their wake. However, an incredible scene occurred on the battlefield when some of the knights who attacked the monster instantly became children or old.

"Ah! I turned into a child!"

"Brother, you have become an old man!"

"Fuck! Why is there a baby here!? Secure them in a safe place!"

"Captain! That's the vice captain. Should we still bring him away?"

"What the hell did you say!?"

When Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang and the local knights finally realized that anyone who attacked the monsters would either become old or turn back into a child, they were left in a state of confusion and could not allow these monsters to enter the city. They immediately reported this bizarre situation to the palace.