Chapter 2427

"Young Master York! What in the blazes was that?!"

Fabian drew in a deep breath, forcing himself to remain calm.

Everything that had happened moments ago was beyond his understanding, but he was still this generation's King of Gambling. Thus, he couldn't afford to lose his composure and fly into panic. He had to remain calm in the face of any crisis.

Harvey had no intention to hide anything and explained, "You've lived in the southeast waters for a long time, so you must have heard of Nanyang sorcery."

"This should be heavily related to the Three Demon Monks from Thailand."

"What you just saw is the most sinister form of

Nanyang sorcery, which is raising a ghost."

"I assume it was by the Three Demon Monks, for them to use it to kill you and your family."

"However, their plan went astray. They're doomed to fail after making a move today, so this ghost is useless."

"Raising a ghost makes use of sorcery that requires them to detain the soul of a young child who has just died, and then raise it by his side."

"This ghost needs to take a lot of blood to survive."

"The disappearance of your servants in Hamilton Residence should be connected with this ghost."

Fabian was momentarily stunned, too shocked to speak. Then, he shouted in disbelief, "Man-devouring devil? How is this possible?!"

Zummo's eyes also twitched at this. He found Harvey's words much too far-fetched.

Yet, after what he had seen... There was no choice but to believe Harvey.

Harvey studied their shocked expressions before continuing, "Gentlemen. I don't know much about Feng Shui, but frankly speaking, raising a ghost is an act of homicide."

"When it comes to homicide, I'm an expert, and I know how to get rid of it."

Harvey was stoic and composed. What killer hadn 't he seen in his time on the Euro-American battlefield?

The Island Nation ninjas, onmyojis, the warriors of America, Knights Templar of the Empire of the Sun that Never Sets, Nordic Valkyrie, and so on...

He had killed thousands of evil Nanyang monks on the battlefield. This ghost was nothing to him.

"You know how to solve this?" Fabian asked in an anxious whisper. "How will you deal with this ghost, Young Master York?"

"It's hard to say since it depends on the situation. But I'll have to remind you first. If I really do it, your ancestral hall will probably be destroyed," Harvey said softly.

"Destroying the ancestral hall?" Fabian was slightly taken aback. For him, the ancestral hall was a spiritual sustenance. If it was destroyed, he wouldn't be able to explain it to his ancestors after his death.

"Young Master York, can't you think of a way to at least avoid spoiling those plaques? Otherwise ..." Fabian didn't continue, but Harvey understood what he meant. "I'll try," Harvey replied indifferently, "But the ancestral hall is most likely to be destroyed.

Also, there will be a little risk in the process of moving these plaques."

"Risk?" Fabian asked curiously. "What risk? Lives, you mean?"

Harvey shook his head. "No, your fortune."

"The ancestral hall is the spiritual sustenance of a family, and it is also where the fortune lies."

"Once the plaques are moved, the fortune your family has accumulated for many years will likely dissipate."

"Hence, I suggest rebuilding an ancestral hall on the same spot after I finish dealing with everything. If you do that, it won't affect your fortune that much."

Harvey was indifferent, but Fabian's face

instantly became solemn after hearing the word "fortune".

The Hamiltons started out by gambling, and he believed in an ancient saying, "First is destiny, second is luck and fortune, third is Feng Shui." Thus, he always believed that these three things were of utmost importance.

The saying about fortune was a convoluted argument, but he dared not say that this was fake.

Chapter 2428

"Elder Hamilton. If the ghost loses its master, it' Il become restless in at most three days. By that time, many in your family will be killed."

Harvey gave a timely reminder.

"I can handle it now, but that doesn't mean I'll be able to save them at that time. After all, I'm not a doctor."

"Deal with it. We must deal with it!"

Fabian remained silent for approximately three minutes as he pondered over the pros and cons. Finally, he gritted his teeth in determination and exclaimed, "But! Please give me one day, Young Master York. I need to convince the Hamilton elders before I let you do it."

He still had to show his elders some respect, even though he had full authority over all of the

Hamiltons.

Plus, this matter involved the ever important ancestral hall. If he didn't inform them about destroying the ancestral hall in advance, a huge storm might follow and the family would fall in flames.

Harvey gave him an understanding smile. He waved, motioning the two to walk out of the ancestral hall. "I'll still be in Hong Kong and Las Vegas to settle some things."

"This is my number. Remember to give a call after you decide to proceed. I'll try my best to arrange a suitable time."

"Oh, right. You and your family should sprinkle the blood of a black dog in the house. But don't let your family members leave. It may not be a good thing for them to do so right now."

Having said that, Harvey turned and left.

Fabian narrowed his eyes as he watched Harvey leave. His expression was unpredictable, and his thoughts were unreadable.

Just then, Zummo said softly, "Master, can we really believe in what Harvey said?"

"I'm afraid it won't be easy to explain to the entire family that we need to destroy the ancestral hall."

Fabian said calmly, "I believe him, especially from how he's acted in Hong Kong and Las Vegas."

"However, we still need to have a backup plan."

"Call the elders of the Five Virtues Temple. Let them have a look and see if it's possible not to destroy the ancestral hall."

Fabian looked helpless as he gave this order.

After leaving Hamilton Residence, Harvey immediately called Yoana and went to Dragon Palace with her.

After what happened yesterday, the high-level members of Dragon Palace had all been eliminated.

At the same time, a notice was issued. It was an announcement to the entire Dragon Palace, stating that Yoana would be the new helm.

From now onward, Dragon Palace's branch
would no longer be affiliated with Dragon
Palace. Rather, it would be under the
management of Longmen, Dragon Cell, and
Dragon Guards, and would have a special status.

The entire port city was covered with dark clouds, even when it didn't rain along the way.

The weather was gloomy, suffused with a subdued atmosphere.

Yoana took out a delicate silver firearm as she sat at Harvey's right. Then, she slowly wiped it with a handkerchief.

Sensing Harvey's gaze on her, she grinned. "
This is a gift from my father when I reached adulthood. He told me that if I have a chance to be at the top of these two cities one day, I can take it out and use it."

"I think today's the chance."

Yoana smiled softly, the effect enhancing her pretty face even more. It was a stark contrast to her action of wiping the firearm, which displayed the full extent of her determination and bloodthirst.

Since Harvey gave her this chance, she would definitely take over the position.

Harvey looked at her with admiration. The Dragon Palace's branch was deeply ingrained in both Hong Kong and Las Vegas, and it had always been in the hands of the Yorks.

It was extremely difficult for outsiders to interfere. If they didn't do it well today, they might encounter hell later on.

Yoana's determination in taking over the position was the correct attitude.

If she was timid, she might be intimidated and fall into others' control easily, even after she ascended the position.

Something like wasn't what Harvey wanted to see.

Harvey initially assumed that she wanted to take action herself when she invited him to support her today. Now, he understood that Yoana was making a pledge to him as a show of determination.

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Yoana ignored Harvey's gaze and gave an order after the car entered Hong Kong.

The personnel from all four levels, gold, silver, copper, and iron, must arrive at Dragon Palace's branch before ten o'clock. They had to put down any issues at hand, regardless how important it was, and be punctual.

However, things went just the way Harvey expected. All thirty-six gold-level personnel acted like they didn't hear the announcement.

Twelve said that they were on a business trip in Las Vegas. Another twelve said that they had duties to do, and the last twelve simply didn't respond and ignored the fact that Yoana had just taken over the position.

Yoana remained indifferent and gave out the

order again.

She told them that if they didn't show up at Dragon Palace's branch before ten o' clock, then they would never have to show up again.

In addition, she would assign others to resume their work and take over their power.

If these gold-level personnel dared to reveal any private information regarding Dragon Palace's branch after they left their positions, they would be killed without amnesty.

It was just a simple command, but the bloodlust in it was intimidating.

The thirty-six gold level personnel, who initially looked down on Yoana, immediately changed their tune. All of them said they would arrive before ten o'clock.

All the gold-level personnel of Dragon Palace's branch had great power and background.

Correspondingly, Dragon Palace treated them very well.

Apart from receiving an annual salary of millions of dollars, they also held the power and status that came with the identity.

If they were kicked out of Dragon Palace, their losses would be indescribable.

Yoana instantly made use of this weakness. Naturally, they would yield and be obedient.

After the confrontation, the convoy arrived at Dragon Palace's branch.

Hundreds of Dragon Palace personnel of all four levels had already been notified just as Yoana and Harvey got out of the car. All of them were dressed in uniforms and armed with live ammunition.

The man leading all the gold-level personnel

looked ugly, but he was still respectful.

Yoana remained stoic and ignored all of them. Instead, she began to inspect the entire Dragon Palace's branch.

She was accompanied by many lackeys whom she had brought along from Las Vegas. They accepted and spread her instructions without question.

Apparently, Yoana didn't sleep last night in order to sort out some crucial information about Dragon Palace's branch.

As she walked around, she kept pointing out the mistakes she saw.

For instance, the placement of the reference room, the configuration of personnel, the safety of the warehouse containing firearms, and so on.

She was resolute and indifferent, but her aloof dominance instantly suppressed everyone in

Dragon Palace.

Harvey's admiration for Yoana rose as he witnessed all of this. She should've impressed them from the start, but it wasn't that easy to do that.

Now that she had shown her ability, Harvey knew he was right to choose Yoana.

After half an hour of inspection, Yoana then led the team into the multifunctional conference room.

All the thirty-six gold level personnel had arrived in the conference room. Some had been standing for half an hour, but they showed no signs of impatience.

Those who were whispering instantly became silent under Yoana's stern gaze.

Soon, someone said solemnly, "Good day, Helm Mendoza!" "Good day, Helm Mendoza!"

Someone took the lead to greet Yoana and the others quickly followed.

"Good day."

Yoana nodded indifferently as she strode to the main seat and sat down. She crossed her long legs, revealing a hint of fair skin.

There was a hint of scrutiny in her eyes as her gaze swept around the crowd. As she glanced past them, it seemed as though she could see through their secrets.

Chapter 2430

The high-level members of Dragon Palace grew slightly frightened when faced with the full extent of Yoana's severe gaze.

They were displeased about the arrangement, but they knew that Yoana had officially ascended the position, and that their lives were in her hands now.

The confidence they had when they joined forces to go against Yoana prior was because they wrongly assumed that this little girl didn't have any skills.

Surely, she wouldn't dare to command them. She might be overridden in minutes!

Contrary to their expectations, Yoana was so powerful that she paid no mind to their positions and pushed through ferociously to

have her way.

Anyone who dared to disobey her would be fired immediately.

Such a resolute style in doing things was absolutely terrifying.

Their fears aside, the gold-level personnel still felt a little complacent even as they looked at the youthful Yoana. 'I'm a gold-level personnel, and I'm closely related with the Yorks of Hong Kong and Las Vegas. I have many backers.'

'Why would I be afraid of you, little girl?!'

However, none of them spoke indiscriminately despite their dissatisfaction.

Everyone knew that this was just the beginning. They had no idea what Yoana would do next.

Harvey sat at the side, not intending to distract them. Instead, he watched the scene with great interest.

Yoana glanced at the crowd, looked at the two vacant seats, and said, "Didn't I say that everyone has to put aside their work and must be present?"

"Who are the ones who didn't come?"

A short-haired woman whispered, "Helm Mendoza, it's White Horse and Purple Sparrow."

"One of them isn't feeling well, and the other is dealing with an incident in Island Nation. So, they called out today."

Apparently, the short-haired woman knew that it was better not to mess with Yoana, so offered a timely explanation.

Harvey thought about what he had just heard. Instantly, he recognized that the two were the right-hand men of the former helm. Moreover, they had a close relationship with Lexie York. Hence, it was normal for them to confront Yoana like this.

"Fine."

Yoana answered without the slightest hesitation, stoic as ever.

"The personnel department, inform them that they are officially fired from now onward!"

"Their assistants will temporarily resume their duties. As long as they do a good job, I'll let them take over the positions officially in a month. By then, they'll be able to receive the same privileges those two once enjoyed."

All of the gold-level personnel gasped at Yoana's declaration, shocked.

One would take at least ten years to become gold -level personnel in Dragon Palace.

But Yoana wiped out all the hard work those two did with just a sentence, even going so far as to let two youngsters take over...

Their expressions grew more and more solemn at this thought.

Someone was about to ask for mercy, but was interrupted by Yoana immediately. She sat up straight and announced sternly, "I requested everyone to come to the meeting on time. There isn't much to be discussed, but there's one important thing!"

"Since I, Yoana, have taken over the position, it means that Dragon Palace's branch will have nothing to do with Dragon Palace in the future."

"There's only one voice in Dragon Palace's branch, and that is my voice!"

"Since you've shown up here, I'll give all of you a chance to choose."

"First, get out of Dragon Palace's branch and lose everything."

"Second, stay and be my lackey."

"I'll give you all one minute to make your "The countdown begins right now!"

"Sixty, fifty-nine ""

eight. "Sixty, fifty-nine, fifty-eight..."