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"What's going on over there?" someone asked when they saw the golden light and sensed the terrifying aura on the mountaintop. The sect members all stared at the strange scene on the peak of the mountain. "What a powerful aura. Are there demon beasts of higher level on the mountaintop?" Wrey furrowed his brows.

"The fact that we can detect this aura from so far away... I believe it's the king of demon beasts. Its strength is unquestionably greater than a Martial Arts Sovereign!" Hugh's expression turned grim.

If such a powerful demon beast exists in this secret realm, then we must be cautious. When we divide the territories, we need to stay far away from the domain of the king of demon beasts. Otherwise, a sect assigned to that region will be at risk of getting eliminated by it.

"It seems we must be careful when hunting demon beasts. To think such a high-level demon beast exists in this secret realm!" Wrey sighed.

On the other side of the mountain, Yashur stared at the golden light at the peak. When he detected the dreadful aura, he grimaced, too. "Such an overpowering aura! It seems that there is a king of the demon beasts on top of the mountain."

After finishing his sentence, he abandoned his journey to the mountaintop and headed elsewhere. I don't want to become food for the king of demon beasts!

Meanwhile, after the phoenix absorbed the power from the demon beasts' cores on top of the mountain, it circled around Kai's body twice, then transformed back into a golden light and hid in his forehead.

The phoenix disappeared, but the demon. beasts remained unmoving on the ground. Their prowess had clearly dropped by one cultivation level because a portion of it had been absorbed by the phoenix.

Moments after the golden light returned to Kai's forehead, a bout of energy swiftly surrounded the draconic essence in his chest. It gradually merged with the Power of Dragons in his body, forming a powerful force.

Kai coughed and slowly opened his eyes. The first thing he saw when his eyelids were lifted was the blue sky. "What is this place? I'm not dead?" He knitted. his eyebrows.

The last thing I remember before I fainted is following that short man into battle. I don't know what happened next. After lying for a while, he realized the Power of Dragons had grown stronger and was no longer suppressed.

Then, he clenched his fist and noticed his strength had recovered. He hastily sat up and exclaimed in joy, "This is amazing! I'm finally feeling better. -"

As soon as he sat up, the sight before him shocked him to the core. Demon beasts with gigantic bodies and varying shapes were lying before him. The aura they exuded made him shudder.

He was so startled that he almost passed out again right after he woke up. He sat unmoving, not daring to breathe out loud. However, the demon beasts before him were doing the exact same thing.

Both parties were fearful of each other.. "You don't have to be afraid of them, Kai. These demon beasts have become your subordinates. They won't harm you." Ranzoph's voice rang out.

"What? My subordinates? What's going on?" Kai was utterly clueless about what had transpired. "More accurately, these demon beasts are the subordinates of that gal of yours, which make them yours, too," explained Ranzoph.

"Gal? What gal?" Kai was still confused. "Have you seriously forgotten who I'm talking about? It's Feenix." After Ranzoph recounted the events that had taken place earlier, Kai realized the power Feenix had left in his body was the one that tamed those demon beasts.

It wasn't surprising Feenix could subdue those demon beasts when she could do the same with the more powerful ones at Demon Beast Mountain.

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"Are you sure these demon beasts won't attack me if I stand up right now?" Kai was still concerned because there were so many demon beasts eyeing him.

"I'm sure. Now, bring me to the spot marked on the treasure map!" Ranzoph urged. However, Kai was still too afraid to stand up. "You better not lie to me. If I'm eaten by these demon beasts, no one will take you there."

"Relax! I won't lie to you. Once you get up, I bet these demon beasts will shudder in fear." Kai slowly rose to his feet. When the demon beasts saw that, they hastily took two steps backward, causing a commotion.

"See? Those creatures are terrified of you!" Ranzoph said. When Kai saw the fearful look in the demon beast's eyes, his worries were laid to rest. He glanced at the giant lion not too far away from him and waved at it. "Come here."

He wanted to see if the demon beasts would listen to his commands. The giant lion moved toward Kai like an obedient puppy. Kai was exhilarated. With so many demon beasts as my subordinates, I don't need to be afraid of Wrey and those people from the hidden realm anymore! When he recalled their pursuit of him and how badly they had beaten him back then, rage consumed his heart.

"I will have my revenge!" He threw a punch, shattering a nearby rock into dust. The demon beasts trembled, thinking that he was going to make a move on them.

Kai stared at his fist, stunned. I didn't expect my cultivation level to increase while I was unconscious! I think I'm now a Fourth Level Martial Arts God! In this case, I stand a chance against a Martial Arts Sovereign now! "It feels a little too easy for my cultivation level to increase."

"It would've been more absurd if your cultivation level didn't advance after your body absorbed the power from hundreds of demon beasts," said Ranzoph.

Suddenly, Kai recalled what Ranzoph had told him earlier. He did mention Feenix had to absorb that much power to awaken me. Moreover, that energy combined with the Power of Dragons, thus removing the restriction of Heavenly Law. Even though Feenix only absorbed a small portion of strength from each demon beast, there are hundreds of them here. The power that was accumulated is not to be underestimated!

"With these demon beasts by my side, I don't need to be scared of the people from the hidden realm anymore." With that, Kai bolted down the mountain.

Hundreds of demon beasts followed behind him, generating dust storms in their wake. They toppled the trees blocking their paths, causing the mountain to shake.

Seeing that, Kai gestured for the demon beasts to stop. While traveling around with these demon beasts is awesome, it's impossible for me to avoid detection like this. I have recovered my strength, and my cultivation level has been elevated. Even if I encounter those from the hidden realm, I can battle against them. If that doesn't work out, I'm at least capable of escaping from them easily. I don't need the demon beasts to follow me for now.

"You're all free to leave! I'll summon you when I need you again!" As soon as he ended his sentence, the demon beasts scattered in all directions.

Once they had left, Kai continued his journey down the mountain. I'll help this old guy locate the spot marked on the map first before taking my revenge. The giant lion brought me far away from that area. I need to increase my pace.

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Meanwhile, Yona had led the Scorching Heaven Sect members to the Luminous Sect camp at the bottom of the mountain. I promised Wrey as well as the others that I'd eliminate Luminous Sect and replace their position. I must keep my word! I can't live in hiding forever!

Luminous Sect hadn't found an appropriate. spot to set up camp. They were only staying there temporarily to rest. "Master, do you think the remaining sects will conspire against us now that we've grown apart from them?" Archer asked Matthew.

"I doubt it. After all, they're righteous sects. I don't think they need to do that when they can simply cut contact with us," Matthew answered.

I still believe in the other sects. We may bear grudges against each other, but I don't think we're at a point where they'll want to wipe us all out. "We need to find a spot far away from them. Otherwise, they'll keep troubling us," said Skyler.

"There's no hurry. We can take our time searching for an ideal spot. This secret realm doesn't seem to have a master, and it's pretty big. I bet there are many valuable regions here that haven't been discovered! Let's all rest for

now. We'll resume our search tomorrow." Matthew promptly lay on his bed. Frankly, I'm still concerned about Kai's safety. I wonder if he has escaped.

Skyler and Archer went to rest as well. Only two disciples of Luminous Sect patrolled the area to prevent any stray demon beasts from disturbing them.

At that moment, the disciples noticed a shadow rapidly approaching them. Before they could shout, they felt the sensation of pain coming from their chests. They dropped to the ground, dying in a pool of their own blood.

Thud! Thud! While the sound they made when they collapsed was faint, Matthew still heard it. He couldn't sleep, so when he heard at commotion, he immediately got up to check what was going on.

Soon after he left his bed, he saw multiple figures with murderous intent approaching him rapidly. Shocked, he thrust his palm forward. A white light instantly flashed past the dark night as his mighty martial energy sent the figures flying away.

At that moment, all disciples of Luminous Sect were alerted to the danger. Knowing that ant ambush was impossible at that point, Yona abandoned the strategy of hiding in the shadows.

As torches were lit, Matthew was surprised to see Yona of Scorching Heaven Sect. He didn't expect the members of Scorching Heaven Sect to have entered the secret realm as well and have the audacity to attack him.

After all, Scorching Heaven Sect had been living in the shadows and avoiding making public appearances for years. "You have some nerve to attack Luminous Sect, Yona!" Matthew growled.

"You and Luminous Sect hunted Scorching Heaven Sect in the past. It's only natural that I return the favor," Yona scoffed. "You're too bold! Don't you know the camps of other sects are located not far from here? Once I request help from them, Scorching Heaven. Sect won't be able to escape!"

Yona cackled. "You are so naive. Do you truly believe the other sects will come to your rescue? Since you're about to die, I'll tell you the truth. Your destruction in my hand was something I had discussed with the other sects! Once your sect is obliterated, my sect will take your sect's position!"

"You're lying! They won't do that. Stop sowing. discord!" Matthew refused to believe him. / know they hate Demonic Cultivators to the bone! There's no way they'll let Yona and his sect replace mine!

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"You'll know soon enough if it's true or not." Yona lifted his palm into the air. The night sky grew darker as a terrifying aura slowly spread in the area.

"Kill!" The members of Scorching Heaven Sect charged toward the disciples of Luminous Sect with weapons. The disciples of Luminous Sect fought back. Both parties were locked in a bloody battle. Their battle cries traveled far and wide in the quiet night.

A satisfied smile formed on Wrey's face as he listened to the screams and gazed at the light in the distance. Hugh approached him and asked, "Are you truly planning to let Scorching Heaven Sect take the place of Luminous Sect, Wrey?"

"What do you think?" Wrey turned to Hugh...

Suddenly, they smiled at each other. "We'll eliminate them afterward, too!" they uttered in unison before laughing out loud. Once Scorching Heaven Sect is weakened from the battle against Luminous Sect, we'll destroy them!

"Yona is an untamed wolf. I won't keep someone like him around," Wrey said placidly.

"An additional sect means fewer resources for the rest of us. Scorching Heaven Sect should've been squashed a long time ago. I think we've been kind to allow them to survive for so many years." Hugh had also never considered accepting Scorching Heaven Sect, a group of Demonic Cultivators. Scorching Heaven Sect is a ticking time bomb. If we keep them by our side, they'll be a threat to our safety!

At that moment, the Luminous Sect camp was covered in blood. Incomplete corpses were scattered everywhere, and everyone's eyes were bloodshot.

Skyler's and Archer's bodies were bloodied. There was no telling if the blood belonged to them or their enemies. Meanwhile, Matthew and Yona had exchanged blows hundreds of times.

Each technique they employed contained boundless martial energy. As a result, everything within hundreds of meters of them had been turned to dust..

"Surrender, and I'll consider sparing your disciples, Matthew," said Yona after forcing Matthew back. At that moment, Matthew was panting, his veins bulging on his forehead. The martial energy in his body was draining rapidly.

He was no match for Yona. "You're a Demonic Cultivator, Yona! Like heck I'll believe your words. Even if my sect is wiped out, I still won't submit to you!"

Suddenly, Matthew's body glowed. He lifted his hand and closed his fist as though grabbing something in the air. A moment later, a flaming spear manifested in his palm, lighting up half of the sky.

"Flaming Spear? I didn't expect you to be a thief. That used to be a magical item in the ancient ruins and should've belonged to every sect in the hidden realms. However, it disappeared one day. To think you were the one who stole it," Yona said with disdain as he stared at the spear.

"Cut your bullsh*t! The Flaming Spear has always belonged to Luminous Sect! It was passed down from my ancestors. The bit about ancient ruins was just a lie fabricated by sects who coveted it. You killed so many of my disciples. Today, I will tear you into pieces!" Matthew was enraged and heartbroken to see so many of his disciples wounded or dead.

When he attacked with the spear, yellow sparks flew toward Yona. "Destroy!" Matthew roared, and the spear. generated a wave of air that prevented Yona from avoiding it.

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"Hmph! Petty tricks." Yona drew a circle in the air, creating a giant black hole before him. Matthew's attack was instantly swallowed by the black hole.

It didn't manage to leave even a scratch on him. Yona then unleashed a palm strike. A giant, black handprint appeared on Matthew's chest and severely wounded him. Blood spilled from his mouth as he collapsed on the ground.

"Master!" Skyler and Archer rushed toward their master before helping him up. Matthew paled. His aura was significantly weaker. I used all my might earlier to unleash Flaming Spear, but that didn't harm Yona at all! I'm afraid this place will be our grave.

"Archer, Skyler, find a chance to escape. Don't ask the other sects for help. I think they truly want us dead. Remember, leave this place and the hidden realm. Find an unremarkable spot and live an ordinary life. I believe you two can do well with your abilities."

"We won't leave you even if we die!" Skyler sobbed as she stared at her master's pitiful state. "Leave with Skyler, Master. I'll stop them," stated Archer firmly.

"You're not strong enough! Don't throw away your life! Leave!" Matthew would absolutely sacrifice his life to buy his disciples time to escape. "I'll self-destruct in a moment, Master. You should take that opportunity and escape with Skyler."

Skyler and Matthew were shocked upon hearing that. "Stop dreaming! No one's escaping today. Even if you self-destruct, you stand no chance of leaving here alive," said Yona indifferently.

He had heard everything they said. Without warning, a thunderous explosion occurred at the side. The shockwave it generated was akin to a tsunami. The disciples of Luminous Sect had started to self-destruct.

"Master, leave! We'll stop them!" a disciple, who was covered in blood, of Luminous Sect shouted at Matthew's group. A second later, his body swelled like a balloon before detonating.

Matthew was heartbroken to see his disciples sacrificing themselves to secure his escape. Seeing that, Yona began chanting. A giant black hole appeared in the sky. The shockwave generated by the explosion was rapidly sucked into that black hole.

"As I said, none of you are escaping today." While speaking, Yona strode toward Matthew's group. Right then, Kai was woken up by the explosion, and he vanished from his sleeping spot in a flash.

Members of other sects gradually left their tents to look at the bright sky. "The members of Luminous Sect are insane. I can't believe they're self-destructing."

"Is that how Luminous Sect ends?" "Don't you think we're going overboard by doing this? We've gotten along well with them for so many years." "I wonder what our fate will be in the future."

Some people started to pity Luminous Sect. "Stop pretending to feel sad for them. None of you will hesitate to seize their resources when it's time to divide them. I think the battle's about to be over. Let's go and take a look for ourselves." Wrey led the crowd to the Luminous Sect camp. If members of Luminous Sect are self-destructing, it must mean the battle is approaching its end. Based on the explosions we witnessed, I doubt many of the Scorching Heaven Sect members are left.