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Chapter 1451 Appearance Of Kai

The Deragons had offered it to let the others benefit from it, so they could not possibly bite the hand that fed them.

Astrid turned to look at the people before saying, "You've seen how Edgar showed signs of Demonic Cultivation, so how can you believe his words? If you don't want to be sitting ducks, we must work together!"

Astrid was trying to persuade the people to team up and go against Edgar and the others, but the looks on the people's faces were ones of confusion. No one believed Astrid's words.

"Ms. Gunderson, if you keep spreading lies, we'll have to take action against you."

Zion's expression was dark as he glared at Astrid.

"Be good and stick to your role as the esteemed daughter of a prestigious family. You're talented, and you have a bright future. Once this Trial ends, you'll be reaping benefits too. On the other hand, if you keep this up, I'm sure no one will bat a lash even if a disciple of a major sect were to die at the Trial," Zion threatened, for he knew that none of the participants of the Trial would try to stand up for her, let alone go up against Warriors Alliance and the Deragons.

This was all because beast cores were valuable resources. Each one of them there had over a hundred beast cores with them, and that was a large number of resources that no one would give up on.

Astrid fell silent. She knew that nothing she did would change the situation, for the people had all lost their minds.

Astrid believed in Zion's words; if she continued intervening in the matter, both Edgar and Zion would surely end her life.

Right then, Howard turned to Astrid and said, "Thank you, Ms. Gunderson, but my life no longer matters anyway."

He was already glad to have Astrid try to save him. "Edgar, deal with Howard outside," Zion then said.

Edgar nodded. He then went over to grab Howard. He knew what Zion meant—he was telling Edgar to absorb Howard's powers outside.

Meanwhile, Kai, who was behind the throne, realized that Howard was in danger. He knew he could not stay hidden any longer.

'Stay here, Renee. Don't go out no matter what."

Once he instructed Renee to stay put, Kai leaped out from his spot behind the throne.

"Stop!"

His furious roar frightened everyone in the area. No one expected someone else to be in the palace, after all.

They were even more stunned when they discovered it was Kai.

Edgar and Zion were pale for a moment at the revelation.

"Kai, you didn't die! You're alive! Hahaha!"

Howard burst into laughter in excitement when he saw Kai.

Whilst the others were still reeling in from the shock, Kai reached Edgar and shot out his Sacred Light Fist.

Unable to dodge in time, Edgar was sent flying by Kai's punch. With a swift movement, Kai grabbed the few light chains on Howard and easily dissipated them with a gentle tug.

"Howard, are you okay?" Kai asked.

"I'm fine. I'm not going to die any time soon," Howard answered, smiling weakly.

Kai then transferred some spiritual energy into Howard, which helped bring some color back to Howard's face.

As Edgar rubbed his chest, he coldly stared at Kai. "Kai, I'm surprised that you're still alive. How lucky you are..."

"How can I die before you're dead?" Kai replied with a sneer.

"I'd like to see how lucky you can be this time. I'm going to make sure you turn into minced meat!"

The moment Zion narrowed his eyes, his murderous aura seeped out of him.

Without Zion needing to say anything, Salvador and the others blocked the entrance to the palace to stop Kai from escaping.

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Chapter 1452 Last Words

A dark aura enveloped Edgar. In the next second, he smacked his palm at Kai.

Edgar had almost all of his martial energy in that strike, and the terrifying force shook the entire palace.

Yet, Kai scoffed and said, "You alone won't be a match for me. I'd say it's best for you to all come at me together."

Despite Kai's mocking words, a solemn look was in his eyes, and the golden glow around him intensified as brilliant scales covered his body.

Just as Kai's Golem Body activated, the merman sculpture's eyes glinted.

Evidently, the sculpture was strangely excited to see Kai's scales.

However, no one noticed the change in the sculpture's eyes, for everyone's attention was on Kai and Edgar.

Boom! came the loud noise.

Kai had collided with Edgar. A mighty shockwave rolled in all directions upon their collision.

Many people unleashed their aura to parry the shockwave. At the same time, some of the shockwaves went past the throne's arcane array and were swiftly absorbed by the merman sculpture.

Kai and Edgar tied for the blow.

"Hahaha! Kai, you have little internal energy. It must be because you haven't recovered from your injury yet! You're not going to escape here alive today!"

Zion realized that Kai was far weaker than he previously was, so he guessed that it was because Kai had yet to recover from his injury.

After all, Kai had fallen into the sea grievously injured back then. It had only been a few days since then, and there was no way Kai could recover that quickly.

Sensing the weak martial energy in Kai as well, Edgar became filled with confidence.

"Kai, let's settle things once and for all!"

With that, Edgar clenched his fist, dark wisps instantly surrounding it. In the next second, he adjusted his position and began rapidly throwing punches at Kai.

Kai furrowed his brows slightly, but he was without fear. He channeled the spiritual energy in his elixir field and let the Power of Dragons circle around his arm. He launched his punch as well.

The two of them started exchanging harsh blows in the palace, and every attack they made sent shockwaves all over the place.

The merman sculpture greedily absorbed a portion of the energy. Soon, cracks slowly formed on the sculpture.

Renee, who was still carefully observing Kai's fight from behind the throne, did not notice the change in the statue in front of her.

Bam! Boom! Bang!

The two exchanged dozens of blows in the blink of an eye. By then, they were covered in blood and badly injured, but there were still no signs of either side winning.

Cold sweat beaded Kai's forehead, and he was panting heavily. He had almost depleted all of his spiritual energy.

Nevertheless, Edgar was not doing any better than Kai, for his dark aura seemed far weaker than before.

Right at that moment, Zion stepped forward. Not wanting Kai and Edgar to keep fighting and wasting time, he said, "All right, we don't have the time to keep this game up. It's time to put an end to this."

With a smug grin, Zion asked, "Kai, do you have any last words for your girlfriend?"

The murderous intent in Kai's eyes turned even more vivid when he heard Zion mentioning Josephine again.

Zion knew that Kai's weak spot was his girlfriend, and that was why he was intentionally provoking Kai.

"I do, and the words you'll hear last from me is: I'm going to send you to hell!"

With a thunderous roar, Kai summoned the remnants of his spiritual energy and punched Zion.

Zion's pupils shrunk, and he quickly hurled a fist of his own. Kai was already on the verge of death, so Zion did not fear him at all.

Bam!

Kai flew backward before crashing onto the ground, blood gushing out of him through his mouth.

Zion curled his lips. "It's time for you to die."

With that, he leaped over, the tips of his feet glowing as he aimed them at Kai's face.

" Kai!"

Upon seeing that, Renee jumped out from her location to shield Kai.

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Chapter 1453 Too Punishing

The moment Kai saw the attack, he roared, "Renee!"

Then, he tried pushing her away because he knew it was impossible for her, a Martial Arts Grandmaster, to withstand a kick from Zion.

However, it was too late. Zion's swift kick landed squarely on her chest.

He was stunned, too. Why is there suddenly a woman here? Boom!

A flash occurred as Renee's body was launched backward. She violently crashed into the throne, which then caused the arcane array on the throne to blast her away.

When she landed on the ground, her face was as pale as a ghost, her expression twisted with agony.

With a leap, Kai landed next to Renee and lifted her. "Are you all right, Renee?"

Swiftly, he checked her pulse to examine her condition.

"I'm fine, Kai. It's just a slight pain..." she mumbled with a weak smile.

After Kai's checkup concluded, he realized Renee's life wasn't in any danger. Undoubtedly, she only suffered minor injuries, which perplexed him. Zion is a Martial Arts Marquis. That kick would've inflicted severe damage even to another fellow Martial Arts Marquis, much less a Martial Arts Grandmaster. Yet, Renee's mostly fine. What's going on here?

Suddenly, he recalled something. Of course! The white armor that was absorbed into Renee's body! That thing must have saved her life. Incredible! Even though the armor is thousands of years old, it remains indestructible!

Crack! Crack!

Faint cracking sounds were heard as the fractures on the merman statue grew bigger.

Additionally, the arcane array on the throne had started to weaken, but no one took notice of it.

"I didn't expect someone would suddenly appear to rescue you in a pinch. Unfortunately for you, she won't be saving you again. No more miracles, Kai. It's time to meet your end," Zion sneered as he approached.

A grim expression settled on Kai's face. At that moment, he was out of spiritual energy. He had no chance of winning against Zion and the others since he was powerless.

Am I really going to die here today? That bitter thought crossed his mind as he scanned his surroundings.

"I think you should let me kill him, President Zeigler." Edgar stepped forward.

Glancing at Edgar, Zion understood what he was trying to say. Edgar wanted to absorb Kai's mighty power and make it his own.

Thus, Zion nodded and stepped back, granting Edgar's wish.

Wearing a cold expression, Edgar arrived in front of Kai with a grin. "All your abilities will soon be mine, Kai. I want you to watch yourself as you slowly turn into a mummy."

No sooner had he spoken than he thrust his hand in the direction of Kai's head, intending to suck Kai's power.

A violent look flashed past Kai's eyes as he heard the man. Then, gritting his teeth, he pulled out the Nascent Soul Diego had given him and swallowed it.

Boom!

In an instant, his spiritual energy exploded outward and refilled his depleted elixir field.

The aura around him soon began to rage.

Edgar's expression slightly shifted as he withdrew his hand reflexively and retreated backward by three steps.

Despite recovering his spiritual energy, Kai grimaced.

If absorbed slowly during cultivation, that Nascent Soul could've elevated him to a higher cultivation level.

While the Nascent Soul helped replenish his spiritual energy, doing that greatly diminished the Nascent Soul's effect, a drawback he believed was too punishing for its usage.

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Chapter 1454 Goddess

Kai had no other choice but to use the Nascent Soul to restore his spiritual energy at that point.

Noticing that Kai's aura had recovered, Zion scowled.

After helping Renee up, Kai gazed at Edgar. "Didn't you say you want to absorb my abilities? Feel free to do it now. We'll see who's the one turning into a mummy first." Murderous intent exploded from Kai's body. He was furious at Edgar for forcing him to waste a Nascent Soul.

Edgar's expression darkened further. He wasn't sure if he could defeat Kai, who was back in peak condition.

"Save your arrogance, Kai. Don't forget; I'm not the only one here. Even if you have fully recovered, we still have the numbers to kill you easily." Then he turned to look at Zion. Even though he didn't utter a single word, he was unquestionably asking for assistance with his pleading look.

Zion nodded, acknowledging Edgar's request, before shooting a glance at Salvador and the others guarding the gate.

Of course, Kai had already noticed the looks his enemies were sending to each other. It seems like they're trying to pull the same trick! If they think I'm afraid, then they're horrendously wrong!

"Come on!" He took one step forward, his terrifying aura engulfing the palace.

Without delay, Edgar also unleashed all of his aura.

Salvador led the other three to surround Kai.

In a blink of an eye, five terrifying auras were blasted in Kai's direction.

Kai wore a fearless expression as the golden glow on his body shone brightly, and his aura surged outward even more wildly.

Staring at Salvador, Edgar roared, "Kill him!"

Instantly, Salvador and the others sent their auras flying in Edgar's direction while Edgar motioned with his hands, causing a black mist to fill the air.

Soon after those auras merged with that black mist, a humanoid figure was formed.

That humanoid figure rushed toward Kai and morphed its appearance to resemble Josephine.

Kai was already prepared for it. With multiple spiritual senses covering his eyes, all he saw was just a blurry shadow clone.

That way, he wouldn't be affected by the illusion and blunder.

However, Renee, who was standing behind Kai, completely fell for the trap.

"Josephine!" she shouted as she attempted to run forward and hug the illusory Josephine.

When Kai saw that, he quickly stopped her. "That's not Josephine, Renee! Wake up!"

Then he sent waves of mental energy toward Renee, attempting to pull her out of the illusion, but it was no use.

Her eyes were already unfocused, her expression blank. None of his words entered her ears as she sprinted toward the illusory Josephine.

Just as Kai tried to pull Renee away, he realized it was already too late. The shadow clone had arrived in front of him.

Hugging the illusory Josephine, Renee wailed uncontrollably.

Strangely, the illusory Josephine started struggling with an agonizing wince as though she was fighting for her life.

A gentle white glow gradually radiated from Renee's body. The light was warm and holy. When its rays landed on someone, it would immediately make that person feel incredibly pleasant.

Then, a set of white armor became visible on her body. It would seem that the white light was emitting from the armor.

"Ah!" The illusory Josephine shrieked before vanishing into thin air.

All the black mist inside the palace was gone, too. At that moment, Renee looked like a goddess, striking fear in those who glimpsed at her.

It was then she woke up from the illusion. Staring at the armor on her body with confusion, she wondered what had happened