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Chapter 1494 Are You Not Afraid Of Me

The higher-up's throat was instantly slit by a ray of light resembling a flash of lightning. In the blink of an eye, his head was flung into the air before rolling to the side.

Blood spurted everywhere. The higher-up's body froze for a moment before falling forward.

The remaining Deragons were appalled by what had just happened. The smell of blood filled the air, and the atmosphere made their hair stand on end.

To think that a Martial Arts Marquis didn't stand a chance against the black-robed man!

Horror spread within the Deragons instantly because they now believed the rumors that the black-robed man was Gilbert Feigenbaum, who had disappeared for more than two decades.

Some of the Martial Arts Marquises started to tremble in fear and could barely hold their weapons. Even though they outnumbered the black-robed man with more than ten of them, they were terrified of Gilbert's reputation.

Glancing coldly at the Martial Arts Marquises in the Deragon residence, Kai said, "Get lost now if you don't have a death wish…"

The Martial Arts Marquises exchanged glances uneasily because they were confused. Isn't he here to wipe out the Deragon family? Why would he let us escape? The other sects and prestigious families were completely wiped out without mercy.

The Martial Arts Marquises stood still, so Kai repeated, "Get lost before I change my mind..."

Kai's words sounded like a thunderclap.

Having been jolted awake, one of the Martial Arts Marquises leaped up and left the Deragon residence.

Once someone made the first move, the others followed. Kai quietly watched them flee instead of striking.

Seconds later, all the Martial Arts Marquises were gone. Other than the headless corpse on the floor, there was no one to be seen.

The servants in the Deragon residence were nowhere to be found as well. Kai immediately used his spiritual sense to look for Renee. At the same time, he wanted to find his mother.

Although he had never met his mother, he was confident that he could recognize her as long as he could sense her presence.

Just as Kai was using his spiritual sense, he suddenly looked at a corner with a cold and sharp gaze. "Show yourself!"

Godrick walked out of the corner. He didn't seem to be afraid at all.

When Kai realized it was Godrick, he was surprised because he knew him from their first encounter on Dragon Island.

However, Godrick's martial arts ability didn't seem to have improved a great deal although it had been months.

Godrick looked like an insignificant insect in front of Kai, who could crush him with ease. "Aren't you afraid of me?"

Kai was curious because Godrick didn't look intimidated by him at all.

The Martial Arts Marquises had fled in fear upon seeing him, but Godrick was brave enough to face him.

Godrick shook his head. "I know you're here to find someone, and I know where the person is..."

Kai frowned. "You know who I am?"

Godrick smiled. "I didn't know just now, but now I do..."

"Since you know where the person I'm looking for is, bring me to her. You better not pull any tricks on me; otherwise, you'll face the consequences," Kai warned coldly.

"Relax. I know you won't kill me, because if you do, no one else in the world will know where the person you're looking for is except for Ryker and Edgar."

With that, Godrick headed straight for the backyard.

Kai followed him. When they reached an ordinary-looking room, Godrick pressed a button and a stone gate appeared in front of them.

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Chapter 1495 An Advanced Arcane Array

Kai could feel the power of the arcane array immediately after the stone gate appeared.

"They set up an arcane array here?" Kai asked in bewilderment.

Even though Kai was within reach of the stone gate, he could not feel the arcane array before the mechanism was activated. He only felt the arcane array after the stone gate appeared.

The arcane array was exceptional. Even with Kai's current skills, he could not set up such an advanced arcane array.

"This is the Deragon residence's dungeon. Of course an arcane array would be set up here. Your mother is in the dungeon, but you have to open the stone gate to access it," Godrick said indifferently.

Kai flinched when he heard the word "mother." The next second, he held Godrick by the neck and looked into his eyes menacingly.

"How do you know so much?"

Kai was shocked because Godrick's abilities were inadequate for the Deragons to hold him in high regard. How did he know this secret?

Besides, the secret was only known to Ryker and Edgar.

Godrick's face turned red as he struggled to breathe under Kai's restraint. "You're strangling me. How am I going to explain..."

Godrick was moments away from suffocating to death when Kai finally let go of him. Kai remained his wary gaze on Godrick because his knowledge did not sit well with his capabilities.

"Although I don't have much power, I come from a branch family of the Deragon family. I have the same bloodline as the other Deragons. It's not a surprise that I know of their secrets," Godrick said.

"Why are you helping me, then? Is this a trap?" Kai asked warily.

Why will he help me if he's one of the Deragon family?

"I'm helping myself by helping you. Now that the Deragon family is coming to an end, I know you will kill Ryker and Edgar sooner or later. When that happens, I will stand a chance to become the head of the Deragon family! You won't repay my favor with betrayal after I help you, will you? After all, we belong to the same bloodline. I am not as ruthless as Ryker. I don't wish my younger sister and nephew dead," Godrick said righteously.

Kai stared at Godrick intently. He wanted to see if Godrick was speaking the truth, but he couldn't tell if the latter was sincere from his expression.

Regardless of what Godrick said, Kai intended to give it a try to save his mother.

He took a deep breath. A golden light flashed from his hand, and he slammed his palm onto the stone gate.

Boom!

A beam of light flashed through the sky, and Kai was thrown back by a huge force of energy.

He stared at the stone gate in disbelief because he didn't expect the arcane array to be so powerful.

"This arcane array was set up by the Deragon family's ancestors a few centuries ago. It cannot be opened easily. Out of all the Deragons, only Ryker can open it. To enter the dungeon, I have to report to him every time," Godrick said.

Instead of replying, Kai took out his Dragonslayer Sword and approached the stone gate again.

With a deep breath, he imbued the Power of Dragons into the Dragonslayer Sword.

Buzz...

A blinding light emitted from the sword. At the same time, the sword started to tremble.

"Shatter!"

With a thunderous roar, Kai brought the Dragonslayer Sword down.

The sound was deafening, and the powerful aftershock caused Kai to stumble a few steps back. Godrick, who was standing aside, was thrown backward and slammed heavily against the wall.

Kai frowned as he observed the stone gate. Not even a trace was inflicted on it. The arcane array was far more powerful than he had expected. It seemed impossible to break the arcane array.

At that moment, Beatrice sensed something in the dungeon. A hint of excitement flashed across her eyes as she stared intently at the entrance of the dungeon.

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Chapter 1496 The Nearest Distance

"Is that you, my child? Is that you?" Beatrice called out gently.

Although the arcane array had sealed off the dungeon, thus making it impossible for any sound to escape from within, Kai <u>froze because he sensed something.</u>

He seemed to have heard his mother calling him.

"Mother? Mother!" Kai yelled, and a beam of golden light exuded from his forehead. Using his spiritual sense, he was determined to see his mother since the stone gate could not be shattered.

Unfortunately, his spiritual sense could not penetrate the stone gate. Other than a muffled and weak aura, Kai couldn't feel or see anything else.

However, he was certain that the weak aura belonged to his mother.

"Ah!"

Following his sudden and crazy roar, his spiritual energy grew stronger, and the Dragonslayer Sword in his hand vibrated more intensely. "Mother! Mother..."

Kai slashed the stone gate with the Dragonslayer Sword with all his might.

Beams of light flashed rapidly from the Dragonslayer Sword. The formidable aura caused Godrick to flee. If he stayed, his body would be torn into pieces.

Kai continued slashing at the gate until he was drenched in sweat. He only stopped and slumped to the ground in defeat when he used up his spiritual energy.

By that time, the surrounding buildings had already collapsed. Sitting on the ground and glaring at the stone gate, he let out a desperate howl.

"Mother, Mother..."

Kai's yells were filled with bitterness.

This was the nearest he had ever been to his mother. His mother was right in front of him, but he could not do anything.

Kai felt crushed by the sense of defeat.

If only he had more time to find the core, it wouldn't be impossible for him to break through the arcane array. Unfortunately, he couldn't waste any more time here.

Right now, he had to save Renee and Rayleigh. If Rayleigh died because of this, Kai would never be able to live with himself.

"Mother, I swear I will save you one day…"

Kai bowed in the direction of the gate.

In the dungeon, Beatrice felt Kai's presence. As tears flowed down her cheeks, she muttered, "My child, my dear child, I trust you..."

Kai got up slowly and turned back helplessly because he had to save Renee.

Although Kai couldn't bear to leave his mother, he had no choice. He kept turning around to glance at the stone gate after taking a few steps back. Gritting his teeth, he finally turned around and left.

Godrick stayed far away from Kai because his power was enough to shatter everything nearby into pieces.

"Where is Renee?" Kai asked Godrick.

"Renee?" Godrick looked confused because he had no idea that Edgar had captured and imprisoned Renee.

That was also the reason he had brought Kai to Beatrice instead of Renee in the first place because he thought Kai had barged into the Deragon residence to save his mother.

Seeing the clueless look on Godrick's face, Kai released his spiritual sense once again to capture Renee's aura.

Unfortunately, Kai couldn't find any trace of Renee after spreading his spiritual sense to the entire Deragon residence.

"Did Edgar not lock up Renee in the Deragon residence?" Kai couldn't help frowning.

Renee's aura was absent in the Deragon residence. It was highly possible that Edgar had kept her somewhere else.

Right now, all Kai could do was rush back to Medicine God Sect to stop Rayleigh.

He felt dejected for not being able to rescue Renee and his mother at the Deragon residence, but he still rushed over to Medicine God Sect at his fastest speed in the hopes of stopping Rayleigh in time.