

Chapter 1128 A Trap

As the group ventured deeper into Shadow Valley, an overwhelming pressure suddenly descended upon them from a distance, sending shivers down their spines.

Panic ensued among the team members as they realized the source—a quartet of formidable level-six shadow beasts.

Despite lacking the advantage of blending into darkness, only Idris of the Prescott family could stand against these beasts. The others stood no chance.

Upon noticing the approaching threat, Idris' expression shifted. He quickly commanded, "Everyone, be on guard! Form groups of four, and each group will take on a shadow beast! Protect Ms. Prescott at all costs!"

Idris led two shadow beasts away from the group. Turning to Susannah, he instructed, "Miss, stay close to me! Don't leave my side, no matter what happens!"

Idris was deeply concerned about his ability to protect Susannah once the battle commenced.

Meanwhile, Liam sensed that the shadow beasts posed little threat without the ability to blend into the darkness.

He decided it wasn't the right time to reveal his true strength and joined a group of four to assist in dealing with the beasts.

Unbeknownst to Liam, among the Prescott family team, there were two brothers from the Delgado family who harbored a strong dislike for him.

They had long coveted Susannah's favor, seeing it as a means to advance their status.

However, Susannah had shown little interest in them and instead had taken a keen interest in Liam, whom she had rescued from Shadow Valley and cared for.

This was intolerable to the Delgado brothers, fueling their intense hatred towards Liam.

Coincidentally, the group Liam joined included the Delgado brothers.

Noticing Liam join the team, the Delgado brothers exchanged knowing looks, their eyes glinting with malice.

They nodded at each other, understanding their plan perfectly. They had already devised a scheme to teach Liam a lesson.

Seizing the opportunity amidst the chaos, they deliberately provoked a level-six shadow beast, goading it into pursuit as they darted towards Liam.

Their strategy was simple yet effective.

They believed that Liam only had the strength at the peak of level five, making him incapable of defeating a level-six shadow beast.

They were confident that Susannah would not stand up for Liam if anything happened to him as Liam was only a newcomer to the Prescott family's team.

Furthermore, even if Susannah wanted to defend Liam, they could easily shift the blame onto the shadow beast, claiming that it had targeted Liam and that they had been merely trying to divert its attention.

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+120 Points at most

Their plan unfolded seamlessly.

As the shadow beast closed in on Liam, the Delgado brothers smirked victoriously, convinced of their imminent success.

They believed that Liam stood no chance against the shadow beast's attack.

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