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## Chapter 2851

He did not even bother looking up, "No matter what you say, there's no way I'll make a deal with a sixth-grade alchemist. I only have twenty-five sets of materials. If you end up ruining them, I won't have anything left."

"Who's going to ruin them?!" Rudy was getting a bit excited at that moment.

His face reddened and he wanted to argue with the man until the end but was stopped by Jackie.

In truth, what the man said was reasonable. If Jackie were in his shoes, he would also be worried that his materials would be ruined. Deals could not be done so easily. After all, the materials needed for the blood condensing pills were incredibly expensive. It was natural that he did not want to take the risk.

After Jackie pulled Rudy back, he straightened his body and said earnestly, "I will sign a contract with you. If I don't finish refining the pills based on your requirements, not only will I reimburse you for all your losses, I will pay you an extra hundred thousand spirit crystals as well. What do you think?"

Jackie's words finally caused the man to get serious. If they signed a contract, then there would be no room for any regret. The conditions that Jackie mentioned also moved the black-clothed man.

Even if Jackie did a blunder, the man would still be compensated for his losses. He would also get an additional hundred thousand spirit crystals. Even though that was not a lot of spirit crystals to the man, it was still not a small sum.

He thought about it for a moment before nodding and adding, "If you mess things up, there should be a time limit to pay me back. I'll give you five days. If you don't refine twenty blood condensing pills in a week, you have to complete your end and pay me back for my losses within five days. That's with the hundred thousand spirit crystals!"

Jackie nodded, lamenting that the guy was quite sharp to have added in such an important clause. Without a time limit, Jackie could drag things on forever even if he really messed things up.

After the two of them decided on the contents of the contract, the man happily took out a scroll for the contract. They looked at the contents and sealed the contract with their blood. The contract took effect immediately.

Normally, warriors would not agree to contracts so easily. That was because contracts could not be changed the moment they were written. If they fail to uphold the contract, they would be punished by the world itself. It was something fatal. However, if the

warriors were very confident, getting into a contract was not a big deal. The man looked through the contents in great detail and asked Jackie to look it over as well. After the two of them were sure that the contents were right, the man cut his finger with a knife.

Just as he was about to drip the blood onto the scroll, an unfriendly voice was heard, "Hold on! Why are you in such a hurry? I'm telling you this out of kindness, but sometimes even contracts aren't useful! This guy is just a sixth-grade alchemist, he will definitely mess things up for you. It'll waste so much of your time, why don't you rethink things..."

As the person spoke, he walked next to Jackie. The person was already there earlier, but his gaze had been on other stalls. Jackie did not pay much attention to the person.

After the person walked over, Jackie noticed that the person had on clothing that was similar to his. The person had a seventh-grade alchemist badge on, so he was obviously a seventh-grade alchemist.

## Chapter 2852

Jackie frowned. The person did not look like he had good intentions. It was obvious that the person was there to look for trouble. He had clearly just been walking around, but he was acting like he had just gotten there. He deliberately interrupted them at a key moment.

Rudy frowned and said, "Stop trying to cause trouble. Both sides have already agreed to the deal, why are you trying to get in the way?"

The man sneered, not even bothering to look at Rudy as he saluted the black-clothed man, "I am Manse Noble, an alchemist from the Compass Pavilion."

After saying that, he even pointed at the seventh-grade alchemist badge with his finger, "Even if you've already negotiated things, you should look at who you're dealing with. This person's only a sixth-grade alchemist... It's very likely that he'll make a mess of your things. Why don't you give the deal to me? I guarantee that I'll be able to complete twenty blood condensing pills in seven days!"

After Manse said that, the black-clothed man was suddenly hesitant. After all, no matter what Jackie said, he still had a sixth-grade alchemist badge on his chest. He really cared if he could get twenty blood condensing pills in a week.

No matter what Jackie had said, there were too many uncertainties. If Jackie really made a mess of things, then he would be delayed even more. Even if he can be compensated, he still had important things he needed to do.

Manse immediately smiled at the black-clothed man's hesitation. He pulled out a fan from somewhere and fanned himself as he said, "You haven't signed the contract

anyway, so you still have time to decide. I can even accept less of a reward. You were offering sixty-seven thousand, but I just want sixty thousand."

Rudy got anxious at those words as he shouted, "You're trying to steal this deal!"

Manse turned around calmly as he nodded, saying without any hesitation, "That's right! I am trying to steal your business!"

After saying that, he looked at Jackie with a challenging expression, as if he was telling Jackie to hit him if Jackie was unhappy. However, the tower did not allow fighting in the market, so they had to bear it. The moment Jackie tried anything, he would trigger the laws of the tower, and would immediately be struck by lightning and killed!

Rudy was so furious his face turned purple as he breathed erratically. He wanted nothing more than to choke that person to death.

Jackie furrowed his eyebrows and said calmly, "You came here just to cause me trouble, right?"

Manse shook his head, "Who do you think you are? You're not worth me doing that!"

It was obvious then that it had definitely been Manse's intentions. Jackie immediately understood. Manse had said that he was from the Compass Pavilion, and Jackie had just offended the Compass Pavilion.

Those guys from the first level were probably incredibly unhappy and asked for a fellow disciple from the second floor to help them vent.

Jackie snorted as a flash of unhappiness appeared on his face. At that moment, he was a little angry. He hated those flies that he could never get rid of the most. The Compass Pavilion was just like flies in Jackie's eyes. Yet, Jackie did not want to let go of that deal so easily.

He looked up and stared at the man earnestly while he voiced out, "He might be a seventh-grade alchemist, but you can't be sure that he'll definitely manage to complete this task. After all, there are good and bad seventh-grade alchemists!"

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"The fact that I'm signing a contract with you proves that I'm incredibly confident. If I can't finish the task as stipulated, I'll compensate you with enough spirit crystals! I was already willing to do that, so why are you still hesitating?"

The man's face stiffened, suddenly finding himself in a difficult situation. In truth, he was actually leaning towards Manse. After all, Manse had a seventh-grade alchemist badge on his chest.

No matter what Jackie said, the man only saw a sixth-grade alchemist badge on his chest, so there was a lot of uncertainty. The allure of a hundred thousand spirit crystals was huge, but he did not want to waste time!

After Manse heard that, he let out a laugh, "I really don't know where you're getting all your confidence from. A mere sixth-grade alchemist actually dares to accept an assignment meant for a seventh-grade alchemist. I think you should know your place before you take up this task. A hundred thousand spirit crystals might not be much to you, but you'll end up wasting someone else's time!"

Manse turned Jackie into a rich kid who never lacked spirit crystals in just a few words. The moment he said that the black-clothed man's eyes glinted as if he suddenly understood everything.

The man looked at Jackie with a meaningful expression as he pulled the contract away.

"Jackie, I'm sorry, but I think Manse is right. You probably don't really need spirit crystals if you signed such a contract with me. If I had a lot of time, I wouldn't have minded making this deal with you, but my time is limited. I have to pick Manse, who's better."

Manse's smile deepened after he heard that, but Rudy curled his fists in anger as he stared at Manse viciously.

Rudy suddenly turned to look at the black-clothed man, "There's an order to doing business. We already agreed to the terms and were about to sign the contract. Why are you suddenly going back on your words!"

The black-clothed man raised an eyebrow as he said nonchalantly, "I just set up a stall here. No matter what you said, I'm still worried you'll make a mess of the deal."

Rudy got even angrier after he heard that. He pointed at the man, wanting to continue arguing with the man. However, Jackie pulled Rudy back again. Since the man already made his choice, Jackie would not force it.

Jackie turned and pulled Rudy out of the market.

Rudy was incredibly unhappy, mumbling as he was being pulled by Jackie, "That Manse deliberately came over to cause us trouble! That brat is so despicable. If the laws weren't there, I would definitely teach him a lesson. We're both alchemists, he's definitely not stronger than me!"

Jackie sighed helplessly as he said without turning around, "He really was there to cause me trouble, but I'm not someone who'll just take it sitting down. They'll pay the price."

After that, Rudy started to be a bit hesitant as he whispered, "Are we going to make the Compass Pavilion our enemies?"

Jackie nodded, saying earnestly, "They were the ones who acted like this first, so I can't be blamed for retaliating. You have to understand something. Taking a step back doesn't mean I'm giving up. I just want them to let their guard down!"

Rudy took a deep breath, not continuing. He suddenly felt conflicted. He actually wanted to tell Jackie to just let it go. After all, they were facing an eighth-grade clan.

### Chapter 2854

There were countless disciples from the Compass Pavilion. Each one they killed would be replaced by another. However, he could understand Jackie. Even if he said that Jackie would not listen to him. Just as his thoughts were wandering, a familiar figure appeared in front of them.

He suddenly stopped as he grabbed Rudy's arm, "Look at that person!"

Jackie furrowed his eyebrows as he followed Rudy's fingers. He saw a familiar figure walking forward.

Jackie did not have the chance to react before Rudy hurriedly said, "That's Grayson! It's him!"

After saying that, he let go of Jackie before Jackie could react. He rushed over as <u>Jackie frowned, cursing Rudy for being so impatient.</u>

By the time Jackie reacted and tried to grab Rudy, he was already in front of Grayson. Rudy reached out and grabbed Grayson's arm. Grayson turned around in surprise to look at Rudy. At that moment, Rudy was so emotional that he ignored everything else.

"Where have you been?! Why are you here? What happened to you?!" Rudy's words flowed out as he poured out everything that was on his mind.

His eyes widened as he asked everything in an accusing tone. Jackie's face reddened in anger, not expecting Rudy to be so reckless.

After seeing Grayson, Rudy lost all of his earlier rationality and rushed right in front of Grayson.

Jackie angrily pulled at Rudy's arm, pulling Rudy back. Grayson first looked at Rudy with a confused gaze. After Rudy said that, a sharp look flashed in Grayson's eyes, "You have the wrong guy. I don't know you two at all."

After saying that, Grayson turned around and left.

Staring at Grayson's departing back, Rudy had a mystified look on his face.

What did Grayson say? Did Grayson not know him?

Why did Grayson say that? What was Grayson hiding?

As those thoughts flashed in his mind, he suddenly heard a scolding.

"Did you forget everything I told you before? I told you not to act recklessly, so why did you rush over?!"

Rudy turned around to see a furious Jackie. It was the first time he saw Jackie so angry.

Rudy shrunk back as he mumbled to himself, not able to say anything.

Looking at Rudy like that, Jackie got even angrier. He pushed Rudy away as he quickly walked forward towards Grayson.

Seeing Jackie push him away, Rudy started to panic. He hurriedly followed behind Jackie, afraid that Jackie would not bring him along anymore.

As he walked, he said, "He suddenly appeared in front of me and I immediately panicked. I lost control of myself. I really want to know why he disappeared. After all, this problem has bugged me for a long time. I was only thinking about asking him then, losing all other considerations."

Jackie sighed as he stopped, turning around to look at Rudy seriously, "Then did you get your answers?"

#### Chapter 2855

Rudy shook his head. He had gotten nothing. Grayson had even said that Grayson did not know them.

"What is this guy trying to do? He actually said he doesn't know us, and even looked at us like it was the first time he met us!" Rudy said with some difficulty.

There had clearly been no one around Grayson, so why did he not tell the truth?

After all, those gathered here were all unrelated people. There was nothing wrong with voicing out any difficulties.

Jackie no longer knew how to teach Rudy a lesson. Rudy had clearly said that he would not be impulsive anymore, and always think things through before doing anything, but he forgot everything the moment he saw Grayson, rushing over to grab Grayson.

Jackie frowned, "If you make a mistake like this again, I'm leaving by myself. I won't bring you along anymore. You're really holding me back at the moment. I clearly told you before that you shouldn't involve yourself in or talk about this. Even if we saw Grayson, I told you not to ask him anything in case we alert our enemies. There are a lot of things we can't control. You're really an idiot! Did you see what uniform he was wearing?"

The last sentence was practically said by Jackie through clenched teeth. Rudy frowned, thinking about it in detail before he suddenly widened his mouth. His eyes threatened to pop out of their sockets, "He was wearing the clothes of a disciple of the Unbreaking Pavilion!"

Jackie nodded as various emotions played in his eyes.

Grayson really had been wearing the uniform of an inner disciple of the Unbreaking Pavilion. Those clothes were not something just anyone could wear. Furthermore, Jackie had felt a strong aura from Grayson earlier. Even though it might not be that strong in Jackie's eyes, Jackie was still sure that Grayson was already at the spring solidifying realm.

He had not planned on saying anything to Rudy, but he was worried that Rudy would cause trouble again, so he said, "He should already be in the spring solidifying realm."

The moment he said that Rudy gaped, "What did you say? He's already at the spring solidifying realm? You're talking about Grayson?!"

Jackie nodded, "Even though the laws are restricting him, and we can only see that he's at the late stage of the innate realm, just from his aura alone, I can tell that he's already at the spring solidifying realm. It looked like a lot had happened. There must be a reason he said he did not know us. After you said those words, his eyes had a sharp look. It was like he was looking at an enemy! It looks like it's not just a secret hidden behind this. I told you to be careful, but you refused to listen. Now, we've already alerted him. No one knows what will happen after this!"

The more Jackie thought about it, the angrier he got. He had already been angered by Manse earlier, and now Rudy's actions sent his rage to even higher levels.

Rudy's lips twitched as he looked at Jackie apologetically. He had just wanted to ask Grayson some questions. He had not thought about anything else. He had not wanted to admit it when Jackie called him an idiot before, but now he had to. He never did anything right and made a mess of everything.

"What does he want exactly? What kind of secret does he have? Why is he looking at us like an enemy? Could he be afraid that we'll say something?" Rudy widened his eyes and asked curiously.

#### Chapter 2856

Jackie shook his head, "I'm not sure about that, but what makes me even more curious was the fact that he really was looking at you in confusion earlier. It's like he doesn't know who you are at all. After you said all that, he looked at you as an enemy. It's as if you touched upon his secret... Could he really not know us?"

"How could he not know who we are?! The three of us went through so much. Unless he lost his memories, how could he not know who we are? He even hates you so much..."

Rudy was very hesitant when he said the last words, but it was the truth.

Jackie turned around, full of suspicion in his eyes. At that moment, he really did not know what to think about the situation. He felt like there were traps everywhere, and problems that could not be solved.

After a long time, Jackie shook his head, "Let's not think about this anymore. We need to hurry up and leave the second floor. We can make our plans after we reach the third."

"Why are we in such a hurry to leave?" Rudy asked curiously.

Jackie sighed, "I want to distance myself from Grayson. We'll only be able to get enough time to properly look into things if we're away from him."

The second level's arenas had a lot fewer spectators compared to the first level's. However, that was just in comparison. Looking around, the stands were still incredibly packed.

Jackie picked out the second arena to find a place to sit at. After that, he pulled at Rudy to sit with him. The two of them looked at the evenly matched fight on the stage, neither of them saying anything.

After a long time, Rudy said, "Why aren't you queuing up? Didn't you say you want to leave this place as soon as possible?"

Jackie raised an eyebrow, looking around before he said, "I'm waiting for someone. The second level's rules are a bit different from the first. They don't arrange the matches for us, but we have to choose our opponents for ourselves."

The moment he said that he saw a white-robed man walking toward them. The person had a clear look in his eyes and looked very polite. He sat down next to Jackie.

Rudy frowned at the sight. The two of them had chosen a place that was more secluded to save themselves any trouble. However, the person had sat down next to Jackie right after he arrived. However, they were in no position to say anything if he did not.

Rudy was just about to say something when Jackie interrupted him, "Enough with the nonsense. Look at the match first, that person is about to lose."

Rudy raised an eyebrow, feeling like Jackie was speaking a bit strangely. However, he could not tell where the strange feeling came from. The match continued for a little longer, and a victor was decided. The black-clothed man fell to the ground, spitting out blood. The green-clothed man had won, and he shouted in excitement as he stood at the arena.

Once the black- clothed man was brought away, the person next to Jackie suddenly spoke, "I'm Walter Conch, could I know where you come from?"

Jackie raised an eyebrow and smiled before replying politely, "My name is Jackie, I don't come from any clan."

#### Chapter 2857

Walter's smile deepened after he heard that, "So you're a wandering warrior, but you must be very skilled if you're here."

Words of praise started to be spoken. Walter had just started talking to Jackie, but he suddenly looked like a long-lost friend as he opened up his arms and spoke happily.

He asked Jackie what he had gone through, and which ninth-level city he came from. He asked Jackie where Jackie was going after as well. Jackie calmly answered all his questions. However, Jackie merely brushed over any sensitive topics, giving vague answers.

Rudy started to frown as he listened on, feeling like Walter's friendliness was too sudden. Even if Rudy was not the most intelligent, he could still tell that there was something off about Walter.

Since Walter was on the second level, Walter had to be skilled. Normally, strong people would never waste time on anyone they did not know. It was not like they had nothing to do, so why were they wasting time on chit-chat. Walter even expressed his admiration for Jackie despite not knowing anything about Jackie. Those empty pleasantries sounded so fake. Anyone remotely intelligent could tell.

Rudy understood Jackie somewhat well.

Jackie hated dealing with things like this. He would typically already be incredibly polite if he even bothered answering a couple of questions. Yet, for some reason, he seemed to be patiently talking to Walter. He answered any questions Walter had as if he was a very friendly neighbor.

Rudy looked at the two of them chatting away happily, and he was more and more confused.

After they talked for a while, Walter suddenly said, "Both of us want to reach the third level anyway. Jackie, since you indulged me, why don't I give you a chance. The two of us can go on stage together, and I'll surrender to you and send you up. What do you think?"

Jackie did not even think about it and agreed, even saying, "Thank you so much, Walter."

Walter waved it off, "No need to thank me. You get along with me so well. I've always been like this. I'll treat anyone who gets along with me well."

He talked as if he was a saint. Jackie nodded with a smile after hearing him, agreeing with his words.

Rudy was stunned. That person was definitely a big scammer, so why was Jackie accepting things so easily?

It seemed like Jackie was even looking at Walter like a brother.

Jackie took out his token from Mustard Seed, "Since the two of us are going to go into the arena, then let's not wait anymore. Let's start queuing now."

When Walter saw that Jackie was so easygoing, he could not hold back his smile. His smile even threatened to split his face apart as he hastily took out his own token. After placing the two tokens together, a faint purple glow was seen where the tokens touched. Information was transferred to their minds.

The second arena, fight number seventy-three!

It was already the sixty-eighth fight, so there was not too long until their battle. After everything was done, Walter's expression suddenly changed. He started to look at Jackie with a harsher expression as well. However, Jackie acted like he did not know anything, even if he had seen the change in Walter, he acted as if nothing had happened.

Rudy's heart stopped when he saw Walter's expression. He felt like something was wrong, and took advantage of Walter being distracted to pull at Jackie's sleeve. Jackie turned around and shot Rudy a look, motioning for Rudy to calm down.

#### Chapter 2858

After handling anything, Jackie seemed to have lost his friendliness. He turned away, no longer talking to Walter.

Walter could still hear it initially, but when he saw that Jackie was so calm, he could not keep his calm. He frowned and asked, "Are you really stupid, or is there something wrong with your eyes?"

The moment he said that the atmosphere that had been so warm earlier suddenly cooled down. Jackie raised an eyebrow, not saying anything. Since both of them had accomplished their goal, Jackie did not feel like saying anything else. Walter felt like he had been challenged when he saw that Jackie did not answer, and did not even bother sparing him a glance.

He snorted coldly, "Do you feel like you really made a friend?"

Jackie was speechless as his lips twitched. He turned to look at Walter, "Did you want to see me being incredibly terrified after you revealed your goals? Did you want me to regret everything I did?"

Jackie's words completely stunned Walter.

So Jackie had seen through everything? Then why did Jackie agree to meet him in the arena?

Walter sneered as he said, "I'm a chosen disciple from the Compass Pavilion!"

Jackie raised an eyebrow, having already guessed that. Since their inner disciples were no match for him, then the Compass Pavilion would definitely have sent a chosen disciple at him.

After Jackie heard that, he remained calm as he stared at the battle in the arena, in no mood to care about Walter at all. Walter narrowed his eyes as a harsh look flashed in them. His actions had already thoroughly trampled on Walter's fragile pride. Sometimes, ignoring them was a better way of angering people.

Walter snorted, "Don't think that you can't hide your fear just by doing this. Could you not know how strong a chosen disciple from an eighth-grade clan is?"

Jackie sighed helplessly, not really wanting to bother with Walter. He did not care if he was from an eighth or ninth-grade clan. They were all the same to him.

Rudy could suddenly not stand it after hearing Walter's words.

Earlier, he had been guessing who Walter really was. After all, Walter's actions were vastly different from what he saw in normal warriors. After Walter revealed where he was from, Rudy was even more nervous.

Rudy gulped as he looked at Jackie.

Jackie was still sitting there incredibly calmly, not reacting to anything Walter said. His actions actually got Rudy even more anxious. He had a lot to say, but he did not dare to be too direct in front of Walter. He was forced to whisper to Jackie, "You'll be going to the stage in a bit..."

Before he could finish, Jackie stopped him with a hand. He knew better than anyone that he needed to go onto the stage. There was no need for any reminders. At that moment, footsteps could be heard from a distance. Jackie looked over and saw a few familiar figures that were getting closer to them. Those figures looked like they obviously had ill intentions. There was hatred and anger in their eyes.

The one in front of Manse, who had been causing him trouble earlier. He even saw Vale in the crowd. Vale was still incredibly pale, obviously not having recovered from his heavy injuries. However, even injured, he still managed to get to the second level. It was obvious that he had taken a lot of high-grade pills.

#### Chapter 2859

Jackie raised an eyebrow, not reacting to those unwanted guests. They were in the spectator stands, where fighting was restricted. If they dared to do anything there, the ones who would end up being punished were them. Since they could not fight, he did not care. It was obvious why all of them were there.

Manse let out a snort as he said mockingly, "You're really something else. Since you know everything, why are you still acting like you don't care? Do you really not know what a chosen disciple of an eighth-grade clan represents?

"Don't think that you can't act so arrogantly in front of the disciple of the Compass Pavilion just because you beat Vincent. Vincent might be a little skilled, but he's not that great among the inner disciples! Now, you're challenging one of the strongest disciples of the Compass Pavilion!"

As they said that, they started to surround Jackie. Even though they did not attack, they were still acting very aggressively. Jackie frowned. There was still some time until the seventy-third match. He had planned on quietly watching the fights. He never expected so many flies to appear.

Jackie sighed. It seemed like it was useless even if he shut his eyes and mouth. They would always trouble him if he did not shut them up completely. He looked towards the seventh-grade alchemist, Manse. The guy was in front of everyone and looked like the leader.

Jackie coldly smiled, "It's the first time I've seen an alchemist talk about warriors so confidently!"

Alchemists were often incredibly weak. That was something every warrior in the Hestia Continent knew. Yet, Manse seemed to be criticizing warriors like nothing. It was as if he was actually stronger than even chosen disciples.

Manse's expression darkened as anger flashed in his eyes. Before he came, he had heard from the other disciples that Jackie was not only somewhat skilled, but good with his words as well. They advised Manse against engaging Jackie in a battle of words.

Manse had not believed it then, but it seemed like Manse had to now. Manse coldly snorted, "Brat! Don't be so pleased with yourself. Once you get on the stage, you'll realize you offended someone you shouldn't have. You're not someone who can stand the consequences!"

Jackie's lips twitched speechlessly. It was the same speech again. Every time he met someone who could not deal with him, they would always say the same thing. He coldly smiled, "Vincent said that too, but how did he end up?"

Their expressions soured at that.

Rudy could not stop himself from giggling, which caused their expressions to darken even more.

Walter said, "Don't be so pleased with yourself! I've always been someone who paid back all my debts. I don't believe in letting people off. I won't kill you easily. I'll spare your life and slowly torture you. I'll seal off all your movements, making you unable to fight. Then, I'll use flames to harm your skin. Once you're completely burnt, I'll give you pills to treat yourself. After you recover a bit, I'll grill you alive. I'll make sure to torture you until you're begging for death. I'll show everyone what the consequences of offending the Compass Pavilion are!"

The venomous words caused Rudy to frown. He shuddered, feeling a chill around his body.

Jackie raised an eyebrow, feeling like it was the first time he had heard of such cruel torture.

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He turned to look at Walter and saw that Walter was looking at him incredibly earnestly at that moment. Walter seemed like he wanted Jackie to believe that what he said would definitely happen.

Jackie took a deep breath. He had to admit that Walter was stronger than everyone else. However, Jackie was not referring to martial strength, but that Walter's ability to piss people off was far greater than anyone else. Jackie was not easily angered, but he was furious after those words.

Jackie let out a cold laugh, "You better remember what you said."

Walter raised an eyebrow, "Of course, I'll remember everything I said."

Jackie nodded before he looked back at the evenly matched pair on the stage. Everyone was silent again. Walter had an unhappy glint in his eyes when he saw that Jackie was looking away again. He had obviously said everything he did earlier with his own goals in mind.

He wanted Jackie to be filled with fear and worry. He wanted to look at Jackie's panicked look. He wanted Jackie to beg him, but he did not get any reaction other than a cold laugh. It caused Walter to wonder if what he said earlier had not been cruel enough.

Manse's expression darkened as well. He wanted to see Jackie's terrified expression, just as Walter did. He wanted Jackie to be begging for mercy but never expected Jackie's reaction to being so small. Manse took a deep breath as he sat down next to Walter.

Walter was the only thing between Jackie and Manse.

Jackie could not be bothered dealing with those people. After looking at the battle in the arena, he did not want to say anything else at all. However, the ones around him were not willing to waste their time like that.

Manse took a deep breath, "You're the most arrogant alchemist I've ever seen."

Jackie frowned. He knew that Manse would not just let things rest. As he mockingly said that, Jackie snorted, not really caring as he said, "Since you're so confident in Walter, why don't we make a bet?"

Rudy was immediately excited when he heard there would be a bet. In a short few days, it was already the second time Jackie was betting against someone. The person before had lost ten thousand spirit crystals, so he wondered how much Jackie would set the bet at this time.

Manse furrowed his eyebrows, not expecting that Jackie would suddenly bring up a bet. However, he never believed that Jackie had any chance at all, so he was naturally happy to bet against Jackie.

Manse nodded without any hesitation, "Let's bet if you want to. How much do you want to bet?"

Jackie raised nine fingers, "What about ninety thousand spirit crystals? If I manage to beat Walter in the seventy-third match, then You will give me ninety thousand spirit crystals. If I lose, then I'll give you the same amount!"

Manse waved it off as he let out a cold laugh, "I'm okay with betting a hundred and ninety spirit crystals, let alone just ninety!"

Jackie suddenly laughed as he hurriedly took out a contract scroll and patiently spoke...