# The Mans Decree Chapter 1175

#### Chapter 1175 Collaboration

Jace had gained fame a long time ago and had always been recognized as the most talented martial artist among the younger generation.

As such, he had always commanded respect and had countless followers.

On the other hand, Kai's name had just surfaced recently.

A netizen wrote: I'm really looking forward to a battle between Jace and Kai. With that, we would be able to tell who's better.

When that comment appeared, the entire forum was hyped up again.

Anonymous netizen replied: Yes, yes! Let them compete against each other so that we would know who's more formidable.

Someone else wrote: Jace has been around for ages and was already a Semi Martial Arts Marquis one year ago. Why would he need to compete with Kai?

Another netizen replied: Well, I think Kai is really strong. If Jace is not up for the challenge, it's probably because he's afraid of losing to Kai and losing his place on the leaderboard.

With all those comments flooding the forum, two people who wouldn't have crossed paths under normal circumstances suddenly turned into enemies.

Jace's expression grew darker when he saw the barrage of comments on the forum.

During the past year, the man had gone into solitary training and had just risen to the level of a Martial Arts Marquis from a Semi Martial Arts Marquis.

In fact, Jace had wanted to compete against someone to test his upgraded capabilities. At the same time, he wanted to let everyone know that he was still as strong as before, even though he had not been active for the past year.

It seemed like Kai was the best candidate for that.

Therefore, Jace announced: I will be inviting Kai to compete against me on New Year's Day, but whether or not he'll dare to accept the challenge is not up to me.

Jace shut down the computer after posting that comment.

News of Jace's challenge to Kai traveled fast.

#### However, Kai was completely unaware of the matter.

He had not expected to gain one additional enemy suddenly for no reason.

At that moment, Kai was on his way back to Jadeborough.

He was expecting to encounter some obstacles on his journey. After all, there were many sects and clans who had been targeting him.

However, to Kai's surprise, he was able to enjoy a peaceful voyage with no one sneaking attacks on him.

Even Coby from the Rowling family in Marsingfill was quiet.

However, what Kai was unaware of was that Coby had already arrived in Jadeborough a few days back but had not gotten any news about Kai.

When Coby heard that Kai had eliminated the leader of Malison Sect, he decided to act with caution.

That day, Coby made a trip to the Norton residence in Jadeborough.

If he really were to compete against Kai, he would require some help from the Norton family.

Even though there were some conflicts between Coby and Skylar previously, he believed that the enemy of one's enemy would be one's friend.

As Skylar hated Kai to the core, if the Norton family were willing to collaborate with Coby, Kai would definitely be doomed!

However, even though Coby had reached the Norton residence one hour ago, he had only been drinking coffee in the living room as no one from the Norton family had appeared to receive him.

There was absolutely no trace of Skylar.

"Mr. Coby, it's obvious that the Norton family is ignoring you intentionally. Why are we still staying here?" Coby's subordinate, who had accompanied him there, asked in annoyance.

"I know that Skylar is ignoring me intentionally. But in order to achieve our goal, we have to be patient and not act recklessly. Let's just wait here!" Coby said before taking another sip of his coffee.

He had already drunk a few cups of coffee by then.

Meanwhile, in the room behind the living room, Skylar was observing Coby quietly through a gap in the door.

The Norton family and the Rowling family had no dealings with each other. Besides, back then, in Xenhall, Coby had also offended Skylar.

As such, Skylar had decided to assert some dominance over Coby since they were in Jadeborough.

Initially, Skylar had expected Coby to leave out of pride. As such, he was surprised to see the man still sitting there after an hour of waiting.

"Mr. Norton, shall I go and chase them away?" the Norton family's butler asked Skylar softly.

Skylar waved a dismissive hand and replied, "No need. I will meet Coby since he is showing so much sincerity."

After Skylar finished speaking, he stood up and straightened his clothes before walking out.

"Mr. Coby, I wasn't aware that you're here. Sorry for my lack of hospitality..." Skylar said smilingly as he entered the living room.

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## Chapter 1176 On His Side

For those who had no idea, it was entirely indiscernible that the two men almost had a conflict some time ago.

"Sorry for the sudden visit, Mr. Norton!"

Coby got to his feet and inclined his head at Skylar.

Taking the main seat, Skylar inquired, "Is something the matter that you came all the way from Marsingfill to the Norton residence, Mr. Coby?"

Coby eyed the man, aware that the latter knew the reason for his visit all too well.

Nonetheless, he didn't bother hiding anything since Skylar had asked as much, admitting, "Mr. Norton, Kai destroyed Pentacarna Tower and fled here from Xenhall. I've been pursuing him all the way. Alas, I lost track of him recently. Now, he has made an appearance and even killed Quintus Zabel of Malison Sect. I'm sure you know that as well. I know you also hate him, Mr. Norton. Therefore, I'd like to join forces with you to eliminate him together!"

Upon hearing that, Skylar frowned deeply. "Destroyed Pentacarna Tower? It's an ancient artifact, so it's impossible for him to do so no matter how capable he is."

He had once heard about the origin of Pentacarna Tower from the butler of the Gardner family.

How could such a magical item be destroyed? Kai probably doesn't have such capability.

"Are you doubting me, Mr. Norton?" Coby was stunned for a moment before he elaborated, "It's true that Pentacarna Tower has collapsed. It's now a pile of rubble!"

Skylar knew that the man couldn't possibly lie to him, but he didn't quite believe that Pentacarna Tower had really been wrecked just like that.

After mulling it over for a while, he declared, "I know! In that case, Kai must have taken the item that acted as the core essence of Pentacarna Tower that it suddenly crumbled!"

Since Pentacarna Tower is exceedingly powerful, there must have been some magical item in it. And Kai must have taken that item, so Pentacarna Tower collapsed.

At once, Coby's eyes lit up. "Oh? What magical item?"

In response, Skylar shook his head. "How would I know? But I'm sure he must have obtained a magical item from Pentacarna Tower!"

"Mr. Norton, he's in possession of many magical items right now. If we team up and kill him, those magical items will be ours," Coby asserted.

Unexpectedly, Skylar sighed.

"Countless people wish to kill him and steal his magical items. Unfortunately, putting aside his incredible capabilities, Mr. Sanders from the Law Enforcement Department is on his side. Even Zion Zeigler from Warriors Alliance couldn't do anything about him. If we make a move against him, Mr. Sanders will definitely be upset."

Nonetheless, Coby tried to entice the man further.

"The Rowling family is far away in Marsingfill, Mr. Norton, so I'm not afraid of the socalled Law Enforcement Department. I don't mind dealing with Kai personally, but I brought too few fighters this time. As long as you're willing to lend me some men, I'll split the magical items with you evenly after finishing him off!" Skylar plunged into deep contemplation. After turning it over in his mind, he nodded in acquiescence. "Okay, I'll lend you two Top Level Martial Arts Grandmaster. I hope you'll keep your word."

"Of course. How would I dare dupe you in Jadeborough? Well, unless I don't want to return to Marsingfill anymore," Coby replied with a chuckle.

"That's true. No one dares to dupe me in Jadeborough!" Skylar crowed smugly.

Coby then left with the help he obtained. In his opinion, considering his own capabilities and the two Top Level Martial Arts Grandmasters, certain death awaited Kai.

Meanwhile, Theodore, who hadn't seen Kai in almost a month, appeared to be over the moon when he laid eyes on the latter again at the Department of Justice in Jadeborough.

"Mr. Chance, I heard that you killed Quintus Zabel of Malison Sect! How gratifying! He was all arrogant as he clamored in Jadeborough's martial arts forum! Now that you've sent him to meet his maker, I noticed that many sects in Jadeborough have started behaving!" he exclaimed.

Kai merely flashed him a faint smile. "Everyone wants to eliminate Demonic Cultivators. It's all thanks to Captain Jennings that I managed to kill him."

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## Chapter 1177 Energy Constraining Pill

Kai knew that he likely couldn't have killed Quintus if Xavier hadn't discovered the secret of the latter's magecraft back then.

"Jadeborough has become considerably quieter while you were away, Mr. Chance. But Howard from the Dunn family came multiple times in search of you. I wonder if he has some business with you," Theodore reported to Kai.

Kai's brows furrowed slightly when he heard that.

"Why was Howard looking for me?"

Could it be that there's something serious that Howard came over to look for me multiple times?

"I'm not sure either, but he said to phone him after you had returned to Jadeborough!" Theodore answered.

Hearing that, Kai took out his phone and gave Howard a call.

After all, he found Howard pretty decent. That aside, the man once helped him. Thus, he reckoned that the latter might have encountered some difficulties that he was seeking him out so urgently.

When Howard received Kai's call, he was elated beyond words. He told the latter to wait for him at the Department of Justice while he sped over right away.

At that very moment, a grand banquet was in the works at the Dunn residence.

Sitting at the main seat, Lachlan waited silently for Kai to come.

"Old Mr. Dunn, the fact that Kai killed the sect leader of Malison Sect, Quintus Zabel, is proof of his superb capabilities. What if he resists when we forcibly detain him?" Lachlan's butler, Maddox Smith, whispered.

"Don't worry, for I've long since considered that!"

The corners of Lachlan's mouth curled up. He took out a pill that was crystal clear, very much beautiful.

"What is this, Old Mr. Dunn?" Maddox queried, curious.

"This is known as an energy-constraining pill. Anyone who consumes it won't be able to unleash his capabilities, no matter how powerful he is. At that time, Kai will be at our mercy!" Lachlan explained placidly.

Upon hearing that, Maddox hastily uttered, "I heard that he has close ties to Medicine God Sect. In fact, there are even rumors that he is the Lord of Medicine God Sect. Wouldn't we be making a fool of ourselves before an expert if we were to drug him? He'd definitely know."

At that, Lachlan cast a glance at the man. "Let me tell you this—this energy-constraining pill is colorless and odorless. It dissolves immediately in water, so no one can tell that the water has been spiked. Even if he is the Lord of Medicine God Sect, he'll never be able to discern it!"

"I see!" Maddox nodded. But in the next second, he questioned, "But what about Mr. Dunn if we were to do so? He would definitely object if he were to learn about it."

"I'll make an excuse to send Howard on an errand. As long as we manage to gain control of Kai, the draconic essence within him will be mine in no time."

Lachlan's eyes brimmed with greed.

"What happens after we obtain the draconic essence? If we were to let him go, he'd definitely return to seek revenge after he recovers his capabilities," Maddox asked.

"Are you f\*cking stupid? Who said we're going to let him go? After we obtain the draconic essence, we'll kill him straight away. We can't be setting ourselves up for trouble, no?" Lachlan lambasted, irritated by the endless questions.

"But if Mr. Sanders were to learn that we killed him, we'll be in trouble," Maddox reminded in a whisper, shrinking into himself.

By then, Lachlan was so livid that his face flushed bright red. He knocked Maddox on the head.

"Why the h\*ll did I employ a butler like you? Even if we kill him, we can never admit to it. It so happens that Skylar Norton has a grudge against him. Thus, we'll make it seem like the doing of the Norton family. Then, Mr. Sanders will only have the Norton family to blame. It'll be good if the Norton family is destroyed. With that, we'll have one less competitor in Jadeborough!"

Maddox didn't dare speak further but zipped his mouth.

Lachlan snagged the coffee pot and dropped the energy-constraining pill into it. After that, he gently swished it a few times.

In the end, he opened it and took a sniff before nodding in satisfaction.

He then waited for Kai to arrive before tricking him into drinking the coffee.

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### Chapter 1178 Exclusive

Howard personally drove to the Department of Justice to pick Kai up.

The instant he spotted the man, he hugged him tightly.

"You were incredible that you even killed the sect leader of Malison Sect, Kai! You're the most outstanding among the younger generation in the entire martial arts world in Jadeborough henceforth!"

Howard's eyes teemed with envy.

In response, Kai flashed him a faint smile.

"You flatter me, Howard! Is there something urgent that you'd been looking for me?"

"Oh, not at all. It's just that my father would like to meet you. Also, many prestigious martial arts families have their sights set on you. My father invited you to come and hide out at our house for a while," Howard ventured.

"Please thank Old Mr. Dunn on my behalf. But avoidance can't last forever, and there's no escaping the inevitable."

Kai didn't want to hide out at the Dunn residence. Instead, he was planning to go to Medicine God Sect to visit Rayleigh and the others and have them bring him to Village of Villains.

The new year was around the corner, so he planned to use the force of Village of Villains to rescue his mother and Josephine if he couldn't accomplish it with his own capabilities.

However, he was presently still in the dark about the force of Village of Villains.

"My father has prepared a grand banquet at home. If you don't want to stay at our house, you don't mind coming over for a meal, right? That can prove that you have close ties with the Dunn family. If other prestigious martial arts families want to make a move against you, they'll have to consider the capabilities of the Dunn family."

Howard extended an invitation to Kai.

Seeing as the man had said as much, Kai couldn't quite decline further. After all, a meal wasn't going to delay him for long.

After getting into the car, he went with Howard to the Dunn residence.

When they arrived, Lachlan personally came out to welcome him.

"Haha, I've heard Howard mentioning you long ago. Getting to meet you in person, I can tell that you're indeed worthy of your reputation. You're exceedingly famous presently, Mr. Chance!"

Lachlan shook hands with Kai courteously.

"You flatter me, Old Mr. Dunn," Kai countered with a smile.

Soon, they all took their seats at the dining table, where a feast awaited.

"Make yourself at home here, Mr. Chance. Don't stand on formality. I'm glad that Howard has a friend like you. All he does is have fun every day, not in the least bit serious with his training. The younger generation in the martial arts world of the whole of Jadeborough is far better than him!"

While saying that, Lachlan cast an exasperated look at Howard.

"Why are you always complaining about me, Dad? I think I'm already working hard enough. Few young people could be as talented as Kai, shooting to stardom at such a tender age!"

Howard glowered at his father in chagrin.

"Look, you're disgruntled just because I said a few words about you!"

Meanwhile, Lachlan glared daggers at his son.

"Old Mr. Dunn, Howard is actually pretty good. Besides, he's straightforward and has no malicious intentions. With such a personality, he'll definitely go far in the future."

Kai hurriedly spoke up on behalf of Howard.

When Kai mentioned having no malicious intentions, a flash of embarrassment flittered across Lachlan's eyes, but no one noticed it.

"It's because he's straightforward that I'm afraid he'll be taken advantage of in the future. I hope you'll lend him a hand in time to come, Mr. Chance!" Lachlan urged smilingly.

"We're friends, so I'll definitely help him!"

Kai nodded in assent.

"Maddox, go and get my treasured Black Ivory coffee!"

Lachlan looked at his butler, throwing him a meaningful glance.

"Understood!"

Spinning on his heel, Maddox left.

"You're lucky, Kai. My father's Black Ivory coffee is so exclusive that he doesn't even allow me to drink it. It's only thanks to you that I've got an opportunity to sample it today," Howard said to Kai.

Kai's lips curved into a faint smile. "I'm flattered, Old Mr. Dunn."

He didn't suspect anything despite Lachlan's enthusiasm.

After all, he could tell that Howard was an honorable man, so he reckoned that his father couldn't be any worse.