

## The Mans Decree Chapter 1186

### Chapter 1186 Hold Him Hostage

“Hahaha! What’s with the act? It’s clear you’re dead on your feet, so it wouldn’t be impossible for me to kill you. Moreover, I’m not the only Top Level Martial Arts Grandmaster here...”

With that, the auras of the others surrounding Kai erupted.

All of them were Eighth Level Martial Arts Grandmasters, and two among them were Top Level Martial Arts Grandmasters.

Faced with such a lineup, Kai could not help furrowing his brows.

I wouldn’t have anything to fear if my spiritual energy was at full force. Even if I couldn’t defeat them, I could easily run away. But now, I’ve already long used up all the spiritual energy in my body. There’s no time to replenish it even if I want to. I’m afraid it’ll be hard to deal with this many Top Level Martial Arts Grandmasters.

Coby laughed even more smugly when he noticed the look on Kai’s face.

“Hand over all the magical items you have on you, and I’ll spare your life. Did you also retrieve a magical item from the Pentacarna Tower? Otherwise, it wouldn’t have collapsed,” Coby questioned as he fixed his gaze on Kai.

Kai did not respond. Instead, he surveyed his surroundings, thinking of a way to escape.

Knowing what was running through Kai’s mind, Coby said coldly, “You don’t have to cling to such daydreams. If you don’t hand over the magical items you have, you can forget about leaving.”

After pondering for a while, Kai took out the Pentacarna Tower from his Storage Ring.

Holding it in his hand, he said, “This is the Pentacarna Tower, the one that collapsed. However, it’s merely a vessel.”

Coby’s eyes gleamed as soon as he saw the Pentacarna Tower in Kai’s hand.

“Quick, give it to me...” he urged Kai.

Kai began walking slowly toward Coby.

In truth, Kai was not really going to give Coby the Pentacarna Tower. His intention was to hold the latter hostage as soon as he let his guard down.

The instant Coby's hand brushed against the tower, Kai's eyes glinted icily, and he grabbed the former's wrist in one swift movement.

Startled, Coby wanted to back away hastily, but it was too late. Gripping Coby's wrist, Kai turned sideways to move behind him, then wrapped his arm around Coby's neck.

Coby's face fell at once. It had not occurred to him that Kai would employ such a trick.

When the Rowling family's subordinates saw that, they shouted, "Let Mr. Coby go!"

"I can let him go, but all of you have to lie on the ground and are not allowed to move..."

Now that Kai had gained the upper hand over Coby, he immediately felt much more relaxed.

The Rowling family's subordinates exchanged glances, unsure of what to do.

Kai applied a little pressure with his hand, and Coby's face turned red as he suddenly found it hard to breathe.

"These subordinates of yours don't seem to be obedient," Kai whispered in Coby's ear.

At that moment, Coby felt an impending sense of doom. He quickly cried out, "Get down! Hurry up and lie down!"

The men promptly sprawled on the ground.

"If you don't want him to die, stay there obediently and don't move."

Still restraining Coby, Kai started retreating slowly.

However, just as he was about to use Coby to flee, a vicious aura hurtled toward him.

Kai turned aside sharply while keeping a firm grip on Coby, awkwardly evading the attack.

The aura struck a nearby tree and sliced it in half in the blink of an eye.

"What the f\*ck! Are you not afraid to die?"

Kai looked livid. He had not thought that those sent by the Rowling family would dare to launch a sneak attack while he was still holding Coby hostage.

He exerted even more pressure, causing Coby's eyes to bulge and redden.

"Get down! All of you lie the f\*ck down!" Coby roared.

However, the duo who attacked Kai paid no heed to his command. They merely said icily, "We don't work for the Rowling family, so why should we listen to you? All we want is to get the magical Items Kai possesses. Whether you and the others live or die has nothing to do with us."

Kai was immediately dumbfounded upon hearing the duo's response.

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### Chapter 1187 How Dare You Trick Me

It turned out that not all of the men worked for the Rowling family.

Coby was beside himself with fury when he heard that. "You—"

At that moment, a cackle of laughter rang out. Then, Skylar and several others walked forward slowly with Skylar in the lead. "My men speak the truth. So what if you're the Rowling family's eldest son? Why does it matter to the Norton family whether you live or die?"

Coby was enraged when he saw Skylar there. "Skylar Norton, what do you mean by this? Didn't we have a deal? We agreed to an equal share of the magical items we got!"

"Who the f\*ck would want to share with you? We're in Jadeborough now. It's my territory, yet you still think of getting a share of the spoils? How delusional! Not only do I want all the magical items Kai has for my own, but I also want him dead!"

Realization finally dawned on Kai. So, among those that Coby brought, there are some who work for the Norton family. I can't believe their two families teamed up to defeat me. But by the looks of it, Coby was tricked by Skylar.

Coby glared at Skylar furiously. "You'd better not regret this, Skylar. The Rowling family is no pushover. Even though we're in Jadeborough, I still have ways of crushing the Norton family to dust!"

Skylar burst out laughing at Coby's threat.

"You sure are amusing. Just look at the situation you're in now. Do you still think you have a chance of walking away alive?"

Having said that, Skylar turned to Kai. "If you kill him now and kneel before me, I'll grant you a swift death."

Kai gazed at him grimly. Although this guy isn't all that strong, he's very conniving. It'll be tricky to deal with someone like him. If he hadn't deliberately exposed all my secrets on the martial arts forum, I wouldn't be targeted by all these sects and families now.

“Kai, let me go. As long as you release me, I’ll forget about all my grievances against you and call it even. I won’t try to take your magical items from you either. What do you say?” said Coby.

However, Kai did not let go because he had no idea whether the whole thing was an act that Coby and Skylar had cooked up together.

If I let him go and both of them gang up on me, I’ll be a dead man.

Seeing that Kai did not trust him, Coby started to panic. He was genuinely afraid that the former would kill him.

“I’ve never borne any grievances or grudges against you. I lost my rationality because of Skylar’s provocations. That’s why I decided to attack you. I guarantee I won’t turn against you after you let me go. We can even join forces to take Skylar down! Even if you kill me, you won’t be able to flee from his clutches,” Coby pleaded earnestly.

Staring at him, Kai finally slowly loosened his grip.

Skylar was a little taken aback when he saw Kai release Coby, not expecting he would actually do that.

Once Coby had regained his freedom, he shot daggers at Skylar. “How dare you trick me, Skylar Norton! I’m going to f\*cking kill you today!”

With that, Coby’s aura surged and burst forth. Then, he aimed a blow at Skylar.

Coby had long since attained the capabilities of a Top Level Martial Arts Grandmaster, and he was about to break through to the level of Semi Martial Arts Marquis. Meanwhile, Skylar had only just ascended to Top Level Martial Arts Grandmaster.

There was still a gap between their abilities, so when Coby swung a punch at Skylar, the latter did not dare to hold his ground and take the hit. Instead, he quickly dodged the attack.

However, Coby did not stop there. Turning sideways, he followed up with another punch.

A gust of wind whistled through the air as the explosive impact of the blow sent Skylar flying back.

His body crashed heavily into a tree, causing it to snap in half.

Skylar’s subordinates hurriedly helped him to his feet.

Turning to them, Skylar snarled, “You b\*stards! Are the lot of you dead? Get him!”

Without wasting any time, the men charged toward Coby.

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Chapter 1188 Not Interested

Coby's men also joined in the fray.

The two sides engaged in a fierce battle.

Although Skylar's men had the power in numbers, Coby was strong as he swung his radiant fists.

At that moment, it was undecided who would emerge victorious.

Looking at the situation before him, Kai turned around and fled without any hesitation.

Whoever would end up as the victor between Skylar and Coby had nothing to do with him.

Kai escaped to the Medicine God Sect in a jiffy!

Rayleigh, Axton, and the others were shocked to see Kai in his pitiful state.

"Kai, what happened to you? Are you injured?"

It had been nearly a month since Lizbeth last saw Kai. Now that she saw Kai in such a battered condition, she was in anguish.

"I'm fine. I'm just tired!" Kai smiled and said.

Axton hurriedly brought some condensed energy pills and medicine to treat Kai's injuries.

"Kai, is the killing of Warren and the matter regarding Quintus from Malison Sect true?" Rayleigh asked Kai.

After all, those incidents happened after Kai left the Medicine God Sect. Although the news shared on the forum was similar, they were all earth-shattering.

Therefore, Rayleigh wanted to confirm them with Kai.

"It's true!" Kai nodded.

After hearing it from Kai in person, Rayleigh began to worry.

After applying the medication, Rayleigh dismissed everyone from the room, leaving only him and Kai.

Kai looked at Rayleigh's worried face and said, "Mr. Deragon, you don't have to worry about me. With the strength I have now, no one can pose a threat to me apart from those heads of the martial arts families."

After hearing that, Rayleigh shook his head. "Kai, you still underestimate the strength of the martial arts families, especially the Warriors Alliance.

"You've killed Warren and became the Warriors Alliance's sworn enemy. Zion will never let you go.

"Then, there's the Deragons. I know Ryker well enough. Although the Deragons had not taken any action against you recently, it doesn't mean that Ryker had let you off the hook.

"You've been highly notorious recently. Even Jace Cox has already spoken on the martial arts forum that he wanted to challenge you on New Year's Day!

"It will be difficult for you to cultivate peacefully in the future."

Kai was befuddled after hearing Rayleigh's words.

"Mr. Deragon, who's Jace?"

Kai didn't even know who Jace was and was confused why the latter wanted to challenge him all of a sudden.

"He's number one on the Sage Leaderboard. After you killed Quintus from the Malison Sect, many people on the forum believed that your strength could rank you number one on the Sage Leaderboard. Therefore, Jace wants to compete with you," Rayleigh explained.

"What is the Sage Leaderboard?" Kai realized that he didn't know much about the martial arts world.

"It's a ranking list filled with young martial artists who were voted for according to their strength. However, the officials feared that such a ranking list would cause unnecessary fights, so it was restricted. Even so, many youngsters are still paying close attention to this list today," Rayleigh stated.

Kai smiled as soon as he heard. "I'm not interested in any of this. So I won't compete with him. If he wants to challenge me, I'll just have to decline."

Kai didn't care about fame and fortune. To him, it didn't matter if he ranked first.

At this moment, all he wanted was to rescue his mother and Josephine, reunite the family, and live in peace.

“You don’t care, but others might not share the same sentiment. If you don’t accept Jace’s challenge, he will find ways to force you to fight him. You’re already famous now. It won’t be easy for you to return to a normal life,” Rayleigh expressed his concerns.

As for Kai, he was also aware that he had been in the limelight too much recently.