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Chapter 2581 Demon Bead

Upon ingesting the pill, Ira experienced a refreshing coolness that seemed to flow through her body before converging at her eyes.

Gradually, her previously listless gaze started to sharpen.

Ira surveyed her surroundings as an exceptional sense of excitement welled up within her.

Her body was trembling as she shouted, "I-I can see now! I can see everything..."

Hearing Ira's shout, Emily hurried into the house and discovered that Ira was now able to see. The young lady's own excitement was nearly impossible to conceal.

She lunged forward and embraced Ira tightly, her voice filled with anticipation as she asked, "Grandma, can you see now?"

"Emily, I can see you now. You're such a lovely girl!" Ira exclaimed, her hands holding Emily's face as tears of joy streamed down her cheeks.

They both hugged each other and burst into happy tears.

Seeing that, Percy felt his nose sting.

It took a while before Emily and Ira finally calmed down.

"Thank you so much, Kai. I don't even know how to repay you," Emily said gratefully as she got to her knees.

"Silly girl, you saved my life. This is nothing." Kai prevented her from kneeling and handed over the remaining pills. "Hold onto these pills carefully. Give one to Ms. Ira every day. Once she finishes this batch, she will recover completely!"

Emily nodded and kept the pills carefully.

"Emily, Percy, please step outside for a moment. I need to have a private conversation with Kai," Ira said.

Hearing that, Emily quickly dragged Percy out.

Once Emily and Percy left, Ira started rummaging through her cabinets and found a wooden box tucked away in a corner.

It was covered in a layer of dust, seemingly untouched for numerous years. Ira carefully opened it, revealing a shiny black bead within. The bead was shrouded in a subtle black mist, and as its presence was unveiled, the room temperature began to drop.

Ira took out the bead and said to Kai respectfully, "Mr. Chance, you have restored my sight, and I have nothing else to offer you. This demon bead has been in my possession for years. While it may not hold significant value, I believe it possesses the power to aid in your ailment. By taking this demon bead, you can restore your strength to its peak state."

Kai gazed at the demon bead in Ira's palm, uncertainty crossing his expression. "This is too valuable for me to take." Ira shook her head gently. "I've made up my mind to spend the rest of my life in Rock Village. I have no intention of returning to the demon race. This demon bead holds no purpose for me. Please accept it, Mr. Chance." Hearing that, Kai took the demon bead from her. He placed it into his mouth and swallowed it.

As the demon bead entered Kai's body, a shroud of black mist enveloped him.

Gradually, the mist spread, extending its reach across Rock Village, an outcome that surprised even Ira. She had not anticipated the profound impact Kai would make after swallowing the demon bead.

Kai furrowed his brows as his expression contorted in pain.

Inside his body, three auras were intertwining and merging together. "Human, beast, and demon? Why does he have three auras in his body?" Ira stared at Kai in shock.

"Ahh!" Kai suddenly screamed out loud before collapsing to the ground and losing consciousness.

"Kai!"

Percy and Emily rushed into the house. They panicked instantly upon seeing Kai's unconscious figure on the ground.

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Chapter 2582 Demonic Aura

“Hurry, bring him to the bed...” Ira said to Emily and Percy.

The three of them looked at Kai, whose eyes were tightly closed, at a loss for what to do. Ira was consumed by anxiety, completely caught off guard by Kai’s fainting spell.

Meanwhile, at a monastery located hundreds of miles away from Rock Village, an elderly man draped in a robe, accompanied by two monks, directed his attention to the region engulfed by the veil of black mist.

“Why is there such a dense demonic aura emanating from that direction? Who dares to unveil their identity as a demon spirit now?” The elderly man furrowed his brows and waved his cane. “Let’s go and ascertain the identity of this audacious demon spirit who has revealed itself.”

The three figures disappeared.

They were the very same individuals who had been drawn by Kai’s presence when he wielded the Divine Bow upon his return from the Ethereal Realm to the mundane world. Now, it was Kai’s demonic aura that once again caught their attention.

Francois was en route to Rock Village when a startling scene unfolded before his eyes. “Sigurd, take a look at that. What on earth is happening there?” he exclaimed, taken aback.

Beside him was Hosen’s eldest disciple, Sigurd Brink.

Sigurd cast a quick glance in the direction of Rock Village and knitted his brows. “There’s a strong demonic aura. Could a demon spirit have emerged in Rock Village?”

“A demon spirit?” Francois’ surprise was evident. “Sigurd, it’s been years since we last encountered a demon spirit in the Ethereal Realm. They shouldn’t even exist here, no?”

“The demon spirits are just hiding in the shadows. There are numerous in the Ethereal Realm. Some have concealed their auras and hidden in the mountain villages, while others have taken refuge in the mountains. The emergence of a demon spirit in Rock Village indicates that something is amiss. Based on the intensity of the demonic aura, this demon spirit appears to be unusually strong!” Sigurd analyzed.

“We spent days in Rock Village but didn’t discover any demon spirits there. Unless—” something occurred to Francois as his eyes turned big— “Kai is a demon spirit?”

“That’s highly possible. Didn’t you say he’s been hiding his strength? He lives in Rock Village, but the villagers don’t know his identity. It’s possible that he’s a demon spirit who’s in hiding. Lady luck is on our side this time. If we successfully apprehend this Demonic Cultivator, we stand to gain a substantial amount of resources in return!”

Sigurd let out an icy chuckle as he quickened his pace.

When Francois and Sigurd arrived in Rock Village, Kai was still unconscious. A sense of panic spread among the villagers when they caught sight of Francois’ return. Unfortunately, Kai was unconscious, and no one among them was a match for Francois.

“Grandma, members of Emerald Cauldron Sect have arrived. It’s likely they’ve come for revenge. What do we do? Kai is still unconscious,” Emily said anxiously.

“Emily, take Kai with you and hide. No matter what happens, don’t reveal yourself. Percy, protect Emily, okay?” Ira instructed them both.

“Don’t worry, Ms. Ira. I will protect Emily,” Percy said.

“Grandma, what are you doing?” Emily asked.

“The members of Emerald Cauldron Sect are here, and they won’t give up easily this time. I’m going out to assess the situation. Don’t worry. I’ll be fine.”

With that, Ira headed out without looking back.

Right then, Francois and Sigurd had already entered Rock Village. No one could stop them.

“Where is Kai Chance? I want to see him now,” Francois demanded loudly, unleashing an attack that sent several villagers flying backward.

It was a simple punch, but the villagers died on the spot.

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Chapter 2583 Demonic Cultivator

The residents of Rock Village felt a deep sense of distress, yet they remained powerless to intervene.

Antonio quickly stepped forward. “Please calm down! Kai isn’t in Rock Village, but I can send someone to find him now!”

Antonio was well aware of Kai's current unconscious state. If they were to surrender Kai at this moment, it would inevitably lead to his demise and bring dire consequences to Rock Village as well.

He understood that by stalling and waiting for Kai to regain consciousness, there might be a chance for Kai to overcome the two adversaries.

"Who are you trying to fool? The demonic aura that enveloped Rock Village earlier must be Kai's doing. He must be in this village. If you refuse to hand him to me, I'll slaughter everyone in this village!"

Francois sent Antonio flying with a mere slap.

Antonio crashed to the ground and spat out a mouthful of blood. Seeing that, everyone else quickly helped him up.

They directed furious glares at Francois, but not a single one dared to speak or reveal Kai's whereabouts.

Francois once again raised his palm, and a horrifying aura surged within him. If he were to unleash his attack, numerous villagers would lose their lives on the spot.

"Stop!" Ira walked out from the crowd right then.

Francois scrunched up his brows when he spotted Ira. "Who are you, you old bat?"

"Kai isn't in this village. I was the one who unleashed the demonic aura earlier!"

Right after she said that, black mist enshrouded her body, making her look all the more horrifying.

The villagers of Rock Village recoiled in fear and hastily distanced themselves from her. Not a single one among them had been aware of Ira's status as a Demonic Cultivator.

For decades, Ira had concealed her true nature while living here. The sudden revelation scared the villagers.

Francois could barely hide his shock as well. "You're a Demonic Cultivator?"

"I am," Ira responded.

She leaped into the air and headed straight for Francois.

“Hah! You may be a Demonic Cultivator, but you’re no match for me!”

Francois snorted as he leaped into the air as well.

“Don’t kill her, Francois. Capture her alive. She’s valuable to us,” Sigurd reminded.

“Don’t worry, Sigurd. I won’t kill this Demonic Cultivator. It’s hard to come across one,” Francois assured. He extended his hands and scattered a cloud of pink powder into the air.

Ira knew it was poison. Her body shook, and the surrounding black mist transformed into a protective barrier, forming a shield in front of her.

Boom!

When Francois’ pink powder met the black shield, there was an explosion. Following that, the pink powder enveloped Ira entirely.

Her body went weak, causing her to collapse to the ground.

Despite her efforts to rise, she struggled to regain her footing.

“Stop struggling. You were poisoned with the Energy Dispelling Powder, and you’ve lost your strength,” Francois sneered.

He raised his foot to step on Ira’s body.

Ira closed her eyes in dejection. As a Demonic Cultivator, she knew the consequences of revealing her identity.

However, she had no choice but to sacrifice herself to give Kai more time.

Otherwise, everyone from Rock Village would suffer the consequences as well.

The villagers were furious to see Francois stepping on Ira’s body. While they were now made aware of Ira’s identity as a Demonic Cultivator, they also recognized that she had never committed any wrongdoings throughout the years.

“I can’t believe we found a pleasant surprise when we’re here to capture Kai.” Francois’ lips curled as he gazed at Ira beneath his feet. He then looked at the villagers of Rock Village and said, “You have five minutes to hand Kai over. If I don’t see Kai in five minutes, I’ll make sure your village disappears completely!”

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Chapter 2584 Someone Else

The people of Rock Village panicked when they heard Francois' threat. They knew for a fact that Francois was a man who would follow through with his threats.

Even so, no one would give up Kai's location without Antonio's permission. They simply continued stalling for time.

Francois' face turned red with anger when he saw how stubborn the villagers were.

"Very well, then. Since you guys refuse to tell me what I want, then I shall kill all of you. Let's see if Kai will show up!" Francois said as he raised his hand and brought it down in the direction of the villagers.

A terrifying wave of energy in the shape of a gigantic palm appeared and slowly descended upon them. They felt as though they were about to be crushed by a mountain.

Right as the villagers were about to be crushed by that gigantic palm, a bright light came from the horizon and struck the gigantic palm, causing it to disappear instantly.

"What? Who did that?" Francois exclaimed while glancing about anxiously.

Sigurd, too, frowned and tried to find out where the attack came from.

Given our power levels, we would surely have known if someone was approaching! The fact that we were unaware of this person's presence until he attacked just goes to show how powerful he is!

"The people from Emerald Cauldron Sect are supposed to help others, and yet, you two are killing innocent villagers..." said an elderly man who slowly came into view after the white light disappeared. He had a monk and a nun following closely behind him.

"Shut up, old man! You're in no position to criticize us! Who are you anyway?" Francois yelled at the elderly man angrily.

Sigurd, who was standing next to Francois, however, was utterly terrified. He shuddered in fear when he saw Francois insulting the elderly man.

"I apologize for Francois' ignorance, Abbot Infinides. Please don't take his words to heart!" Sigurd said and shot Francois a fierce glare. "You b*stard! Hurry up and apologize to Abbot Infinides on your knees!"

Francois was so scared when he found out about Abbot Infinides that he fell to his knees instantly.

“Please forgive me, Abbot Infinides! I didn’t know you were coming here!” His forehead was drenched in sweat. Everyone in that area knew about Infinides all too well.

Because of how powerful Infinides was, some people even wondered if he was an immortal.

The villagers of Rock Village fell on their knees when they found out that the elderly man was Infinides.

They had all heard of Infinides; they had just never seen him in person.

“Why are you two massacring these innocent villagers?” Infinides asked coldly. “You two have gone too far!”

“You may not know this, Abbot Infinides, but one of our own has been killed by the people of Rock Village. We only came here to get our revenge!” Sigurd explained.

“These villagers killed one of your guys? How is that possible?”

Infinides knew exactly what the villagers were capable of. It was simply impossible for them to kill a sect disciple.

“It’s true, Abbot Infinides! There is a villager named Kai Chance. He’s incredibly powerful but has kept his abilities hidden all this while. He caught our guy off guard and killed him! I suspect he’s a Demonic Cultivator and is hiding in Rock Village. The sudden increase in demonic aura here is proof of it! The fact that these villagers have been helping Kai means they are helping the Demonic Cultivators. We should kill them all!” Sigurd said.

Infinides nodded. “I, too, came here to have a look because of the demonic aura. It’s been a long time since I’ve sensed this much demonic aura.”

“We caught a Demonic Cultivator here in Rock Village, Abbot Infinides. She has also admitted to it herself,” Francois said while dragging Ira to her feet.

Infinides shot Ira a glance. “She is indeed a Demonic Cultivator, but she no longer has her demon bead, so there isn’t much she can do. The demonic aura must be coming from someone else here in Rock Village.”

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Chapter 2585 Do Not Kill Innocent People

Fearing that they would find Kai, Ira yelled at the top of her voice, "There are no more Demonic Cultivators here! That demonic aura came from me!"

Infinides kept quiet and glanced at the monk behind him. The monk whipped out a bottle made of nephrite and pointed it at Ira. A golden light came out of the bottle and shone on Ira, sucking her into the bottle instantly.

Francois and Sigurd felt a little disappointed when they saw Infinides capture the Demonic Cultivator they had found, but they didn't dare say a word about it.

"Abbot Infinides, there must be more Demonic Cultivators here in this village. You have to find them!" Sigurd said.

As they firmly believed that Kai was a Demonic Cultivator, he was hoping that Infinides would help them catch him.

Infinides nodded and waved his hand gently in the air, shrouding the sky above Rock Village with a gentle, white light.

The white light came down upon the villagers, producing a soothing sensation as it passed through their bodies.

If it came into contact with a Demonic Cultivator, however, it would cause the individual agonizing pain. The light would flicker around them, so there would be no way for them to hide their identity as a Demonic Cultivator.

As the light passed through the roof and touched Emily and Percy, they felt a warm sensation course through their bodies.

Kai, who was lying unconscious on the bed, showed no response when the light came into contact with him. Apparently, a power inside his body was absorbing the white light.

Infinides pulled his hand back after a while and said with a frown, "There are no more Demonic Cultivators here in Rock Village, but I am certain the demonic aura did not come from that elderly woman. It would appear that he has gone into hiding because he knew people would hunt him down after he exposed himself. He must have left this elderly woman here to help take the fall. And here I thought I would finally be able to catch a powerful Demonic Cultivator, only to have my efforts be in vain..."

He let out a huge sigh and got ready to leave the village.

Francois and Sigurd, too, were confused and began wondering if Kai had left Rock Village. After all, there was no way Infinides would have failed to detect his presence if he were still here.

“You two are allowed to get your revenge, but do not kill innocent people!”
Infinides reminded them before leaving.

“Understood, Abbot Infinides!” they replied respectfully in unison.

After Infinides left, Francois and Sigurd glanced at the villagers one final time before leaving as well. They didn’t dare disobey Infinides’ orders to spare the innocent, so there was nothing they could do except leave Rock Village.

“What should we do, Sigurd? Where should we find Kai if he has escaped?”
Francois asked.

Sigurd narrowed his eyes and replied, “I don’t think he has escaped. I believe he’s still hiding in Rock Village.”

“If that’s the case, we should head back to Rock Village and find him!”

“And how do we do that? There’s no way we can know where Kai is if those villagers are determined to help hide him! Now that we aren’t allowed to hurt them, there’s nothing much we can do!” Sigurd said with a gloomy look on his face.

“What do we do, then? We can’t just head back like this, can we? Master will get mad at us if we fail to capture Kai!” Francois said anxiously.

“I have my ways. Abbot Infinides said we’re not allowed to kill innocent people, but he didn’t say anything about having someone else kill them. Who do you think has a grudge against Rock Village?” Sigurd said with a faint smile.

“Cyan Village?”

“Correct. We’ll head over to Cyan Village and get them to kill the villagers of Rock Village. That way, we’ll be able to keep our hands clean. Kai will surely be forced to come out of hiding to protect them!” Sigurd said with a vicious look in his eyes, then made his way toward Cyan Village.

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Chapter 2586 Save Your Life

Meanwhile, in Rock Village, Antonio had the villagers bury the bodies of those who had been killed by Francois earlier.

Emily came running and frantically searched for Ira.

“Where’s my grandma, Mr. Antonio? Where is she?” she asked while grabbing Antonio by the arm.

Unsure of what to say, Antonio simply kept quiet.

I can't tell her that her grandma, who has been looking after her all this while, is a Demonic Cultivator, nor can I tell her that she's been captured. Emily knew something bad had happened when she saw Antonio remain silent.

"Grandma! Where are you, Grandma?" Emily shouted at the top of her voice, but no one responded.

Eventually, Emily had no choice but to go home. She felt extremely helpless without Ira around.

In an attempt to seek some comfort, she rested her head against Kai's chest as she wailed, "Wake up, Kai! My grandma is gone!"

However, Kai remained unresponsive and simply lay there with his face all pale. He could not hear Emily no matter how loudly she screamed.

Emily eventually got tired from crying and dozed off on Kai's chest.

Meanwhile, Infinides and his two followers had returned to Pentagon Monastery.

"Hand me the nephrite bottle," he said to the monk.

The monk retrieved the nephrite bottle containing Ira and handed it to Infinides.

"Watch the entrance, you two. Do not let anyone in here!" Infinides instructed.

Both disciples nodded in unison. "Understood!"

With the nephrite bottle in his hand, Infinides slowly made his way to the mountain behind the monastery. There was a carving of eight immortals on the stone wall, which looked incredibly lifelike.

Infinides chanted a spell while tracing some lines with his fingers. A golden light flashed around him as he shouted, "Open!"

The stone wall slowly moved aside, forming an entrance to a dark cave.

Infinides made his way into the cave, and the entrance closed behind him.

A faint wall of light appeared shortly after Infinides entered the cave, which he walked right through without any hesitation.

The environment around him changed the moment he passed through the wall of light. The rocky cave he was in had been replaced by grassy plains with mountains and rivers in the distance as well as all sorts of wildlife.

There were also lots of people living there in villages of various sizes.

“Abbot Infinides!” Someone ran up to Infinides and greeted him respectfully the moment he showed up.

Infinides nodded slightly before pulling the cork off the mouth of the nephrite bottle. A black mist came surging out of the bottle, and Ira appeared in front of them seconds later.

Ira’s face went pale with fear and anxiety when she saw Infinides standing before her.

“You can just kill me if you want to. Why did you bring me here?” Ira asked while glancing about.

She had no idea where she was, let alone what Infinides was going to do to her.

However, she knew for a fact that nothing good ever happened to Demonic Cultivators who were captured. In fact, the Demonic Cultivators were often killed with extremely cruel methods.

Some of them were even sold on the black market in exchange for all sorts of resources.

Demonic Cultivators would rather kill themselves once they were exposed.

“Calm down. I’m not going to kill you! I only sealed you in that bottle to save your life,” Infinides replied with a smile.

“Save my life?” Ira had confusion written all over her face.

“You were exposed as a Demonic Cultivator, so it would only be a matter of time before someone caught you. I brought you here to save your life. Go ahead and take a good look at the people around you,” Infinides explained.