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Shoukan at Random - Volume 01

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Chapter 1: Misfortune of 1/7,000,000,000

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This work speaks of throwing a young man by parallel summoning into the world of “Evil god average” (released by treasure island company on 7 September 2015).

I'd like to write it so that even if a person does not read that, you will be able to enjoy himself, but if you wish to enjoy it further, please take a look at lower part of the table of contents if you are interested. ([Buy here](#))

“Then, lets begin the ceremony of hero summoning.”

“Yes, I understood.”

Beneath the cathedral in a secret chamber, a ceremony was being performed. Only limited personnel are able to set foot into this place.

In response to the command of an old man wearing a regal priest robe, a young girl in white clothes arrived at the corner of a magic formation drawn on the floor and took a prayer's kneeling stance. 3 girls dressed in matching attire lined up evenly around the circle, and gave prayers just like the girl before. Clothes worn by the girls were made of very light materials, to the extent of seeing through what was underneath. Since they are not wearing underwear too, their body are exposed. However, this place completely lacks an obscene atmosphere, and on the contrary, a holy atmosphere wraps the surrounding.

The girl with light blue hair, who is presumed to be the leader out of the 4 people, begins chanting a ritual prayer for the hero summoning slowly.

“Merciful saint goddess Sophia,
We are believers and servants of you, my lady.”

Hero summoning is a secret art to summon a warrior from another world – although the person summoned may be great in this world but not the other. The title hero is granted naturally by this world's system to the one summoned, and with it strength to play an active role.

“We offer our prayers to my lady, please give us your mercy.”

However, it does not mean that a hero is merely anyone summoned from any world. Someone in this world who have received divine protection from the light goddess may also appear as the hero. In fact, there are 3 people present in this era.

If so, why a perform a summoning from another world? That is because those summoned from another world is stronger compared to those living in this world.

In legends passed down, those summoned from another world all hides superior physical and magical power compared to those in this world, and additionally they possess powerful innate skills almost all the time. People of this world know from legends that they from a parallel world are endowed with strength, but they do not know as to why. This is because it isn't necessary. What is needed by the summoners is the power they bring as a result, and they are not interested in the principles.

That is why when they encounter some difficulties, they rely on hero summoning.

“Now, we who desires compassion are in a dilemma.”

The reason why those summoned possess powerful strength is because of the power relationship between this world and that world.

The residence of this world have no way of knowing, but this world is constructed based on the other world, which is the birthplace of those summoned heroes.

As a result, it will have a lower rank in the power relationship between mutual worlds, and summoned visitors are compensated for this power relationship when crossing the boundary between 2 worlds. There must be a reason for the superior to be superior, and for the notion of matching consistency, strengthening and granting of skill is all performed for that sake... and that is the reason they are powerful.

“Once again, we implore you to drive away the menace.
We pray for our lady to give us your honorable assistance -”

Until here, there may be someone with a question.
If the people of a different world falls higher in the power relationship of the

world, it is unnatural for residents here to be able to summon them freely. That question is correct. The fact is that the initiative is actually on the side of the superior world.

When the inhabitants of this world holds a summoning ceremony, the administrator of this world acts as an intermediate, and the administrator of that world decides whether or not to permit that summoning. In the situation that it is permitted, a qualified person is selected and the transference formation is connected the location of that person.

“Opening the doors to another world, we invite a powerful person!”

At this time ordinarily, a kind administrator will choose someone among suitable people with enough aspiration of being a hero and determination to respond to the summon .

In this case, it is not a misfortune for the choose person.

Even if he nurse a grouch for the summoning in appearance, it is welcomed in the heart.

Therefore, many of these people would eventually settle down one way or another in this world.

“Hero of another world, hurry in response to our voice.”

However, there is no such thing as all administrator being good. There is naturally wicked and evil nature ones present among administrators. That is an existence called evil god or devil and such.

Those that do not take into consideration general good sense of that person and the existence of the will to accept summoning.

Thus among them, an unlucky victim is occasionally born.

『That’s okay. Since I am just bored, I will choose it properly.』



That young man is standing in a pitch black space before he knew it.

“Eh? Wha, What’s this.....!?”

The youth who has been in a high school classroom up till then, Shitou Reiji looked around baffled by the sight in front of his eyes. However, nothing could

be seen as the surrounding was pitch black.

Reiji was a comparatively tall, 18 year young man wearing a blazer uniform, and it was considerably unusual for students at this age to have undyed black hair. It would be slightly exaggerated to say that he is a matchless handsome man, but with fairly well arranged features, he is still popular with girls. Although he does not have a face of someone who studies too much, he is not a delinquent either. It was an ordinary student found everywhere.

『This is the interval between worlds.』

“Wh, Who is it!?”

Reiji turns toward the direction of the voice, but nobody was there. Only unchanging darkness is reflected in Reiji’s vision.

『It’s useless, because I am not visible now.』

“Wha, What do you mean....?”

The voice is heard from another direction, and Reiji turns towards that place. However, there is nobody still. Being toyed with, Reiji gradually felt flustered and broke into a cold sweat.

『It’s fine for me to make an appearance.

but because most company go insane after looking at me directly, I am only using my voice, you know.』

“Wa, insane?”

『Although to get used to that kind of me is another accomplishment.

In your situation.... a fifty-fifty chance?

I do not particularly mind it either way, should I try it?』

“No, please refrain from doing so.”

With these unsettling words, Reiji gave up looking for the master of that voice. It is not the case of trusting the ‘voice’, but with a 50% chance of insanity, he does not look forward to seeing it.

『Well then, let’s get down to business.

First of all congratulations, you have been chosen.』

“Chosen? Wha, What on earth.....”

『It is a summon from a parallel universe.』

“Ha?”

Reiji made a stupid voice to those unrealistic words from the voice. However, the ‘voice’ does not care about Reiji and carry on as it pleases.

『At the time of crossing over to the world on the other side, some kind of power is given. Is there anything you wish for?』

“No, please wait a moment!

Summon from another world, to suddenly say something similar to novels and manga like that.”

『It seems like you do not have anything you wish for. Then it’s up to my side to choose freely.』

“Wa,wait a second!?”

Reiji tried to stop this extremely unreasonable development in a panic, but the ‘voice’ does not stop. Up until now, Reiji keep in mind to use a polite tone as much as possible so as to not provoke his opponent, despite wasting time.

『That’s right. Because skills from god group has just been done, it is not owned.

Other than that, its interesting... .. Ah, this maybe something good.

Because it is so troublesome, shall I unify all other skills in that area.

Oh, be at ease okay? Because I will boost your physical abilities to maintain the status quo.』

“No, the explanation earlier...”

『Then, have a nice day』

“Listen!”

Without listening at all, while ignoring all Reiji’s protest, the ‘voice’ finished it’s single sided conversation conveniently. Immediately following the ‘voice”s declaration, Reiji’s consciousness began to fade rapidly.

Among his fading consciousness, Reiji at least managed to ask the ‘voice’.

“...Where on earth...am I going to.....?”

『Since you guys love the human kind, it shall be a lower order world of creation origin.

What you do in that world will determine if you enjoy it or not.』

At the end of those words, Reiji’s consciousness was interrupted.



Reiji’s form disappeared into the darkness and is replaced by the figure of a black haired boy emerging.

『Now, in order to have as much fun as possible, minimum amount of preparation must be made.

Since its troublesome, shall I have them help me too?』

And saying so, he disappears into the darkness.

A faint sneer is floating on his mouth.

<Words from a character>

Evil god “Let me enjoy it~”

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Chapter 2: Fall from a hero

Chapter 2: The fall from a hero

**Despite the small word count, thank you for evaluating and bookmarking.*

“Oh, Hero Sama!

How wonderful to have received you coming!”

“... .. wa?”

Reiji unintentionally let out a foolish voice to a delighted voice thrown suddenly from the front without being able to grasp the situation entirely.

Before he knew it, he was standing in the middle of a spacious room. In an uncomprehended state, Reiji looks restlessly at the surrounding trying to catch some kind of understanding.

A bonfire was lit in a seemingly underground room without window, and a gigantic pattern drawn on the floor is faintly emitting light.

4 young girls were on the pattern in equal intervals, and while 3 of them were kneeling as it is, one person has stood up. It seems like the other party who greeted Reiji not long ago was the young girl standing up.

“Uwa!?”

Reiji who had turned his attention to the young girl direction involuntarily averted his sight. The young girl’s figure was very close, and because of that one would hesitate to look directly at it.

The young girl with light blue waist length hair was wearing a white gown, but the material was thin enough for her skin be seen completely. Moreover, she does not seem to be wearing undergarments, and everything was exposed. That thoughtlessly thin and transparent look was an even more bewitching appearance than being nude.

The girl seemed to be about the same age as Reiji, but seeing her abundant chest inappropriate for her age, Reiji’s face redden.

Although it was courtesy to look away, turning his sight unconsciously to glance was unavoidable for a healthy boy.

“Eh? Ah....!”

Upon seeing the state of Reiji and recalling the figure of her own body, she covered her body with both hands while shyness colored her face red. However, it seems even more tempting with such a gesture.

Additionally, this appearance of the young girl is the official clothes for the summoning ceremony.

Because a lot of summoned characters are male, an emphasis on seductive appearance was made under the assumption in order to attract an ally with the first impression, but that detail has already been lost during through time and now it is only conveyed as the official ceremonial dress.

It is also part of the plan that 4 people involved in the summoning ceremony are all good looking young girls.

“.....”

“.....”

A throat clearing sound was heard coming from behind those young girls while an awkward atmosphere surrounds the 2 blushing person who are averting each others eyes and keeping silent.

[*Kohon!*] (TN: Ahem! / coughing slightly)

“Ah!? Ex, excuse me!

The summoning ceremony has been completed safely. Pope holiness, Cardinal holiness.”

The young girl came to her sense suddenly with the sound of throat clearing, and turned around behind in a panic to give her report while kneeling.

As a result, Reiji noticed at last that there were people other than the girls in this place.

An old man in a regal priest robe sat in a spot that is one step higher, and people wearing similar robes stood around him. Besides, several muscular men holding long bishop’s staff waited near those people.

Although the cough previously was from a standing man in his prime who was wearing a robe, the young girl reported to the old man sitting on the throne. Reiji who wasn’t able to understand the situation was able to tell the old man

held the highest social status in this place.

“Well, you have been troubled. (TN: I have put your through trouble.)
Well then, please accompany hero-dono here.”

“Yes.”

Receiving the old man’s instruction, the young girl turn back and held out a hand to Reiji.

“Hero-sama, this way please.”

Reiji was invited by instinctively joining hands and lead towards the direction of the old man by the young girl.

Reiji was averting his eyes from the young girl’s body, although he walked without disobeying.

When guided to 3 meters away from the old man’s throne, she release Reiji’s hands and stepped back. Naturally, Reiji stayed at the spot.

Being brought before someone who seemed to have a high social position, Reiji was at a loss about what sort of stance would be good to take, and in the end remained standing for a talk with that figure.



“First time seeing you, hero of another world.
I am Artorius the IV (4th), the current pope of the Church of the Sacred Light.”

“Hero of another world? Church of the Sacred Light? Pope?”

Reiji revealed his bewilderment due to numerous words flying at him suddenly. From the young girl previously, he understood he was called a hero, but he does not know why. Reiji neither holds a special bloodline, nor memories from previous lives.

In addition, this unfamiliar word “Church of the Sacred Light”. He could imagine that it was some kind of religion from it’s written words, but that was a name he have never heard having lived up till now. Although he can still understand the job title Pope and also it being said as the top management of a religion, there is no sense of reality.

In the confusion of this abnormal situation, Reiji failed to notice the obvious

sense of discomfort which should have been noticed by right. That is, having a conversation in Japanese with the old man in front and young girl previously who are obviously not Japanese.

“Well, It is understandable to not know too.”

Here is a different world from the one Hero-dono has been staying in till now.

“A different world.....”

Upon hearing those words, a ‘voice’ is recalled within Reiji’s mind.

『It’s a summoning from another world.』

The ‘voice’ during that time said so. The exchange with the ‘voice’ that was lacking in reality like a dream was rapidly becoming clear in Reiji’s head. Summon from another word, in another word to be summoned from another world. That is, someone summoned Reiji, and as a result he was brought along to this place, this kind of meaning.

“Did you guys bring me here?”

“Indeed, that’s right.

To summon hero dono who will save us from our dilemma, we held the summoning ceremony.

“Then, that ‘voice’ too?”

“‘Voice’ ...?”

To the Pope with a curious expression, Reiji talked about the event that happened before coming here.

“Hmm, you never know, there is a chance that is the voice of Sacred Goddess”

“Sacred goddess?”

“Yes, this world’s great creation song , the deeply benevolent goddess-sama.”

Reiji felt a doubt in the words of the Pope. Although the ‘voice’ appearance was not seen in the end and has merely heard, it did not seem like a sacred kind existence at all.

However, Reiji was able to understand that stating that kind of words here would make things complicated. Hence, lets return to the conversation.

“So, what is the reason for summoning me?”

“As already mentioned just now, we are caught in a dilemma now.

2 years ago, an evil god was revived and demons race have moved actively. The heart of people is disturbed, and going along among them to the extent of countries.”

“Well, Evil God? In addition, demons.....”

Reiji flinches from hearing words that are advancing towards a threatening direction, but the Pope did not respond to that despite noticing. Intoxicated, he continues to speak.

“Evil people must be stopped, the world must be managed with right teachings.

Therefore, we Church of the Sacred Light will stand up now and accomplish the role of leading the world.

With hero-dono as the leader, I want to suppress the evil god and their underling, the demon king!

“Plea, please wait a minute!

For me, such power...”

Noticing he was about to be appointed to do an impossible thing, Reiji frantically tried to stop the Pope’s words by pushing both palms forward.

At this moment, something happened.

A huge flame was suddenly shot from the 2 palms Reiji held out.

“UWAAAaaaa!?”

“NoWAAAaaaa!?”

As a result of holding it out before, flames went straight as it is, flitting overhead the Pope and burning the walls and throne.

In shock, the Pope screamed while tumbling down the throne. Surrounding aide and escorts of religious soldiers rushed over to the frantic Pope and helped him up.

“Eh? Ah? Eh? Wha, what on earth.....?”

Reiji confused by this sudden event is unable to do anything but to stand around and watch over the development.

Hair roasted as a result of the flame passing his head, the Pope who was helped up has certain aspect resembling a Kappa (river child, Japanese folklore) or a fleeing soldier.

“...get...”

“What?”

The Pope announced something, but people nearby was not able to catch it due to the low volume.

“Capture him! Arrest that person! That is no hero!

He is an underling of the Evil god who impersonate and interfered with the summoning ceremony!”

Although the surrounding people were not able to react to the sudden cry initially, soon the imperial command from the pope was received and several escort of religious soldiers stepped forward and surrounded Reiji.

“Eh? Wa, wait please... .. its different, what I did just now!”

Those religious soldiers did not possess a listening ear to hear my explanation, preparing to use the bishop’s staff held in their hands to knock Reiji down.

“Damn!? This is not a joke!”

Though the situation can’t be grasped, just as it is then, Reiji only understood that this can’t be a good experience. Witch hunting in medieval Europe and inquisition crossed his mind. To be named an Evil god’s underling by the top of a religion, only an unchanging end could be imagined.

“Nu, Wait!”

Reiji dodge a downwards swinging staff at the last moment by twisting his body and started escaping from that place.

However, in a situation surrounded by several people and would be caught immediately, he was half desperate.

However, unlike the expectation of Reiji himself and his surrounding, Reiji displayed astounding physical ability by breaking through the encircle and

sending the religious soldiers flying.

“What? My body is.... light!?”

Bewildered by this unimaginable speed and power shown, Reiji immediately recalled a voice.

『Oh, be at ease okay? Because I will boost your physical abilities to maintain the status quo.』

The ‘voice’ that time said my physical ability will be boosted. Is it this?

“Anyway, now I’m saved!”

Running in the opposite direction from the throne, Reiji stuck the door from the top of his shoulders with that force. He had thoughts of forcing open the door even if it was locked, but contrary to his imagination, it was blown away.

“Oi oi, are you serious...”

Reiji was surprised that the boost to his physical ability was more than expected that it’s a little creepy, but now is not the time for that.

Running up the stairway before the door, there was a peaceful hallway of the cathedral.

People who were coming and going turned towards Reiji’s direction with strange looks, but Reiji who could not afford to care about such a thing ran towards a direction that seems to be an exit.

<Word from characters>

Pope “M, My hair~!?”

<News from the author>

Although I forgot to say, being the sequel of evil god average , of course it is a part of “pitiful reincarnation series”. Therefore, it is pitiful.

However, don’t worry about that point as as misfortune is a plan to obtain a peace of mind.

Chapter 3: Escape, Escape, and still escaping

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“Ha..ha..ha.....!”

Reiji was running.

Dashing out from the underground room used for summoning, he is running along the cathedral’s hallway. Initially, the people around did not understand the situation and merely turned their sights towards the strange youth, but before long due to the orders from the Pope, it has reach the point they were confronting him.

Reiji kept running frantically, brushing away the other party’s grips to catch him and dodging a downwards swinging staff. It isn’t possible to dodge everything of course, and his arm and shoulder are swollen and red from being struck several times. However, there is no room to stop in pain.

“Ha.. Ha.. Ha.....!”

If I am caught, there is even the fear of torture and execution in the worst case. Reiji continued escaping desperately.

“Good grief! Why has it become such a thing!?”

I cried spitting it out, but of course there is nobody to give me an answer.

Eventually, Reiji arrived to the entrance of the cathedral. However, 3 gate keepers who have heard the news were waiting for him there.

“Stop!”

” Please move back from there!”

Although Reiji shouts while running, naturally the words are not accepted. Looking at figures of the gate keepers each preparing to use their staff, Reiji prepared himself for the worst.

“OOOOooooo!”

Reiji shouted, accelerating instead of stopping.

That was an absolutely unreasonable behavior until being summoned to this word, but I believed its possible now with boosted physical ability.

“Stop.....you say! Nobody will stop!”

Reiji aims at the staff 3 people held in their hands, and pushed out. A lunge has been choose because there is a danger of colliding with each other if a swing or mowing down is chosen. This is a foolish attack if its one to one, but it can be said to be very threatening in the 3 to 1 state.

However, Reiji literally went ahead. Jumping in front of the 3 religious warrior, I flew over their head.

“Wha, What!? I did it!”

To the Reiji before coming to this world, something like jumping over the head of a person cannot be copied at all, but if it’s the case of Reiji today, it’s a different story.

After going past the religious warrior’s gate keeps, Reiji escaped out of the cathedral.



Luxiria Theocracy, the headquarters of Church of the Sacred Light, the state religion of all countries within the territory of human race. Church of the Sacred Light is widely adopted and plays a central role in national policy, with cardinal and archbishop involved in state management and the Pope at the top.

Consequently in that kind of country, the central role of that country does not belong to the castle, but the Church.

Although a large number of church has been established in the country, but among them, St. Sophia cathedral where the Pope lives is the largest and the most majestic. Naturally, with the heart of the theocracy declared to be the cathedral, streets are build upon with the cathedral as the origin.

Reiji was summoned in the underground ceremonial grounds of St. Sophia Cathedral, so after shaking off the religious soldiers and running outside, the center of the town appeared before him.

“This is....”

Although he had he had heard about summoning from a parallel world from both the mystery 'voice' and the Pope, there was no sense of reality in those words.

There was a vicious shock as a result, but somewhere in his heart there started to be a questioning feeling.

However, with the cityscape extended before his eyes, Reiji finally have a feeling that this place was not his own world.

“There, over there! There is no time to be lost in thought, huh.”

Although he was feeling helpless and his eyes were becoming hot, Reiji pulled himself together and started running when he heard voices coming from behind. Although he has fled out of the Cathedral, it remains unchanged that he was being pursued.

Reiji was running at full speed while weaving in and out of the crowd.

He did consider going through a back alley to lose the pursuer, but in a place without local sense the fear of getting lost was great, and after all, it will only forestalling if there is only 1 exit in the town. Therefore without doing an unnecessary thing, he decided to only aim straight for the town's exit. If its a main street, it should always lead to the exit of the town, and while that thinking of Reiji is correct, a wall enclosing the town and a large gate comes into view after running for a while.

“That is....!”

Although the gates are opened, an inspection is established there and religious soldiers are checking people entering and leaving. Although several caravan and people on foot are queuing up, if Reiji receives the check, it does not seem likely for him to go through safely.

“Oi, Stop!”

“It's no joke!”

Seems like I cannot get past with a frontal attack, the only choice is to force my way through. Fortunately the gate itself is opened, it is possible to go out if I go past the religious soldiers.

Coming to that conclusion, Reiji does not heed the restraint of those religious

soldiers and ran towards the exit.

Although he thought about jumping over their heads like he did when coming out of the cathedral just now, the soldiers now are not standing in a line unlike before. With this, if he jumps over 1 person's head for example, he would receive an attack from the following person.

However completely slipping through in between is difficult since they are fully vigilant,

“And, hup”

“What!?”

Realizing a frontal breakthrough is difficult, Reiji climbed on top of the hoods of the caravan queuing up for an inspection. Although the canopy bends under his weight, there is no problem as long as it doesn't tear. That way, while jumping over caravans forming a line, he aims at outside of the gates.

“Close the gates! Hurry!”

Judging it to be difficult to catch Reiji, the religious soldiers issues and instruction to close the door. However, Reiji arrives at the top of the first caravan before the gate closes and was able to escape outside by slipping through the closing gates.

A highway extends outside the town, and there was a lush and dense forest just a little way out.

Even if I escape on the highway for example, I will be caught up very quickly by using a horse. Reiji escapes into the forest while thinking so.



“From here on, what on earth should I do?”

While running in the forest, Reiji stopped to catch his breath under a big tree after confirming that the pursuing party did not come. With such a huge tree hardly seen in the original world, it was possible to sit on the roots.

“Ouch.., there is a bruise completely.”

Taking off the outer coat of the blazer, he checks the situation by rolling up the shirt on both arms. His arms that was hit many times was dyed purple with

bruises everywhere. Although it's not possible to see it, the shoulder should also be in a similar state.

Because there wasn't even a mean to treat it, he had no choice but to give up and endure it.

"The flames that came out that time, what on earth was that..."

The reason Reiji was being pursued was because flames suddenly released from his hands had attacked the Pope. Looking at his own palms, there was no particularly unusual spot. Of course, there was nothing such as a burn.

"Is it like this after all? It's probably because of the 'power' that 'voice' said."

Just before being summoned to this world, 'Power' was granted from the 'Voice' in the dark space.....there is nothing but that rough knowledge.

"The world based on creation, it was said too.

In a world similar to novel or manga or a game, something like magic exist huh."

To begin with, the summon that invited Reiji to this world in itself doesn't seem to be the power of science. It's still ok with just the formation written on the floor of the underground ceremonial ground, there was nothing to conceive other than the word magic.

And something like magic exists, it would be natural to assume the flames of that time to be similar to it.

Reiji is a typical boy who enjoys novel, manga and games usually too. If it is not such a situation, his heart would have leaped for the unknown power called magic. If you consider the present situation of being chased and escaping into the forest, there wasn't any room for such things.

"How can I return to the original world?"

For Reiji self conversation, nobody was around to reply to those words. Since he was brought by summoning, it is easy to imagine similar means is needed to return. However, it does not seem possible to ask the people who summoned him in the present state.

Reiji was at a loss and breathe out a deep sigh.

Still, when he understood what kind of world this world was slightly, he should

have felt more sense of crisis.

When magic came into play, and the fact that it is portrayed as a 'means of combat' in many case, he should have thought of the dangerous state he is currently in.

It couldn't be safe considering why a wall was established around the town to prevent invasions and what can happen if one went even 1 step out of town, much less in the forest where hands of mankind did not enter.

"Hmm?"

When Reiji became away due to the breaking sound from stepping on a tree branch, he has already been surrounded.

It was a 3 headed best with black fur. It's a territorial demon who hunts opponent and prey in a group – the Forest Wolf.

Although for a moment Reiji who was stunned likened the wolf's figure to those seen only seen in the zoo, he immediately became aware of the danger to himself and stood up. Here, such a thing like cages that protect onlookers doesn't exist.

"Oi Oi, you're lying right!"

3 headed Forest wolf are slowly approaching Reiji. Reiji withdrew in the opposite direction with his hind leg while breaking into a cold sweat.

"Gaa!"

"Woah!?"

While Reiji was trying to put a distance and glaring the 3 headed Forest Wolf, another one attacked from his rear that he was not aware of. As the 3 headed beast which could be spotted was a trap, another one was already hidden and approaching from behind.

Reiji had notice just before by chance was brandishing the jacket that was taken off all at once in his hands, repelling the snarling face of the Forest Wolf.

"This fellow!?"

The Forest Wolf brushed off loses it's balance and falls down but it got up immediately. A total of 4 of the beast in front of Reiji are seeking for an opening.

“Dammit, eat this!”

Reiji kicks the gravel and tree branches on the ground towards the Forest Wolves and sieze the opportunity from the slight flinching to start running back. Naturally, there is no damage from the small gravel and tree branches and the Forest Wolves begin running after Reiji immediately.

Under the influence of the summon, Reiji’s physical ability is raised from the time living in his original world. If this is a maintained field, perhaps he might have quickly ran away from the Forest Wolves. However, this is within the forest. The ground is rough, and there are stones and grass, and branches of surrounding trees also obstructs Reiji’s running too. It was only a matter of time to be caught up.

“Ku, Is there anyone!?”

Though Reiji starts calling for help, such convenient existence naturally doesn’t exist in the forest.

“UWAAA~~~~!”

Forest Wolves are drawing near the back of Reiji running desperately. The distance comes up to about another 2 meters and after a few seconds, Reiji’s foot is attacked by a sharp fang and to fall would means being finished off by the group.

However, at the moment he thought whether it was already useless, Reiji’s figure suddenly disappeared from the forest.

<Words from a character>

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“Ah? Uwa!”

Reiji raises an foolish voice unintentionally when his view changed abruptly, and he tripped and flipped over magnificently the next moment.

Although he was driven by the Forest Wolves a while ago and should have been running in a forest, light spread around his vision suddenly when he though he was caught.

Tumbling over and over due to momentum brought by running, he finally stopped back facing the floor.

“Damn!”

Sitting up and looking back to watch out for the Forest Wolves approaching from behind, there figure is not found anywhere.

Rather, while he should have in the forest thick with trees until several seconds ago, now grassland was extended all around no matter how you look at it.

“Wha, What happened?”

Reiji said in confusion, but there was no response. However, he was able to understand that he barely had barely escape when he nearly died. Just from recalling the fear a little while ago, his back froze and cold sweat gushed out.

Exhausted, Reiji laid on the ground eagle-spread.



Although Reiji remained lying on the meadow for a while, he stood up slowly before long and brush away the soil and grass from his whole body.

Although he didn't understand where he was, it cannot be asserted that there is no risk of being attacked by dangerous animal just like in the forest not long ago. When that's considered, he couldn't afford to lie down defenselessly forever.

“Still, where is this.....?”

Even if he looked around some more, it was only grassland. Since Reiji does not know the regions of this world, he would not understand even if he was told the place, the only certain thing at least is that this is a completely different location from the forest a while ago.

Reiji who was looking around the meadow noticed a belt shaped line in a place a short distance away. The grass growing on the ground is only interrupted by that part.

“Perhaps, that is a road?”

For the time being, since there was no aim to go for, Reiji set food towards that place.

Moving until nearby, not only does grass not grow, he was also able to perceive tracks and footprints left behind in the ground. Apparently as Reiji imagined, this seemed to be a highway.

Therefore, it is likely that there is a town ahead where the road extends to.

Although there is also the fear he might of backtracking to the town he escaped from if unlucky, it’s just waiting for death from starvation in this situation. One way or another, there’s no choice but to head towards the town.

“Verify the town by sight, and if it’s the case, head towards the opposite, huh.”

From the looks of the city seen when escaping, civilization has not developed that much in this world. Although Reiji has become a wanted man in that town, the possibility of that being transmitted to other towns is not high. By persuading himself with that, Reiji began walking along the highway.

By the way unknown to him, carriage are used for movement between towns in this world, and it is common to have bodyguards in the case of walking. That is of course, the reason being it is no mystery for monsters to attack out of towns.

Although it is natural in the forest mankind doesn’t step foot into, it does not mean it’s safe on the highway. In particular, because fences are not set up, nothing is changed from the degree of danger of surrounding meadow. Thus, that is a natural consequence.

“Eh?”

From the meadow outside the highway, a huge shadow was sprinting at a recklessly fast speed towards Reiji.

It's a wild boar-like monster that is as big as a small truck, charging with a sharp horn to kill its enemy – the Giant Horn Boar.

“Wha, Wha, Wha...!?”

The Giant Horn Boar is obviously running straight aiming at Reiji. Although Reiji stiffens due to the force, he pulled himself together somehow.

“Ag, Again!?”

A while ago it was a group of Forest Wolves, and now the Giant Horn Boar. An escape drama will unfold again.

The highway being stepped on is easy to run compared to the forest, Reiji and Giant Horn Boar's speed was almost equal. Conversely, he will be chased endlessly because it's not a speed he can shake off.

Although it is possible to avoid sideways by going forward in a zig-zag, it was not easily decided to move from the easy to run highway to the meadow.

“Shit, until when will I be chased until!”

Once the Giant Horn Boar aims at it's prey, generally speaking it will rush in a straight line. That appearance is exactly as the words ‘猪突猛进’ says. (boar rushing fiercely ahead, meaning headlong/reckless)

Although Reiji continue running away on the highway, soon he noticed a person's shadow in front. Come to think of it, there are traces of people passing by, therefore its not a mystery even if there are other people.

“That..... a girl!?”

It was a blond girl in black clothes walking along the highway.

Although only the back of the figure can be seen by Reiji, she looks younger judging by her height.

Walking in front of Reiji while holding her luggage, she doesn't seemed to have notice Reiji and the Giant Horn Boar behind.

“I'm begging you, please escape!”

“Huh?”

Although somehow Reiji shouted to warn the girl about the danger while running, the girl doesn't seem to be able to move at once when she turn back in surprise.

The girl will be caught up in the rush of the Giant Horn Boar without doubt if Reiji runs just like this.

“Ku, what should I do.....!?”

There was no option of involving an unknown girl.

Reiji hesitated slight, but turned around and prepared himself. If his physical ability went up after coming to this world, he decided to bet on possibly the last ray of hope to stop the charging Giant Horn Boar.

“AAAAaaaa~“!!!”

Dropping his waist to prepare for an impact, Reiji turned both palm towards the Giant Horn Boar and concentrated the power of his whole body while raising his voice.

However, before the contact with Giant Horn Boar that Reiji was waiting for, an electric shock ran from both his palm. The electric shock that shot straight hit the Giant Horn Boar hard.

“———-!?”

The Giant Horn Boar struck by the electric shock raised a soundless noise, and was thrown out, repelled towards the meadow.

“———eh?”

Reiji was stunned towards this unexpected result. The palms are checked once more, but there are no changes as expected.

“Now what on earth....?”

Although it could be guess to be something similar to the flames at the summoning ceremonial ground, the cause is still not understood.

“That...”

“Ah, Sorry. Well...”

Towards a troubled Reiji, a voice is raised from the back. Reiji turned around in

a hurry and faced direction the source of that voice, the girl from just now. And then, he stiffens as he is.

The age of the girl is around 16 or 17, probably? Golden hair with a portion braided that reaches the waist, well-featured looks and marvelous clothing with black cloth and red patterns wrapping a slim body with every important parts swelling with abundance could be seen. A sideways 'S' character pattern was engraved on her forehead and red pupils was releasing a mysterious charm.

Among what Reiji has seen in his life up till now, she can be declared as the most beautiful girl. As for that, even the models and idols in his former world, a girl this beautiful did not exist.

“Eh, Ah, that...”
“???”

To the Reiji who is at a loss for words due to nervousness, the girl just curiously tilted her head. That gesture is also cute and causes Reiji to further lose his calm.

“Ah”
“Huh?”

Reiji turned to the same direction as the girl who noticed something raised her voice suddenly. There and then, the Giant Horn Boar which was sent flying to not long ago was getting up. Apparently, it doesn't seem to have been a fatal wound from the electric shock a while ago.

Although the damage taken cause it's speed to fall considerably as compared to just now, the Giant Horn Boar started charging towards Reiji and the girl.

“Damn, this is bad...”

Because he had halted once, he doesn't seem to be able to begin running immediately. Moreover, because there is a delicate girl next to him who does not look suited for fighting by all appearance, he cannot afford to just leave and run away.

“You, run away and escape...”
“Ei”

Interrupting the words of Reiji who was going to urge the girl to escape, the girl holds up her right palm and gave a cute cheer. However, a lump of huge darkness is release contrary to such a voice, flying to the Giant Horn Boar at a blistering speed and swallowing it.

“———!?”

Giant Horn Boar is blown easily away by 10m or more, and is thrown at the ground. And then it got up slowly and ran away.

<Words from character>

Forest Wolf ” Gau?” (Where did the food go?)

<News from the author>

The main heroine of this work makes an appearance.

In addition, it should be noted that in the course of time from my previous work, height and figure has grown to adulthood too.

Particularly, A certain portion has grown rapidly.

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Chapter 5: Servant of black rose

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“Well, Nice to meet you.”

“Ah, yes. Nice to meet you.”

After driving the Giant Horn Boar away, Reiji faced the girl once again. With a greeting coming from the direction of the girl, he returned the greeting although additionally, there was a little feeling of being saved.

However, recalling what was forgotten until a while ago due to his inevitable death, Reiji broke into a cold sweat in his heart.

And that is, him being in body that was being pursued in this world.

If for example, in the situation that the girl in front of him knows about it, he does not know what kind of responds will be given.

“Well, I am Reiji. Shito Reiji. And you?”

“Eh? Ah, yes. I’m called Tena.”

Reiji and the girl – Tena – exchanged names with each other.

However, Reiji is troubled by the next topic.

Although he had wanted to hear various topics in the case that he is able to have a conversation with a resident of this world, that conversation was for the sake of his own situation.

“Are you from Riemer town, Mr. Reiji?”

“Riemer? No, Sorry.

Honestly, I don’t even know where this is...”

“Yes?”

Seeing the looks of Tena tilting her head inconceivably, Reiji thought ‘Oops!’ in his head, but it was too late.

No matter how you think about it, him not knowing something such as the his location is not a normal situation. However, it is not effective to make corrections since he have already said it.

“About that, actually I was suppose to be running in a forest, but I was on this

meadow when I noticed.”

“???”

Reiji becomes flustered being unable to give a clear explanation of the contents of the statement he himself has yet to understand properly, Tena has a wondering expression without understanding the meaning as expected.

“Well, first of all you may be attacked by monsters again if you stay here, so do you want to come to the mansion I live in for now if you do not have a place to go?”

“Eh? Mansion?”

“Yes, it is the mansion of the person whom I serve.”

“Well.. is it okay to not ask the person you are serving?”

“It’s okay. As Anri sama is a kind person, it is bad not to do so.”

Reiji who did not have a choice besides walking aimlessly, have no choice but to arrive smiling while saying so.



While being guided by Tena, Reiji walked along the highway.

Reiji holds the luggage which Tena had.

Although Tena tried to refuse firmly with restraint, Reiji felt awkward being empty handed himself while the girl who is apparently younger holds the luggage, he did not hand it over.

While walking diagonally behind Tena going into a narrow forking road along the way, Reiji asked what was on his mind.

“Come to think of it, it was amazing just now.”

“Just now?”

“Ah, that wild boar.....do you not understand it though?

You defeated a monster just now, isn’t it?”

To Reiji the Giant Horn Boar was seen as a mutation of the wild boar, but he doesn’t know if the word ‘wild boar’ is understood in this world. Thinking that the girl also used the word ‘monster’, he expressed it in another way.

“Oh, yes.

Having been taught to me by a certain person, I was able to use darkness magic.

Mr. Reiji surely used magic just now, wasn't that right?"

With that subject brought up, Reiji thought about it. Certainly, an electric shock was released from Reiji's hands and repelled the Giant Horn Boar once, but he doesn't have a judgement as for whether that is magic.

"That is, as expected, magic?"

"Eh? Isn't it magic?"

"No, because I haven't seen magic until I came to this world..."

"Until I came to this world?"

"...Ah"

Having made a slip of the tongue, Reiji would have held his mouth if his hands were free.

He unintentionally talked too much because it was difficult to be cautious when the other party is a younger girl,

"Perhaps.....were you able to come from another world?"

"Wh, Why that!?"

"It is so after all.

Mr. Reiji is a hero..... or is similar right?"

"No, I'm not a hero or something like that...."

Although the people who summoned Reiji to this world were certainly calling Reiji a Hero, he doesn't regard himself as one.

In the first place, he realizes that a hero who has no hesitation in declaring himself as such is a painful fellow.

"Fighting against Anri Sama.....you are not going to right?"

"No, and I do not even know about the matters of that Anri Sama person, there is not in the least hostility."

In this world that unreasonably tries to evict Reiji resulting in him being in a mess, nevertheless he himself doesn't have the thoughts to be hostile against someone at least.

And he is not going to be hostile for fun to the other party that he has not even heard rumors about.

"Or how should I put it, is that Anri Sama person also hostile against heroes?"

"No, there isn't hostility apart from the current existing heroes."

However, given that me not know what happens to a person who is a new hero....”

“I see.

Well, I’m all right.

I’m not a hero or something like that.”

“Understood. It does not appear to be a lie and I believe it.

Oh, it has come into view.”

Lifting my head at Tena’s words, in front of my eyes a huge mansion with a majestic appearance could be seen.

“He, here?”

“Yes, this is Anri Sama’s black rose mansion.”

“Is that so? It’s really an amazing person.

By the way, I’d like to ask one thing.....”

“Yes? What is it?”

“What is that?”

A certain huge black armor was kneeling several meters in front of the gates of black rose mansion was the destination Reiji was pointing at.

“Ah, That is the gatekeeper, Anril Armor.”

“Ga, Gatekeeper?”

“Ah, its okay.”

If it’s not a suspicious character, it will not attack.”

“It’s good then....though it has stood up and is coming towards this way?”

“Eh? What?”

Anril Armor that was waiting by the knees until just now is rising and preparing a sword and shield from somewhere.

And then, slowly facing the 2 person....no, walking and approaching towards Reiji.

“Have I, by any chance, been treated as a suspicious character?”

“....Ah”

At that time, Tena noticed she have forgotten something.

She is a resident in the mansion, naturally she is not treated as a suspicious character going in and out everyday, but this is the first time Reiji visited.

“Wa, Stop!”

“I,I’m sorry! It can only be stopped by Anri Sama!”

“That’s a lie right!?”

In the meantime, Anril Armor reaches near Reiji and Tena and raised it’s huge sword overhead.

“UWAaa—!?”

“Kya—-!?”

Reiji and Tena embrace together to protect each other , closing their eyes.

“.....”

“.....”

“.....hmm?”

“...oh?”

When the 2 people wonder why the impact of the attack doesn’t come no matter how much time passes and looked up, there was a figure of Anril Armor which was stopped with sword raised.

“Ah, Anri Sama!”

When Tena looked at the entrance of the black rose mansion and noticed the shadow of a person, she raised a joyful cry.

Attracted, Reiji turns that way and there was a figure of a woman in a black dress wearing a mask.

If the words of Tena is to be believed, she is the master of this mansion and he guessed she had stopped Anril Armor that was trying to attack the 2 people.

The woman clad in a dress with an troubling black rose design that gave little places to look has full, long black hair.

However, what stands out relatively more than anything incidentally would be the mask with bright red pattern and black background covering the eyes.

As a result, her eyes could not be seen from the outside.

Although the face is not seen, it could be seen from her height that she was from the same generation as Reiji, just a little older. It would be calculated to be 2 or 3 years older than Tena.

But then, she would be defeated in thickness of armor of a certain portion.

Only the design of the dress is bewitching, that fact stood out conspicuously.

“Welcome back, Tena.”

“Oh, yes! I returned just now.”

“And.... who is that?”

To those words, eyes of Tena and the woman of the mask who said hello.....
Anri’s sight turned to Reiji.

Due to the eyes and words that was suddenly turned towards him, Reiji was instinctively confused and was not able to answer well.

“Oh, I’m...”

“...Japanese?”

“!? Wh, Why....”

Certainly, it can be said that Reiji who doesn’t dye hair is the appearance that is easy to imagine from the characteristics of Japanese people. However, there shouldn’t be a person who knows that living in this world.

Even though that’s the case, Reiji is shocked by Anri’s is ‘japanese’ judgement for himself.

“It seems to be necessary to talk in detail.

Come inside.”

Following Anri who entered the mansion like this, Reiji and Tena also set foot into the black rose mansion.

<Words from characters>

Anril armor” — — —!” (Suspicious person discovery, moving to eliminate”

<News from the author>

In addition, there is no plan to change the heroine to Anri.

She’s the ‘sister-in-law’ role.

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Chapter 6: Black mask

Chapter 6: The black mask

*Be careful of spoiler for the previous work. (Evil god average, read it [here](#).)
In addition, as I've received a question in the comments of the previous chapter, Anril Armor, the guard armor of Black Rose Mansion, was summon number 2 during the last chapter of the previous work's second half. No. 1 is the floor boss as usual.*

"I see, I understood your story. Though I think that it's serious in various ways, it's okay to be relief here as it's safe."

"Yes, thank you very much. However, even though I thought I had a terrible experience, I felt like it was not a significant matter compared to your story."

"Ahaha..... it becomes so if compared with Anri Sama, isn't it."

Invited into the Black Rose Garden, Reiji sat on a sofa to talk about the circumstances so far to the 2 person, Tena and the woman with black mask – Anri, while drinking tea made by Tena.

When he noticed, power was granted from a mysterious voice in a black space, summoned in the underground ceremonial ground of the church but becoming a fugitive after attacking the Pope, having moved to the meadows suddenly despite being chased by Forest Wolves while running in the forest and meeting Tena while being chased by the Giant Horn Boar.

Also conversely, Anri explained her circumstances.

Anri is a human that has been thrown into this world by the Evil god with a horrifying aura that can even make dragons flee and demon eyes that can even make demon king prostrate himself in fear, granted with an only extremely inconvenient ability with the power to bestow troublesome divine protection of the Evil god that burdens everything with power, and an eventful life full of drama was the result of that.

She became a dungeon master while exploring the labyrinth, was enshrined as an Evil God while living in hiding for the sake of a peaceful life and had really become an Evil God when she noticed.

To the extent of being stopped, it has been arranged for her to compete with the administrator of this world, Goddess of Light and God of darkness, with the prize for victory being getting to turn back to a human being using the power of the Evil God who sent her to this world.

It's an outrageous history to have went through which ordinarily could not be believed at all, but Reiji did not think it was a lie when he saw the indifferent looks that Anri had while speaking. And considering the path she walked, what happened to Reiji certainly seems to be no big deal. But then, is it just a delusion then?

“This is this, that is that.”

“That is right, Mr. Reiji.”

“Th, That's so, isn't it? Thank you.”

Certainly, while Anri's history surpasses common sense alone, it also remains unchanged that the matter which happened to Reiji himself is of a fairly unique category.

Furthermore, as it has been understood that Anri is older during self introduction too, Reiji spoke in honorifics towards her.

“By the way, why do you wear a mask like that?”

“When this mask is not there, there will be various inconvenience with the demon eyes.”

“I see.”

The mask which Anri has on is an article that prevents her eyes from being seen from outside totally, and wearing this restraints the effect invoked when making eye contact. For the aura, it has just a little influence on the human race while being effective against beast with strong instinct

“The reason you realized I am a Japanese is because you are a Japanese too, right.”

“To be exact, it is slightly different...but generally you may think so.”

“Huh?”

“My side of the story.”

“Anri Sama.....”

Anri dodge the question by replying Reiji evasively. Seeing Anri's with that kind

of looks, Tena made a complicated face.

Although Anri is a person thrown into this world by an Evil God, more precisely, she was not from the same world as Reiji but an existence created by the Evil God.

However, because she have the knowledge and personality of a Japanese, there was no harm too if she thought herself to be the same as a Japanese.

“More than my matter, Now it’s your too.”

“Yes, it is.

Although it’s direct to hear this from you, what should I do so that I can return to my original world? Do you know the way?”

Anri answered after a little worrying to Reiji who was asking with a serious expression.

“Even if there is summoning magic in this world, there is nothing such as repatriation magic.

Even the people who summoned you shouldn’t have the method to send you back.”

“Is..... that so.....”

“.....supposing”

“Huh?”

“If there is the possibility, it is held only by the ‘Evil God’ that sent you to this world.

That in the case should be able to send you back to your original world.”

To those words, Reiji remembered the ‘Voice’ that he heard in the black space before being throw into this world.

“The ‘Voice’ of that time.....do you say that that was the ‘Evil God’?”

“There is no certainty because I did not hear it directly, but I think that possibility is high.

As far as the story I heard, that indeed seems to be it.”

To the words of Anri, Tena who also had an encounter with the Evil God nod in agreement.

“In the case, is there a method to meet that ‘Evil God’?”

“It’s impossible from here. It is not possible to do it if the other party doesn’t

approach.”

“That’s....”

In the first place, the ‘Evil God’ raised in the topic is not an existence of this world, being a god in the world Reiji lived in, Since there are no means to cross over to to the opposite world from here, it isn’t possible to meet unless the the other party comes to this world.

“Mr. Reiji....”

Seeing a depressed Reiji with all feasible methods blocked, Tena showed an uneasy look.

“Um, Mr. Reiji. How about another cup of tea?”

“Huh? Oh, I’ll take it.”

Although it was a little pushy, Tena proposed it to change the heavy atmosphere.

Reiji probably realizing the consideration of Tena somehow managed to make a feeble smile, handing the empty cup to Tena.

“Me too, please.”

“Oh, yes!”

Taking advantage too, Anri stands up personally to pass the cup over to Tena. She covered it with both her hands so that the cup placed on the saucer doesn’t drop.

At that moment with both her hands full, she is in a defenseless state being unable to cope immediately should anything happen.

On the other hand, Reiji who was lost in thought had both hand joined at his fingertips with his elbows placed on his foot.

Both his palms are pointed towards the floor and facing the feet of Anri who is standing up in front.

And, at the next moment —

A strong wind suddenly blew from Reiji’s palms.

The wind extended straight and hits the floor close to Anri’s feet, and reflected to face upwards.

As a result, reaching up to her stomach, the skirt portion of the dress that Anri was wearing grandly turned and rose up, exposing its contents.

“.....ha?”

Anri was dumbfounded with the sudden situation of being attacked.

“.....ha?”

Viewing the spectacle from nearby, Reiji stiffens.

“.....Yes?”

Tena, without being able to understand the situation, was stuck in the posture of receiving the cup.

As one of the ability planted by the Evil god on Anri, ‘Divine protection endowment’ skill is still in existence.

It’s the ability to give protection of the Evil God by continuing to be in contact with something for a certain period of time.

That’s a very powerful thing, being able to change the normal equipment into the strongest godly tool with maximum effectiveness.

And the effect of granting divine protection is not only in it’s ability. Specifically, there is also an influence in the design.

Most objects becomes an ominous design, and there are also dangerous stuff that goes towards a different direction among them

The underwear Anri is wearing now is one.

Scanties of the succubus – an undergarment with a very dangerous design made with black lace.

Both sides are thin strings in a bow that will fall with a slight pull, showing the danger.

The fabric of the lace is thin enough for the skin to be seen.

And more than anything else, there is a large hole in the section originally expected to be covered up with cloth, not fulfilling the true nature of an underwear at all.

In addition, she does not wear such a dangerous underwear willingly but put it on reluctantly as it isn’t possible to be replaced due to the curse.

“.....!”

For a few seconds, although Anri who was completely defenseless became tense exposing the inside of her skirt, she finally came to her sense from stiffening.

However, with both her hands full with the cup and saucer, she is not able to pin down her skirt.

Although she wanted to quickly pass the cup over to Tena, Tena was very much frozen too and was not able to receive it.

“...Tena.”

“Ah!? I, I’m sorry!”

Anri who was growing impatient called out her name with a little force and Tena receives the cup from Anri after coming to her senses too.

With her hands free, Anri was able to pin down her skirt at last. However it was pointless then because the wind that came out from Reiji’s hands had subsided at that time.

“.....”

After the wind stopped completely, Anri stared at Reiji silently. Although it didn’t come true as her eyes were concealed by the mask, an indication was transmitted over the mask that she was glaring strongly.

Reiji flinches from the atmosphere and tries to make an excuse in a hurry.

“Ah, well, just now was.....”

Before Reiji could continue those words, Anri held out her right hand towards his face.

And at the next moment, a large mass of darkness was released from her hands and colored his world black.

<Words from character>

Anri “It was seen.....”

<News from the author>

People who write works would probably agree to accept a plan at the start of writing that “ I’d like to write such a scene in this work!” and such an ambition may be held.

This time was for one, 'Anri, victim of an unlucky lecher'.

By the way, for the difference between a lucky lecher and unlucky lecher, an unlucky lecher has a deduction of outcome and the damage becomes heavier.

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Chapter 7: A troublesome power

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**It has been a while since I entered the status of writing.*

“Please calm down, Anri Sama!”

“Let go, Tena.”

Reiji’s consciousness surfaced with voices audible from his side.

“.....Ua”

However immediately after that, Reiji groan involuntarily due to headache and nausea. When he suppressed the bad dizzy feeling and opened his eyes, Tena and Anri’s figures were upside down.

“???”

Why are they upside down, he sputtered before blinking and staring, looking carefully, he could see that it wasn’t just them, but the whole room was upside down as well.

At this point, Reiji finally recognized the situation.

It was Reiji himself who was upside down, not Tena and Anri.

Bending his neck to look at his own body, something dark colored was coiling around it and at the end, his feet were hanging from the top of the ceiling.

The headaches and nausea that attacked earlier was a result of blood rising to the head from hanging upside down.

“Wha, What’s this.....?”

“Well, you noticed right? Mr. Reiji.”

“Tsk.”

Tena and Anri noticed the voice Reiji unintentionally raised, and Tena gave words of relief while Anri clicked her tongue.

To the Anri’s reaction, Reiji tried to recall what was before losing consciousness some time ago, and her face was seen reddening by reflex.

However at the next moment, a darkness bullet graze his cheeks, causing him

to turn pale.

“Uwa!?”

“Wa, Anri Sama!?”

Reiji and Tena screamed to the sudden violence of Anri.

“Forget it.”

“Eh, no....”

“Forget it.”

“Even if you say such a thing.....”

“Forget it.”

“Okay, I get it! It’s forgotten!”

Although her expression is not showing with the mask, Reiji involuntarily breaks into a cold sweat along his neck towards the intensity of Anri repeating the same lines indifferently, with an earth-shattering sense of intimidation.

“First of all, although I want to be lowered soon as the blood is going to the head.....”

“It’s no good until safety is understood.”

“Safety.....”

“The natural course of action for someone who suddenly hits the other party with magic.”

Anri interrupts Reiji’s words curtly and ignores it.

However, considering that she was suddenly struck with magic against herself, her response is not necessarily wrong. Rather, it seems to be a considerably gentle category.

“It’s wrong! I didn’t do that...”

“.....”

Anri has been staring quietly at Reiji who was trying to make an excuse. Despite not seeing her eyes over the mask, strong doubts can be sensed in those line of sight.

“Um, Anri Sama. I think Mr. Reiji isn’t lying.

Even when I met him, magic came out from his hands although Mr.Reji didn’t try to use it.”

Tena gave a follow up from her side towards Reiji's dilemma. Hearing those words, Anri's suspicion of Reiji also relaxed a little.

“That's right! I can't use something like magic!”

It's probably some kind of power was passed to me by the 'Evil God' encountered before coming over to this world.

“..... I understand, forget it.”

When Anri let out a sigh to Reiji's words, she removed the dark color ropes binding him.

“Yo-tto”

Although Reiji was released upside down as he was when the ropes binding him disappeared, he landed on his foot by twisting his body. It was a movement that was hardly possible in the original world, but it was not too difficult for him with his current improved physical ability.

“Phew....”

Finally freed from the restraints, Reiji massaged his arms lightly. Anri gave an instruction to that Reiji.

“I want to you to test it out. Try chanting 'status'.”

“Eh? St, status?”

Although it was chanted a little tepidly, some kind of black board appeared in response to Reiji's words.

His status was shown on the display window that was completely like a game.

Name: Reiji

Race: Human

Gender: Male

Age: 18

Occupation : Evil swordsman

Level: 5

Title: Hero from a different world.

Mana: 3935 – 1528307

Skill : Automatic Magic (Lv. 8)

Random summoning possession (Lv. 7)

Sword art (Lv. 6)

Light Magic (Lv. 5)

Item Box (Lv.3)

Equipment: None

“Wh, What’s this.....?”

“What’s written?”

A question from Anri flew to Reiji who was perplexed at the contents displayed. To that question, Reiji changed his standing position to an angle so that Anri can see the display window.

“What’s written..... as can be seen.”

“Only the person himself can see it. Me and Tena cannot see it.”

“Ah, is that so. Then I will read it out.”

When saying so, Reiji sequentially read out the status from the top. When one of the section among those was heard, Tena and Anri showed a response at the same time.

“That.....”

“Concentrate your senses on that ‘Automatic Magic’ portion.”

“Eh? Ah, okay.”

Reiji stared at the ‘Automatic Magic’ entry shown on the display and concentrated his consciousness after receiving additional instructions from Anri. Thereupon, the indication was replaced with details of the skill.

<Automatic Magic>

A skills which lets you invoke magic automatically without chanting.

Selection is not possible, and magic invoked and frequency is random.

Magic is fundamentally invoked using the palms as a base.

Lv.8 – all magic that can be invoked based on the person’s training will be within selection target.

Classification: Always in operation.

On-off: Not possible.

High-Low: Not possible.

“It’s probably because of this!?”

“For now, aim towards outside of the window with both hands pointing out. It would be a problem if you shoot anymore magic here.”

“Ah, Ahhaha.....”

To the Anri who was waving her hands in a shooing motion to emphasize her demand, Tena laughed in a dry voice too.

“Uu..... I understood.”

Because what Anri said was justifiable, Reiji reluctantly walked to windows and pointed both hands outside.

It was a stupid appearance, twisting his body to talk while his hands are placed outside the window.

“For the flames when summoned, the electric shock when attacked by the big wild boar and the wind a short while ago. It was all because of this ‘Automatic Magic’ huh.....”

“I said you should forget about the incident of the wind.”

“So, sorry. I forgot it perfectly!”

Anri glared over the mask at Reiji who carelessly mentioned the subject of the wind a while ago. Reiji somehow managed to convince Anri with a flustered excuse.

With a sigh, Anri began talking about her deduction.

“It probably isn’t only that. It usually takes over dozens of days to walk from Luxiria Theocracy where you were summoned to here. It’s hardly the distance that can be covered in a few hours. I think metastasis magic was automatically invoked while you were moving.”

“Come to think of it, it’s true that I was suddenly moved to a meadow when I was being attacked by wolves in the forest.”

Reiji was convinced that was very likely the reason he was moved instantly to the meadow while being chased by the pack of Forest Wolves.

“And you met me there right? That was an amazing coincidence.”

“Such an accident is too good to be true. To simply jump in by chance and get to know Tena just now, as well as meeting me who can explain the matter about the evil god and circumstances of this world and the original world is an

astronomical probability.”

Like what Anri mentioned, to jump in and get to know the other party who just happens to be the follower of the person previously thrown into this world, and subsequently getting to know information from there, it's too much to call it a coincidence. Furthermore said, attacking the pope with flames, as well as rolling up Anri's skirt by wind is too well timed.

“Is it not a coincidence?”

“It's justified to think so. As to whether it's being manipulated from the back, or fortune being played with, I think it's one of them.”

Operating with such a convenient timing is understandable if the 'Evil God' who gave the ability is moving behind the scene.

Or if fortune such as luck and misfortune has been overwritten, unnatural and convenient timing may be put into place too.

“However, it's dangerous to be dependent on for things to turn out fine when it's risky.”

“I know that, of course.”

“Whether it's Evil God's whim or luck, that's too insecure to be counted on to go by.” Reiji nodded honestly to Anri's advice when thinking about it.

“And what kind of contents are there in other abilities?”

I understand from the words of sword art, light magic and item box.”

“There was another skill that I have not heard of before. Was it 'Random summoning possession'?”

“Let's see.”

Reiji concentrated his consciousness and stared at the letters of 'random summoning possession' at the words of Anri and Tena.

Thereupon, the details of the new skill are displayed.

<Random summoning possession>

A skill to summon and use the power of the someone who has been met.

Although the summoned object cannot be chosen, it's limited to a living creature of human type.

Lv. 7 can reproduce 90% of the summoned power.

Classification: Random invoking.

Duration: 30 minutes (cannot be canceled along the way)

Limitation: Cannot be reused for 24 hours after using it once.

Condition:

1. Know the name of the target
2. Visually recognizes the target
3. Has communicated with the target

“It seems very difficult to use again.....”

“Summoning power, what on earth will it feel like?”

“Why is it only such an ability.....Hey, come to think of it, there was something said about unifying the ‘Evil God’.”

“The content of mana is strange too, usually there is only 1 figure. It’s not displayed within a range.”

“As expected....”

To the details of the displayed skill, Anri speaking in shock and the puzzled Tena who is tilting her head to one side, Reiji was left hugging his head in his heart as he was unable to do so due to his hands being pointed outside the window. (TN: Hugging his head means troubled)

It was an uneasy line up of skills with really grim future prospect.

<Words from character>

Tena “Errr, it’s probably a good thing.....” (hearing Reiji’s skill)

<News from the author>

The following was put in the keyword because of Reiji’s ability

“victory depends on the luck of the day!” (It isn’t always the strongest who wins.)

“Unfortunate cheat”

“Im in danger Neeee!?”

“There is also a time when the main character is the strongest.”

Looking back once again, the keyword field is terrible, isn’t it?

Chapter 8: Evil god's letter

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“Now, isn't there some sort of clue placed into the item box?”

After confirmation of the skill is done for now, Anri asked Reiji a new question.

“Well, how should I confirm the contents of the item box?”

The words ‘Item Box’ certainly refers to the skill column in the status window but unfortunately, Reiji did not understand how to use it.

As usual, with the figures of his hands outside the window as it was, Reiji asked his question.

“A window will open for you will be able to check it's contents by chanting ‘Item Box’. As much as possible, say it in a low voice, ‘Item—’ and after amassing for 5 seconds shout out ‘bo—-x!’.”

“Pardon?” Mu,.. Must I do such a thing?”

Reiji breaks into cold sweat when told of the unexpected requirement from Anri. Tena beside was startled by the unexpected subject, but Reiji did not notice it unluckily.

“Listen up, quickly.”

“I, I understand.

Item.....~~~~~!!”

Prompted by Anri, Reiji begun to chant the incantation unwillingly. From the bottom of his stomach, with a low voice as much as possible, he made a 5 seconds accumulation according to the instructions.

Although Anri's expression is not visible over the mask, Tena beside her was holding her stomach and mouth desperately trying to stifle her laughter.

“Bo— — —-x!!!”

“fufu” (holding laughter)

Reiji yells after accumulating to the limit and a display window different from just now came up. At the same time, Tena who was enduring crosses her limit and burst out laughing.

“Eh?”

“I, I’m sorry, Mr. Reiji! Ahaha.....it, it’s painful.....”

“Bo-x!”

“Wa, Anri Sama! Don, don’t laugh.....fufu.....please~!”

Reiji was surprised at the figure of Tena who burst into laughter suddenly, and on the other hand, Tena who was delighted was laughing painfully. A final blow to such a Tena was made by Anri who was beside. Tena was desperately adjusting her breath in order to stop laughing while tears was forming to the direct hit with apathy in Anri’s “Bo-x!” line.

“Did you by any chance..... deceive me?”

“I did not deceive you. Though it isn’t visible to us, a display should have appeared.”

Those words are not false. Certainly as Anri says, a display window showing the contents of the item box was revealed.

“Will it not appear if I chant it normally?”

“It will appear even if you chant it normally.”

“It’s done! Then, why did you let me say it in such a way!?”

“For the feels?”

No matter how you consider, it’s simple harassment.

It’s like revenge regarding the shameful posture seen just now due to the wind. Suddenly understanding that, Reiji who thought that questioning anymore on this incident would be bring unnecessary trouble to himself, gave up and shifted his attention to the window reading it aloud.

Sword left to fate x1

Leather armor x1

Letter of Evil God x1

“

“

“

Three people remained silent to the contents, wonder where would be good to begin with the perplexing contents. With this line up, even seeing the rather

normal leather armor mixed in looked strange.

“Just like before, try confirming the details.”

Hearing Anri’s direction, Reiji first concentrates his consciousness on the ‘sword left to fate’ and a detailed explanation was displayed.

<Sword left to fate>

The sword that changes blade every time it’s whipped out from its sheath. What kind of sword it’ll be is random and cannot be chosen. After pulling it out, it cannot be put back into the sheath without swing and hitting something. For Reiji’s exclusive use, when other people try to use it, they will be struck with the curse of restraint.

“Not only the skill, even the sword is completely random....there is no mercy.”

“Pl. Please do not get depressed, Mr. Reiji!”

“As for the other two?”

Although I validated Anri’s question to examine the remaining 2 item’s details too, a special content is not written there. It is an ordinary armor and letter.

“Apart from the armor in any case, I have no choice but to take the letter out to read it.

How can I take it out?Oh, without yelling please.”

“Tsk. By keeping your conscious in mind, you can take it out.”

Anri clicked her tongue once and replied Reiji, who makes it clear while remembering the trick a while ago, telling him how to take it out from the item box.

When Reiji receives those words and consciously took the letter out, the space before his eyes distorted and a black envelope fell from there.

Reiji reaches out his hands that is sticking out of the windows to pick up the letter.

“Wait!”

The sharp restraining voice of Anri reaches Reiji who was stretching out his hands for the letter. Reiji unconsciously duck his head to her sudden reaction as she did not even raised her voice once so far.

“Eh? but I meant to take it out to as I couldn’t read it.....”

“Listen up. Tena, bring me the chopsticks.”

“Eh? Eh? Ch, chopsticks? I understand!”

When Anri gave the instructions to Tena, she ran to the kitchen to take the chopsticks with a puzzled look.

After a few minutes, upon receiving the long chopsticks from Tena who returned, Anri used that to pick up the letter and placed it on the table.

“Iyaa, can you not make it like you are touching something more filthy than anything?”

“Because it may have a curse on it, that is the natural handling.”

“Cu, Curse!?”

Though Reiji is surprised, when she thought about it, Anri wasn’t left optimistic that an item such as ‘ – of Evil God’ is not cursed.

Because all items she was wearing with the Evil God’s divine protection were cursed, she had realized it from experience.

Although the curse of her accessories was in fact granted by her own self.

Anri opened the envelope with chopsticks skillfully without direct contact and opened the letter inside.

“Yo, I wonder if you are reading this because you were able to meet her? Perhaps, you may have been the one to open the item box without help, but.....oh, it’s fine either way. In any case, there would be no change to say that you are able to understand the situation for most part.

Well, though it is likely to have been understood already, you have been summoned by people of this world. However, I do not have a particular duty to obey the person who summoned you. You’re as you are, and I’m not concerned about you moving to move. (TN: doing your own things)

Nonetheless, it’ll be a way to return to the original world you are most worried about now, right. Although I want you to enjoy yourself since I’ve sent you in with trouble, because a person with a target would become motivated, I will show you the method to return.

The condition is to clear a trial given by the 3 administrators in this world.

If that is achieved, I promise to return you to your original world.

For the start is a trial from the God of Darkness, Anbaal.

The contents is 'make the demon king of this world recognize your ability' after all. Whenever one is cleared, the remaining trial will be conveyed.

P.S. As this letter will terminate 60 seconds after opening, it's better to get away."

The moment the last part was read, Anri picked up the letter using the chopsticks at once and fling both items out of the open window.

After the weight of the long chopsticks is added, the letter flies forcefully from the window to several meters away.

The letter raised a column of flames and flared up at the next moment.

"That was dangerous."

"It's good that it didn't burn in the room."

"Oi oi....."

Though Anri and Tena accustomed to the unreasonableness of the Evil God exchanged words cheerfully without being particularly upset, Reiji unconsciously broke into a cold sweat at the scene.

"Well, That aside....In the end, I will have no choice but to clear the three god's trials for me to return to my original world?"

"Mr. Reiji....."

"Since the method to move from this world to your world is being held by the above mentioned, I think there is no other way."

"That's so, isn't it. Still, to get over the trial of gods.....there should also be a limit to an unreasonable demand."

To overcome the trial of gods....hearing those words again, it's an outrageously unreasonable demand.

Although Reiji was greatly troubled by the grim prospects of the situation, his stomach sounded with a Guuu then. Even if he is troubled, he gets hungry as he has not eaten anything for nearly half a day, so it's also reasonable to become hungry to think about it..

“Ah, well, as for now.....”

“Fufu, will you worry later and have dinner for now?”

To Reiji who was trying to make an excuse while blushing, Tena proposed that to Reiji and Anri with a smile.

“Let’s do that, preparations from now?”

“No, I think I can prepare it at once as Lili makes the preliminary arrangements.”

Saying that, Tena tilted her head in confusion towards Reiji, no more accurately, looking at both his hands pointing outside the window again.

“Ah, but.....what shall we do with Mr. Reiji’s magic?”

Certainly as Tena says, it’s not possible to have a peaceful meal in the dangerous situation currently when magic will be projected at an unknown timing.

“It’s alright.”

Saying so, Anri pointed her hands at Reiji and begin chanting a spell. An ominous purple fog gushes out from Anri’s hands with the incantation and surrounds Reiji.

“Wapu!?”

Reiji uttered a cry involuntarily when he was suddenly attacked by the weird fog. When Reiji’s body has been veiled in fog, most of it is drawn into his body and some drifted around it.

“N, Now what?”

“Dark magic that interferes with the use of magic. While this is in effect, you shouldn’t be able to invoke magic.”

“I, if you knew such a thing can be done with the skill, I would not have to make such a foolish appearance.....”

“I’m sorry, it didn’t come to my mind at first.”

To Anri who cannot be seen over the mask and was hanging her head in shame, Reiji panicked since he wasn’t intentionally blaming her for having turned out like this.

“Ah, well, I did not intend to blame you! I’m sorry, I was helped!”

“I noticed it in the middle, but because your appearance was amusing, I left it just as it is.”

“Oi!?”

Reiji who was in a hurry to assist Anri who was depressed was betrayed, being told the statement that he was left as he is because it's amusing, he instinctively put up a retort.

<Words from a character>

Anri “Bo-x!”

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TN: Bo-x!

Chapter 9: Travel Comrades

Chapter 9 :Traveling companion

**As a result of the previous chapter, the comment column is completely filled with 'Bo-x!'.....*

“Well..... Nice to meet you.”

“!?”

When Reiji gave his greetings, the girl shivered with a start and was hidden behind Tena’s back in the blink of an eye.

“Eh?”

“Ah, I’m sorry. This child extremely shy.”

Tena apologetically explained to Reiji who was surprised at being suddenly avoided. Hidden behind Tena was Lili, a girl with chestnut colored hair who was approximately 10 years old.

Originally, she was the girl who was almost made into a sacrifices by the group worshiping the Evil God, and after getting picked up by Anri, she helps with the housework as the younger sister of Tena.

“Lili, this person is Mr. Reiji. It’s alright, he is not a scary person.”

“Scary person.....”

Reiji instinctively expressed a wry smile thinking of Tena’s follow-up. He was considering if he is scary, but if anything, he is more of a delicate person with few scary elements. If he was a muscular macho guy, it would be inevitable to be scared.

Receiving Tena’s follow-up, Lili timidly brought her face out and bow with a bob of her head.

“Ni, Nice to meet you.”

“Oh, Oh. Though I have just been introduced, I am Reiji. My best regards.”

“I am Lili.”

Although there is still a little tension in the air, Tena gently stroke the Lili’s head, who somehow finished the greeting.

“Then, let’s have the meal.”

Saying so, Tena guided Reiji to the dining table.

“Oh, it’s amazing!”

Seeing the dining table, Reiji unintentionally raised a voice of admiration. Cream stew full of meat and vegetable is in a round bread, with steak and salad included. It was a menu considerably better than the things Reiji had imagined from the level of culture and civilization in this world.

“As there’s still a lot, please have another serving without reservation.”

“Ah, Thank you.”

Reiji who was a little happy blushed shyly to Tena who saw him smiling. However, it was unavoidable upon seeing so many cuisines when his hunger had exceeded the limit.

“Then..... Itadakimasu.”

“Itadakimasu.” (I’ve received the food)

“Itadakimasu.”

“Itadakimasu.”

To the orders of Anri, Reiji, Tena and Lili followed respectively.



“Phew, thank you for the meal.”

“Are you alright already?”

“Ah, I can’t eat anymore as expected. I’ve unintentionally eaten to my limit because it was delicious.”

“Hehe, thank you.”

Actually, the quantity Reiji ate was fairly large. Having a second helping of the steak, bread and stew, he ate approximately 2 person’s portion. He probably was hungry to that extent.

“I’ll brew tea for after meal.”

“For everything, I beg your pardon.”

“No, not at all.”

There were 2 person at the other side of the dining table who was staring at

the state of those 2 with disgusted eyes. However, the expression of one of them cannot be seen due to a mask.

“.....”

“.....”

“They seem to be on good terms, Lili.”

“That’s right, Anri Sama.”

Although Tena is only displaying her nature as an obliging person without particularly deep intentions, it can’t be helped that a different nuance is seen when the other party is a man.

“Ahem!”

When Anri clears her throat, Reiji and Tena turns towards her.

“I intend to talk about your future. Tena can put Lili to sleep and come back.”

“Eh? But.....”

Tena raises a question to Anri’s words. Although dinner was a little later than usual today, it isn’t time to sleep yet.

“It’s okay, so please.”

“I, I understand.”

When Anri asked once more, Tena nodded while looking puzzled.

“Good night.”

“Yes, Good night.”

“Good night.”

2 person, Anri and Reiji returned the greeting respectively to Lili who gave a quick bow while saying good night. Receiving that, Tena and Lili left the room together. (TN: Actual passage says Tena and Anri, I suspect it’s a typo)

Waiting until the their footsteps become inaudible, Reiji opened his mouth to speak.

“.....Are there some words you do not want her to know?”

Reiji asked a question like that to the blatant action of urging her to leave a while ago. He considered that she had asked Tena to leave her seat by bringing Lili to bed in order for her to not hear their words.

Sure enough, it was right.

“That child is cute.”

“Ha? Umm, did you mean Tena? I, I think she is certainly cute.....”

“However.....I will twist it off if you touch her.”

“Where!?”

Reiji shuddered to the dangerous threat that doesn't specify a definite spot.

“Because it's late, I'll put up with you, so sleep separately.”

“The trust for me is zero!?”

Reiji unconsciously forgot to use honorifics and placed a Tsukkomi. (The guy playing the normal person in a 2 person comedy)

However, if he stays at the all-women household of Black Rose Mansion, it would be said that the meaning of the correspondence was justified.

“Well, if you do not accept accommodation, parting is also acceptable.”

Therefore, Reiji agreed thereupon.

“Still, say that I challenge the trials of the letter in question, how do you think it should be done specifically from tomorrow?”

“On the letter, the first trial was written as ‘making a demon king of this world recognize your ability. Though I can introduce you to the demon king, I think it's impossible to make them recognize your ability now. As to cheating the request to recognize your ability, you should avoid it because you do not know what kind of action the Evil God will take.’”

As Anri had said, the present Reiji does not have any powers that can be specially mentioned excluding magic that randomly triggers. Although his physical ability went up considerably compared to the time in his original world, but that is only it.

Reiji doesn't know how powerful the demon king is, but when talking about whether there is an ability to the extent which a king of a race recognizes in the present Reiji, there would be nothing to say but no.

“Then, how.....”

“I think you have no choice but to train.”

“Train? Doesn't the time frame for that counts in years.....”

The image for training formed by Reiji is similar to attitude and weight training, but he doesn't know how long it will take if such a thing is being done. Even if he takes several decades and return to the original world, the place for him to stay will disappear. For Reiji, he wanted to clear the trial and return to the original world as soon as possible.

“There is a good place near here.”

“Perhaps.....is it the dungeon according to the story?”

There is said to be a good place and when hearing Anri's history, Reiji remembered the dungeon according to the story.

“Yes, for short term training by actual combat over there, it is also safer than other places.”

“Certainly.....I understood, given that I'm aimless, I'll go take a look. Ah, come to think of it, where does the demon king of this world stay?”

“The demon king stays in the demon race territory.”

“Demon race territory, Such a place.....”

Reiji's face clouded over imagining the severe trip judging from the sound of it. Anri understood his intention from seeing Reiji assume a gloomy look and gave him an advice.

“I think it is indeed severe alone. You should gather comrades in the town nearby.”

“Then, please let me go together too!”

“Tena!?”

Tena who returned suddenly interrupted the conversation. Reiji was delighted and surprised with those words and raised his voice.

“Not allowed.”

However, the request of Tena was rejected with a word from Anri.

“Wh, Why is it?”

“Nothing really, there should be no reason for you to accompany.”

“Anri Sama, Please! I want to help Mr. Reiji.”

“Though you have just met, why?”

Anri is puzzled by Tena's persistence.

Even though Reiji and Tena just met today and the time spent together is not long, to go the extent of wanting to help with enthusiasm, questions sprang out in her head.

Although she considered love at first sight, it does not seem like romantic feelings was held for Reiji despite seeing Tena's appearance.

".....That, I do not know as well, but I do not want to leave Mr.Reiji alone at any rate."

Tena answered after a long silence to Anri's question.

Complicated feelings for Reiji which even Tena herself cannot understand was caused by the fact that she superimposed him and Anri unconsciously.

Tena having become the attendant of Anri, bought from the place when she was sold as a slave who was about to die of illness and cured with divine protection granting skill was by chance. The strong impression of being saved when she was about to die has taken roots in the innermost depths of Tena's heart now.

Black hair and eyes that is rare in this world similar to Anri, and subsequently, impressions of common features such as being thrown in from a different world to this world all alone are also overlapping, Tena felt that she wanted to return the favor of being helped by Anri herself at that time by helping him. Although it might be a meaningless compensation act, the feelings embraced unconsciously at one point in time are not easily erased.

"In any case, It's no good because of various dangers."

"Various...."

Seeing the fleeting glance towards Reiji's direction while saying these words, it was apparent that a certain portion besides simple safety of the body was being said.

However, Tena who was pure did not notice it.

"It's alright. I can also use dark magic too, and won't be a drag to Mr. Reiji!"

"Being a drag is unthinkable. I was saved when I came together with Tena too."

"I cannot feel assured with just that."

Tena who receives Anri's stubborn denial falls down.

After the exchange was repeated a while, Anri who have partially given up reluctantly stated a certain condition.

“If that’s the case, reach 10 levels of the dungeon. I will accept your trip with him if you can achieve it.”

“Un, Understood!”

Tena nodded vigorously although she flinched a little to the condition Anri stated.

Turning to face Reiji as she is, she reported gripping both his hands.

“Although I’m just a burden to shoulder, will you take me together too?”

“Ah, I was saved. Of course, there is no reason to decline. Please take care of me.”

Reiji nodded while blushing to the soft touch on his hands.

Anri grumbled something when seeing such a sight while casting a sidelong glance.

<Words from a character>

Anri “..... it is not.”

<News from the author>

Tena is added as a comrade. But I do not want to hand it over so easily.

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Chapter 10: Holy Anri Thearchy

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**His name is 'Banzai Hero'*

"Then, I'm off."

"See you. However, because you may give up and come back immediately."

"A, ahaha....."

"Take care, Tena oneechan" (TN: elder sister)

"Un. Take care of Anri-Sama, Lili."

"Wait, am I someone who needs to be taken care of?"

Tena was gently called out by Anri and Lili who came to see the 2 people off. On the other hand, extremely frigid eyes were turned towards Reiji.

"If you hurt Tena.....I'll pluck it off."

"Where so!!!?"

".....you are not allowed to make Tena Oneesan cry."

"I won't make her cry!!"

Reiji broke out in cold sweat towards the words from the 2 people.

"That's right, please do a banzai." (TN: Cheer with hands up in the air while shouting Banzai!)

"Ha?"

Anri suddenly said a strange thing towards Reiji. Reiji who doesn't understand, returns a perplexed sound.

"Banza~i" (TN: Cheering, literally ten thousand years old or long live!)

"Eh, well, erm.....is it like that?"

"All right.....Tena"

"Y, Yes?"

Anri called out to tena next after nodding contentedly to Reiji who obediently did a Banzai with a shameful appearance, although his face only colored up slightly.

Although Tena who was called was tilting her head to one side wondering what

happened, she approaches and stops near Anri's beckoning. Anri took Tena's hands and made them grasp the hem of Reiji's clothes.

"That, what is it?"

"Travel like this so that you will be okay when auto magic triggers."

"Ha!?"

"Ehhh!?"

Two people utter an astonished cry to Anri's abrupt announcement.

"Why in such a state!?"

"When magic is trigger suddenly, it's dangerous unless directed towards the sky."

"Uu, that's right but....."

"What is the significance of me holding Mr.Reiji's hem?"

"When not in contact, you may become separated when metastasis magic is triggered."

"Ce, Certainly the need to avoid that is understood, but....."

It was a strange instruction, but the reason heard is unexpectedly sound, and the two person, Reiji and Tena were at a loss for words without being able to refute immediately.

"Th, That's right. Isn't it okay if you cast the magic applied received yesterday to apply and accept it once more?"

"With the means of magic continuously sealed off like that on a dangerous journey, it's a suicidal act without any margin. Since I think that it's okay even if it's sealed in the town, receive it from Tena when you enter into town."

"Ugu....."

Although Reiji objects after recalling last night's magic, it has been refuted at once within the moment. However Reiji did not notice that currently, there would not be any problem even if his magic is sealed as he cannot actually use magic by himself.

"With this appearance, I'm a little embarrassed....."

"If that's unpleasant, you should stop traveling together."

"That's, that's no good.....I understand. Even though it's shameful, I will endure it."

In the end, it's impossible to refute Anri's opinion, and two people, Reiji and Tena, were seen off in that state by Anri and left the black rose mansion before long.

Immediately following, flame blew up from Reiji's hands towards the sky.

".....Hmm?"

Reiji walking towards the town with the dungeon felt a sense of discomfort due to Tena's appearance. It isn't that her clothes, a robe worn on top of a mysterious kantou style shrine maiden clothes identical to yesterday, with red pattern on top of black cloth, are strange.

By the way, Reiji had borrowed and worn a similar robe.

(TN: Kantou style: simple type of clothing consisting of a large piece of cloth with a hole in the middle for the head)

Then, when speaking of where the strangeness is, is the presence perched on her right shoulder.

"He, Hey Tena? That..... crow on top of your shoulder, what is it?"

That's right, a crow with black glossy feather was perched on her right shoulder.

Although it seems to be an ordinary crow, but, it's eyes had a similar shape to a human's scornful eyes that was unnatural.

"Ah, This child? It's Anri Sama's familiar. Anri sama was hoping I would take it along no matter what."

"Kaa-"

"Is, is that so."

Having a bad feeling for some reason, Reiji broke into a cold sweat.

Anri did not go to the extent of holding animosity against Reiji and should have sympathize with his predicament. It doesn't mean that Reiji himself is bad even though he was rude to have suddenly raised her skirt by magic. After all, lodging was permitted although she was a little mean.

However, concerning the relationship with Tena, it is understood that there was very strong suspicion held in her heart. Tena bringing along Anri's personal familiar could only be thought to mean that she is observing Reiji so that he does

not put his hands on her.

“Kaa-?”

The scornful stares of the crow induces that uneasiness. Perhaps when Reiji tries to approach Tena, it's certain that he will come under the pecking of this crow.

Towards Tena, Reiji swore to tear down and change her heart with a gentlemanly attitude.

“By the way, what kind of place are we going towards after this?”

“Now what we are heading to is a town called Anrinia, the capital of Holy Anri Thearchy. Holy Anri Thearchy is a country formed from worshipers of divine Anri sama, and the basement of the that shrine also holds the dungeon.”

“H, Holy Anri Thearchy?”

Reiji broke into cold sweat unconsciously towards that excessive country name.

To being with, according to the story heard from Anri yesterday, as a divine being, her classification should be an Evil God.

It is too far apart from the word called holy.

When her name is included in the country's name, it's painful to look at. The capital name is the same too.

“Kaa-”

The crow stares and scowl at Reiji who was thinking about such a thing.

“Although the country is quite small, it's lively since people gathers from all over the world.”

“The people from around the world? Is there so much faith?”

Reiji have only met Anri of the human race and have not met Anri the god. Nevertheless, considering they were originally the same person, there isn't thought to be difference in their character. It was impossible to imagine her being called someone whom people around the world have faith in. In the first place, he thought that the belief in Evil god was usually carried out a little more discreetly.

“Ah, Well, although believers exist in all parts of the world too, the majority gathered to come here are adventurers challenging the dungeon. As the dungeon over there is the best known dungeon in the world, there are many people trying to capture it.”

“Is that so. That place is the dungeon we are challenging.”

“Yes. Because there are a lot of shops for adventurers around the shrine, let’s prepare and buy various things there.”

Reiji was suddenly worried at the words of Tena.

“To prepare and buy, in the first place I do not have money of this world though.”

What Reiji was holding on to was Japanese yen. It isn’t likely to be able to use it in this world.

“It’s alright. Because Anri sama gave it.”

When saying so, Tena took out a small bag from her chest and showed it to Reiji. Judging from the reaction of Tena, the small bag is probably fully packed with money. However, Reiji’s sight wasn’t on the small bag, but the place where it was taken out from.

“Kaa-”

Feeling the scornful glare from the crowd getting stronger with a cry, Reiji averted his eyes from Tena’s chest in a hurry.

“Nevertheless, to be given such a large sum. She is fairly kind.”

“Yes, Anri sama is kind!”

Reiji praises Anri by saying a half truth. Although it wasn’t a lie to have expressed his gratitude for Anri’s consideration. Tena merely nod her head in approval delightfully towards Reiji’s statement.

“Ah, however Anri sama said something strange when giving me this money, like 『Make it 10 times more then』.”

“.....”

It probably means something like ‘because Tena is travelling together’. If Reiji was alone, it would only be 1/10 of that small bag. As there was no obligation to

prepare money for Reiji and get taken care of from Anri, even though it might be better to have received it, it's still a complicated feeling.

“Kaa-”



“It's close.”

Tena suddenly exclaimed after walking along the highway for a while. When Reiji raised his head to those words, a strange object was reflected in his sight.

“Th, That's?”

The face of a huge girl is seen in the distance.

However, that isn't a real person of course. It would be understood once the color is seen, it's a bronze statue. Although there is a body when one's line of sight moves below the face, Reiji remembered the clothes that it was wearing.

“That is one of the symbol of the Thearchy, a huge statue of Anri sama.”

In that way, what the huge bronze statue wore and the black rose Anri was wearing are like 2 peas in a pod. Even though Reiji did not see Anri's face under the mask in the end, it was possible to honestly agree with Tena's words that That was modeled after Anri's image.

It looked a little younger than what he remembered, but that was probably because it was constructed a little while ago.

“Oh, it was such a face though I did not get to see it with a mask.”

“Yes, a very beautiful person.

However after the statue was done, she said it was embarrassing and reached a point where she hides behind a mask.”

“Eh? Wasn't it because of the demon eyes?”

Reiji who had received that kind of explanation from Anri raised a doubt at the one from Tena.

“I think there is more or less that too, but the primary reason is to avoid causing an uproar due to having the same face as a the divine statue.”

Certainly, if there is a woman with the same face as a statue of a God, it will normally cause an uproar. Besides, it's really the same person in her case, not

just an accidental resemblance like others. Reiji understood Tena's explanation while having some doubts with the discrepancy from Anri's one.

Incidentally, the reason why Anri did not explain the reason properly was because she was ashamed to say the fact that there was a bronze statue of herself.

"By the way, I think that there is a check to enter the town, will I be able to enter?"

"Ah, yes. As the Pope of the Thearchy can provide some convenience, I think it's okay if I request."

"That means, I won't be able to enter if I'm alone?"

".....th, that's right."

If Reiji had come alone as originally planned, he would have been stranded without being able to enter the town. Reiji and Tena noticed the fact and broke into cold sweat.

"After all, it's good that Tena came together."

"Hehe, thank you."

"By the way, isn't it about time for you to apply the dark magic to seal the use of magic?"

"Ah, that's right."

When Tena chanted the magic, the fog similar to what Anri released last night coiled around Reiji's body.

As a result, Reiji was finally released from his banzai appearance.



"I entered normally."

"Yes. However, it's better that you register as an adventurer and acquire the card. Doing so, you will be able to go in and out of town even if it's only Mr. Reiji."

"Yeah, I also can't settle down without having an identification. Will you show me later?"

"Okay!"

Reiji and Tena who barely passed the gate check with an rough face pass was

chatting while walking on the street of Anrinia. (TN: Face pass – allowed passage due to being famous, entry on sight.)

Although the streets are not such a different scene from Luxiria Theocracy where Reiji was summoned, the number of people coming and going was extremely different. The town is overflowing with liveliness, and voices of touting employees are resounding everywhere. Reiji was baffled with the considerable difference from the words ‘home of the Thearchy sect’ with its peaceful and calm impression.

Rather, to be called adventurer’s town would be fitting.

When that was stated, Tena expressed a wry smile.

“Hehe, that’s so, isn’t it. With the dungeon as a town, because the prosperity of the town is due to challenging adventurers, therefore I think it’s natural to have become so. Oh, but because it’s dangerous to view Anri sama’s matter as foolish in this town, please never say that.”

“Is, is that so?”

“Kaa-?”

Reiji who did not hold a strict image of her from the impression of exchanging words directly with the human Anri, is puzzled by Tena’s words.

“Though I do not think Anri sama would get seriously angry as she is a kind person, it’s because her believers will not permit it.”

But with that, Tena continued.

— I have the same feeling too, though.

Even though a pretty smile is expressed, Reiji felt a chill down his back when he caught a momentary glimpse of her eyes that were not smiling.

“Ah, yes. Of course, I do not say things like a fool as she is my benefactor too.”

“Tha’s right. hehe, I feel relieved.”

“Ka, Kaa-”

Reiji learnt deeply that there are things a person will not yield to anyone.

<Words from a character>

Reiji “Scary……!?”

<A few words from the author>

Although Tena came to be concern about Reiji, as the reason is an unconscious compensatory act for repaying Anri's favor, the degree of liking for now is Anri >>> (the wall that is not crossed) >>> Reiji.

Where the [>] sign between them can be reduced to is up to his future efforts

Although it is mainstream to hear of heroine falling in love with the protagonist relatively soon, as I do not want him to pass without receiving suitable hardship after all, I feel regretful but I would like to advance it in this direction.

It's unrelated, but I already felt that Anri's crow might be good enough although I was wondering whether to name the crow or not.

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“Is this the weapon shop?”

“Yes, although there are other weapon shops, this is said to be the store with the widest selection of goods in this town. You can buy not only weapons, but also armor and shield here too.”

With the guidance of Tena, Reiji arrived in front of the shop with a sword and shield signboard hanging at a corner of the town.

“Oh? But Mr. Reiji.

There’s a sword and armor included in Mr. Reiji’s item box, isn’t it?

Is there a need to buy them again?”

“No, I do not want to use a sword without understanding where it come from unless it’s the last resort.

And, as for the armor too.....that is also not usable.”

“Kaa-”

The leather armor included in the item box has nothing particularly unusual in itself, an extremely normal item, but it had been changed completely after bestowal of divine protection from Anri last night.

<Scale mail of Evil Dragon>

A scale mail woven from the scales of an ancient evil dragon.

With a lightness contrary to its toughness, ordinary blades are unable to penetrate it.

Moreover, it also boast a high resistance to magic such as breath and so forth. However, putting it on would cause one to be manipulated as it’s filled with grudge and malice of the evil dragon, causing one to attacking people around indiscriminately.

Although the probability of the item becoming cursed from divine protection was a 50-50 gamble, but sure enough, the result was being cursed as you can see.

Though it was brought along for the time being shut in the item box as it is, but

it's not something usable and is expected to just hoard space.

It's too dangerous to be able to sell off carelessly too.

Because Reiji also consented to his item receiving divine protection from Anri, thought he did not intend to blame the result, her having prepared a lot of money might also have a somewhat reimbursement-like relation to this matter.

“Oh? However, if you did not think a weapon will be bought, why did you guide me here?”

Reiji suddenly remembered a question.

If she did not recognize that Reiji needs a weapon, it wasn't necessary for Tena to consider guiding him to the weapon shop as well.

“Well, the reason is because I also want to purchase a staff, but the primary reason is to meet a person.

This morning, the target person is asked to come here by Anri Sama.

“Target person?”

“Yes, it's the person who will train Mr. Reiji.”

“Eh?”

Reiji let out an astonished cry hearing Tena's talk for the first time.

“Umm, is it a thing to study under the person?”

“Yes, there is a limit even to self taught training, and Anri sama said that there is much to learn as she could also use light magic.

We got in touch yesterday night, and she was able to come since he was near by chance.

Given that I heard that she will be in this shop the whole of today, I arranged to meet there.”

“Is that so.

Well then, lets enter the shop soon since he might be waiting.”

“Okay!”

Opening the door, 2 people enter the shop together.

Various arms lined up filled the interior of the shop. So as to prove Tena's words of having the widest variety in town, there seems to be a considerable number.

However, each type of armor is exhibited in a well-organized manner, there was

no disorderly image.

“HmMMM..... Ah, she came!”

Tena which was looking around the store for the intended person announced towards a certain direction.

When Reiji looks at the same direction upon hearing it too, there was a figure of a woman with an unexpectedly tidy appearance there.

“Ms. Orlaine.”

When Tena greeted her, the woman looking at the bow hung on the wall turned around.

With light purple hair extending slightly below her shoulders, the woman had a fleeting appearance.

However, looking at her eyes with that impression too, one would realize their mistake.

The strong will carried in those pupil clearly demonstrates that she was not the feeble existence that was suitable for her appearance.

And that, could also be seen from the light weight armor worn and the bow that was releasing terrifying aura carried on her back.

Although her age could be seen to be around or a little above Reiji's, the atmosphere that those equipments gave off tells of a veteran warrior with a long serving record.

“Ah, Ms. Tena. Hello.”

“Yes it's been a long time!”

The woman approached Reiji and Tena, exchanging greetings.

“And, that person?”

“Yes, he is Mr. Reiji.

Mr. Reiji, this is the hero, Ms. Orlaine.”

“I am Reiji. Nice to me yo....., a hero!?”

Reiji did a self introduction after Tena introduce him, but a word in Tena's introduction caused him to give a startled cry.

Orlaine, the woman with a tidy appearance, rather than a hero, even saying a nun would be more agreeable.

“A, Ahaha..... I have been granted divine protection from St. goddess Sophia for the time being and holds the title of ‘Hero of the Sacred Bow’.”

“By accepting the request of Anri Sama, it has been decided that she will assist Mr. Reiji’s training.”

“Yes, although my I specialize in the bow, I can also use light magic to some extent.

As I think I am able to help you learn some basics, so please take care of me.”

“Similarly here, please treat me well!”

Reiji grip the hand Orlaine has presented and exchanged a firm handshake.

“By the way, I want to arrange Mr. Reiji’s weapon and armor before entering the dungeon.”

“I see, well then, I shall select something.”

Tena who also considered that it’s safe to have Orlaine make the selection as she is personally well-acquainted with arms and have plenty of experience as an adventurer, decided to consult her about the choice of equipment for Reiji. Orlaine undertook it willing it too.

“Shall we take a look from weapons first?

Is there anything you wish for regarding the type of weapon?”

“Mmmmm, even if you say something I wish for....”

Reiji was at a loss for an answer to Orlaine’s question and groaned.

For a Japanese high school student who was unrelated to weapons and so forth., there possess no suitable image even if asked about the type of weapon.

“Thinking about the the sword contained in that item box, wouldn’t the sword be the best after all?”

“The sword contained in the item box?”

Orlaine exclaimed in a curious voice at Tena’s suggestion.

Looking at the situation, Reiji and Tena explained ‘the sword left to fate’ contained within the item box to her.

“I see, I understood the situation.

In that case, one handed sword would be good for a weapon.

With that, a light armor might also be more appropriate for protective gears.”

“The weapons may be so, but why for the armor?”

“Because it’s wasteful to not use a precious unique sword.

While it is dangerous to rely only on that, there is a very effective possibility when utilized well.

With a normal sword used as a balance, how about a two-sword style with the sword left to fate aiming at one-shot reversal? (TN: turning the tables with a single attack)

If you decide on two sword style, protective armament on the light side is suited as agility is important.”

“I see.”

Reiji raised a voice of agreement to Orlaine’s words.

Although he did not intend to use the ‘sword left to fate’ without knowing what will appear, her opinion of it being effectively usable if it was used as the subweapon was persuasive.

“Well then, in that direction please.”

“Yes, I understand.”

When I nodded, Orlaine began inspecting the swords on display.

“Then, I’ll have a little look at the staff.”

“Ah, understood.”

Tena left the situation to Orlaine and decided to choose her own staff.

When Tena returns a while later after finish choosing the staff, Reiji’s appearance with an aspect completely changed was there.

Wearing a lightweight black leather armor with silver metallic parts placed only at important positions, the form of two swords visibly intersects behind his waist.

Although originally without a muscular appearance he had looked somewhat unreliable, his appearance now did not feel strange although he had become an adventurer like others.

“Waa, It looks good. Mr. Reiji.”

“Kaa-”

“Is, is that so? Thank you.”

Reiji stated his thanks while scratching his cheeks and blushing when Tena praised him.

“Tena, was the staff found on your side?”

“Yes, I made a decision even though I had a little difficulty choosing and hesitated.”

When saying so, Tena lightly lifts the staff in her hands and shows it to Reiji. It is a simple stick with a blue jewel.

“Then, shall we settle the bill and leave the shop?”

“Ah, yes. I got it.”

“Yes, let’s go.”



Three people who have finished paying the bill was walking in the town.

“Where is the place you want to stop by later?”

“I’d like to prepare the medicinal herbs, let’s register Mr.Reiji as an adventurer at the adventurer’s guild before that.”

“Adventurer’s Guild huh.”

“I got it. Let’s go straight to the guild since it’s close by.”

With those words, Three people turned their steps towards the adventurer’s guild.

<Words from a character>

Orlaine “Eh? Are you Lionel? I do not understand because it’s scattered.”

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The door opened with a 'Kiii' sound.

It's 3 person who have newly arrived at the adventurer's guild in Anrinia – Reiji, Tena and Orlaine.

Although there are several adventurers other than the reception staff at the adventurer's guild, their eye catching appearances caused all to notice them and turn around. It can be said that Reiji's appearance is also relatively conspicuous with black hair and eyes rarely seen in this world, but above that, being with 2 other person who happens to be girls with beautiful looks makes them extremely eye catching.

When a young man is seen leading 2 lovely girls, it isn't strange to receive and get entangled with jealousy. Reiji looks around the guild with vigilance as he is also aware of that, but somehow there are no such indications. On the contrary when their eyes meet, the adventurers turn away even though some of them looked curious.

Reiji looked puzzled to the reaction that differ from his expectation, but that was due to matching well with the 2 person accompanying him.

Firstly for Tena though, she was originally worshiped in this country as a representative of Anri, a girl with the role as the shrine maiden who convey that voice. With her exposure being higher than the shut-in Anri who almost never directly dealt with immediate believers, she had a history of being active. Although she has left that position now and no longer holds official powers, orders from the upper echelons of the country to treat her politely are common knowledge. Even if that was not taken into consideration, her role as an target of worship remains unchanged in the views of the believers, and anyone who harms her in this country is likely to get beaten up en masse.

On the other hand, Orlaine was not a subject of public power and belief. There is a more direct reason why she is being kept at a distance. She visits the adventurer's guild relatively frequently due to her activities. Initially, there

were never ending call-outs from guys due to her appearance and among them, someone even made advances on her forcefully.

However she is a hero, a top tier warrior among the human race even without an in depth analysis. Although she is a rear guard who uses the bow, being a high level adventurer too, just her physical ability have enough power to overwhelm the adventurers of the neighborhood. A gigantic man close to 2 meters who tried to commit an insolent act was easily dealt with, and beside giving him a kick to his male symbols which cause him to swoon while foaming, he was thrown out mercilessly from the door, letting others left shaking in that place understand that she was someone not to be angered.

After that, although the rumor that she plunged dozen of men into disability was supposed to have spread excessively, Orlaine herself did not have the reason to know such a thing.

Even though there is the fatal problem of missing the marriageable age and giving birth as a result of keeping too much distance, because the person in question does not know the cause, the possibility of resolving the issue wasn't raised despite her impatience.

“Considering her going together with an unusual guy, there seems to be a reasonable cause.”

There was a man who talked to such a Orlaine. Although there was a racket in the guild momentarily, it was settled after looking at the man who addressed her.

A middle aged man with short silver hair wearing a black mantle over his armor came to address them. A red glint in his eyes supports the belief of strong confidence and shines powerfully. The large sword shouldered has also been used for a long time, telling of his combat experience.

“Mr. Eligor!?”

When Orlaine turned around towards the greeting, she exclaimed in surprise.

“Is this someone you know?”

“Yes, well.....He is Mr. Eligor, an ‘adventurer’.”

Although Reiji who was vigilant to his surrounding asks Orlaine, she

hesitates with her reply for a moment before introducing him while emphasizing on the 'adventurer' portion.

Feeling a sense of discomfort from the situation, Reiji looked at the man – Eligor's appearance again.

Other than being called a veteran swordsman, a worrisome aspect is his ears. Those ears are unusually long and pointed compared to others, and it meant that he was a different race from others in the surrounding. That race was one Reiji happened to know of. Beside the human race, other humanoid races also exist in this world.

"It can't be.....of the demon race?"

"Yes, that's right. However, not just of the demon race. He is....."

Orlaine draws her face to Reiji's ears when saying that. She whispered so as not to be heard by the surrounding into the ears of Reiji, who was in a fluster due to her fragrant scent.

.....and he was the previous demon king.



"Why is the previous demon king in such a place?"

Reiji who finished his adventurer registration arrived at a table in the guild and sat opposite Eligor to talk. Tena was seated on Reiji's right, and Orlaine to his left respectively.

Although the purpose of Reiji is to return to his original world, it is necessary to clear 3 problems that the Evil God gave. The first one gave was 'Let the demon king of this world recognize your ability'.

For Reiji who wanted information on the demon king, there was no choice to leave like this on hearing that the identity of the man was called the previous demon king. Fortunately, Eligor is also interested in Reiji who was accompanying hero Orlaine, and willingly accepted the offer to have a conversation.

"I am somebody who have already distant himself from politics. As a mere swordsman now, I challenge unrivaled labyrinth that has not been set foot on previously."

“Ahaha, but I have not given up yet....”

When Eligor was still holding the position of demon king previously, there was a time when he accepted the command from the God of Darkness and challenged the dungeon of Anrinia ‘Sanctuary of the Evil God’. Because he collapse in front of the formidable enemies at level 30 at that time, ha has not reach the stage to travel all over.

There was nothing more he was able to do at that time, and by handing over the throne to become a swordsman by himself, it’s the story of one becoming an adventurer to clear himself from the regrets of that time by challenging the dungeon alone.

By the way, as Orlaine was one of the party member who challenged and reach level 30 of the dungeon together too, the demon king and hero who should be incompatible originally are in a situation where they are acquaintance by that opportunity.

In addition, Tena remained silent because she was on the dungeon side that was challenged and secretly expressed a wry smile.

“Can I hear about the current demon king?”

Since Reiji’s matter was lightly brought up at the time of self introduction, Reiji interrupted the conversation with those words. Such a question probing the internal circumstances of one’s own country would usually only treated with silent contempt, but since the God of Darkness that the demon race worship is also participating, it will not be treated with disdain.

“Hmm, my daughter Leonora acts as the demon king of this generation.”

“Eh? Daughter?”

Reiji who never thought that the demon king would possibly be a woman instinctively raised that question.

“A very beautiful one.”

“Huh? Does Tena also know?”

“Yes, she is a friend of Anri sama and stayed in the black rose mansion for a period of time.”

“Kaa-”

To Tena's words, Reiji stared at her in shock. In that case you should speak of it beforehand, he thought from that. Actually, if they know the demon king of this generation, there was no need to purposely hail Eligor to talk.

"Ah, I, I did not hide it particularly! As the talk was to acquire a suitable ability and head towards the demon race territory, perhaps I should have said a little earlier....."

"Well, certainly even if I know it now, there is nothing I can do."

Reiji was convinced from Tena's explanation that she did not intend to hide this knowingly and let go of the issue. This time a question is posed from Eligor to Reiji.

"And, will you challenge the labyrinth now with that?"

"Oh, Yes. For the time being, I cannot get permission from Anri sama to travel if I do not clear up to 10 levels."

"10 levels huh.....I think it's a little harsh with just you guys."

"That is....."

With the experience of challenging the dungeon once, Orlaine also found herself to be at a loss of words to Eligor's remark.

Although the dungeon 'Sanctuary of the Evil God' has a depth of 31 levels below ground, the residential area on the 31st floor is among those and the labyrinth area is only until level 30 in reality.

A strong monster is deployed at level 10, 20 and 30 respectively as a boss, and it has become one of the great obstacle for the dungeon challengers.

In Orlaine's judgement, even if she cooperate fully, it didn't seem possible to defeat the level 10 boss with Reiji and Tena.

"Hmm, then I will go along too until the labyrinth is captured."

"Is that okay?"

Orlaine's face darkens due to a proposal of Eligor, and the feeling of uneasiness was seen on Reiji and Tena face after her expression was seen. As the previous demon king, his ability is considerable. Reiji clung to such heaven sent words.

"It is also some kind of fate to get acquainted this way. Moreover, I want to

see whether you are a person worth of challenging my daughter. Since I have some understanding regarding the sword, you can leave the basics to me.”

“Certainly, Mr. Eligor is more suitable than me who uses the bow.”

“I got it. Then, please treat me well.”

Thus a new member, although temporarily, joined Reiji’s party.

A visitor from another world, the original shrine maiden of the Evil God, a hero, demon king predecessor and a strange crow while we are on it, they did not notice that it was a colorful group that gathered nothing but members that are hard to deal.

<Words from a character>

Adventurer “Do not make eye contact! I will be crushed!”

<Notice from the author>

Slowly, the stock is.....

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“Do you believe in Anri Sama ~!?”

“OWAA!?”

After completing shopping for miscellaneous goods such as medicinal herbs, a voice was suddenly directed from the front towards Reiji’s group upon making their way to the shrine with the entrance of the dungeon. As it was abrupt and there was no indications beforehand too, Reiji instinctively let out a scream unintentionally.

The voice had been directed from a blond young man dressed in a regal priest clothes and holding a black staff. Although he has a well proportioned face, his long awaited appearance was ruined with a smile on the whole of his face while sidling up.

“Ah, Mr. Pope.”

“This is...Tena sama, it’s been a while.”

When Tena called out to the person and started a conversation cheerfully, that person bowed reverently back. By the way, the 2 person, Orlaine and Eligor are secretly keeping a distance away from that place due to a series of events.

Frankly speaking..... they ran away.

“Po, Pope?”

“Yes, I am called Harvin, serving as the Pope of this country.”

The blond hair youth introduced himself as the first generation pope of Holy Anri Thearchy to Reiji and gave a light bow.

“Erm, when you say the Pope, it’s the top of this country right? Why is such a person here.....”

They were at the entrance of the sanctuary just directly beside it’s opened doors. Even as a joke, It’s no place for the head of state to be waiting. Of course, although there is no mystery and it isn’t strange for there to be a Pope in the sanctuary, the image of a head of state is typically more profound and upper

classed, and Reiji was of the same impression too.

“That is of course, to proselytize to the new visitors.”

“???”

Although the Pope declares it clearly with an expression full of confidence, Reiji who heard that was even more puzzled.

It's a matter of course to proselytize and expand the amount of believers since it's a religious state, however even so, it's unusual for the Pope himself to lie in wait for visitors.

However, the Pope is not concerned about the state of such a Reiji and continues speaking

“For new visitors to the shrine, I present you this.”

“Eh? Oh, yes. Thank you.....”

The Pope produce a black bound book from somewhere and presents it to Reiji.

Although Reiji did not know what it was, he tries to receive it while giving his thanks by reflex.

At that moment.....

“That is no good!”

“You must not touch that book!”

“Do not touch it!”

“Kaa-!”

Including Tena beside, Orlaine and Eligor who should be keeping their distance and the crow on Tena's shoulder while you are at it, intervenes in a hurry.

“Ha? Eh?”

“Whoa, everyone. Could you not interfere with the missionary work.....”

Due to the confusion caused by the threatening attitude of the 3 person , Reiji stiffens in the posture with a hand held out to receive the book.

On the other hand, the Pope told of his complaint towards them in a dissatisfied voice.

“It should have been said by Anri sama to stop giving the sacred scripture to the visitors incessantly. Mr. Reiji, you will be cursed by touching the book! As the

curse will not be lifted unless a copy is written and passed over to someone else, absolutely do not touch it please.”

“WOAH!?”

Tena express a warning towards the Pope like that, and together a warning towards Reiji.

Reiji who heard that withdrew his hands that was held out in a panic and moved backwards.

The black scripture.

It is said that Evil God Anri wrote it personally, and is the most evil and cursed book in the world. A random curse is trigger once this book is taken into hands and one will continue to be struck with unfortunate events.

However, the misfortune that occurs are trivial things such as 10 yen balding, and it has given rise to various speculation in contradiction with the strength of the curse.

In order to lift the curse, it is necessary to make a manuscript of the scripture and hand it over to someone else, and because the curse is placed into the transcribe copy, it had scattered throughout the world causing damage to each country.

“No no, I’m sorry. That was just a habit.....”

“To distribute it to such an extent that it becomes a habit.....”

To the Pope who was apologizing without a timid appearance, Reiji was muttering in an amazed state while holding his head with his hands.

“Didn’t Anri sama already order you to put an end to it?”

“Please forgive that.”

The Pope bow deeply while putting away the sacred book to the reproving Tena with her hands on her hips.

“Kaa-”

Incidentally, there is no need to report as Anri overheard looking through her familiar on Tena’s shoulder, however there was no way for him to know.



“By the way, what kind of business does everyone have today?”

“Pretending the exchange up till just now didn’t exist.....”

Reiji broke into cold sweat to the Pope who changed his attitude in the blink of an eye.

He decided to hold the Pope in front of his eyes as someone to be cautious of in his heart.

At the same time, he understood deeply why the moment this character approached, Orlaine and Eligor ran away in order to put a distance between them.

I wanted you to say it earlier if possible.

When the 2 person saw the look with that emotion put in, they diverted their eyes.

“After this I am planning to enter the underground dungeon.”

“I see, certainly. Then, this way please.”

Saying so, the Pope guided them and set foot into the depth of the sanctuary. Somehow or other, it seems like he will be leading them personally to the entrance of the dungeon.

Although Tena and Orlaine and Eligor too knows the entrance of the dungeon so a guide is unnecessary, they arrived following his escort after a while.

“Still, it is strange to build the dungeon below the sanctuary.”

“Fufu, are you surprised? Although there was originally a dungeon in this place, a shrine was built on top with Anri sama’s divine power.”

“Is it safe to have a dungeon at the basement of the shrine? Monsters may come out from there.....”

“Please be assured. The monsters in the dungeon are forbidden to go out by Anri sama. They never come out from the ground.”

The Pope answered pleasantly to Reiji who stated a question while walking. It seems nice to him to even speak of Anri’s great achievements and his voice is light and springy too.

In the end, they finally arrived as intended at the deepest part of the shrine on ground floor in front of the stairs leading to the underground levels.

Reiji shuddered involuntarily as an ominous atmosphere was come through the large solemn looking door even though it was firmly with shut.

Meeting Anri yesterday who does things her own way, as danger was not felt even though there was a scary impression when she was angry, Reiji was feeling somewhat optimistic about the dungeon said to be made by her. However coming here, he was beginning to think that maybe that perception was a mistake.

While she was heard saying that this is the safest dungeon in the world, it did not seem to be so from the atmosphere he experienced.

“Now, this is the entrance to the dungeon. Therefore.....”

The Pope stood in front of the door and turned around to inform Reiji’s group.

“Please put 1 silver coin per person, a total of 4 pieces into the offering box.”

“Haaa?”

“M, Me too?”

“.....as expected huh.”

“.....Well, I knew it.”

Reiji and Tena were surprised by the Pope’s words, but Orlaine and Eligor muttered as they gave up.

An entrance fee has been established for the dungeon ‘Sanctuary of the Evil God’, and one silver coin is needed for each person. Of course, Orlaine and Eligor who challenged this dungeon as a challenger before had known about that. Tena naturally also knows of it in the meaning of knowing it, but she did not thought that it applies to herself as a resident on the side of the dungeon.

“Although getting money from Tena smaa is painful for me, it’s the strict order of Anri sama that nobody should be an exception.....”

“Uuuu, Anri Samaaa.”

“Kaa-”

Tena utters a resentful cry. As for Anri, she had not expected her to challenge the dungeon as a challenger, and although she would have withdrawn it if she was in this place, it’s hopeless since she isn’t.

Nothing can be done even if she grasp the situation through her familiar.

When Tena gives up, she took out 4 silver coins from the pouch and threw it into the offering box installed by the side.

“Thank you for your continued patronage.”

Behind the bowing Pope, the large door at the entrance of the dungeon opens by itself.

When it has opened fully, the Pope stepped to the side and cleared the path.

“Then, I’ll pray for your fortune of war.

So that you will have divine protection of Anri Sama.”

<Words from a character>

Pope who does as he pleases “Hmmm, that’s too bad. the proselytizing was a failure huh...Oh, a new believer prospect came.”

<Notice from the author>

Although this work has been continuously updated everyday from the release date of the previous work ‘Evil God Average’, the story has been accumulating from when submission started up till now.

However, as I continue to write after that, there will be daily update for a little while more.

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Sanctuary of the Evil God

It is the dungeon that extends underneath the grounds of the shrine in Holy Anri Thearchy, feared to have the highest level of difficulty for capturing among several existing dungeons in the world.

However simultaneously, there are never ending amount of challengers trying to capture it due to it's popularity, and that was the reason adventurers around the world gathers at the sacred place of the challengers, Anrinia.

A miasma that drives a human mind mad drifts around the basement 31 levels making up that dungeon, and countless fiendish traps are also set. Roaming monsters are also nothing but powerful undeads and golems, and challengers that are not high level would have no chance against it.

Although currently the best capture record stands at level 30, this is saying from the viewpoint of a dream team that is impossible under normal circumstance, formed from the demon king of that time and 2 of the four heavenly kings with 3 heroes. Discounting that irregular example would bring the best record to level 14. In the first place, if a party did not prepare a method to handle the miasma, it is not possible to capture deeper levels.

In fact, the majority of the adventurers cannot even reach level 5, collapsing mid way through.

Although that said, they didn't particularly lose their lives.

Frankly, while this dungeon boast having the pinnacle of difficulty in the world, it's an extremely unique dungeon that has yet to cause a single death up till today.

One will not live if they collapse within a dungeon usually.

However in this dungeon, only weapons, items and money are taken and the fallen will be thrown out from the entrance of the dungeon without losing their lives.

While the traps set are troublesome, all of them are non-lethal.

A contradicting result produced from being called sinister, most evil and the worst and world's safest dungeon is mainly due to Anri who is the dungeon master.

Furthermore, although capturing the deeper levels are in a single word, brutal, it is not so hard to capture the shallow levels.

Adventurers possessing mid level ability is not likely to get stuck at the first level. Orlaine who is a hero is the highest class of powerful person among the human race and Eligor is the predecessor demon king, both of them holds the power to break through the shallow levels even on their own.

Despite that, Reiji's group was forced to stop their feet on the first floor.

“Why are there so many monsters!?”

“There are 5 times as many as usual!?”

The reason was that it was crowded with several times the usual amount of monsters.

Encountering black steel golem in a place shortly after entering level 1 of the dungeon, and while the fight was engaged for Reiji to gain combat experience, a large crowd of skeleton lords attacked the sides.

Naturally, there is no longer any room for Reiji to acquire combat experience, and with Eligor as the vanguard, they cope by scattering the enemy proactively under Orlaine's support.

However, new monsters rush on one after another after each monster was defeated, and gradually the front line was being pushed into despite being met.

To be able to maintain a front line although it was being pushed in this situation however, is proof that they are strong.

“As expected, this is an abnormal situation!?”

“Y, Yes! I do not know directly as I am challenging the dungeon as a challenger for the first time, but the degree of difficulty should not be so high in the first level!”

In addition, as the dark magic restricting Reiji from using magic has been released, both his hands are turned towards the monster's army.

In this state, even if some kind of magic is invoked, he will be able to use it as an attack as it is.

Furthermore, the 4 party members are tied together at the waist by a thin rope with a length that does not obstruct movement in case metastasis magic is activated.

“It’s inevitable, lets fall back to the nonaggression territory at the entrance for now!”

“B, But.....at this rate, there is no chance for that too!”

Although Eligor reports so, there was no way to retreat in the situation where monsters are attacking incessantly. Of course Eligor knew that too, but he still had to say it.

“Kuuu, as it is.....”

Even Reiji who was an amateur could tell that the battle situation was bad from looking.

“Mr. Reiji!? What do you intend to do!?”

“I don’t have what it takes to last if it’s like this. Sink or swim, I have to try this guy and see!”

With that, Reiji stretches out his right hand for the sword handle carried behind the back of his left waist and pulled it out vigorously.

The Sword left to fate.....a weapon given by the Evil God with a high chance of changing it’s sword blade every time it’s pulled out.

However, if there is a possibility for Reiji of today who cannot use the sword or magic directly to overcome this situation, there is only this sword.

While praying in his heart for a sword with the powerful effect that will mow down the enemy even without sword art to appear, the sword blade was withdrawn from the sheath—

It was a Japanese Radish.

“t.,OI!?”

“Wa, MR. Reiji!?”

“I, It’s not my fault, this!?”

Reiji and Tena exclaims at pulling a blank ticket.

Furthermore, when the sword left to fate is drawn, it has to be use at least once in order to store it.

In fact, Reiji tried to return it to the sheath but no matter how many times it's tried, it wasn't possible to put it back inside.

However, as it's only a suicidal act to strike monsters with the stalk of radish, Reiji fell into the plight being unable to keep the radish and continues holding it. The burden on Reiji rose.

“What are you playing at!?”

“But I'm not playing anything !!???”

Criticism converges from the 2 people maintaining the front desperately, and that was also not unreasonable.

Light was emitted from both his hands while Reiji was considering the situation up to date.

Although it didn't have a strong offensive power, there was an immediate effect on the undead who are adverse to light, and undeads who were illuminated by the light either had their bodies destroyed or their movement dulled.

“Tsk! It's now, Retreat!”

“Okay!”

Following instruction of the leaping Eligor who did not fail to notice the moment when the monster's movement became dull, Reiji's group quickly retreated from that place and returned to the room at the dungeon's entrance.

This room is said to be an inviolable area where monsters cannot enter and is a safety zone.

Four people who barely managed to reach there breathe a sigh reflexively and sank to the floor.

It should be noted that Reiji's right hand was still holding the radish sword like before and yet, the radish has a strange appearance under the illumination of the light being emitted from his hands currently.

“Can you not put that stupid sword away?”

“It's not possible to put it back into the sheath if I don't swing it once at something.....”

“You should have just hit your left arm with it.”

“Ah, I see.”

Receiving Eligor’s words, Reiji swung and hit the radish in his right hands at his left arm. The Japanese Radish broke in the middle and it’s tip fell onto the ground.

At the same time, the light that was continuously emitted from Reiji’s hands finally subsided.

He was able to put away the sword that was swung and struck once, unlike a while ago when held against the sheath.

Although the scene of the broken radish thicker than the sheath’s mouth being drawn into it was strange, Reiji switch to shaking his head when considering that it can’t be helped.

As for the bit of radish which fell onto the ground, it disappeared too at the time the blade was sheathed.

“It’s really okay to hit even my own hands.”

“By putting it away if it’s a failure, you might be able to use it if you repeat till you draw a hit.”

“R, Really?”

Reiji finds a momentary hope from Tena and Orlaine’s words.

“I wish there was such room during a battle.”

“That’s right.....”

The reality was realized in one go however, due to a Eligor calmly pointing it out.

Indeed as he says, it is difficult to have a margin to repeat that many times with a behavior similar to lottery in the middle of a battle.

At least, it’s an impossible act for Reiji currently.

“Nevertheless, what is this abnormal amount of monsters?”

“That’s so huh, even more so because of the timing of our arrival.....”

“It seems like the timing was too perfect, as though it was aimed.....”

Two of them, Tena and Reiji answered to the doubt Orlaine raised, but their words stopped at the same time.

“? What’s wrong? Do you have a clue?”

Eligor who wondered about the appearance of the two ask if they have any idea.

Sure enough, for an idea.....there was.

With the power to be able to do such a thing, there is only one person with the reason to interfere with their capture.

“Anri Samaaa~!?”

“Ms. Anri~!?”

The idea that popped into the mind of those 2 was the master of the Black Rose Mansion, and also the master of Tena, Anri.

Holding powers of a dungeon master, she is able to increase the frequency of monster appearing temporarily, and considering the events of her opposing to Tena accompanying Reiji and approving unwillingly with the condition of reaching 10 levels after receiving her pleading, it's no wonder even if she was secretly running the obstruction.

“Kaa-?”

The crow perched on Tena's shoulder averted it's face.

<Words from a character>

Tena “It will be bell peppers when I return.” (TN: Japanese hate bell peppers, like other countries hate broccoli.)

Crow “!?”

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Chapter 15: Water light

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In the inviolable area that monsters cannot appear, at the entrance to the dungeon “Sanctuary of the Evil God’, Reiji’s party was holding a meeting. Four people are seated on the floor, and the discussion begins. The topic being discussed is the method to deal with Anri’s scheme of having an abnormally increased frequency of monster.

“And, how do we get over it?”

“To be honest, there are not enough hands. However, I think that the situation can be changed with a bit more combat power.”

“Then.....”

“Yeah, that’s right.....”

Saying that, Orlaine and Eligor who were talking turned towards Reiji’s direction.

With the line of sight suddenly turned towards him from 2 people, Reiji instinctively flinches.

“Eh? Wh, What is it?”

“It means that it’s necessary for you for you to become that combat power too.”

“That’s right. Because if it was the feeling just now, seems like we will be able to cope with combat power from another 1 or 2 person.”

Although they have retreated, the front line was maintained to a certain extent in the battle just now.

It was only 2 person, Eligor and Orlaine that maintained it, Reiji and Tena hardly participated in the battle.

For Reiji, it was because he has yet to acquire the means to fight, and Tena has been attached to such a Reiji for the sake of protecting him.

If Reiji who was a burden in the previous battle become a fighting power, Tena who was attached next to Reiji can also move freely.

As dark magic is not effective towards undead, although it’s hard to say that with dark magic as her main strength she will be able to display her real ability,

nevertheless the magical power held by the original shrine maiden of the Evil God far exceeds the stage of the human race, and is expected to be combat power.

The problem is how to make Reiji a fighting force, and they were stuck there.

“Although a vanguard is desired for balance, I cannot help saying that it’s difficult to suddenly start fighting with a sword.

Although you can comprehend the technique with the assistance of skill, it would be unreasonable to ask for the courage to face the enemy at close distance initially.”

“Yes, I serve as the vanguard’s assistance as it can’t be helped.”

“Can you do it?”

“Yes, although the specialty of an archer is at the back, it does not mean I cannot fight as a vanguard. I can handle it if it’s at the degree of supporting.”

“Heh, a good answer.”

Eligor smile broadly to Orlaine’s reply of holding confidence in fighting as both a vanguard and a rear guard.

When it comes to technical conversation, Reiji is unable to follow at all and can only listen to the discussion of the 2 from the side. It was the same for Tena who’s main occupation is non combat.

“If it comes to that, a rear guard huh.”

“It can happen.

Although just like a sword, handling long distance weapons is not something that can be attained somehow in a short period too, there is a possibility if magic was influenced by imagination.

Fortunately, Mr.Reiji should be able to learn it quickly due to possession of light magic skill.

Since the monsters roaming this dungeon are nearly all undeads, the compatibility of light magic is also good.”

“It’s decided.”

Talking until there, the two people turned towards Reiji once again.

Even while understanding the charge assigned to himself after hearing the gist from the voices leaking out, he couldn’t help but hear an absurd swing in the conversation.

“Umm, in other words?”

“You have to learn light magic.”

“Have to learn.....is that something that can be learned by heart easily?”

For Reiji who came from a world without magic and holds no knowledge of it, he naturally does not know the degree of difficulty for learning it either. However, even with only the impression from the stories heard after coming to this world, he didn't think that he could learn something like that easily too.

“There are magic skills that one can learn even if there is only a short time. Mr. Reiji has light magic skill right?”

“Ye, Yes.”

It's not that magic cannot be used if one doesn't hold magic skill, but there are supporting skills for learning and using magic. The higher the skill level, the easier it would be to learn and the power would be higher too when it's used.

Orlanie's judgement of Reiji being able to learn magic in a short period of time due to him having light magic skill is correct.

However, Reiji who was barely familiar with his own magic was carrying anxiety even with those words.

“It's okay, Mr.Reiji.

Because I was also able to learn dark magic in a short time thanks to having magical skill.”

“Is that so, I understand. I'll have a go.”

Was Reiji's uneasiness seen through? Tena who was pulling the feather of the crow familiar said so with a smile.

A little anxiety from Reiji's heart vanishes when that warm smile is seen.

“Hmm.....”

To Reiji who was given motivation by Tena's encouragement and yet seemed uneasy when she said so, Orlaine who was not amused somehow was glaring at him with reproachful eyes.

Incidentally, Tena pulling on the feather of Anri's familiar is due to the anger caused by the increased difficulty of the dungeon orchestrated by Anri. The unusually aggressive behavior of Tena shows the extent of her anger.

Since the crow familiar is constructed by magic, it will not become bald even if

the feathers are plucked, and on the other side of the familiar was a woman filled with trepidation at the anger of her follower that was beyond expectation.....probably.



“To use magic, two things are necessary, the technique to manipulate mana and the image of the result.

If you have both magic skill and a supporting skill, you should be able to perform it easily.”

At the entrance of the dungeon, an impromptu magic lecture was being held by Orlaine for Reiji.

Furthermore, understandably, as this dungeon was not reserved, several group of adventurer party beside Reiji’s who was holding a magic lecture, was giving a ridiculous look while walking pass them.

Of course, the dungeon remains in the state with an increased frequency of monster appearance from Anri’s scheme.

Although it was nothing but splash damage for the other adventurers, it isn’t the situation where an ordinary adventurer can capture it at all.

Adventurers who stepped inside dropped out without pausing, and their weapons, items and money were stolen and they were thrown out.

Although Reiji’s group worried about each one that went past initially, they reached the point of ignoring without minding after about 4-5 groups.

“The chanting of incantation performed when magic is used has the effect of aiding magic usage.

Although it’s possible to use magic without chanting once you get used to it, the power often decreases.

But, as being chant-less is very effective during a battle, switching tactics may be good depending on the situation.”

“I see.”

“Then, let’s practice it immediately.”

“Eh, already?”

The lecture ended in an instant.

Being urged on by Orlaine, Reiji stands up and open his feet to shoulder width

distance, holding out his right hand in front.

She warps both hands around the hand Reiji had held out and bends his fingers lightly towards above.

“Concentrate your consciousness on the center of your palm, and imagine the power in your whole body flowing towards there please.”

According to the instructions, Reiji directs his line of sight to his right hand and focuses his awareness there.

After a while, he felt a sensation of something coursing through his body.

Following the instructions of Orlaine a while ago, he tilted the flow towards his right hand with even more concentration.

“That’s right, it’s okay if it’s slow.”

In the place where the flow was gathered to some extent before long, Orlaine released Reiji’s hands.

“You understood very quickly.

If it’s like this, the use of magic may be possible too.

Following me, please try to cast the beginner’s light magic.”

As it is, with his hand turned towards a place without anyone, the chanting of incantation is performed following Orlaine.

The mana gathered in Reiji’s right hand starts shining together with the chanting of the incantation —

From Reiji’s hands, water, and not light, sprouts.

“Eh?”

“Ha??”

Reiji who was surprised at the unexpected result reflexively face his palm upwards for verification.

As a result, water sprayed with Reiji in the center like a fountain, and rained down his surrounding.

Although Tena and Eligor who had watched the lecture of those 2 from a distance were safe, Orlaine who was near Reiji has water poured on her directly.

“Kyaa!?”

“UWa!?”

Water continues gushing out for a while and soon stopped, but the two have become dripping wet by that time.

“Uuu, to think of if, magic could fly out involuntarily right.....I was careless.”
“I’m sorry.....!?”

Reiji tries to apologize to Orlaine, but became rigid after catching sight of her appearance.

Originally, she was an archer who favored lightweight armor in order to keep her movement agile.

The metallic portion of the armor which place a preference on lightness are only found on the chest, shoulder and around the waist, and the other parts are protected by cloth and leather.

Originally, she had a low exposure appearance expressing her personality, but the portion made with cloth got wet with water, and her body lines are revealed clearly.

“———!?”

Orlaine’s face was dyed bright red with shame when she checked her own appearance due to Reiji’s gaze.

“So, Sorry.....”

Before Reiji could finish saying his apology, the bow Orlaine swung down crash into the crown of his head.

<Words from a character>

Orlaine “Uuuu~”

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Chapter 16: The pursuit of power

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“Mr.Reiji, you are not doing it on purpose right?”

“It’s not on purpose! Please believe me.....”

Tena asked with reproachful eyes while hand a dry cloth to Reiji.

Dripping wet, Reiji who should have been going through light magic special training but somehow transformed into a water fountain receives the cloth and begins wiping his hair.

Tena’s glance is cold as Reiji had splash water on Orlaine too, exposing an unladylike appearance.

“That reminds me, you rolled up Anri-sama’s skirt too, right?”

“Kaa-!”

“Well, It can’t be help because magic flies out on it’s own!?”

Ouch, Ouch, don’t peck me!”

The crow starts pecking at Reiji and although he made an excuse desperately, his blushing from remembering the scene from that time did not even have an ounce of persuasiveness.

“I think the timing is too good.”

“Uu.....but it might be so.

Then, it’s the Evil God! It’s undoubtedly a plot of the Evil God!”

“Stare-?” (¬_¬)

“Kaa-?”

“Please forgive me.....”

The crow goes along with the lukewarm gaze Tena made specially.

When Reiji is crestfallen and implores disappointingly, it seem like Tena was not truly serious too, breaking her appearance into a wry smile.

“Fufu, it’s a joke.

Ah, However it’s no good if you do not apologize properly to Ms.Orlaine, you

know?”

“That is of course, I have that intention.”

To the words of Tena, Reiji nodded with a serious face.

Even though it wasn't of his own will, her immodest form was seen in the end after splashing water.

He agreed to Tena's opinion for a need to apologize properly.

“Umm.....”

Such a Reiji nervously addressed Orlaine whose moisture was evaporated with Eligor's fire magic.

Reiji who saw that form expressed his apology the first thing after opening his mouth.

“I am sorry!”

“I beg your pardon!”

“.....yes?”

“.....eh?”

Just like Reiji who lowered his head deeply, Orlaine who was supposed to be apologized to bow at the same time.

It became a situation where they bow mutually, and respectively both raised a perplexed voice when they were apologized to though they intended to apologize.

Err, Why are you apologizing Ms.Orlaine?”

“That, as I upset and hit you, I'm truly sorry.

It was painful, right.....”

Certainly, Reiji who have seen her unladylike figure got hit in the crown of his head with her bow immediately after that.

That single blow doesn't seem to have been release from the slender arm of a woman, hiding an intense power.

“No, about that is okay.

More than that, I am sorry too.”

“It’s all right.

I have already gotten dry.”

“My magic isn’t a substitute for cloth, yet.....”

Although Eligor who was made to cooperate forcibly to dry her clothes says so, his dignity was also halved after being overwhelmed by a bloodcurdling Orlaine and dejectedly cooperated.

“Although it was interrupted, Let’s resume training of light magic again.

Ah, this time I’m sure you will let me look in a remote place, right!”

“I understand.

Still, ‘Auto Magic’ will not continuously activate like that too.”

Reiji who said an optimistic thing, just as one thought, made a water fountain again a few minutes later.



“It’s done!”

Although Reiji was turned into a fountain twice, third time’s the charm, and he successfully released light magic finally during the third time.

The magic only illuminates the surrounding and do not have any offensive powers, but the light emitted from Reiji’s hands is powerful with brightness equivalent to daytime outside despite being indoors. Reiji who was deeply emotional at succeeding to cast magic on his own for the first time, was waving his light emitting hands and looking pleased at the swaying state.

“Congratulations.

Although there was an unforeseen accident for a while, you are learning quickly even for someone holding skills.

It’s troublesome, so let’s memorize a few more magic as you are now.”

“Eh? Ah, Wait.....”

However, by the Sparta instruction who was ordering task in succession to the beginner who have successfully release magic one with his own strength just a few minutes ago, that emotion crumbled away in an instant too.

Although Orlaine has a gorgeous smile floating on her pretty face, she might still

remain angry subtly as expected.

Reiji was chanting light magic one after another demanded by her like this. The effect of the magic skill is enormous, the magic that cannot be learned normally without spending a considerable amount of time, he was successful one by one.

However, if that much magic is fired in rapid succession, naturally it's exhausting.

"Haa, Haa.....Wa, Wait, let me take a break please."

"Eh? Ah! I'm sorry!

Because learning is smooth, I just....."

When Reiji who has become exhausted from overusing magic appeal, Oraine finally accepted a small break.

Reiji collapse on his bottom the moment that was heard.

"Thank you for your hard work, Mr.Reiji.

Here, please use this."

"Ah, thank you. I'm saved."

Tena who was watching the scene of special training while sitting a little away rushed over, handing over the flask filled with water to Reiji.

Reiji drinks it down in gulps after giving thanks while receiving it.

"For now, the learning of magic doesn't seem to be a problem."

"Yes, It's above expectation."

Eligor who was practicing swordplay approached too after seeing that they were having a break.

"First of all, let's make him participate in battles, and the top priority is for him to be accustomed to it."

Well, that would be good."

".....By the way."

Said up to there, Eligor turn to the direction Reiji was seated at and continued speaking.

"If I'm not mistaken, there was another mysterious skill.

How about trying it when you are taking a break?”

“Do you mean 「『Random Summoning Possession』」?

Although I don't mind, but it will not be usable for 24 hours after using it once.”

“You have to grasp it before deciding whether it's usable, you won't be able to use it if it's dangerous.”

“I got it.”

Saying so, Reiji sprung from his sitting position and stood up.

“Is it okay already?”

“Yes, I have settled down considerably.”

When Reiji set foot on a slightly distant place from the 3 people, he turned around and look back.

With feet shoulder width apart and both hands lowered into a natural posture, he closed his eyes and concentrate his senses.

Although it was his first time using this skill, he could naturally feel the method to use it in this way.

“Random summoning possession.”

Saying those words, Reiji opened his eyes which had been closed.

Random summoning possession is a skill to summon and use the powers of a person who has been met.

Although the subject summoned is literally random, there are several conditions besides the one that it must be a humanoid living creature.

Those conditions are, 'knowing the name of the target', 'visually recognizing the target' and 'having exchange words with the target'.

Although in the case of someone living in this world would have quite a lot of people targeted, for Reiji who called on this world from a different world, the person corresponding to those conditions is fairly limited.

Anri and Tena, Orlaine and Eligor.

All of them are people whose fighting power exceeds Reiji currently, and whoever it selects can be expected as a war potential.

Although Eligor tested the random summoning possession of Reiji while thinking so, sure enough the result.....

The figure of a translucent person floats a little on top of Reiji, and is absorbed to be assimilated.

Reiji's hair turns white, and his clothing changes from lightweight armor to a regal looking robe.

Even if that is said, that robe is something like a 3D existence which is a substance of external appearance only, and the tactile sensations did not change.

And, Reiji was gradually attacked by lower back pain.

“Ouchhhh! M, My waist is.....!?”

Reiji who was screaming instinctively to the unexpected pain slouches.

“A, Are you alright!? Mr.Reiji!”

Looking at Reiji who was groaning in pain, Tena rushes up frantically and rubbed his back.

“The heck, whose power was summoned?”

“That robe.....by any chance, Pope holiness from the Church of the Sacred Light?”

Eligore was puzzled from looking at Reiji's appearance, but Orlaine seemed to remember the clothes appearing on Reiji's body was able to make a guess of the person summoned for power.

When he was summoned to this world, Reiji met the Pope and exchanged a few words.

The condition of random summoning possession was cleared. Very unfortunately.

In addition, it should be noted that although the Pope of the Church of the Sacred Light was chosen by election, the criterion that was important was the work behind the scene, and not the ability.

Thus, because the Pope doesn't have a special power, the result was that only the bad status of lower back pain was given.

Frankly, it's totally worthless.

“Can't be used right away, this.”

“Certainly, it is fatal if it becomes so during a battle.”

“If we are challenging the boss of the dungeon, it’s possible to try ahead of that.”

“Indeed. When good results comes out we will challenge the boss, and if the result is bad we wait until the effect expires, huh.
If that’s the case it’s likely to go through.”

Next to Eligor and Orlaine who are calmly analyzing and making cruel decisions for Reiji, Reiji is still groaning in pain and Tena has put his head on her knees to nurse him.

“Qu, Quickly let 30 minutes pass.....”

“P, Please get a grip~”

“Kaa—”

<Words from a character>

Lili “.....Che” (TN: Tsk/ shoot/ dang/ rats)

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Although it's regrettable, a cheat is a cheat.

Moreover, although I received a number of questions asking "where did he know the name of the pope?" in the afterthoughts of the previous chapter, it was heard from the person himself in chapter 2. By the way, even if I assumed that his succeeded name (professional name) was not his name from birth, it would be acceptable if it's recognized by a certain amount of people and treated as an official name from the world.

"Now, let's resume the capture soon."

"Yes."

"Okay."

"I got it."

"Kaa—"

Reiji was released from random summoning possession with the passage of time, and finally able to move, a place was chosen and everyone resumed capturing of the dungeon.

3 people answered with 1 voice to Eligor's command, and advance their feet towards the depths of the dungeon from the inviolable area at the entrance.

In a file with Eligor as the first, Orlaine slightly behind, followed by Tena and Reijin last.

Although Orlaine was coming forth as the vanguard, her weapon, the holy bow was readied and remains unchanged.

"Is it good to leave your weapon like this?"

"Yes, it's okay."

Orlaine answers with confidence to Eligor's question.

The holy bow Orlaine holds is the proof of hero and has the effects of divine protection from the Light Goddess Sophia, granting a protective force to the owner in addition to it's powerful performance.

Usually, arrows are understandably needed when the bow is used as a weapon.

However, because the holy bow can shoot by converting magical power of the owner into arrow of light, arrows are not required.

The sustainability is high as replenishment of arrows are not required, and the interval to fix an arrow to the string is also little, the forte of the holy bow is that it does not have the inherent disadvantages of using a bow as a weapon. Incidentally, of course it's also possible to shoot ordinary arrows.

“As I am aiming at the golem group, please concentrate on the undead group Mr.Reiji.”

“Yes, I understand.”

On the other hand, Reiji and Tena who are in charge of the rear guard verifies their respective roles they are in charge of too.

It is mainly undead's group and golem's group, both monsters that are non-living creatures roaming in this dungeon.

Although the dark magic that Tena practices is not effective against the undead's group, it has normal effectiveness against the golem's group.

Whereas the light magic acquired by Reiji show a particularly strong effect on the undead's group.

Therefore, the allocation of main target, Tena to golem's group and Reiji to undead's group. was decided naturally.

Although Reiji's auto magic that invokes randomly is a cause for concern, it can be said that it's a well-balanced party for most part.

However, because they were in the state where a rope was tied once to their waist as a countermeasure for random metastasis, it only looked like a foolish group from the side.



“Ei!”

A spear of darkness released by Tena pierces the knee portion of a black steel golem, and the it staggers.

“It's fine to receive it!”

Eligor strikes the golem, whose posture was destroyed, with a large sword. The golem was separated into two, the upper and lower body, and eventually

stopped moving.

“HA!”

Reiji is casting radial light from both hands. Although that was not detrimental in any way to the living, it has an instant effect on the undeads.

For that race, the part struck by light directly disappears, and movement clearly becomes dull for skeleton lord.

“It’s there!”

Orlaine accurately finishes off the undead that was daunted by light magic from Reiji, from a short distance away.

While she she was using the bow originally used as a long distance weapon, it had allowed for short-range combat with with it’s tremendous rapid firing nature.

That is of course, unable to be implemented unless it’s the holy bow which doesn’t need material arrows, but it can be said that her ability to bury an arrow in a body reliably played a big role above that.

“UWaa!? It’s fire this time?!”

Occasionally, other magic that are not light magic flies out from Reiji’s hands, but it wasn’t a big problem on the part of attacking against the monsters. However, it’s not necessarily only attack magic that flies out.

“N? The current magic is?”

“The one now is probably recovery magic.”

As auto magic works without chanting and and he cannot chant either, it’s not possible to give a judgment on what magic came out without looking at the effects of the magic flying out.

Orlaine returns an answer to Reiji who felt a sense of incongruity to the light which differs slightly from the one of attacking magic he had remembered in his memories.

“Does recovery magic fly out too!? It would be foolish to heal the enemy..... huh?

But the monsters are collapsing?

“The undeads can be granted damage by recovery magic.”

Although Reiji was in a panic from restoring the enemy, when he saw that the skeleton lord's body was destroyed from the magic which flew out previously, it vanished.

The monsters of the undead group are an evil existence without life and suffers reverse damage from recovery magic due to their nature, and the recovery magic which flew out became the form of an attack.

It was all right in the end.

However, not necessarily everything acts conveniently.

“Wawa!? It's movement became fast!”

“S, Sorry!”

Tena exclaimed in surprise to the black steel Golem that raised it's speed suddenly.

It seemed to have been hit with supporting magic of speed enhancement by auto magic.

Compared to the time walking outside, the frequency of invoking for Auto Magic seemed to have increased after entering the dungeon.

As a result, although confusion is sometimes caused, the party with Reiji's and Tena's combat power included advances the capture smoothly.

It isn't only monsters that are an obstacle in Dungeon.

Traps were also laid and the drifting miasma is a great obstacle opposing the challengers.

Concerning the former miasma, Tena which is the follower of Evil God, Orlaine who receives the blessing from the Goddess of Light and Eligor of the demon race are not affected.

Only Reiji was affected, but it could be prevented by the barrier of Light magic.

“Ah, please be careful here.”

“Hmm, it's sleeping gas.”

Concerning the latter, traps, Orlaine was useful.

The holy bow which receives the divine protection from the Goddess of light grants a protective force to its owner. It is not only a simple defensive force, but also has the function of informing its owner of dangers beforehand.

Receiving that, she issued a warning to the party members and evaded the trap

efficiently.



“How is it, have you grown accustomed a little?”

“No, I’m still frantic but.....however, I have settled down considerably compared to the beginning.”

“It’s a good trend.

When attack, you have also stop closing your eyes.

Soon, try if you can handle it as the vanguard?”

“Eh? Isn’t that too sudden?”

Reiji raises a voice of surprise to Eligor’s suggestion.

Reiji who have not even waved a sword and the likes, although he had wanted to start from practice swings first, but because of the absurd lead-up to actual fighting, that was understandable too.

“If you have a sword art skill, nature and movement while you are swinging are optimized.

Rather than learning the style, it’s faster to acquire the experience in actual combat.

Nonetheless, it’s impossible indeed to deal with a large number of enemies suddenly.

When a single enemy appears next time, try and handle it.”

“I, I understand.”

In the meantime, a single black steel golem appeared.

Reiji changes place with Orlaine and pulled out 2 swords that was put behind his waist.

A normal sword of steel in his right hand and the blade of sword left to fate in his left.....it was a light emitting blade with terrifying power.

“Ha?”

“.....try waving it.”

“Y, Yes.”

Prompted by Eligor, Reiji turns towards the approaching black steel golem and waves the sword of light in his left hand on the spot.

There is a distance of several meters from the sword to the enemy, it’s not the

distance a sword blade can hit.

However, the moment the sword was waved, an aurora fired from the blade in a linear manner swallowed the black steel golem.

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Reiji was dumbfounded.

When the light cease, the figure of the black steel golem wasn't there. All the fragments seemed to have vanished too.

“It's a success but.....it isn't needed now as because you are doing special training.”

Put i away and draw it out again.”

“.....okay.”

Reiji place the sword of light away in the sheath for a moment and draw it out again.

Then, a blade of bronze appeared this time.

Oh, it's an ordinary sword this time.”

“Yes, I can use it for special training if it's like this.”

“Perfect, one more is coming.”

Following Eligor's line of sight at his words, a different black steel golem from previously was walking towards Reiji's group.

“Now, once more.

I will stop that guy's attack, first of all concentrate on attacking.”

“Yes!”

Reiji put his breath in order and prepared the 2 swords, watching the golem quietly.

Without an understanding of martial arts too, today is the first time in his life so far that Reiji is gripping a sword.

Naturally, he doesn't understand how to use a sword.

And so, that stroke of sword will be said to be messed up, when judged from a person who has formally studied swordsmanship.

However, with physical ability that was enhanced when crossing over to this world, the bronze sword in his left hand struck the black steel golem on the right side section with a corresponding sharpness.

However, the blade of the bronze sword loses to the defensive power of the black steel golem, and the blow to remove the core results in it snapping and flying off.

“Untimely!?”

Reiji had a frantic expression due to his sword breaking. The huge fist of the black steel golem is swung down towards him like that.

“Do not stop moving!”

“Y, Yes!”

However, the golem’s fist from the side quickly goes around and cut in, and is stopped by Eligor’s large sword.

Reiji who came to his senses from the scolding jumped up towards the back to while swinging the steel sword held in his right hand down.

Although the steel sword is stronger than the bronze sword and didn’t break, the sword swung only with his arm ended up being not even able to make a wound on the body of the golem.

“Put your weight on the sword, it’s still impossible for you to slice up that steel just by swinging your arm presently.”

“I, I understand!”

Reiji put away the sword left to fate into the scabbard once again and repeats drawing it.....it was a wooden stick.

“Failure huh.”

When Reiji hits his right arm once with the sword of fate, and do sheathing and drawing once again.

“Perform the change of sword without stopping your feet!”

“I, I’m sorry!”

A blade with a luxurious decoration applied appeared this time. Although he didn't know the material unlike bronze from looking at its appearance, signs were given off from the sword blade that it was an unusual thing.

“Once again!”

Following as before, Reiji slashed at the right side of the golem with the ornamental sword held in his left.

Its sword line is sharper than just now and left a long streak scratch on the surface of the golem's body.

“Not yet!”

According to Eligor's advice, the sword of steel in the right hand was swung while stepping front left without stopping his movement.

Swing the sword while placing his body weight different from jumping up just now, a wound similar to an eye was made on the right arm of the golem with a stroke of the sword.

“Okay, keep going.”

“Yes!”

Eligor praises the movement of Reiji while defending the counter attacks of the golem.

Was it the correcting effect from the sword art skill learned? Reiji's sword has way sharper sword line the second time compared to the first.

Of course, although there are still shoddy spot in reality when seen by Eligor who was a skilled swordsman, his level of learning ability was phenomenal.

“Sei!”

Afterwards, whenever his sword is swung repeatedly, Reiji's sword technique improved in a short time.

And then—

“Haa!”

Swing the sword with the power of his whole body included by pulling open the distance once again, the golem's body was cleaved diagonally from the right shoulder to the left side.

“A, Amazing.”

“In such a short time.....it’s considerable.”

“Kaa—”

Reiji who should be a beginner defeated the golem on his own although there was assistance from Eligror, and Tena and Orlaine who saw from the back were surprise and gave praise.

“Not bad.”

“Th, Thank you very much!”

“Then, try if you can deal with several enemies next?”

“EH!?”

Following Eligor’s line of sight once again, three skeleton lords are approaching this time.

“Wai, 3 suddenly!?”

Apparently, Reiji’s teacher for the sword was also like a sparta instructor too.

<Words from a character>

Reiji “My era is.....!”

Tena “A, Ahaha.....(When you say such a thing)”

Orlaine “A, Ahaha.....(some traps are probable)”

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Chapter 18: The dark calamity

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At the entrance of each level in the dungeon 'Sanctuary of the Evil God', there is a safety zone designated at the first room when one descends to a level where monsters cannot step into.

The space for a number of parties to merely rest is secured, and somehow even has a toilet installed.

It was a consideration that did not fit the dungeon famed to have the bad name of the worst and most evil in the world.

The party advances the capture while letting Reiji acquire battle experience, and decided to take a rest in the safety zone of the 6th floor. No, it was forced to be taken.

"Haa.....Haa....."

As for saying that, the Spartan discipline of Orlaine and Eligor is beyond overheating, and Reiji gives up at last.

"Mouu, the two of you.....Please do not overwork Mr.Reiji forcibly too much."

"Oh, I'm ashamed. Because his muscles are good, I became interested unconsciously."

"I, I'm sorry! Are you okay? Mr. Reiji."

To Reiji who possesses a supporting skill and carries a technique that is like a sponge absorbing water, both Eligor who is teaching the sword and Orlaine who is teaching magic too, forgot about the addition and subtraction and overworked him.

Although Reiji has an improved physical ability and stamina compared to the time he was living in his original world, the thing called limit still exists.

While lending him a shoulder due to dizziness that almost caused him to fall when traveling around the 5th level, the party finally arrived at this room after descending the stairs somehow.

As soon as they arrived in the room of the safety zone, Tena chided the 2 people who got carried away and overworked him abusively, while placing the head of the fallen Reiji who has reached his limit on her knees.

Were the 2 people self conscious too? They sat meekly in seiza while listening to Tena's preaching.

"Are you ok? Mr. Reiji."

"Ahh, Un. I settle down a little, thank you."

Reiji who took a rest was finally able to arrange his breathing and answer while lying down in that state to Tena, who worriedly wiped the sweat off his face with a cloth produced.

At the same time, belatedly noticing his current posture, he became extremely panicky in his heart.

Although it's the 2nd time with his head on Tena's lap, he wasn't aware of the soft feeling of the thighs felt on his cheeks as he was tormented by lower back pain last time, and Reiji blushes reflexively when a sweet body smell filled his nasal cavity.

But, fortunately or not, Tena did not notice it.

"Kaa—!"

"OWwwwwwwww!?"

"Wawa, you can't do that!?"

However, even if Tena didn't notice, there is a watchdog with black wings. Reiji who was holding dishonest desires, his head was stabbed many times by a sharp beak and gave a scream.

"Though I do not know the actual time within the labyrinth, but it's probably at night outside?"

"There is also Mr.Reiji's fatigue, how about taking a nap here tonight and capture the remaining levels tomorrow?"

"That's right."

The party decides to spend a night in the 6th level, taking a nap while making sure to take turn and stand guard particularly.



It was morning, and the party restarted the capture. Reiji's stamina is completely restored with one night's rest and seemed to be able to move without problems. No, rather, both Reiji's sword and magic were able to have more refined movements compared to the day before, and he could play an active part as both the vanguard and rear guard within limitations too. This is because yesterday's experience was arranged during his spare time and it was able to become entrenched.

With the deployment of Eligor at the front, Reji next, and Tena and Orlaine as rear guard, the party advanced the capture more favorably compared to yesterday. In addition, it was agreed that Reiji will basically remain in a position of Banzai during the intervals when enemies doesn't appear.

The 10th level was reached like this, and a strange pedestal appeared in front of Reiji's group who continued searching.

"Ah, this pedestal is—"
"『Thee who wouldst come in challenge before the black tyrant, arrange correctly the stars』 huh, in addition, a cavity and a mark.....Should I look for a slate or something from this floor and fit it in?"
"!?"

Although Orlaine with previous experience of challenging this dungeon is about to start explaining, Reiji sees the engraved characters and the mark in the cavity and predicts the answer before that. Meanwhile, just 2 seconds have passed. Orlaine had a surprised expression and was at a loss of words to Reiji who arrived at the correct answer too quickly.

To begin with, in the dungeons that exist in this world, it's only here at the 'Sanctuary of the Evil God' that has something similar to this sort of intellectually demanding device installed. Obstacles in other dungeons are mainly monsters appearing frequently and

traps set, and there is no case of intruder being obstructed by this kind of set-up.

Only in this dungeon, where Anri with knowledge of a different world became the dungeon master, is the only dungeon where intelligence is called into question.

The dungeon 'Sanctuary of the Evil God' has the highest level of difficulty, not only in the strength of monsters appearing and miasma, but also largely due to the existence of this sort of intelligence testing ordeal.

Therefore, the resident in this world doesn't have the know-how to capture such devices too, being not familiar with it.

Of course, that can't be helped. There is no need for such know-how in other dungeons, and because it's unnecessary, it's impossible to improve.

However, Anri set the device based on her memory of a game in the beginning, and if one has experience of play games generally in the original world Reiji lived in, it wasn't that much trouble.

"Y, You understand it well....."

"Eh? Ah, no. That is nothing but the sentence written."

"Amazing, I'm impressed!"

Therefore, why Orlaine is surprised by Reiji cannot be understood by just revealing the sense of respect. From the way he sees it, this is because he merely unraveled a simple problem that did not even include the solution.

"Then, let's gather the slates."

"Yea."

"Yes."

"Yes!"



"And there, okay."

When Reiji buries the slate collected from the floor on the pedestal, the stone wall in front opened left and right and cleared the path.

"Be careful, the monsters encountered next is on a different dimension compared to the monsters that appeared earlier so far along the way."

“I, Is it such a strong monster?”

“Yes, it’s an opponent which previously, Mr.Eligor and 2 out of 4 of the heavenly kings, and with that 3 heroes including me, somehow defeated.”

“Gathering people up to that extent somehow.....what is it? If so, isn’t it difficult to defeat it with this number of people?”

Reiji’s face clouded over to the words of Eligor and Orlaine. No matter how you think about it, the fighting power of the present party is inferior to that in her speech.

“Honestly, I can say that there is a possibility to be defeated in 5 minutes. If we feel that it’s impossible, we’ll withdraw immediately.”

“That’s right. Me too, if I collapse in the dungeon by any chance, and I am robbed of my holy bow.....”

“A, Ahaha.....”

When one falls in this dungeon, their lives are not forfeited but in exchange, weapon and items and money *etc.* are seized.

Orlaine recalls the trauma from challenging this dungeon before and being robbed of her holy bow which was more important than her life, and slumped to the ground.

Looking at that sorry state, Tena who knew of the circumstance had a bitter smile unintentionally.

This is because the black rose mansion where she lives in, was built by Orlaine who was robbed of her sacred weapon and thoroughly overworked as a compensation to retrieve it.

As arms and the likes are not stolen as long as one guards against collapsing, Reiji’s group decided beforehand that they will withdraw when it becomes dangerous.

“That’s right, Reiji. try to use ‘Random Summoning Possession’ as usual. If a good result appears, we will challenge it before the effect is broken.”

“I, I understand.

Although it will be good if it doesn't result in the outcome of being tormented by back pain like yesterday again.....”

At Eligor's instruction, Reiji answers with a slightly stiff expression. When he tried it yesterday, the power of the Church of the Sacred Light's pope was summoned, and besides being totally useless, only the symptom of lower back pain developed in the end and it became a trauma to a certain extent. He should be able to reuse 'Random Summoning Possession' because 24 hours have passed, but it wasn't a power he would use willingly. However, it's also a fact that it would be helpful if a good result appears at this timing when challenging the boss. If it's a miss, it would be better if they wait until the effect expires before challenging it.

“Random Summoning Possession”

When Reiji concentrates his consciousness and chants, a translucent shadow covered his body.

And, the vision of armor and cloak emerges.

“Ah, by any chance this appearance.....”

“Apparently, it seems like my power.”

“This is a success.”

It seems like this time, Eligor's power is drawn. Although it just a reproduction of 90% of the power, it's a reproduction of the strength of a top class powerful person in this world. It can be said that it will be very effective in combat.

“Are there any changes on Mr.Eligor's side?”

“Hmm? No, there isn't any particular change.”

As it was unknown what happens to the other party when the power was summoned, Reiji asks Eligor, but Eligor answers so after checking his physical condition. Even if you say that strength is borrowed, the power of the lending side doesn't seem to decrease.

“Status.”

When Reiji who was relieved looks at the status display for the next test, a

change had occurred in it's contents as expected.

Name: Reiji

Race: Human

Gender: Male

Age: 18

Occupation: Demonic swordsman

Level: 23

Title: Hero of a different world

Mana: 3935 ~ 1528307

Skill: Auto Magic (Lv. 8)

Random Summoning Possession (Lv. 7)

Sword art (Lv. 6)

Light Magic (Lv. 5)

Item Box (Lv. 3)

Fire Magic (Lv. 4) [New]

Dark Magic (Lv. 4) [New]

Abnormal status resistance (Lv.3) [New]

Equipment: Sword left to fate

Sword of steel

Light Knight Armor

Possession: Eligor = Romariel [New]

“The reason why skills are added is probably because I borrowed the power of Mr.Eligor.

But there doesn't seem to be an influence on the level and mana level.”

Although his level went up by a lot thanks to experience gained in fights along the way to here, but that is all to it. Seems like the level and mana value isn't particularly changed by 'Random Summoning Possession'.

Instead, it's likely that skills Eligor holds are added, and a new possession column is appended with Eligor's name written down.

“What are you doing? There is not much time before the effect vanishes. Now, let’s go.”

“Ah, Yes! I understand.”

The party set feet into the boss room of the 10th level.



In a room within the dungeon possessing with an area and height that was unthinkable, that awaits calmly.

Ominous black scale covering it’s whole body which is larger than a house, eyes shining with a ferocious glint, sharp claws and fangs, and above all, powerful wings that felt like it could cover the world when it’s expended.

“D, DRAGON!?”

“Yes, that is the guardian of level 10, the most evil and wick black dragon—”

Taking over Orlaine’s words, Tena calls out singing it’s name.

“—Anri’s sama’s pet, Vnee.”

“Ha?”

Just as if, somehow, the black dragon in front is a vision of an awfully cute existence.

“Wait, Ms.Tena! Please do not lower the morale at a strange place!?”

“I, I’m sorry! It’s unintentional!”

Tena who ruined the atmosphere because she called it’s name unintentionally before sounding out was scolded and apologized to Orlaine in a hurry.

“Mouu.....Pull yourselves together.

That is black dragon Vardneel The most evil and wicked dragon that is feared.”

“Black dragon Vardneel.....”

While Reiji’s group exchanged words and watches the situation, the black dragon doesn’t move and stares at them calmly.

To the calm attitude it could be felt that it was due to the composure of the strongest being.

Although the party who is cautious stares at every movement of the black dragon, Orlaine recognizes something grave before long.

“!? Mr, Mr.Eligor! Didn’t the room become larger compared to before!?”

“Nu? Ah, Did you not know that?

It seems like it was expanded after we challenged it.”

“L, Like this.....”

The black dragon that was already huge under normal circumstance, would grow further if it spread it’s wings.

If it was a normal room, it would hardly be able to move, and it wouldn’t be able to fly even if there was some space.

In fact, when Orlaine’s group captured him formerly, one of the causes of victory was because the black dragon could not utilize its full strength due to the small room.

However, the black dragon can fight freely to some extent if it’s the present room of this area.

Orlaine’s who recognizes that fact is rapidly turning pale.

“GUOOOOooooo— — — !!!”

And then, the black dragon spreads its huge wings with a roar to affirm that expectation.

With it’s gigantic body looking even larger due to it’s rapidly expending wings, a terrifying sense of intimidation hits the party.

The next moment, the black dragon flaps powerfully and soar its massive figure up to the sky in one go.

“It’s coming!”

<Words from a character>

Vnee 「♪」 (Spacious~)

TN: probably like this? (づ。●_●。)づ

Chapter 19: Inevitable accident

Chapter 19: A necessary coincidence

“There is no chance of winning if it remains in the air!
Drag it down with concentrated fire!”

“Ye, Yes!”

“I, I understand!”

“Roger that!”

If they are attack unilaterally with powerful breath attacks from the air where it's out of reach, it's inevitable to be defeated without any means of succeeding. Receiving Eligor's instruction, Reiji, Tena and Orlaine makes full use of long distance attack that each of them holds and begins to aim at black dragon Vardneel that has flown up to the air.

All 3 of them choose attacks which gave priority to the rate of fire as opposed to the power, and fired shots while aiming at in front of the black dragon's nose.

The black dragon that is floating in mid air, disliking the barrage of arrows and magic pour on it, is trying to escape by turning in circle.

“I won't let you get away!”

Orlaine, whose battle experience is the most abundant among the 3 people supported at the right moment, shooting an arrow of light exactly at the spot where the black dragon fled to previously, driving it into a corner.

Although Reiji and Tena wasn't able to put a precise aim at the spot, they were able to get a hit on the body a beat slower as a result of aiming to match the spot Orlaine aimed at previously .

“GUOOOooo— — — !!!”

The attack of the 3 people was blocked by the hard scales on the black dragon, and didn't cause any damage. However, the black dragon which might be irritated, gave a roar and switched direction, swooping towards Reiji's group that was standing on the floor.

“It’s descending!

Reiji! Switch to the sword!”

Eligor who was standing by without joining the long distance attack shouted while preparing his large sword.

Reiji pulled out the two swords from the back of his waist after receiving that. A normal steel sword was in his right hand, and the blade of the sword left to fate in his left was..... a broom.

“Tsk, a miss!”

However, there is no time to switch the sword.

Reiji who was still holding the sword of steel and the broom sword awaited the rapidly descending black dragon that was coming.

“GURAAAaaaa— — — !!!”

The black dragon opened it’s huge jaws at Orlaine who released the most irritating attacks and snapped at her.

“I won’t let you do it!”

However, Eligor strikes with his large sword from the direction across. The single blow swung down from above hits the head of the black dragon directly, and the black dragon that was trying to bite Orlaine missed and was thrown against the floor.

“Haa!”

Aiming that the head of the black dragon’s figure sprawling on the floor, Reiji strikes with the steel sword held in his right hand. That single blow which possess the power of Eligor, attacked the black dragon with a far sharper sword line than Reiji’s normally.

But, the defensive power of it’s scales are tough, and Reiji’s sword doesn’t damage it.

“Another blow!”

Subsequently, Reiji swiung the broom sword on his left hand. Of course, there is no reason for a broom to have a large offensive power—

“Bu. Burning!?”

Tena who witness it from behind gave a voice of surprised. The Reiji currently can use fire magic. As a result, the broom struck was cladded in flames.

“How about this!”

Face exposed to the flames, the black dragon flinches slightly. Although the damage is small, as expected it cannot help but react to the flame held over it's head.

“Tsk! Withdraw!”

Aiming at Reiji who was waving the annoying flame around, the black dragon turned around on the spot and swung its' tail.

“UWaa!?”

Reiji defended against that direct hit using the sword of steel held in his right hand by reflex, but the force was not killed and he was sent flying.

“Mr. Reiji!?”

“Are you okay!?”

Although Tena and Orlaine expressed a voice of anxiety while showering arrow of light and darkness in order to suppress the pursuit of the black dragon, Reiji stood up immediately.

“I'm okay, there isn't any significant injury!”

Reiji prepares his sword of steel and flaming broom sword in order to return to the front line, but the next moment, wind blew from both his hands. The sword of steel didn't have any problem particularly, but the flames attached to the broom sword was extinguished by the wind.

“Aaa, geez!”

Although he hesitated for an instant on whether fire magic should be used again, he immediately switched over and redraw the sword that was sheathed. The blade this time, as expected..... was a spear.

“....., Spear!?”

A shaft of about 2 meters extended from above the guard of the sword, and a

spearhead is attached to the tip. Although a very strong power could be felt from the spear, it was impossible to swing it while holding the handle of the sword with a poor balance.

With his right hand holding the sword of steel as it is, Reiji promptly gripped the shaft of the spear with both hands.

“Sei!”

After Reiji was sent flying, Eligor lop off that claw of the black dragon, and Reiji mounted an assault with his entire body from the side.

The spearhead riding on his body weight pierced the scales of the black dragon, and stuck into its' shoulders deeply.

“GUGYAAAaaa——!!!”

“Alright!”

The black dragon gave a loud scream to the sharp pain.

Reiji who gave an effective blow for the first time nod his head, but that was overly hasty.

“Do not drop your guard! Pressure it!”

Although Eligor scolded Reiji who lost his focus, the black dragon already started it's counterattack at that time.

Inhaling a large breath, the black dragon gave a deafening roar. The terrible wind pressure attacks Reiji's group from a short distance.

“GUOOOOoooo——!!!”

“Guu!”

“UAaaaaaa——!?”

“Ku.....KYaa!?”

Eligor and Orlaine prepared at once to withstand that roar, but Orlaine was unable to endure it and was blown off due to her light body weight. Reiji who was careless was also blown off in the same way as Orlaine, and was slammed against the floor.

“Mr. Reiji! Ms. Orlaine!”

Only Tena who was in the place furthest from the black dragon did not receive any damage, and raised her voice anxiously at the 2 who had been blown off.

The black dragon which gave off a roar swung it's claws at Eligor who remains alone at point-black range.

“Nuuu!”

Eligor who has stopped his feet to endure the roaring caught those claws with his large sword, and fell backwards sliding with the pressure of that force.

“Clumsy!”

The black dragon that pushed Eligor aside flew up into the air once again.

“Ei!”

Similar to the beginning, Tena releases magic at the black dragon fluttering about in the air. However, whereas there were concentrated fire from 3 people pouring on it just now, it's Tena alone now.

Without sufficient moves, she was not able to induce the black dragon back to the ground like before.

Disregarding the spear of darkness Tena shoots, it draws an even large breath compared to before in the air.

And.....

“—————!!!”

Black flames accompanied by purple lightning was fired from the black dragon's mouth. The breath is the strongest offensive method that the black dragon holds, and it snarls at Eligor.

Having aimed at not the other 3 people but him, is because it instinctively realized that he is the most formidable enemy.

“Ku!”

Eligor who realized that breath attack is coming from the preparatory action of the black dragon, throws himself from that spot right away.

Although the breath attack hit the floor without hitting him directly, Eligor was blown off several meters by the aftereffect, and falls onto the floor on his knees.

“.....a”

Alone, Tena left behind on the battlefield uttered a dumbfounded cry.

“It’s regrettable, escape!”

Eligor shouts at Tena, but Tena wasn’t able to move immediately.

The black dragon whose breath attack Eligor got out of, lowered that large body onto the surface once more.

That impact causes earth tremor and the floor she was standing on to shake, and Tena who lost her balance fell onto her rear.

“Eh.....Ah.....”

Tena who was in a daze looked up from that posture, and her eyes connected with the black dragon’s line of sight directly.

“Kuu, did I let you do it?”

“M, Mr. Reiji!?”

Although Reiji has his whole body smite when he was blown off by the roar, he had somehow forced his way in and was standing between Tena and the black dragon.

However, a rapid feeling of exhaustion assaulted him at that moment.

Although Reiji’s stance almost involuntarily collapsed due to that lethargy, he managed to hold out somehow.

Reiji doesn’t understand what happened, but he noticed that his body was not filled with strength even compared to until a while ago.

The time limit had passed and random summoning possession has been released, Eligor’s power was no longer borrowed.

“At such timing.....!?”

Although Reiji is in a hurry, he hardly has any hands left at this point in time. Random summoning possession can only be reused after 24 hours have passed. Although the spear held in his hand is a sharp sword able to pierce the scale of the black dragon, a blow with his body weight cannot be unleashed with the damage his body has received. Light magic can hardly deal any damage to black dragon.

If there is a possibility, the sword left to fate can be renew when it’s temporarily sheathed and redrawn, but confronting the black dragon in front of his eyes

currently, that chance did not exist.

“Mr. Reiji, please escape!”

Tena shouts, but Reiji ignores it. There was no option of escaping while abandoning her who has collapsed behind.

Does the black dragon no long consider Reiji to be a wonder? It walked towards him with composure.

Drawing close to just before where Reiji is standing, the black dragon bares it's huge fangs.

While Reiji suppresses his foot which nearly gave way, he threw away the sword of steel held in his right hand onto the floor with an expression that has made some kind of decision, and that empty right hand pointed towards the black dragon.

“_____!”

Facing Reiji standing straight ahead, the black dragon bites at Reiji with its' huge jaws.

Although he was trembling from fear of death visiting, Reiji doesn't move with his right hand pointed at the black dragon.

At the moment Reiji's limbs are almost torn apart by the fangs of the black dragon—

—an aurora was fired from that right hand.

It was the moment Reiji won the bet.

Is the operations of the random ability that he holds performed arbitrary? There are many times the potent effect was invoked at a timing when he fell into danger as a result of manipulation by luck.

In the case of the former, there is no guarantee that it was up to the whims of the Evil God who is deemed to be running the operation. However, it it's the latter.....

The aurora flew straight, expanding straight into those huge jaws of the black dragon, and burning the interior of the mouth.

“_____!?”

The black dragon gave off a soundless scream.

But, Reiji doesn't pay attention to it and redrew the sword left to fate after sheathing it within the interval produced.

The blade this time.....was the blade of light which appeared and released a terrifying power during the special training yesterday.

“OOOooo— — — !”

Reiji doesn't hesitate, giving a cry while swinging the sword of light.

“GUOOOoooo— — — !!!”

Light exceeding the previous magic resembling an aurora swallows the whole body of the black dragon, and blows it away.

Although it was different from the black steel golem who vanished, the whole body of the black dragon was burnt by the light and collapsed onto the floor while giving a shriek.

“I, I did it.....”

“Mr. Reiji!?”

When Reiji repelled the black dragon, he collapsed from exhaustion after seeing that with his own eyes.

<Words from a character>

God Anri “To go that far”

<News from the author>

The next chapter concludes the first part.

Ah, please rest assured as Vnee is alive.

And, eventually.....(the following is omitted)

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“.....Nn”

Struck by the light shining in, Reiji’s consciousness emerges.

“.....this is?”

When Reiji opened his eyes and raised his neck in that posture to look at the surrounding, he was on top of something like a bed.

“Are you awake?”

A voice came from his side while Reiji was lying on top of the bed. Turning to face it, a familiar woman in black mask was standing there.

“Ms.Anri.....?”

Although Reiji tried to get up for the time being, in doing so, he noticed 2 persons lying at his feet.

It was 2 girls with golden hair and light purple hair.

“Tena? Ms.Orlaine?”

“Because the 2 of them seemed to have been looking after you until late, I put them to sleep.”

“Ah, yes. I see.”

Looking over his surroundings again with care so as not to wake up the 2 of them, he recognized that this was the black rose mansion he stayed in the day before yesterday.

“I came back huh.”

“3 people brought you who was still unconscious back. There was no vacancy in the lodgings in town, and I think everyone couldn’t get a room to stay in.”

“Well..., how about Mr.Eligor?”

“Because that old man-sama could get a lodging for 1, he went back to town

after carrying you here.”

“Is that so? I have to give my thanks later, huh.”

“That’s right.

leaving that aside.....I have to apologize first, I’m sorry.”

“Eh?”

When Anri says so, she approached Reiji who was sitting on the bed and raised her right hand.

A sharp **[PAN]** sounded at Reiji’s left cheeks.

“M, Ms.Anri!? W, Why.....”

“I should have told you to not depend on that accidental ability.”

“Ah, that is.....”

Although Reiji was puzzled to be suddenly slapped on his cheeks, he hang his head in shame to Anri’s words that followed.

In Reiji’s mind, the words thrown by her the other day was recalled.

“I think it’s either being manipulated from behind the scenes, or fortune being tampered with. However, it’s dangerous to become dependent on it when it becomes risky.”

In the last confrontation with the black dragon, Reiji intentionally exposed his own body to danger and was betting on auto magic activating.

That is, an act that ignored the warning from Anri when Reiji’s ability was identified at the Black Rose Mansion the other day.

“Although it was good because you won the bet, but if it wasn’t so, you would have been wiped out.”

“That..... I understand.”

Reiji himself, was aware that that was a dangerous bet.

However, it is also true that he did not have any other mean.

Although Anri who knew the situation via her familiar also understands that, she had reprimanded him intentionally as a warning for the sake of the future.

“Well, actually, being wiped out was impossible.”

“Eh?”

“Because Vnee is trained well, it won’t attack Tena.”

When that’s said and reconsidered, it’s certainly as she says, and only Tena did not suffer any damage at all in that intense battle.

Even when a ranged attack was released, the black dragon would keep an eye out so that Tena doesn’t enter the range of effect.

Being Anri’s follower, against Tena who was together with Anri’s familiar, the black dragon had better be absolutely sure to not put out an attack.

In short, it means that the action of Reiji cutting in to protect her was meaningless.

Reiji felt strength leaving from his body.



Because the 2 person have begun to get up after that too, they adjourned to the living room and began talking after making tea.

Therein, Anri casually started speaking.

“By the way, I wanted to ask you.....”

“?”

“Yes?”

“What is it?”

In the gaze of the 3 person, Anri throws an unexpected question.

“Why, did you challenge Vnee?”

The 3 person showed a perplexed expression of not understanding to what was said for a moment to Anri’s words.

Looking at each other, Tena timidly returned an answer.

“Why?..... that was the condition for me to travel with Mr.Reiji from Anri-sama after all.....”

“I did not say such a thing.”

“Eh?”

The refutation of Tena was cut and thrown away with a word. Tena recalls the

words of Anri the other day again.

Reach up to 10 levels in the Dungeon. I will accept your trip with him if you can achieve it

To reach up to 10 levels in the Dungeon—

Reach—

“Uh.....”

“No way.....”

“That’s a lie right.....?”

Not believing, Anri announces the words of the finishing blow to the 3 people with the unpleasant expression of not wanting to believe it

“Though it’s fine to just reach 10 levels”

“”“—————!?”“”

A voiceless cry broke out from the 3 people.

“B, But.....the achievement was sufficient for the condition right?”

Tena pulls herself together and asks.

“.....it can’t be helped.”

Although permission was granted by Anri, there was a terrible feeling of reluctance.

“Thank you very much, Anri-sama!”

“That’s good, it’s reassuring if Tena comes along.”

“Fufu, please look after me from now on too. Mr.Reiji.”

Tena and Reiji are delighted with Anri’s approval.

And, a cough was heard from the side.

“Ahem.....That, can I join the trip of you 2 too?”

“Eh? I am grateful of course, but is the work as a Hero alright?”

“Yes, because there is no particularly big incident now too.”

Although Reiji asks anxiously to Orlaine who extends an offer to travel

together, Orlaine replies with don't worry and a smile.

"Really? Then, my best regards for the future."

"Waa, it's really heartening if Ms.Orlaine comes along together.
Please treat me well!"

Tena raises a honestly pleased voice too, on hearing that the experienced Orlaine is traveling along. There is nothing implied at that. Orlaine who sees that smiling face, shows a bitter expression for just a moment. That is, when looking after Reiji who fainted yesterday with Tena, the result of the conversation exchanged with Anri who called out to her for a moment.



"Well, what is the talk about?"

"You, how old are you?"

Orlaine answers, although with a stiff expression to the rude question suddenly thrown

"J, Just the other day I turned 20, but what is the reason to ask that?"

"Are you getting late for marriage?"

Although it isn't necessarily incorrect judging from the marriageable age of this world, still, it's a harsh remark.

Too preoccupied to even think about bad manners, Orlaine is unintentionally enraged to the extremely rude words.

"W, Who is falling behind!? I mean, it isn't different from you!"

"Because there is a period where I did not aged for about 1 year, it's still okay. Apart from that too, leaving me aside now.....do you not think of getting married?"

Although Orlaine was put in a favour of impetus to attack in fury, she become depressed immediately upon hearing Anri's words.

"E, Even I'd like to have a marriage but.....I, It's inevitable, isn't it! Because I didn't find another party like that."

Although Orlaine is a hero with top class ability for the human race, there was

a large shackles on the side of love.

Everyone is conscious of that title and shrinks back, and she doesn't see that herself.

Of course, it will be easily found if she is not particular about her marriage partner. There are many who seeks her power and position.

However, for her who is a woman before a hero, she could not throw away the yearning for a marriage with love.

Although it might be all right if it was someone who is in the same situation of being a hero, it could strongly cut into the bonds of the other 2 party member of the heroes, and if the other person was frivolous, Orlaine would dislike that person.

In the first place, the reason why she came to this country was to get away from the advances of that person.

“What do you think of him?”

“? Him..... is it Mr.Reiji?

Even if you say what i think of him.....”

Orlaine was at a loss for words unintentionally when told those words abruptly.

Thinking from the flow of the conversation, saying ‘what do you think’ could be understood that the meaning was as a romantic interest.

Orlaine recalls Reiji's face in her mind, and was lost in thoughts.

The face is well-proportioned.

The character was also on the sincere side.

His ability is also quite high. Although she though he was pitiable in the beginning, when he acquired ability in no time, she felt admiration.

Although there was a point said about him being a visitor from a different world, that wouldn't be a fault for Orlaine too. Rather, in the meaning that he deals with her without prejudicing against her who is a hero, it can be the greatest advantage.

The more she think about it, the more she considers Reiji to be the most superior choice.

On that subject, when she reconsiders that his figure was fairly gallant when he

faced the black dragon, her memories compensated for his looks by about 30% when Reiji's face was recalled.

“B, But,.....Mr.Reiji is close to Tena, and the gap for me to enter is.....”

While blushing, Orlaine doesn't admit easily like this however, and makes such excuse.

But, at that time such a remark was made, her heart was already greatly inclined towards him, and she wasn't aware of it herself.

“Although Tena receives him kindly, she doesn't seem to hold romantic feeling for him at the moment.”

“That is.....”

In Orlaine's mind, the appearance of Tena placing Reiji's head on her lap was recalled.

While almost blushing and feeling embarrassed just to imagine it if it's herself, she secretly shuddered at Tena who brazenly carried out such actions without shame.

However, the story changes considerably if Tena doesn't have romantic feelings towards Reiji as Anri says.

After all, if you do not consider him as the opposite sex in the first place, she would be able to act without feeling shy.

If so, isn't it fine to be in a romantic relationship herself without holding back for Tena? Orlaine who thinks of such things colors up increasingly.

“To hold hands with him and kiss.....do you not want to do it?”

I want to do it. I really want to do it.

She who made a loud noise and gulps down her saliva had already fallen into Anri's trap.

In Orlaine's brain, there was already a playback of the appearance of herself wearing a wedding dress while holding the ceremony in the Church of the Sacred Light and Reiji was standing beside.

“To fulfill that, I'll help you.”

When saying so, Anri holds out her hand to Orlaine.

“W, What do you wish for? What is the tradeoff!?”

Orlaine exclaims while keeping her eyes on that outstretched hand.

“Nothing particularly, I just want to be your supporter because I like you.”

Although Orlaine looks at Anri’s face at those words, her expression cannot be seen as it’s covered by the mask.

“It’s also your choice to not take my hand here.

However, is the lonely life of living isolated fine when others around you are getting married?”

The moment when those words were heard, Orlaine felt the blood drawn from her whole body.

The theater in her brain turns around from the wedding at the church, and the lonely appearance of herself who had fallen sick alone coughing on the bed was projected.

“Now, it’s time to make a choice.

Is it days of sweet happiness, or dying alone in solitude.....choose it.”

Orlaine stretched out her hands timidly and clenched Anri’s.

“Transaction established.”

The hero who received the protection of light goddess, had yielded instantly to the temptation in the style of the Evil God.



For Orlaine who have allied herself with Anri behind the scene, the innocent smile of Tena was inevitably dazzling.

However, it’s already not possible to go back.

While conceiving anticipation of various person, Reiji’s new journey is about to begin.

<Words from a character>

Dinner for Anri-sama today.

Green pepper pilaf, meat stuffed with green pepper, green pepper salad, green pepper soup, green pepper juice.

Tena 「♪」

Anri “.....I’m sorry.”

<News from the author>

This chapter completes the first section.

In addition, this product still, although the rough story flow is decided, shall I do a 3 section configuration or 5 section configuration? I was going to decide while looking at the trend, but it’s not decided yet.

As I want to think a little more before giving a conclusion, please wait for a while.

Still, although I contributed daily until the first section was completed, because the materials had run out with this chapter, updates after this will become irregular.

Thank you for understanding.

By the way, Orlaine was not given divine protection.

(In the first place, she cannot be granted because she was receiving protection from the light goddess)

Succumbing to temptation of marriage, she only sold her soul to the devil.

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Side Story 1: Hairstyle in fashion

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Church of the Sacred Light – A religion that believes in the Goddess St. Sophia, and the state religion in all countries within the human race territory with the exception of Holy Anri Thearchy which worships Evil God Anri.

Although there are no other religion on the continent, there is a difference in scale when compared to the Church of the Sacred Light.

As a matter of fact, it's not an exaggeration even if one says that most of humanity are believers of the Church of the Sacred Light.

**In recent years, the statement of the goddess they believe in has cause a contradiction with the doctrine disseminated so far, and the degeneracy such as the corruption and philandering of the high ranking clergymen have been exposed, and moreover aside from that, with it is the situation of waning influence due to the previous incident of the kingdom of Fortera which played a leading role of a opposing denomination, but still, it remains unchanged that the religious group Church of the Sacred Light, as well as it's headquarters, the Luxiria Theocracy, holds an overwhelming influence in the human territory.
(TN: Did you know how much effort it took to translate this one line? x_x)**

**Besides, when it comes to the pope at the apex of that, he has more influence compared to a king of a country.
It seems that those are reasonable words too., because support within the country may be lost in a go if they are excommunicated from the Church of the Sacred Light, even if they are the royalty.
Even for the king of each country, they pay special attention carefully so as to never displease him. It is such an existence.**

That is to say, the Pope of the Church of the Sacred Light in such a manner, is an extremely important person.

Hence.....

“.....Pupu” (TN: Holding laughter)

.....one must never laugh even if that hairstyle is amusing.



“.....Pfttt”

“_____!”

Hearing the sound of laughter, Pope Artorius the fourth glared, but because people in his surrounding had suppressed the laughter and looked down before his sight was directed, he was not able to identify the scoundrel who laughed.

The Pope who had his hair burnt off from the top of his head, by the hero summoned from a different world in order to restore the influential insignia of the Church of the Sacred Light, currently has a style of a soldier who just lost a battle with just the top of his head smooth.

Even if the burn can be treated with recovery magic, the hair that was burnt doesn't return.

It would be natural if he became the current appearance gradually with aging, and because the people around would have been familiar with it, it would not be amusing.

However, to become so all of a sudden when there was plenty of it until just the other day, it appears comical due to the gap.

“.....Pfttt!”

“_____!”

Therefore, even though the other party is his Holiness the Pope, the people around unintentionally burst into laughter at that hairstyle. As one would be in danger if laughter leaks out, they desperately endure it.

However, they are unable to be endured by all means, and stifled giggles frequently occurs around the Pope who is walking along the corridor of the St.Sophia cathedral.

“.....hee, ahem”

“_____!”

Although the Pope knows that he is being laughed at too, he glares at those he hear and as a result the other party laughing hides it so as not to make him angry, there wasn't anyone he could point his spearhead of anger at.

He had thought about wearing a hat or a hood, but because rumors of his hairstyle has already spread, it will be completely understood as trying to hid the tragedy on his head now. To be ridicule on top of the shameful thing of hiding sneakily when he is exposed.....his pride did not permit such an unsightly thing.

Glaring at the laughter heard, scowling at the laughter heard.....and repeated in a cycle, the Pope was accumulating frustration day by day.

And accumulating shame and anger till his limit, an eruption will be triggered before long.

“T, This hairstyle.....”

“Your Holiness, Pope?”

To the old man who began saying something while quivering and trembling slightly, the people around are staring at him intently in a puzzled manner. Among those are those anxious ones thinking ‘Dangerous, did I laugh too much!?’.

“This hairstyle! This hairstyle is the easiest to receive the light of the sky of divine protection from the saint goddess-sama! Therefore from now on, everyone above the ranking of an archbishop is required to have this hairstyle!”

— Something strange was said.

The thoughts of the people around came together. No, more accurately, what was united was only the heart of the lower ranking people among that place. The people above archbishop, was sent into a panic as soon as the inexcusable words from the Pope was said.

“Y, Your Holiness, Pope!? W, What are.....”

“.....T, This has been decided!

I will not overturn it. Carry it out at once!"

Turning stiff from understanding what was said, although they came to their senses after the Pope's shouting, it's already impossible to take back the words spewed out.

Human being, when losing their calm and acting on feelings, this is the result. In the end, he seemed to have forcibly overcame the remarks of resistance, and gave an order to the religious soldiers waiting nearby.

"U, Uhhh..... Is that all right?"

"Do not be concerned, just take them along!"

"P, Please wait for a moment!"

"P, Please excuse me somehow!"

"I'm sorry, because it's an order from his Holiness, the Pope....."

The religious soldier around asks timidly, but the half desperate Pope doesn't care and orders the cardinal and archbishops in the place to be taken.

Although the religious soldiers stuck between 2 high ranking side wished that the flustered Pope changes his decision, that wish did not come true and they had to forcibly take them along from there.

In order to shave them.

"....."

"....."

"....."

"....."

The people left behind were dumbfounded to the comedy happening abruptly before their eyes, remains standing silently in that place just like that.

In that painful gaze and silence, the Pope left a concluding word causing them to break into cold sweat.

"This is the the will of saint Goddess-sama."

If, those Gods are in this place, they would have opened their eyes wide in surprise.

Thus, all the higher ups of the Church of the Sacred Light came to shave the top of their head in the same way as the Pope.

Distracted from the intrigue with the Pope's hairstyle by the surrounding higher ups spotting the same hairstyle too, he is no longer laughed at alone. The Pope smile contentedly while eyes of dissatisfaction are turned towards him by the cardinal and archbishop around.

Thereafter, the conference room where the upper echelon of the Church of the Sacred Light gather, an awfully bizarre scene extended.

But, the Pope who created the strange custom with a momentum like this forgot something important. Since the widely declared custom has taken root in this way, he himself will have to shave it even if his hair grows out in the future.

In this way regarding the 'mysterious custom that occurred all of a sudden', it produced a brain-racking custom for historians of the future.

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Side Story 2: A night in the black rose mansion

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This is the 2nd story of the 1st side story section. In addition, I plan to embark on the 2nd section from the next chapter onward.

Although Reiji had decided to go to the town with the dungeon, he ended up lodging at the black rose mansion as it was already quite late. Shortly after the conversation held with Anri after dinner, he was led to the bathroom by Tena.

A big bathroom has been created according to Anri's wishes in the black rose mansion, but because the inhabitants are originally only females without a single man, it is not divided into men's and ladies' bath. Therefore, in responses to the situation of Reiji staying, a sequence for entering the single bath has been arranged.

Although Reiji was more or less in a guest position, he, at Anri's strong insistence, was to enter the bath in turn after all the female members were done.

As Reiji himself did not have any particular objection to it either, it became the sequence according to Anri's claims.

“This is the bath.....h, huh? Anri-sama?”

Tena has been guiding Reiji, but raised her voice to Anri's appearance in front of the bathroom.

Although Reiji notices at the same time and looks, Anri turns her back to their direction and crouches down to do something.

The 2 of them went around to Anri's side to peer at what she is doing. There, she was installing a notice board in front of the bath. Such characters are written on the notice board.

『A MAN IS BATHING! DO NOT ENTER BY MISTAKE!』

Furthermore, it seems that Anri had replace the notice board originally put up before this, and the considerably different notice board that was originally put up was lying sideways.

Such characters are written on that notice board.

『WOMAN BATHING! DEATH PENALTY TO PEEPERS!』

“Scary!?”

“Ahaha.....I was just thinking that there was a strange notice board when I entered just now, so it was put up by Anri-sama.”

Reiji and Tena exclaimed with a stiff voice to the notice board Anri has erected. Incidentally, since there is only Anri and young Lili in addition to Tena and Reiji in the black rose mansion, there cannot be anyone else putting up such a notice board besides Anri.

“Because it seems like he will enter by mistake when Tena is taking off her clothes if I do not put it up.”

“I don’t do such things.”

Reiji informs Anri while glaring at her over the mask. Somehow, she seem to still hold a grudge against him lifting up her skirt with wind magic. Reiji denies it while holding his head to endure a headache.

“Perhaps, do you like a younger child?
Do not get close to Lili too much.”

“That is absolutely incorrect.”

Anri returned from the diagonal angle to Reiji’s denial. Reiji’s headache increased in strength.

“Then, I—”

“Ahaha.....Anri-sama, that’s about it. Ah, please be at ease, Mr.Reiji.”

“—wait, I have not finished speaking.....Wait, stop pushing”

Was she thinking that this situation will lead to nowhere? In addition to interrupting Anri’s questioning talk, Tena pushes Anri and forces her to leave.

“What, on earth was that.....?”

Although Reiji who was left alone was in a daze, he pulled himself together and entered the bath soon.

“I won’t do something like peeping.”

Muttering as if making an excuse to somebody, Reiji imagined the scene just a little.



After about 30 minutes, Reiji finished bathing and left the bathroom. The all-female household of the black rose mansion naturally doesn't have a change of clothes for a man, but because the bathrobe for visitor was narrowly just something that both a men and women can use, that was borrowed and worn.

When Reiji is walking down the corridor, he notices light leaking out from the reception room he was in until just now.

When peering from the gap in the door that is a little open curiously, there was a masked woman, Anri, sitting on a chair and drinking tea.

“Are you alone?”

“Because both Tena and Lili went to sleep already.”

Anri prepares a another cup and poured tea while saying so. It seems like Reiji's share has also been prepared somehow or other.

“Here.”

“Thank you.”

Reiji sat on the seat diagonal of Anri when receiving the cup.

“.....”

“.....”

Only the sound of sipping tea in silence could be heard for a while while both of them were not talking.

Although Reiji was hesitating about what would be good to say, he was asked a question by Anri first.

“Aren't you uneasy, coming to another world suddenly?”

“Of course although I am uneasy, honestly there is not much of a sense of reality still.

I had thought that it was a different world when I saw the townscape and such things, but.....there wasn't time to look freely as I was being pursued.

How was it for you Ms.Anri?”

“Although I was uneasy, I didn’t have the free time to consider as I was pressed to handle various matters.”

“I feel like this too.

Although it seems like there are various things to consider if I had the time.”

Although strictly speaking they are slightly different, the talk continued for a while in this manner with Anri telling her experience in the past of coming to this world with similar circumstance as a common feature to Reiji.

“Do you want another cup?”

“No, it’s okay.

Furthermore, it seems that I will not be able to sleep if I drink anymore. I am going to bed soon.”

“I see, good night.

Just leave the cup there.”

“Yes, thank you.

Good night.”

Saying so, Reiji got up from his seat and left the room.

“.....Although he doesn’t seem to be a bad person, but I will not approve of him so easily.”

After Reiji has left, Anri who was left alone in the room muttered in a low voice that couldn’t be heard by anyone.



Reiji enters the bed in the room separately prepared.

Although he was uneasy thinking of the so-called ‘bed’ in a different world, it seems that he was able to sleep with a feeling similar to staying in a high class hotel with the soft touch of the futon.

However in reality, this place, this black rose mansion, is just out of the norm after all, and Reiji’s expectation of the level of a normal inn would in fact be more accurate.

Although Reiji had answer that there wasn’t a sense of reality when Anri asked

if he felt uneasy just now, when he entered a bed he was not used to like this and looks at the ceiling, he could feel the difference with his original world after all.

The number one thing he was thinking of, was the point of whether it was possible for him to return to his original world.

Naturally, there are friends and family of Reiji in his original world. As he didn't imagine he would be separated suddenly, he didn't want to think that it may be impossible to meet with them any longer.

Surely anyone would be so.

Even looking events reported on the news etc, there are few people who can imagine it happening to them self in reality.

Well, in fact, if it's the case unimaginable in normal situation, such as summoning to a different world, it's all the more that way.

When Reiji was summoned, he was in the classroom at school. If seen from a classmate's point of view, he would appeared to have disappeared suddenly, and in reality it is so.

What kind of uproar is there? Are his family thinking of him right now? There are endless things to think about.

Closing his eyes, Reiji imagines the state of his original world.

He who is exhausted in both his mind and body from various things happening, departed for his dream like this without noticing.

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