

## Death 2171

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Patris was flying outside, still looking for a way inside. Yet, it didn't matter what he did. There was nothing. Not to mention he was really far away from where Rean released his flying puppets, so he never had the chance to catch one of the jade slips.

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"Hum?" Patris noticed that a light began to shine near his position, which made him put up his guard straight away. Let's not forget the ship also had weapons outside. He had to escape from many of them. Yet, he quickly noticed it wasn't any weapon. Instead, it seemed like the ground further away was opening.

He observed from afar, expecting something to come out. Too bad, though. Nothing appeared after several minutes of waiting. Without another choice, he approached the entrance, seeing that there was nothing inside other than the corridors of the ship. "What to do..."

It seemed too convenient. Yet, after wandering around for so long without a single clue, Patris understood that it wasn't like he had much of a choice. He gritted his teeth and dashed inside before the door behind him closed. Patris noticed that but didn't retreat, going deeper into the ship.

Thanks to Rean, the defense system didn't attack Patris, so he could move around as he wished. "What is happening here?"

It was then that the system made an announcement.

-The Star Continent shall leave this Universe in two hours and thirty minutes. All nonpersonnel must follow the directions provided to get teleported out of the Star Continent.-

It was weird that the Spaceship called itself Star Continent, and that was true. That message wasn't something the system would say, especially since the name was wrong. It was something Rean ordered the system to tell Patris. With that, he would give Patris a way out of the Spaceship without having to appear to inform Patris directly.

"What?! It will leave this Universe?!" Patris was terrified as he understood what it meant. He also noticed the same holographic arrows that the twins used. "Is this the direction this thing was talking about?"

Back where Rean and Spiegel were staying, they were looking at Patris' movements through the holographic video. "Will he just follow the directions? It is not like he can just trust anything the system is saying, right?" Rean asked Spiegel.

"Indeed. I definitely wouldn't simply believe a sudden voice," Spiegel agreed with Rean. "However, I reckon he will have to believe it whether he wants or not. He doesn't have a choice. Because of the mind control, the angel race is everything to him. He definitely won't risk being taken away from the Heaven Realm without permission."

Rean then closed the holographic video. "Well, I did what I could. It is up to him now, senior Spiegel. Worst case scenario, he will leave this Universe with this Spaceship."

Spiegel nodded. "That's more than enough. Thank you."

-Mental comparison analysis concluded.-

The system then called out for their attention. "What were the results?"

-Grade 1 Soul Worm Detected in Hastian's body.-

"Soul... worm?" Rean, Roan, Luan, and Spiegel had never heard about it. "What is a Soul Worm?"

-Soul Worms are known for their capacity to invade the host's body without detection. Soul Worms are not natural, needing to be created for use. Also, Soul Worms are extremely frail, so for them to succeed in taking over the host's Soul, they must be created to match the type of Soul they are targetting.-

"This..." everyone was taken aback. "Does that mean that Angel, whom you don't know the name of, is creating these worms?"

Spiegel quickly nodded.

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Waremis' pod lid then opened, allowing him to come out. Naturally, he also heard the conversation.  
"Were there any of these worms inside my Soul?"

-Negative. However, there were signs of a Soul Worm trying to take control in the past. Host Waremis' Soul does not match the type of Soul necessary for control, although the difference is very subtle. For Soul Worms, though, even the slightest difference is enough to prevent them from succeeding.-

Rean couldn't help but ask. "How can they get inside one's soul without being detected?"

-Soul Worms are made of Soul Power. The amount of Soul Power used to create them is incredibly small, making it extremely difficult to detect even if the host already knows they are close. For those unaware, it is the same as they never existing. Soul Worms also have the same power as the one who creates them. That means if the creator's cultivation realm is higher than the target's, the target won't be able to detect it, regardless of knowing about its existence or not.-

"This..." Waremis was truly surprised. "The only ones who could possibly detect the Soul Worms are the Archangels. And even they would most likely fail to do so due to the Soul Worms' characteristics."

Rean nodded. "Truly an impressive creation. System, are the other Universes suffering with these kinds of things?"

-Negative. Soul Worms' existence had long since been found out, and so have the countermeasures to deal with them. Until the moment this Spaceship left the Ligan Universe, Soul Worms were completely given up. They were useless as no one would be caught by them anymore.-

Waremis's eyes light up in response. "Does that mean you have a way to cure those affected by the worms?"

-Correct.-

\*Zuuunn!\*

Suddenly, a machine on the other side of the room began to work. Several weird liquids seemed to be mixed as Divine Origin Energy fuelled the machine. It didn't take more than a few seconds before a vial of purple liquid was delivered by the machine.

"What is this?" Rean asked the system.

-Spatial Soul Spectral Oscillation Liquid. A single drop will dilute in the air and space, spreading around a range of 2 million kilometers. Anyone within this range will acquire a bloodline inherited resistance against the properties of a Soul Worm. No Soul Worm will be able to live inside a Soul that has been in contact with this liquid, nor will the Soul Worms be able to invade any of the descendants of the same being.-

Waremis's hand trembled as he reached for the vial. A single drop could be used to wake up all the angels within two million kilometers. How could he not be excited?

Rean smiled as he ordered. "System, synthesize as much of this liquid as possible within the next two hours. Use all the machines available near us. The more, the better."

-Warning: Tens of thousands of tons can be synthesized within the time frame provided. Continue?-

"Tens of thousands of tons..." Waremis and Spiegel gulped after hearing that. "A single drop... two million kilometers... tens of thousands of tons..."

Rean simply nodded. "Yes, continue."

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Chapter 2172: Farewell

Countless vials were being released by many of the machines in the Nanotech Sick Bay. The system wasn't joking. Each of the machines could produce a vial of the liquid every few seconds, so they will indeed have a ridiculous amount of it by the time two hours went by.

\*Plin!\*

Suddenly, a holographic video appeared in front of Rean and Roan. On the other side, Tanxan could be seen. "Why are you still in the Spaceship? I'm turning on all the Dimensional Thrusters. Could it be you decided to come with me to another Universe?"

Roan shook his head. "We are making use of the Nanotech Sick Bay to make some Spatial Soul Spectral Oscillation Liquid. It seems like Soul Worms are being widely used in the Heaven Realm, so we wish to get rid of that."

"Oh, Soul Worms, uh?" Tanxan knew what they were. "It's been a long time since I heard anyone trying to use them. Well, that's most because it is way too easy to be immunized against them. Alright, just continue whatever you are doing. Just remember to be out of the ship before I make the jump. Once it starts, there is no coming back."

Rean and Roan nodded. They were keeping a close eye on the development of the liquid and the activation of the Spaceship. "Thank you, Senior Tanxan."

Tanxan nodded before the video closed. Meanwhile, Waremis and Spiegel collected the Vials into their Spatial Rings and Pocket Dimensional Realms nonstop. Rean was now a temporary corporal, so he had the authority to give the Waremis and Spiegel a high enough rank to unseal their Dimensional Realms. That obviously helped the two a lot.

It was then that the system suddenly announced.

-Target, by the name of Patris, has used the Teleportation Platform to return to the Heaven Realm.-

Spiegel looked in the twins' direction with a happy expression. "Great! I'll be sure to pay him a visit and release a drop of this liquid near his clan."

The twins simply nodded and kept waiting.

All the survivors in the Spaceship went about their own things. Even though they could feel the Spaceship shaking now and then, it wasn't like they could do anything about it. Tanxan also didn't care about them since bringing them out of the Universe wouldn't cause any trouble for himself.

Finally, two hours went by before the system stopped the manufacturing of the Vials.

-Two hours have passed. Does the user wish to continue the production?-

Rean shook his head. "No need. Please show us the way to the nearest teleportation platform that can teleport us to our own realms." He could feel how the shaking of the Spaceship increased more and more, so he didn't want to leave it up to chance.

-Request accepted.-

Before leaving, Rean looked at Hastian. "Senior Spiegel, can you bring this Angel back to Heaven with you? He was also one of the controlled guys, after all."

Spiegel quickly grabbed Hastian and threw him into his own Pocket Dimensional Realm. "Leave him to me."

Finally, their group sped out of the Nanotech Sick Bay and went to the teleportation platforms. With their clearance levels, getting there was easy and fast. "System, open a Spatial Gate to the Heaven Realm."

-Is there a specific location?-

Rean looked at Spiegel, who simply shook his head. "It doesn't matter where. As long as it is in the Heaven Realm, we can find our way back to our clan." He was a Space-Time Realm angel, after all.

Rean didn't waste time after hearing that. "System, it can be anywhere in the Heaven Realm as long as it is a safe place."

\*Riiip!\*

Space was torn apart as a Spatial Gate quickly took form above one of the platforms.

-Connection with Heaven Realm established. The Spatial Gate will remain open for the next thirty seconds.-

Waremis and Spiegel looked at each other before looking back at the twins' group. "That's it then. Don't worry. We will not forget this debt."

"Wait." Roan then took out a Spatial Ring before throwing it to Spiegel. "Make good use of it. You will need it if that Archangel comes after you."

Spiegel gave a quick look inside before he saw a huge amount of cores. Each one of them was full of clean Divine Origin Energy, which was definitely enough for Spiegel to go all the way to the Archangel Realm. "This..."

Roan raised his hand. "We will need your help in the future, so consider it an extra for all the trouble we will cause you."

Spiegel looked at Waremis, who seemed to be in a dilemma. In the end, he simply accepted. "Take it. We need an Archangel as soon as possible."

"Very well," Spiegel then put the Spatial Ring away. "Until next time, Rean, Roan."

Waremis and Spiegel jumped inside the Spatial Gate, which closed behind them a few seconds later.

In the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm, Celis complained nonstop, though. 'Why are you giving my Divine Origin Energy away? How do you expect me to cultivate? Are you an idiot?'

Roan didn't take him seriously, though. 'I only gave him less than 5% of all the cores we had available, so stop blabbering. We will need the other two fragments in the Heaven Realm in the future, so his clan can come in hand when the time comes.'

'Tchi...' Celis wasn't happy but knew that the cores wouldn't come back anymore. 'You better be right.'

Rean and Luan couldn't help but laugh at the scene.

Following that, Rean opened another holographic video. "Senior Tanxan, we are leaving."

Tanxan, who seemed very busy on the other side of the hologram, stopped for a moment. "Oh, so you are finally... Hey, take this." Suddenly, an item teleported right to the twins' group side. "This is a permanent ID Card that is related to me. If you ever come to the Ligan Universe, come look for me. I'll be sure to be a good host."

Rean and Roan obviously accepted it. "Thank you."

They bid their farewells right after. Eventually, the system opened a Spatial Gate to the Realm of Gods, which the twins obviously entered. Their adventure in the Ruins of Stars was over. Above all, they were finally going back to the Realm of Gods.

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Chapter 2173: Exit

The twins were already gone when things started to get lively outside the Dimensional Yin Yang Spaceship. The angels, devils and cultivators looked at how the Vruve Organization suddenly appeared with many of their experts. Naturally, they quickly gathered together in case the Vruves had any funny ideas.

"What's the meaning of this?" Gabriel narrowed his eyes as he asked the Vruve crew.

Tuanna, who was also there, snorted at Gabriel's question. "Hmph! What else would it be? We came here to send our experts inside the Ruins of the Stars. Do you have a problem?"



There had never been any limit on how many experts one could send inside the Spaceship. Nonetheless, seeing the hundreds of Space-Time Realm cultivators of the Vruve Organization really surprised everyone.

Mephisto then shook his head. "As long as you don't try to cause trouble here outside, you are free to send as many people as you can possibly do inside. Still, are you sure you want to risk this many Space-Time Realm lives? It's not like you don't know what happened to six of your previous members, right?" Mephisto was obviously talking about the time Rean and Roan used their powers to kill the Vruve Organization Experts.

Tuanna didn't seem to mind. "So what? We also know that it was because the entrance could only support a limited number passing at once. Since that's the case, we can simply send batches of four people one after another."

The other three realms didn't say anything and simply let Tuanna and her group pass. The Vruves came with another five Divinity Realm members, so it wasn't a good idea to pressure them now. Besides, these new participants would be starting their journey in the Ruins of the Stars much later than the three other realms' disciples. It's just that they understood something must have happened for Tuanna to suddenly take this kind of approach. Of course, they also knew she would never tell them what it was.

Tuanna then looked at the Space-Time Realm experts of her organization before ordering. "First group, go ahead. The others shall enter right after. Remember your objective. You must bring that thing back to me!"

"Yes, Ancestor!" Everyone acknowledged the orders and started to make their way to the Ring Entrance.

As expected, each one of them had similar methods of harmonizing with the entrance like the previous Vruves. The first batch passed through the ring without a problem and was then followed by the next. Just like that, groups of four cultivators in the Space-Time Realm of the Vruve Organization got through, taking a few minutes each.

The others thought it to be quite risky since Space-Time Realm members were not easy to nurture. Seeing the Vruve bring this much seemed quite a bad idea. Nonetheless, that also meant their own experts would have trouble inside if they met these guys. Unfortunately, due to the rules that they agreed on in the past, they couldn't stop it.

Suddenly, a Demon Beast in the Divinity Realm on the Realm of Gods' side noticed something. He accessed his Spatial Ring before a golden Thoughts Transmission Talisman appeared. He knew that these talismans were expensive, so there had to be a good reason for anyone back in his race in the Realm of Gods to use the talisman.

His expression immediately changed when he saw the content inside, though. "What?!" Turns out that the Demon Beast that escaped was from his own race. His race had just finished taking the accounts of what happened in the Spaceship and sent him this transmission.

The others looked at the Demon Beast, puzzled. "What happened, Gardo?"

Gardo thought for a moment if he should tell everyone about the Fragment of the Universe Foundation that his junior saw in the Spaceship or not. After all, it was too important for everyone there. Not only that but the message he got told about how there were two fragments. Obviously, there was information about the Angel and Devil (Rean and Roan) as well as Tanxan in that message.

Gardo then looked at the Vruves flocking inside the Spaceship and understood why the sudden change. He gritted his teeth and decided to tell everything. "It goes like th-"

\*Drummmmmmm...\*

However, before he could even start, the environment completely changed.

The space around began to break apart, and Spatial Storms began to appear everywhere. The Spaceship in front of them also began to shine with a Black, White, Silver, and Golden colors, seeming to follow the changes in the surroundings. The chaos in space was so big that it quickly became dangerous even to the Archangels, Elder Devils, and Divinity experts.

"Run!"

Fosleve was the first one to make his decision before throwing himself and his subordinates into the passage they came before. Everyone else did the same, knowing that things got a turn for worse in this exploration.

Tuanna and her Vruve Organization had the worst expressions. They had just finished sending half of their members inside the Ring Entrance. Now, out of nowhere, the Spaceship began to change. "That can't be!"

She knew very well that the Ruins of the Stars were, in fact, a Spaceship. Seeing the changes obviously made her think about the possibility of the ship leaving this Universe. After all, there was supposed to be a survivor inside with a high rank who might have the authority to do it.

"Tuanna, we need to leave now!" It was then that one of the experts near her shouted with his Divine Origin Energy.

Tuanna looked around and knew that things were bad. Without another choice, she swept all the remaining Space-Time Realm cultivators into her dimensional realm that hadn't gone through the entrance yet and left with her group.

Finally, the experts of all realms and the Vruves appeared far away from the Spaceship, in the same place they first gathered. From there, they could see the entire Spaceship. Above all, they could see how space was torn apart like never before.

Suddenly, a monstrous Spatial Hole appeared in front of the Delta Shaped Spaceship while its back shined with Dark and Light Elements. The entire Spaceship then began to make its way inside, fighting all the powers that tried to keep it at bay.

"We are too close!" The Spatial and Elemental Distortion caused by the Spaceship was so big that even such a huge distance was being affected. Everyone was forced to retreat even further while keeping their eyes on what was happening.

Finally, the entire Spaceship seemed to become a flash of Dark, White, Silver, and even Golden light. That flash then broke through all the resistance and disappeared inside the Spatial Hole. The Spatial Storms continued for quite a while as the hole slowly closed. Even the strongest experts watching it didn't dare to get close. It would be certain death.

In the end, the Ruins of the Stars were gone, and all everyone could do in the end was watch it leave.

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#### Chapter 2174: Back to the Realm of Gods

Tuanna watched as everything slowly calmed down with a terrible expression. "Go! Go! Search everywhere! Find where that Spaceship has gone to!" She wasn't an idiot. She could tell that the Spaceship had left this Universe. However, she simply couldn't accept the huge loss her now Vruve Organization had just taken.

The subordinates around looked at each other before accepting the order. Even if they knew that there was no way they would find that Spaceship, it was definitely better to go look for it than stay close to Tuanna at this moment.

The other experts around were also shocked by what they saw. Yet, they weren't feeling as terrible as Tuanna. After all, they didn't send too many of their Space-Time Realm members. It was a loss to have the ones inside gone, but it was nothing compared to what the Vruves. If anything, they even felt somewhat good, only thinking it was a pity Tuanna didn't have time to send all the batches.

"Well then, I guess this is it for now." Mephisto from the Devils didn't want to stay there anymore. The angels were still invading his Underworld, so he wanted to go back as soon as possible. The other Elder Devils also agreed with him and quickly left.

The same happened to the Realm of Gods and Heaven Realm experts. The Realm of Gods' members, especially, wanted to go back as soon as possible to hear what Gardo had to say. As for the Angels, they were in the middle of their sacred incursion to take the Reincarnation Path under their control.

Just like that, everyone eventually left the area, never to see that Spaceship again.

When the twins opened Spatial Gate to the Realm of Gods, the system asked what would be their destination. Naturally, they already knew exactly where they were going, the Demon Beasts' Territory on the Northwest side of the Realm of Gods!

There were two reasons for that. First, that's where Qia and Calina were left behind. Most importantly, that's where the Islands of Time were located. According to what Turen, the twins' father, said, that's where they will find another Universe Foundation Fragment.

\*Riiip!\*

Somewhere in the Demon Beasts' Territory, space was torn apart as Spatial Storms raged inside. Yet, a tunnel quickly formed, connecting to the outside world. Finally, two figures landed on the ground with calm, using their Divine Senses to feel the surroundings. The rich Divine Energy around them confirmed their destination. They were in the Realm of Gods!

Obviously, these two figures were none other than Rean and Roan. "Hundreds of years later, we are finally back."

\*Pin!\*

[Quest Completed. Hosts have successfully retrieved the Universe Foundation Fragment from the Dimensional Yin yang Spaceship.]

[Quest Reward: 600000 Destiny Points.]

[System Update Bonus: 1200000 Destiny Points.]

Sure enough, the bonus of the previous update of the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm appeared. The system told them how they couldn't gain Destiny Points from the chances in destiny on their surroundings anymore. To compensate for it, the reward from quests would be three times bigger. That's why the 600000 Destiny Points turned into 1800000 Destiny Points total.

The system didn't stop there.

[Side Quest Failed. Foreign Fragment has left the Universe. No reward will be given.]

"Sigh... can you imagine if we had destroyed that Foreign Fragment? The reward would be three million Destiny Points!" Rean couldn't help but feel a little gloomy. "Of course, I know that would have destroyed Tanxan's chances of going back to his home, so I don't regret it. Still, such a great prize..."

Roan didn't care about what was already done. "Stop bitching around. At least the side quest failure didn't have any penalties. Now, where are we?"

The twins could tell that they were within a Demon Beasts Forest. There were many Demon Beasts around. Still, they needed to find out exactly where. The Spaceship system did teleport them to the Northwest Side of the Realm of Gods... but that was about it. Its precision wasn't that great, so they might have fallen literally anywhere on that side.

\*Zup!\*

Kentucky suddenly appeared outside the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm and took a deep breath. "Who cares?! We are finally back. The feeling of Divine Energy is soooo good! I don't need to stay stuffed in the Dimensional Realm anymore. So, shall we take a flight? We just need to find some higher-level Demon Beast, and we will know more about this place."

The twins nodded. "Seems like a plan." They quickly jumped on Kentucky's back. "Whatever direction is fine, Kentucky, let's go."

Kentucky quickly spread his wings, and with a flap, his body soared through the skies like a bullet. No restrictions on space, no restriction on energy consumption. Kentucky could fly as he wished.

As Kentucky flew in a random direction, the twins used their Divine Senses to scan the forest below. More and more Demon Beasts entered their range, but they all had cultivations below the Transition Realm. One must not forget that in the Realm of Gods, Demon Beasts only acquire Sentience when they reach the Transition Realm.

This kind of thing continued for two days straight, which began to worry the twins. "How come not a single Transition Realm Demon Beast appeared until now? Is that even possible?"

Kentucky, who was also paying attention, had a hypothesis. "You know how the Realm of Gods works. The further away you are from the Center, the lower the living beings' cultivation levels. Perhaps we were sent so far away into the Demon Beasts' Territory that we ended up in a place where Transition Realm or higher-level Demon Beasts are extremely rare. Or perhaps they don't exist at all."

That obviously wasn't good news. After all, that also meant they wouldn't find anything similar to a Long-Distance Teleport Formation anywhere. Just how long would they need to fly to find one? They knew which direction to fly to go to the Center of the Realm of Gods. But they couldn't afford to fly that far.

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Chapter 2175: I Hope You Can

Things continued like that for another nine days. Finally, Rean's Divine Sense caught the presence of a being in the Middle Stage of the Transition Realm. "Ah! There it is! Fast, Kentucky, go in that direction!"

Kentucky nodded and increased his speed. A flash of Light and Dark streaked through the skies, soon reaching an enormous lake in the middle of a grassland. "It's here."

Kentucky then shot into the lake with Rean, diving at crazy speed. It was then that they found a giant shell lying dormant on the lake floor. The being inside was exactly the Demon Beast in the transition realm they detected a while ago.

Rean then used his Divine Sense to send a message to that aquatic Demon Beast. 'Hey there. Would you mind answering a few questions?'

The shell trembled a little. The demon beast then spread its Divine Sense and caught the sight of Rean and Kentucky. Of course, Rean and Kentucky allowed themselves to be seen. If not, the difference in cultivation would make them invisible to the Demon Beast. Sure enough, the Demon Beast also noticed Rean and Kentucky's much higher cultivation.

\*clak, clak, clak...\*

The shell then opened, showing the mollusk Demon Beast inside. 'H-How can this little one help, sirs?' The enormous difference in cultivation obviously put the mollusk on guard.

Rean smiled as he shook his head. 'Don't worry, friend. We are not here to cause you any harm, nor will we stay for much longer. We know we are in the Demon Beasts Territory of the Realm of Gods.'

However, we don't know where exactly. Would you be able to show us where we can find a Demon Beast city?'

Although several times rarer, Demon Beasts did have cities. The reason for their rarity was obvious the fact that only at the Transition Realm would they gain sentience. Rean's group had visited some of those during their time in the Regal Azure Dragon's care.

The mollusk felt relieved as it didn't seem like Rean and Kentucky were lying. At the very least, there wasn't a reason for them to treat him that well since they could simply force an answer out of him. Still, the mollusk was quite puzzled by their question. 'City...? I'm sorry, friend. Would you mind explaining to me what a city is? I've lived my entire life in this lake, only going out when I really had a need for something, so I'm not very knowledgeable about the outside world.'

Rean and Kentucky were taken aback. 'You don't know?'

The mollusk continued in silence, waiting for them to answer.

Seeing that the mollusk wasn't lying, Rean used his Divine Sense to explain what a city was. 'And that's about it. We need to know if there is any place around here similar to the description I gave you. Cities in the Demon Beasts' territories are really rare, exactly by the lack of sentient beings within it. Oh, by the way, you can call me Rean.'

The mollusk seemed marveled by Rean's words. 'There are such things between our Demon Beast Races? Oh, right, I'm Zutuk. Anyway, I wish I could see one of the cities you talked about. They seem very interesting.'

Zutuk continued. 'Unfortunately, there is definitely no such thing anywhere around here. As I said, I only went out a few times out of necessity, so I might be wrong. Yet, if there was anything like a city here, I think I would know. Sorry for not being able to help.'

Rean shook his head. 'It's fine, friend. Do you perhaps know which continent of the Demon Beasts Territory this is?'



'I'm sorry, I'm truly unaware of such things,' Zutuk answered. 'However, I admit that I'm a pretty bad choice to gather information from. Instead, you should visit the Red Luans. Their leader is a stage higher than me, and he definitely traveled a lot more than I did. He is a Bird, after all.'

'A Late Stage Transition Realm Demon Bird, uh?' Rean didn't see why not. 'Sure, please tell us where we can find these Red Luans Territory.'

A few minutes later, Kentucky shot out of the lake and soared into the skies. Back down the lake, Zutuk looked at a small pile of Rank Three Divine Stones with excitement. He had never seen a Rank Three Divine Stone before, let alone so many. What he thought to be a calamity when Rean and Kentucky appeared turned out to be the greatest fortune of his life until now. Naturally, such a meager amount meant nothing to Rean, so he gave the stones without even thinking.

In the air, Kentucky used his Spatial Powers to increase the speed, flying in the direction of the Red Luans' home. It took another three days to get there, and they kept their Divine Sense spread nonstop. Yet, they still couldn't see a single Demon Beast at the Transition Realm of higher. Only when Kentucky sighted a huge mountain range in the distance they finally found another one. 'So much red...'

Countless flocks of red birds flew in and out of the mountain ranges, with nests filling them at every crevice. Different from the Divine Demon Beast Blue Luan, the Red Luans were quite common. They did carry a faint trace of the real Blue Luan bloodline, but that definitely didn't make them Divine Demon Beasts.

The Red Luans noticed Rean and Kentucky's approach. As very territorial creatures, they immediately launched themselves against them, red to lay their lives to get rid of the enemy. Yet, just as they were about to clash head-on...

\*Creeeeeeeeeeee!\*

A powerful cry echoed from Kentucky's mount. His Divine Demon Bird bloodline presence spread everywhere, instilling fear in all the Red Luans. Not a single Luan had the courage to flap forward anymore. They all fled back into their nests as they trembled nonstop.

Kentucky then landed on the top of one of the mountains, waiting.

It was then that a red streak of light came from further inside the mountain. Soon, it landed right in front of Kentucky. It was none other than the Late-Stage... No, it had been a long time since Zutuk saw this Red Luan, which was now in the Peak Stage of the Transition Realm.

"I'm sorry for my race's behavior, seniors. I'm Gooti. May I be of any help?" The Red Luan could feel Kentucky's bloodline as well. Cultivation was obvious there too, but Kentucky's bloodline definitely gave Gooti a much heavier pressure.

Kentucky smiled in response. "I hope you can."

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Chapter 2176: Changes in the Continental Barrier

Kentucky nodded before asking. "I need to know if there is any Demon Beast City with a teleport formation anywhere in this area. If not, just knowing which continent this is and how far it is from the center of the Realm of Gods will already be enough."

Zutuk's head inclined to the side, obviously showing his confusion. "Formation? City? Continent? Realm of Gods? What are those things?"

It would be a lie if Kentucky and Rean said that they didn't expect it to happen. However, the reality still hurt quite a little. It was obvious that they were truly, truly very close to the end of the Realm of Gods on the Demon Beasts' side. Sure, the Realm of Gods was ridiculously enormous, but it wasn't like it didn't have an end. Rean pondered a bit and decided to explain the things with a Divine Sense message about the things Kentucky had just asked.

Only then Zutuk got an idea of how the Realm of Gods works. "So this place where I live is called Realm of Gods? And this 'city' you talked about seems like nothing but a dream. Of course, I am not saying that seniors are lying. It's just that even though I traveled quite a lot around this region, I've never seen anything like that. First of all, let alone millions of Demon Beasts with sentience in this city of yours. I myself don't know more than 30 or so Demon Beasts at the Transition Realm."

"However..." Zutuk remembered something. "The concept of the continent does make some sense. You are talking about that barrier of energy that prevents us from going out, right?"

Rean and Kentucky nodded. As long as they were in the Realm of Gods, the Continental Barrier would be present even if they were so far from the center.

Zutuk then explained. "So that's how the continents are divided. It's just that something happened to that barrier a few decades ago."

"With the barrier?" Rean and Kentucky looked at each other before looking back at Zutuk. "The barrier has been there for countless years as far as we know. What happened to it?"

"It disappeared," Zutuk answered.

"What?!" Rean and Kentucky were taken aback. "Are you sure? The Continental Barrier, that huge wall of elements and energy that expanded all the way out to the skies, that Continental Barrier, disappeared?"

Zutuk confirmed. "Yes, I was also hugely surprised to see that. It had been there ever since I gained sentience a few thousand years ago. Yet, it is completely gone. I don't know why."

Rean pondered a bit before Roan's voice echoed in his mind from within the Dimensional Realm. 'It is most likely because of the war between the Realm of Gods and Underworld for the Northeast side of the Realm. How they managed to make the barrier disappear, I don't know. Yet, I'm pretty sure that is the reason.'

Rean had to admit Roan's words made sense. 'Well, whether the barrier was there or not, it wouldn't change much for us. We have Fluki living inside Luan, after all. He could have brought us through the barrier, so it doesn't matter. Since his cultivation follows Luan's, he should be in the Void Tempering Realm as well.'

It's been many years since they saw Fluki. After all, that guy had no interest in staying outside Luan's soul. He only came out when the barrier had to be crossed. If not that Luan confirmed that he was still there, and well, they might have thought something happened to that Spirit.

Rean thought about the issue for a moment and asked something else. "You said you knew around thirty Transition Realm Demon Beasts, right? Have you seen any Demon Beast at the Void Tempering Realm or

above?" He thought that the lack of knowledge of Zutuk was likely due to his low cultivation. At the Void Tempering Realm, Spatial Power began to be used, so the ability to travel long distances increases several folds.

Zutuk searched his memories for a moment but shook his head in the end. "Sorry, I truly have never seen anyone with a cultivation higher than Transition Realm. In fact, this little one has no idea what kind of Realm both sirs are at the moment, just that it is vastly superior to mine."

Kentucky then sent Rean a Divine Sense message. 'Rean, it is probably because of the scarce Divine Energy. Have you noticed how thin Divine Energy is here?'

Rean nodded. 'That was how the Realm of Gods always worked. The further away from the center, the lower the concentration. I just didn't expect the concentration to be so low at the point of preventing the Demon Beasts from reaching the Void Tempering Realm. It quite reminds me of the Mortal World and Spiritual Energy.'

Rean then looked in a certain direction. Although he didn't know how far from the Center of the Realm of Gods he was, he at least knew the direction to go there. He then looked back at Zutuk and thanked him. "You helped us a lot. Thank you, friend. We will leave you to your own devices."

Kentucky and Rean then prepared to leave and even prepared to throw Zutuk a few Rank Three Divine Stones when suddenly, Zutuk called their attention. "Wait!"

Rean and Kentucky looked at Zutuk, puzzled. "Did you forget to mention something?"

Zutuk shook his head. "No. That's not it." Zutuk then took a deep breath before saying, "Sirs, would you allow me to accompany you? I'll make sure I will be of some help."

It wasn't hard to understand why Zutuk asked such a thing. This was the first time he saw someone above the Transition Realm, so he obviously wanted to get there one day too. 'Well, the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm still needs a lot of lives to be filled...' Celis commented from within the Dimensional Realm.

Rean agreed with him. "Alright, Zutuk. I'll send you inside my Pocket Dimensional Realm. Don't resist."

"Dimensional Realm?" Zutuk then felt a Spatial Pull around his body. He instinctively tried to resist but then remembered what Rean said and let it take over its body. The next time he saw, he was already inside the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. "This..." Sure enough, Zutuk had never been in a Dimensional Realm either.

Yet, he was quickly pulled out of the Dimensional Realm again by Rean, reappearing in the Mountain Range. "Sorry, I forgot to ask. "Do you wish to bring your race with you? We have a lot of space in the Dimensional Realm, so you won't occupy much."

"Eh?!" Zutuk looked around. His Red Luan Race had thousands of members in this mountain range. "Does that 'something realm' really fit everyone?"

Rean nodded. "It does. Yet, that also means you will abandon your home. It will probably be forever since coming back to this place will truly be very hard in the future. Think well."

Yet, Zutuk quickly made his decision. "Yes, bring us all!" How could he deny his race of such a change? With a big cry, all the Red Luan in the entire mountain range gathered close to him while using their Divine Energies to carry their nests and eggs.

Rean nodded with a satisfied expression and immediately sent them all inside the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. They had some mountain ranges in the new Soul Gem Dimensional Realm Planet, so it was perfect for the Red Luans if they took one of those to live.

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Chapter 2177: We Need a Spatial Gate

Inside the Dimensional Realm, Zutuk was able to feel the much higher concentration of Divine Energy, which truly excited him. "This is so good..." The Dimensional Realm always has several times more Divine Energy than the outside world, thanks to Celis, so it was obviously much better. Of course, it couldn't compare to the usage of Divine Stones directly.

Celis was quite happy to have a sentient Demon Beast inside since all Demon BEasts so far were still below the Transition Realm. That meant he didn't need to organize the Red Luan's race and simply gave Zutuk an explanation of how things worked.

Zutuk was obviously surprised to see another Divine being but quickly adapted. He accepted Celis's orders and controlled his race members to spread around the mountain range given to them. Right after, he made a nest for himself and didn't waste time. Who knows if Rean suddenly decides to throw him away? He needs to take advantage of this enormous amount of Divine Energy as much as possible. He even felt that he could now surpass the famous Transition Realm that no other Demon Beast he knew was ever able to.

With things arranged, Rean and Kentucky returned to the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. After all, it was pretty obvious that they wouldn't find any more information in the outside world. They were just way too far away from the Center. Even if Kentucky flew at top speed nonstop, it would probably take hundreds of years before they finally arrived close enough to a Demon Beast continent that had a Teleport Formation. And that was just an estimation. Perhaps it would take less, but it might as well take even longer.

They all sat near Celis and began to discuss. "So what do we do now? Shall we start traveling even though it will take forever to get to the Center?"

"That wouldn't be that bad of an idea, would it?" Celis asked. "That meant I would be cultivating with the Divine Origin Energy Cores all the way. By the time we get there, we should all be in the Elemental Space Realm already. No, with this much Divine Energy and myself in the mix, it wouldn't be a dream to go all the way to the Space-Time Realm!"

Of course, getting that much stronger would be great. However, the twins didn't forget that the Realm of Gods and Underworld were in a war for the Northeast side of the Center of the Realm of Gods. They found out about it after coming out of the Swamp of No Return, so it would be a lie if they said they weren't worried about Calina, Qia, and their kids.

"We can't take that long. There has to be a way..." Rean couldn't help but mention.

Celis didn't say anything else after that. In the end, for him, it didn't really matter whether they took longer or not. He is happy as long as he can keep cultivating.

It was then that Roan spoke. "We need to open a Spatial Gate."

As mentioned before, Spatial Gates can be used to travel enormous distances, just like Teleport Formations. Better yet, there was no need to have another Teleport Formation on the other side for it to be used. However... "Spatial Gates can only be opened at the Space-Time Realm, you know?" Kentucky mentioned. No one there had this capability.

Sister Orb understood where Roan was coming from. [So you intend to buy that upgrade now, right?]

Rean also picked up the clue. "I see... You want to buy the Time Acceleration Upgrade."

The twins had another option in the upgrade list that would be able to accelerate the time inside the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. However, according to Sister Orb, the amount of time acceleration depended on how much Divine Energy was used. Naturally, if Divine Stones were used to fuel this feature, the time acceleration would be even higher. It's just that they didn't know how much faster they could get with the energy available to them now.

Celis, obviously, didn't like the idea even a bit. "You can't be thinking about using my Divine Origin Energy Cores, right?" Even if the time accelerated inside the Dimensional Realm, for Celis, it would be as if nothing was happening while inside. Whether he spent a thousand years cultivating in an accelerated time or in a normal time, the fact was that he would experience a thousand years nonetheless. It goes without saying that he would rather not use his Divine Origin Energy Cores for anything else other than cultivation.

Unfortunately for him, that was exactly what Roan intended to do. Even if the time he experienced while cultivating was the same, the fact was that not too long would pass outside. Once they were able to open a Spatial Gate, everything else won't matter. They could depart for the Center of the Realm of Gods straight away. "Seems like you understood the plan."

"No! I won't let you! They are mine!" Celis obviously refused.

Rean patted Celis with a sad expression. "Sorry, bro. But it is necessary. Maybe not for you, but definitely for us."

Celis still wanted to refuse. But then again, this is the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. The twins could do whatever they wanted with the items inside. "Well... fuck!"

Kentucky then raised his wing. "What about we use this time to gather some Demon Beasts in this region to fill the Dimensional Realm? You saw how marveled Zutuk was, so I'm pretty sure the other Transition Realm Demon Beasts would jump straight at the opportunity to live in here."

Rean and Roan had nothing to complain about that plan. "Sure, why not? We will leave this task up to you, Kentucky. Go talk to Zutuk and see where you can find the other Transition Realm Demon Beasts. Try to bring their races with them as well."

"On it!" Kentucky immediately rushed to the Red Luan's Mountain range. He truly didn't want to stay stuck in the Dimensional Realm for years again.

"I accept anything Father and Uncle decide," Luan didn't mind it at all and just took the twins' side.

With that settled, Rean and Roan approached the Soul Gem Orb and accessed the Upgrade List.

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Chapter 2178: No Energy

The twins projected their minds into the Soul Gem Orb and swiftly found their desired objective. The Time Option was right there for them.

[Time Acceleration - 1000000 Destiny Points]

"Sister Orb, how many Destiny Points do we currently possess?" Rean inquired before proceeding with the purchase.

[You currently have 2633215 Destiny Points. You can acquire this time acceleration and allocate the remaining points elsewhere.]

Rean and Roan nodded, proceeding to initiate the purchase promptly.

[Time Acceleration - 1000000 Destiny Points]



[Confirm Purchase?]

"Yes!"

[Destiny Points: 2633215]

[Purchase Confirmed]

[Initiating Upgrade]

Instantly, the entire atmosphere of the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm began to transform. Golden light permeated every corner of the planet, including its underground and skies. The same occurred with the sun and the void surrounding it.

In proximity to the other structures of the Soul Gem System, a new construction began to take shape. Although not grand in size, they were spacious enough for a few individuals to reside within. Of course, it wasn't there so that someone could move inside. It obviously had nothing to do with that.

These changes continued for several hours, causing concern among the demon beasts and village inhabitants. Sister Orb had to visit the village and assure them that all was well, while Celis relayed the same information to Zutuk.

Let us not forget that Rean and Roan still harbored all the people from Sesame's home within the realm, as they had yet to be given the opportunity to relocate to the human territories in the Realm of Gods.

At some point, the Spatial Barrier separating the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm from the outside Spatial Space assumed a faint golden hue. Evidently, this was indicative of the presence of temporal energy. Onlookers observed these changes until, finally, the golden radiance in the environment subsided. However, the golden traces of color at the Spatial Barrier persisted.

[Upgrade Complete.]

Although it was apparent that the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm had undergone a significant alteration, it bore no impact on its fundamental structure. Were it not for the golden hue at the Spatial Barrier, one would hardly discern that anything had occurred.

"Let's take a look inside that new building." Rean and Roan paid no mind to this, proceeding directly to the newly emerged structure resulting from the upgrade.

Within, they discovered an empty pit in the ground. Additionally, countless golden runes adorned the entire structure. Finally, a screen positioned on the opposite side of the room faced the entrance.

Sister Orb floated inside soon after. [Alright, I have acquired the complete instructions on how this functions, although it should be rather self-explanatory. The pit in the ground is where you must deposit the source of Divine Energy that will accelerate time within the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. As for the screen, it allows you to control the speed at which time moves. Naturally, this entire building constitutes a complex Circuitry Formation.]

Rean and Roan nodded. "That is good to know. However, can the Time Acceleration operate by harnessing the ambient Divine Energy?"

[It can, but the rate at which it functions depends on our current location. As you are aware, the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm collects Divine Energy from a vast range of the external world and concentrates it within the realm. Consequently, the Divine Energy within is consistently more abundant than outside.]

[Therefore, the amount of Divine Energy available for accelerating time hinges upon the volume of Divine Energy being drawn from the exterior. The Divine Energy in this part of the Realm of Gods is so scarce that the Demon Beasts here seem incapable of reaching the Void Tempering Realm. That said, do not expect a significant acceleration. The effects would be exponentially greater were we situated at the Center of the Realm of Gods.]

She added further, [By the way, this Circuitry Formation does not differentiate between types of energy. It can employ energy from the Underworld and Heaven as well.]

The twins were content with the outcome. Rean then stepped forward and reached the screen, causing it to illuminate instantly and reveal basic information.

-Time Acceleration: Not active-

-Energy Source: Environmental-

Subsequently, Rean selected the time acceleration option, which presented a few additional choices.

-Please specify the acceleration speed-

"Holy shit!" Rean was taken aback by the tremendous speed at which it could accelerate. The options ranged from doubling to a thousandfold increase! "Just how much energy would it need to accelerate a thousand times?"

The workings of the system were also easily comprehensible. Alongside the acceleration magnitude, the required amount of Divine Energy was displayed. The initial three levels, corresponding to Two, Three, and Four Times, were labeled 'Environmental.' "So, the environmental Divine Energy is sufficient to quadruple the time acceleration, huh?"

Roan nodded. "It appears so. Activate the formation and let us witness its functionality."

Without hesitation, Rean selected the four times option to test.

Every golden rune in the room radiated brightly as the building itself began absorbing Divine Energy from outside the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. Subsequently, the Dimensional Realm emanated a golden glow for a few seconds, signifying the acceleration of time within.

Finally, the time speed settled at four times its original rate. Rean even established a slight connection with the outside world, observing a tree swaying in the wind. From his perspective, the tree appeared to move at a significantly slower pace—four times slower, to be precise. Of course, it was not the tree itself that had slowed down, but rather the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm that had accelerated. "Four times! And we do not even require Divine Stones for this!"

Yet, their elation dissipated as swiftly as it had arrived. That's because they noticed a change in their surroundings. "Divine Energy has vanished..."

Indeed, all the Divine Energy within the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm had vanished entirely. The reason became evident to anyone who pondered the situation. The Divine Energy that typically sustained the Dimensional Realm was now being entirely consumed by the Time Acceleration Formation!

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Chapter 2179: More Divine Stones

"Hey, who's stealing my Divine Energy?!" Celis's voice echoed in the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. Even though he used the Origin Energy Cores, he still relied on regular Divine Energy too.

Rean and Roan brushed him off as Rean switched off the Time Acceleration. Golden light flooded the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm once again, restoring it to the same time speed as the outside world. Obviously, the Divine Energy returned to normal too. "Looks like four times is the limit for this place," Rean remarked.

Roan nodded in agreement. "Yeah, seems like it. If I'm not mistaken, as long as you choose two or three times acceleration, the Dimensional Realm won't run out of Divine Energy completely. It'll only decrease in concentration."

Rean then glanced at the hole in the ground and decided to give it a try. They tapped into their connection with the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm and summoned thousands of Rank One Divine Stones. After all these years, they had amassed hundreds of thousands of these common Divine Stones. If they wanted, they could gather millions by exchanging higher-level ones or selling Rean's Equipment and Roan's Pills.

However, the hole could only fit around ten thousand Divine Stones at a time. But that didn't matter since they could simply refill it as the Circuitry Formation consumed the energy. "Alright, let's turn it on," Rean said as he approached the screen.

This time, the acceleration options had expanded. From five times to seventeen times, there were now 'Rank One Divine Stones' written beside them. "Looks like Rank One Divine Stones can only accelerate up to seventeen times."

"Sister Orb, can we combine Divine Stones with the environmental Divine Energy?" Rean inquired.

[We can, but the speed won't increase significantly. You need to understand that each higher level consumes more energy than the previous one. If you add environmental Divine Energy after activating the seventeen times option, it won't increase by another three times. It'll only increase once,] Sister Orb explained.

Upon hearing this, Rean and Roan gave up on using the environmental Divine Energy. They needed to leave Divine Energy for the people and Demon Beasts in the Dimensional Realm to cultivate, after all. "Alright, let's stick with using Divine Stones only."

Rean activated the Time Acceleration once again, this time using only the Divine Stones to reach seventeen times the speed of the outside world.

\*Puff... Puff... Puff...\*

Every ten seconds or so, a crumbling sound could be heard in the room. The twins looked at the hole with the Divine Stones and realized that it was the Rank One Divine Stones being continuously used. "Seems like each Divine Stone is only enough for ten seconds of acceleration."

Roan nodded. "We put ten thousand Rank One Divine Stones inside, which should sustain the time acceleration for 27 hours."

Rean sighed in disappointment. "That's 27 hours here in the Dimensional Realm. Time outside is passing seventeen times slower. In other words, ten thousand Rank One Divine Stones are only enough for a little over a day's worth of cultivation. Time is accelerated, but not our cultivation speed."

Despite having a large quantity of Rank One Divine Stones, they were not limitless. Rean quickly calculated the stones they possessed and came to a conclusion. "If we use all our Rank One Divine Stones, we should be able to sustain this level of time acceleration for three weeks. That's equivalent to a little over a day's time outside the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm."

Naturally, this was both good and bad news. While they would save a significant amount of time, they couldn't sustain it for too long. Three weeks meant nothing to cultivators of the Space Bending Realm like them. They would require hundreds or maybe thousands of years instead.

Roan squinted his eyes. "Seventeen times is still too slow. Sister Orb, based on Celis's cultivation speed with our assistance, how long will it take for us to reach the Elemental Space Realm? Of course, we'll be using the Divine Origin Cores all the way."

"Well, without the need to convert Divine Energy into Divine Origin Energy, your cultivation is already around ten times faster. And you're already in the Late Stage of the Space Bending Realm. There's only one more stage before the breakthrough. I estimate it will take around 42 years, give or take," Sister Orb explained.

This wasn't surprising to them. Each level took longer than the previous one. Without the Divine Origin Energy Cores, the twins would need over 400 years to reach that stage. 42 years was already a significant improvement. However, their goal was to open a Spatial Gate, which required reaching the Space-Time Realm. "How long would it take to progress from the Elemental Space to the Space-Time Realm?"

[That's hard to measure since I can't observe your cultivation speed in the Elemental Space Realm. But if I were to guess, it would probably take you between 1000 to 1200 years. It's not a precise number, but it shouldn't be too far off. And that's while using Divine Origin Energy nonstop,] Sister Orb explained. [Don't underestimate that timeframe. Other beings would easily take over ten thousand years.]

The reason for the scarcity of Space-Time Realm experts wasn't solely due to talent. It was mainly because the lifespan of an Elemental Space Realm cultivator was only around 28,000 years. 99.99% of the time, they reached the end of their lifespan before even getting the chance to attempt the breakthrough into the Space-Time Realm. It was only at the Space-Time Realm that a cultivator achieved true immortality. In any case, the fact that the twins would only need 1000 to 1200 years was ridiculously fast.

"Fortunately, we have enough Divine Origin Energy Cores for that," Rean added. "Still, this time..."

Even with enough Divine Energy to power the formation for such a long period, seventeen times acceleration would mean that 70 years would pass outside, more or less. "No choice. Let's try higher-level Divine Stones and see how it goes."

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## Chapter 2180: Well Said

The twins still had a lot of Rank Two and even Rank Three Divine Stones. It's just that the higher the level, the less they had. Rank Four was obviously the same thing. Even counting everything they have, their numbers are just around 3000 Rank Four. Nonetheless, they started to use Rank Two Divine Stones first.

Ream didn't turn on the Time acceleration straight away. Instead, he just put the Divine Stones inside the hole and watched which options were liberated for him.

-58 Times Acceleration- Rank Two Divine Stones

Finally, Rean turned on the Circuitry Formation, which made the entire Dimensional Realm glow with golden light for a moment. Time accelerated 58 times as the sound of Divine Stones breaking apart could be heard. Just like before, one Divine Stone turned to dust every ten or so seconds.

"Seems like that as long as we use the highest acceleration available, the Divine Stones will be consumed by one every ten seconds," Rean considered.

Roan nodded. "Just take them out and try the Rank Three Divine Stones. However, don't use the higher time available. Instead, select the middle option. If it allows 50 times, choose 25, and so on."

Rean understood where Roan was coming from. "You want to check if we can save Divine Stones while still keeping a good enough acceleration."

"Correct," Roan confirmed.

Rean quickly turned off the circuitry formation and replaced the Rank Two Divine Stones with Rank Three ones. This time, the screen gave the option to select up to 134 times the speed. Sure, it does look like a lot of acceleration. However, one must remember that full speed will consume one Divine Stone every ten seconds. It won't be of any use to accelerate 134 times if they can't keep it up for more than a few days.

Nonetheless, Rean only selected the half-point, 67 times.

The twins waited for a while until, three minutes and a half later, the first Rank Three Divine Stone broke. "67 times the speed and one Rank Three Divine Stone every one and a half minutes..."

Roan pondered a bit. "How many Rank Three Divine Stones do we have?"

Sister Orb was there too. [Not many. Only 18723 are available at the moment. That's because the guys of our sect during our time back then spent a lot of time filling the coffers. For us, it isn't hard to obtain a lot of Rank Three Divine Stones, but we would need something like a city, and a big one at that, to trade for it. I doubt we can find such high-level Divine Stones in this continent where Divine Energy is so sparse.]

Rean sighed in response. "If we use all the Rank Three Divine Stones, it will only be enough for forty-five days and a half of acceleration at 67 times the speed." They needed 1000 to 1200 years at least, and that would still mean 15 years or more gone in the outside world. Forty-five days while they needed a thousand years was truly nothing at all.

Rean shrugged his shoulders. "Sure, the formation is marvelous, but it is also hungry as fuck!"

"However, we still have around 3000 Rank Four Divine Stones. Give it a try and let's see how much we can get from that with a not-so-fast acceleration," Roan said. "If possible, I truly don't want to use the Divine Origin Energy cores for this."

Rean nodded and quickly made the swap. This time, with Rank Four Divine Stones, the screen showed an acceleration speed of up to a ridiculous 311 times. Rank Four Divine Stones were much harder to get, but the screen in front of Rean reflected their worth.

Too bad that the crazy number was pretty much useless. Selecting that speed would consume one Rank Four Divine Stone every ten seconds. With only 3000 available, this kind of acceleration would only work for 8 hours and something.

Rean already knew that one Divine Stone would be used every ten seconds if he chose the highest option. This time, however, he didn't select half of 311. Instead, he chose only 30 times, less than a tenth of the speed acceleration available.



Once again, the Rank Four Divine Stone's worth was proven. The twins had to wait 13 hours before the first one broke! "Holy Shit! One Rank Four Divine Stone every thirteen hours with a 30-times speed increment. This is amazing, and 30 times speed isn't anything to scoff at. It just pains me to see that we have to use Rank Four Divine Stone for that."

Roan didn't mind. "It's better than using Divine Origin Energy Cores. These things are priceless in our Universe. Still, let me calculate how long we can keep 30 times acceleration." Roan did a quick check in his mind before saying, "Sigh... still not good enough. Our 3000 Rank Four Divine Stones will only give us four years and five months or so of acceleration. A lot better than the previous tests, but still lacking."

"Should we reduce the speed increment to 20 times and see what happens? It will definitely last way more than just four years. Proportionally, it will definitely last more than double that time," said Rean.

Roan shook his head. "It would be good in other situations, but not this one. Remember, we need at least a thousand years to get to the Space-Tiem Realm. If we use a 20 times acceleration, that would mean 50 years in the outside world. The Realm of Gods is at war with the Devils. Do you want to wait that long before we can leave this place? I would rather try my luck and fly in the direction of the Center of the Realm of Gods, trying to find a Demon Beast city with a teleport formation. 30 times is already not to my liking, to be honest, but I can at least accept it."

It was then that Sister Orb reminded the twins. [I did say you would take at least a thousand years to get to the Space-Time Realm. However, did you forget you still have 1633215 Destiny Points available? You could buy upgrades related to your cultivation speed.]

The twins' eyes lit up. "Well said, Sister Orb."