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Chapter 2481: Not a Wasted Trip

Another day went by when Rean approached a new city. His Light and Divine Sense Bending Skills were activated while he also used a new appearance. Rean's Spatial Power was constantly circulating around him, ready to tear space and open another Spatial Gate if necessary.

However, even after arriving in front of the City, Rean's Natural Spatial Perception and Divine Sense Bending Skill couldn't detect anyone behind the Space Bending Realm. 'Could it be I'm safe now?'

Rean selected this city very carefully this time. It didn't have a Long-Distance Teleport Formation, but it had normal ones that connected to other cities nearby. It couldn't be considered a big city, but it wasn't that small either. Still, to make sure things wouldn't go south, Rean also selected this city because it didn't have the signal of the communication system.

Rean and Roan didn't really need to use the communication badges to communicate when they were far away from each other. Although most of the system's abilities were deactivated in that state, it was still possible to talk to Sister Orb and use a little bit of her power, like how she unveiled the Green Rune in the Core before.

That said, they could use Sister Orb as an intermediary to talk from pretty much anywhere as long as they were on the same side of the Universe. It's just that it was annoying, so they preferred the communication system instead.

Without the signal from the communication system, one would need to use expensive Long-Distance Thoughts Transmission Talismans, which added another layer of protection to Rean as he got here.

Rean then entered the city and appeared in a corner without anyone noticing. From there, he went to the Formations Guild and took the first teleportation to another city. With the delay in the detection used by the enemy, all Rean had to do was teleport from one city to another, not giving time for anyone to pinpoint him down.

Of course, it was all useless. The enemy wasn't pursuing him anymore since it was indeed the Core that was being tracked. Unfortunately, Rean didn't know that.

Soon, Rean teleported to a city that had Long-Distance Teleport Formations. It was quite a big city in the center of the Realm of Gods, and even a Divinity Realm expert would think twice before starting trouble there. Rean decided to stay there on purpose, trying to attract whoever was after him.

Yet, a week went by, and not a single soul appeared. 'Hum... could it be that it was truly only the Core that was being tracked?' Rean thought as he began to calm down.

Bzzzz!

It was at this moment that Rean jumped in fright... just to find out that it was his communication badge that received a message. 'Fuck! Oh, right... A city of this size obviously has a signal from the communication system.'

Rean took the communication badge, expecting it to be a call from Roan. Yet, to his surprise, it was related to the requests in the Online Market. Because he agreed with the guy that he wouldn't take it down, it was obviously still up there for anyone to see. "Eh?! For real?"

Turns out that the message was related to the Aberrant Devil Flower. A Demon Beast that lived in the Floral Demon Land just so happened to live in a secluded place in that continent. After it came out from seclusion while it was going thorough a breakthrough, it noticed that the land around was completely dead.

As a Demon Beast from that continent, it obviously understands that another Aberrant Devil Flower must have appeared. It moved to look for it and to its surprise, due to the region it lived, the Flower had absorbed all the plant life over more than 15000 kilometers. The Demon Beast was quite strong, though. It easily destroyed the root of the Flower without it being able to offer resistance.

Yet, before it completely eliminated the Flower, one of its descendants contacted the Demon Beast. It was living in the Demon Beast City under the Demon Beast's orders as that Demon Beast wanted to know how the war was going at set intervals. Surprisingly, when the Demon Beast mentioned it was destroying a huge Aberrant Demon Flower, its descendant immediately told about the Online Market Request.

Seeing the reward in the Online Market itself, the Demon Beast couldn't help but thank the heavens for its luck. It sealed the Aberrant Devil Flower and immediately contacted Rean.

Rean, obviously, was even happier. And to make sure it wasn't a scam, Rean also set the meeting to be in another one of the Big Cities of the Humanoid Races.

Rean and the Demon Beast then met in a hotel near the center of the city. "Hello, friend. Your name is Tuyu, right? I'm the one looking for the Flower; you can call me Goku. Do you really have an Aberrant Devil Flower that has absorbed the Plant Life over 10000 kilometers?" Rean asked with a smile.

Tuyu quickly nodded. "You are really lucky, or perhaps I am. This thing just happened to be nearby when I left seclusion. Anyway, it has taken the lives of all plants over 15000 kilometers, so it should be well within your requirements."

Rean definitely had no problems with it. "Great! As mentioned in the request, I'm offering 100 Rank Seven Divine Stones for it. Is that fine with you?"

Tuyu nodded. "Sure. I don't know why anyone would pay so much for this poisonous Flower. If you wanted poison, there were countless better and cheaper options. Nonetheless, it is not my place to complain. Show me the Divine Stones."

Rean threw a Spatial Ring to the guy, who did the same in Rean's direction. Both looked inside and couldn't help but nod in satisfaction. "I guess we have a deal."

Tuyu immediately left, afraid that Rean would regret his decision.

As for Rean, he was even happier. There wasn't just one Flower. Because of how far it absorbed Plant Lives, it multiplied another two times, so Rean now had three flowers instead of one. "At least this trip wasn't wasted in the end."

Finally, Rean left the city as well, now making his way back to the training ground.

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Chapter 2482: Better In One Thing

Rean took several precautions and even tried to lure whoever was pursuing him once to see if the coast was clear. Yet, no one appeared, which made him pretty sure the reason he was being followed was the Core indeed. Since no one appeared, it would be paranoid to continue to expect something, so Rean returned to the training ground directly after the bait didn't work.

Roan was already there with Luan, waiting for Rean to arrive. Rean then noticed that the Divine Energy was quite chaotic as he approached his formation. Rean was the only one who could perceive it, though. When he entered his concealing formation, he saw Roan and Luan fighting in the skies. 'Well, Roan hadn't had a chance to test and train Luan during the past few years, so I guess he couldn't hold himself.'

That was true. Roan was fighting Luan to check how much he had improved during the last trip. One thing he was certain about was that Luan didn't slack in his cultivation. From the looks of it, Luan only needed one last push, and he could break through, entering the Elemental Space Realm. 'I wonder what kind of difference the Elemental Space Realm would make to Luan. After all, his Elemental Affinity is already Space. Is it possible to merge Space with Space? That sounds quite ridiculous, though.'

Bang!

Suddenly, Luan was hit by the back of Roan's White Star Scythe, crashing against the ground like a meteor. Roan then landed where Luan fell and gave a slight nod of approval. "It's good to see you didn't slack in your combat training as well. I used a power way above yours in this last attack, but you still managed to block it in the last second. Not too bad."

Luan then came out of the ground, feeling like he was hit by a mountain. "T-Thank you, father." Yet, he was happy with Roan's praise. His trip to the Spirit Race Territory wasn't smooth sailing. He close close to death several times, especially when he tried to acquire the Juniry Flower. But in the end, it all helped in his development. Luan truly had the mind and body to travel around the Realm of Gods on his own, which was another objective of Roan sending him alone on this journey.

Roan then turned to Rean and extended his hand. "Give it to me."

Rean shrugged his shoulders and threw the Spatial Ring with those three Aberrant Devil Flowers inside. "It should be more than enough for Celis."

Roan checked the contents and nodded. "Yes, they are perfect."

Roan then moved to another corner of the area and waved his hand, causing the Alchemy Workshop to appear and land on the ground. Following that, his subordinates appeared as well. "Alright, the holidays are over. Let's go back and have all this equipment figured out to their minimal details."

Rean sighed and then looked at Luan, who was still outside. "So, what do you intend to do? You probably noticed it as well, right? Roan sent you alone to test whether or not you could live on your own. From the moment we took you in, you have always followed us, so I'm happy to see you can take care of yourself. If you want, you don't really need to follow us anymore. Your life is yours, and you can do whatever you want with it."

Luan shook his head. "I'm one of the very few beings in the Universe who knows about Uncle and Father's mission. If my elemental sacred eyes can be of any help at all, I want to be there for you. Once the Universe is reunified, I can think about what I'm gonna do."

"Is that so?" Rean asked back with a smile. "Alright, I won't say anything else. If you wish to leave one day, just tell us. Now, I'm going to send you back into the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm. Time there is running 20 times the speed, so it should be perfect for you to get the last step and enter the Elemental Space Realm."

"Yes, Uncle Rean!" Luan agreed with Rean and disappeared a second later. He was very confident he would succeed in the breakthrough.

After that, Rean went to the same empty Space as he used before and made the Blacksmith Workshop appear. Naturally, he also called the Blacksmiths and Formations Masters he had been working within the last five years. "I hope you guys had a good rest. From here onwards, we will focus 100% on the refinement process of the workshop equipment. Other than the time you spend cultivating, you will always be here."

Everyone was excited, especially the people from Earth. If anything, they felt quite bored during the time Rean was gone, as the Workshop needed him to work. They all entered the Workshop and resumed their training from where they stopped.

Time continued to pass, and three months later, Luan succeeded in his breakthrough. He was finally in the same cultivation realm as Rean, Roan, Kentucky, and Celis. Of course, that was mostly because he didn't need anywhere as much energy as Rean and Roan's ridiculously spacious Dantians did. Not to mention Luan's cultivation manual was crafted by both him and Roan, being of really high quality. It was completely new as Luan was the only Space Affinity cultivator they had seen up to this day.

Rean and Roan even came out to check on him since they wanted to see what would happen. Elemental Space Realm allowed one to merge their Elemental Affinity and Space Together, but Luan had Space Affinity. In the end, it truly made no difference for Luan. The only thing he acquired by reaching that Realm was a higher control over his Spatial Power.

If one counts Spatial Power alone, Luan was now better than Rean and Roan and even Kentucky. Minokawas didn't have an Affinity with Space, but they were very close to it. Yet, Luan surpassed Kentucky's control over it while he was still at the Initial Stage of the same Realm.

Of course, it would have been better if he could merge an element into his Spatial Powers, but he was already happy knowing that he was the best of their group in at least one thing.

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Chapter 2483: Hyeoumu?

"Father, it will take some time for me to stabilize my cultivation even with your pills. Do you need me to do something else during this time?" Luan asked, eager to try out his new strength in the Elemental Space Realm.

Roan pondered a bit. Nothing was better than a battle to stabilize one's cultivation. It can't be a training like what he does, but a real battle. "Have you considered joining the war against the Devils?"

Luan was taken aback. "This... I can't say I haven't thought about that. However, aren't all the armies at a standstill because of the Living Soul Devil? Even if I join any of the armies, there would be no battles for me to participate, no?"

Roan shook his head. "That's only regarding large-scale battles. Do you really think all cultivators are just standing there, doing nothing? I can guarantee there are plenty of groups doing small skirmishes right and left, even if the Divinity Realm Experts and Elder Devils aren't moving. Just join any of those groups or build your one."

Rean agreed with Roan. "He is right. We will stay here for another four years at least. That's plenty of time for you to go out and gain more experience. Besides, it is not like you must join the army. I told you before. You are free, so you can go out and find other ways to train yourself."

Roan continued from there. "However, do not get ahead of yourself. Just because you have a strength above your Realm doesn't mean there aren't Devils who can do the same. Just take these four years to learn what you can and come back. We already have a destination once our training here is over."

Luan quickly nodded. "Yes, Father, Uncle Rean!" Luan had no issues with resources, so he got a few more Divine Stones from the twins and left. He even decided that he would use his Merit Points to buy more of those Serene Golden Filaments since Rean was going to make that new armor for him as well. Rean said he already had enough, but Luan preferred to be safe. Luan then left the concealing formation, heading to the nearest city.

Rean and Roan returned to their workshops after that. There wasn't much they could do other than hope everything went fine for Luan.

Once again, another two years went by in a flash. Other than the sporadic complaining from Kentucky about him being bored of cultivating, nothing else changed much.

Rumble!

Yet, the calm didn't last long. The ground began to tremble nonstop, catching the twins' attention. They came out of their workshop and spread their Divine Senses. As far as they could see, the Earthquake was affecting everything.

Bzzz...

Following that, Rean's communication badge came to life as someone was calling him. "Qia? What is it?"

'Rean? Havek just called me. Can you feel the Earthquake?' Qia went straight to the point.

Rean was surprised to hear that since the Dragon Race Territory was countless kilometers of distance from where he was now. Yet, the same Earthquake was happening there. Not only that, but it was also hitting Havek's location, which was also far away in another direction.

Rean then looked at Roan, who seemed to have had the same idea as him. "Check the information in the communication system. See if the same is happening all over the Realm of Gods."

Rean nodded and quickly looked for the information. Sure enough, an unlimited number of calls and messages were going everywhere about this phenomenon. "Indeed, as far as I can see, it is happening all over the Realm of Gods."

Roan then looked to the ground before commenting. "Could it be Hyeoumu?"

"Only Hyeoumu could cause an Earthquake of this size, right?" Rean also thought the same thing as Roan.

A few minutes later, the trembling stopped around them, and so it did in the entire Realm of Gods.

Rean and Roan reached the same conclusion after seeing that. "Most likely, Hyeoumu can't hold his chaotic energy anymore. That means the Continental Barriers are about to come back."

Rean then checked the communication system. If the Continental Barriers did really reappear, there should be a lot of messages regarding this issue all over. Yet, other than all the confusion about the Earthquakes, there was pretty much nothing regarding the Continental Barriers. "It doesn't seem the Continental Barriers are back yet."

Roan turned around, walking back to the Alchemy Workshop. "Hyeoumu might be reaching his limit, but that doesn't mean he is already there. Besides, this is just our conjecture. This Earthquake might have been for another reason unrelated to Hyeoumu, too. The best we can do is to ignore it and continue our work."

Rean saw that and pondered a bit. After a moment, he finally decided to contact Flinyu, the Peak Stage Divinity Realm expert. "Senior Flinyu, you definitely noticed this Earthquake. Considering that it was you

guys who made a deal with senior Hyeoumu on behalf of the Realm of Gods, you sure have some information related to it, right?'

Rean then put his communication badge away. He didn't call Flinyu, only left a message. Considering what just happened, Flinyu was bound to be busy, so Rean believed Flinyu or maybe Folesve would take a long time before they answered.

Rean was right, it wasn't before three days later that he finally got an answer from Flinyu. 'At least you are sensible to not call during that time and only leave a message. Anyway, we also thought the Earthquake was related to senior Hyeoumu. The Continental barriers are supposed to stay down for a long time, so this sudden change also caught our attention. However, Hyeoumu told us that it wasn't him who did that. Simply put, it wasn't Hyeoumu who began to shake. It seems to be something related to the Universe itself. We are still investigating what caused it, though. If we find something, I'll let you know.'

"The Universe itself?" Rean truly didn't expect that.

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Chapter 2484: It Better Be Zero

Roan also heard that through the connection with Rean. 'The Universe...'

Rean nodded. 'We have always known that if we don't reunite both sides of the Universe, it will perish.'

Roan understood what Rean meant. 'We have known that, but we haven't seen any signs that it was actually happening. Could it be this was the first clue of the Universe's instability?'

'Perhaps,' Rean said. 'Sister Orb, can you tell anything?'

[No,] Sister Orb was also taken by surprise by that information. [At the very least, it doesn't seem like the system is reacting to it. We can draw two conclusions from that. The first is that this change in the Universe doesn't have anything to do with the system's objective. The second one is that it is related, but the system doesn't see it as something big enough to give a warning.]

Nonetheless, that 'shake' gave the twins a sense of worry. For it to be able to affect even an existence of the size of Hyeoumu, it definitely wasn't simple. Too bad there was nothing they could do at the moment.

"Alright, let's go back to our training. If it is truly related to the destruction of the Universe, then we need to focus even more," Roan said as he returned to his Alchemy Workshop.

Rean nodded and followed suit, entering the Blacksmith Workshop instead.

Time continued to pass and Rean's group only kept training. Now and then, they would receive news from outside through the communication system, but it looked like things didn't change much. The Living Soul Devil was still running around, destroying more cities while the powers of the Realm of Gods continued to pursue it.

Several traps and whatnot have been prepared from the thing, but it seemed to always know where the danger was and never got close to it. The powers of the Realm of Gods even started to wonder if there were some within the Divinity Realm experts who were leaking the information on purpose. Nonetheless, no one had any proof.

In the end, the war couldn't keep going, and the precious time that the Continental Barriers were down was quickly being used.

Roan was right about one thing, though. Although huge-scale battles weren't happening anymore, small skirmishes still occurred right and left. In the great scale of things, those battles made little to no change to the end result, but it wasn't like either side cared. Luan, obviously was within these groups that constantly attacked the Devils. Not only that, he was even making a name for himself, holding tight to Roan's teachings.

Just like that, another four years and something went by, completing the ten years total Rean and Roan set for themselves. Truth be told, both of them thought they were already at a high enough level to stop that session of training. Nonetheless, they didn't want to leave things to chance, so they pushed through to the very end.

That wasn't all. Just a month before they finished their training in the Blacksmith and Alchemy Workshop, Kentucky and Celis also managed to cultivate enough for the four of them. They were all at the very end of the Elemental Space Realm. All they needed was to sit down and have the breakthrough.

Finally, with the training over and the cultivation ready, the twins' group gathered for the next breakthrough into the Space-Time Realm.

[Alright, you guys are all ready. Rean, Roan, have you read the necessary steps for the breakthrough?]

"Yes." The twins nodded.

The Space-Time Realm was all about comprehending the several sub-laws of a Major Law. The same went for Kentucky and Celis. If they wanted to enter the Space-Time Realm, they would have to touch the laws of the world related to their affinities.

However, one can't perceive the laws before reaching the Space-Time Realm. That's where the breakthrough would show its advantage. During the breakthrough, Rean and Roan's group would reach a space between the Elemental Space Realm and Space-Time Realm. During that time, the laws related to their affinity would show themselves. It was the twins' group's job to feel the laws' presence and use their perception to start an initial comprehension of their future laws.

This was something that even the Soul Gem System's cultivation manual that Rean and Roan used couldn't help with. The manual still made everything else easier, and a breakthrough was absolutely guaranteed as long as they did touch their own laws. But the laws themselves were up to Rean and Roan alone... or it would be normally. However, Kentucky and Celis are also within their cultivation connection. If any of the two failed to touch their laws, then it would also cause Rean and Roan to fail their breakthrough.

Rean then looked at Kentucky as he was curious. "Kentucky, your Minokawa Race has a Dual Affinity with Light and Darkness. Which one are you going to use to enter the Space-Time Realm?"

"Both!" Kentucky answered without even thinking. "I already asked senior Jeskli about that. For Minokawas, their only choice is to comprehend both at the same time. We are a balanced existence of Yin and Yang, and we must continue like that until the end. Senior Jeskli said if I try to touch only the Laws of Light or only the Laws of Darkness, I will never reach the Space-Time Realm."

Rean and Roan looked at each other. Obviously, they had their doubts. They weren't doubting Jeskli was lying, but doubting whether Kentucky could really touch both laws. "Could it be that Minokawas need to try several times until they can grasp both at the same time?"

Kentucky was surprised to hear that from them. "Did senior Jeskli tell you that as well?"

Rean bitter smiled. "I wonder how many times we will have to fail until Kentucky gets experience enough to touch both those laws at the same time..."

Roan snorted in response. "It better be zero. Otherwise..." A cold glint passed through Roan's eyes as he looked at Kentucky. "Hehe!"

Kentucky's feather stood up out of fear. He knew Roan enough to tell that he definitely was talking seriously.

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Chapter 2485: Celis's Predicament

While a certain bird was trembling, the group finally started their breakthroughs. They also did it outside of the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm, afraid that the moment they were supposed to touch the laws, the dimensional realm might get in the way. After all, it was capable of blocking pretty much any kind of signal and perception.

Several hundred Divine Origin Energy Cores surrounded each of them, making the environment quite stagnant with so much energy. That was to guarantee there would be no lack of energy. Finally, they started their breakthroughs. Rean and Roan followed the cultivation manual, while Celis and Kentucky followed their instincts.

The initial part was easy, and they quickly reached the point in between both realms. However, that's where things got troublesome. Sure, they had to feel the laws that are now there... but how? In the end, that was something that couldn't be explained. They could only rely on themselves.

The state in which they weren't in either of the realms continued for several hours, and the Divine Origin Energy Cores were being used nonstop. That went to show why Space-Time Realm experts were so rare.

It wasn't just about reaching the peak of the Elemental Space Realm but also having enough resources to keep that state. If one failed, they would need to go out and amass more Divine Stones to try again. Just how long would it take? Fortunately, the twins' group had no problems with resources.

Surprisingly, the very first one of them to finally notice something was Kentucky. Roan had scared him so much that every fiber of his body was focused on trying to feel the laws. Of course, he didn't feel both laws at the same time. Instead, the first one he noticed was Darkness. Kentucky felt like the Dark Element around him transformed, becoming something more tangible. At the same time, it didn't. 'So these are the laws of darkness...'

Kentucky couldn't even tell which was which at the moment. Nonetheless, it was like riding a bicycle. Once Kentucky understood how to feel the laws of Darkness, he would never forget it again. Kentucky then quickly calmed down. He felt like that if he wanted, he could try to push for the breakthrough with the Laws of Darkness. However, Jeskli had already warned him. If he tried to go forward with one of the two only, his cultivation would deviate and he would suffer a huge backlash, ultimately even losing cultivation instead of advancing to the next realm.

Whether it was because of their connection with Kentucky or because Kentucky did that right on their side, Rean and Roan also felt like something changed. The Laws of Darkness suddenly showed themselves for them, giving the twins the same perception as Kentucky did.

However, that immediately surprised both of them. After all, Rean and Roan could feel each other. That meant both Rean and Roan knew that Rean had just touched the Laws of Darkness!

"This..." Rean extended his hand and felt like he could call the Dark Element in the surroundings as easily as he could the Light Element. The surprising part of this was that he wasn't exchanging elements with Roan. That was his ability alone. "Seems like our connection goes beyond even the Laws of the Universe, Roan."

Roan nodded, quickly understanding that Rean now could use the Laws of Darkness. "Indeed. If that's the case, then the same goes for me and the Laws of Light. Focus and try to touch the Laws of Light. Our connection should give me the necessary push to touch them as well."

Rean was doubtful, though. "Is it wise? If we try to break through while connecting with both laws, doesn't that mean we will need to comprehend both at the same time to break through the stages of the Space-Time Realm?"

Roan shook his head. "Since our connection allowed you to touch the Laws of Darkness because of me, that means you probably can also comprehend the laws that I do. You will focus on your Laws of Light, while I will focus on my Laws of Darkness. We will learn two for the price of one."

"How do you know?" Rean asked back.

However, Roan shook his head. "I don't. This is just a conjecture. Nonetheless, I don't think it is a bad thing. During our entire lives on this side of the Universe, we have always fought and improved by using both Light and Dark Elements. If we now only use the laws of one side, our main strength, which is the union of Yin and Yang, will be severely affected. It might indeed take twice as long to cultivate in the future, but this is something we need."

Roan's words dispelled all of Rean's doubt, so he didn't hold back anymore and fully touched the Laws of Darkness, creating that link that could never be severed again. Following that, Rean returned to his meditative state, trying to grasp the Laws of Light.

Several hours later, the next one to grasp his laws was Celis. The twins and Kentucky looked at him and felt like his tree form had just got a lot more vivid. His leaves got greener, his trunk sturdier, and his roots nimbler. It was obvious that touching the Laws of Wood had a huge effect on a Demon Plant like him to the point it showed on his body.

Yet, Celis didn't stop there. "No... this is not it... There is something missing..."

Rean, Roan, and Kentucky heard that and didn't know what to say. Only Celis could feel his breakthrough at the moment. Whatever it was that he was missing, only Celis could resolve.

More hours went by, and over half of the Divine Origin Energy Cores they brought out initially had already lost their energy. It was also at this moment that Rean finally touched that elusive light... the Laws of Light! 'It's here!' He didn't hold back and fully connected himself with that feeling, making sure it would never disappear again.

At the same time he did that, Roan followed suit. Roan was right in the end. It was due to their soul connection that Rean was able to feel and create a connection with the Laws of Darkness. Now, Rean's

enlightenment also allowed Roan to touch the Laws of Light, which he quickly created a connection with.

Now... Rean and Roan were ready for their breakthrough. It's just that they couldn't do it yet since neither Kentucky nor Celis were over with theirs... but not for long.

It still took another 40 or so minutes, but Kentucky finally got there. The Laws of Light were a lot more active in the area after Rean and Roan's first connection with it, and that made it easier for Kentucky as well. That made Rean and Roan sure that it was thanks to Kentucky that Roan initially touched the Laws of Darkness. Now, they paid the favor.

Kentucky sighed in relief and looked at the twins, excited. "I'm also ready!"

Rean and Roan nodded as they looked at Celis. They knew Celis had already touched the Laws of Wood, so they didn't understand why he wasn't ready. If anything, he was supposed to be the first of them during the moment he did that. Of course, they didn't bother him. Instead, they replenished the Divine Origin Energy Cores around him, making sure Celis had everything he needed.

Yet, that situation dragged itself for over a day! Rean, Roan, and Kentucky were even starting to feel tired. They had kept that very thin connection with the Laws of Light and Darkness all this time, just waiting for the moment they could break through.

"Could it be we are going to fail here?" Roan couldn't help but comment.

Rean sighed. "Perhaps... and it wasn't even because of Kentucky. Who could have thought that?"

Kentucky's eye twitched a little. "Fuck you!"

Rean laughed a little when suddenly, Divine Origin Energy began to be absorbed at a much greater speed by Celis roots.

It far surpassed his previous limit at the Elemental Space Realm. No, it was just ridiculously fast, not something that could be explained with just the breakthrough between realms. "I see... I... am a World Swallowing Cedar..."

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Chapter 2486: The New Realm and Celis

Celis couldn't help but wonder if all World Swallowing Cedars passed through this moment. Well, World Swallowing Cedars were already very rare, so it was hard to tell how many even got to the Space-Time Realm to start with.

Rean, Roan, and Kentucky quickly asked Celis. "Did you finish? Are you ready?"

Celis confirmed. "Yes, sorry for the wait. It went completely out of my expectations. If not for the Divine Origin Energy Cores you have here, I don't know how long it would have taken for me to notice the issue."

Roan didn't seem to care. "Alright, we can talk about it later. It is quite hard to keep holding like this, so let's just finish the Breakthroughs first."

Everyone agreed as they all pushed their cultivation forward. Quickly, their Dantians and Cores changed, now becoming bigger, more robust, and easier to circulate energy. The Divine Origin Energy Cores began to be sucked dry at a crazy rate as the energy was all used for the breakthrough.

Boom!

A Space-Time Realm Breakthrough was no joke, let alone four at the same time and place. The burst of Divine Origin Energy that came from the twins' group after the breakthrough destroyed everything in a few kilometers' range. They almost forced each other away with their breakthrough, but they held in place.

Their cultivation finally raised at a speed that could be felt, ultimately ending at the Initial Stage of the Space-Time Realm. Following that, the Divine Origin Energy and laws in the environment calmed down, concluding the show.

"Phew..." Rean opened and closed his hand, feeling the power of his cultivation circulating through it. Right after, Time Power gathered around it, forcing the area around to slow down several times. "So easy... It is truly another story to use Time Power at the Space-Time Realm compared to the Elemental Space Realm."

Roan nodded. "This is the moment we were supposed to be able to use it, after all. The experience we already had with it only contributed to increasing the end result." Roan then used his Time Power to perform several movements in a roll. "Sure enough, our Time Power control is at a higher level than Kanglia, for example. And she was already at the Middle Stage of the Space-Time Realm when we did the mission with her."

Kanglai was one of the Space-Time Cultivators from the same Army as Rean's. She also followed them to the other side of the Universe.

Rean tried to do the same thing, testing his abilities. "I would say our control over time is somewhat similar to Nolui. It's just that Nolui is definitely more used to it. Nonetheless, the strength is definitely on par."

Kentucky flew around excitedly while also using Time Power. It's just that he couldn't do it before like the twins, so it was a new experience for him. "This is so good! I can move so much faster!"

Rean shook his head. "You aren't really faster. You are just controlling the time around yourself. At the Core, you are still at the limit of what you can achieve at the Space-Time Realm Initial Stage. Of course, this matters little since it does look faster for everyone."

Roan then landed on the ground and commented. "We are similar to Nolui, a Late-Stage Space-Time Realm cultivator. We aren't as used to using it as he does, but that is basically an issue with experience. Once we get used to using Time Power in this cultivation realm, perhaps we can even surpass him."

"Even me?" Kentucky quickly asked.

However, Roan shook his head. "I can tell that compared to the other Initial Stage Space-Time Realm experts we have seen, your control is definitely better. That's most likely due to the connection you have with us. However, your control over it can, at most, match an average Middle Stage Space-Time

Realm expert. Of course, if you train and get used to it, you will be stronger than them even if you can't match my or Rean's control."

Kentucky didn't mind. "That's still great! I already have my bloodline to make up for lack of strength, so I'm happy with this result."

Rean then noticed Celis on the side. Even though Celis only cared about cultivating, Celis still got curious about Time Power, and was using it with his body in some weird ways. 'Everyone is different, it seems.'

It was at that moment that Rean remembered. "Oh, right! Celis, what happened during the breakthrough? We know you had touched the Wood Laws, but how come you couldn't breakthrough?"

"Believe me, I was just as surprised as you," Celis spoke, already expecting that question. "Turns out I'm similar to Kentucky. Just the Wood Laws were not enough for me. I need one more."

"One more?" Roan narrowed his eyes. He only worked on the pills for the Laws of Wood. If Celis needed to comprehend another law at the same time, then he would have to start to research that law from zero.

Celis knew what Roan was thinking. "Sorry for that. Even though I knew I had to wait for you guys before making the breakthrough, I still tried to push forward after touching the Laws of Wood. I just wanted to get a feeling of what I would need to do when you two got ready. Yet, the moment I tried, it felt like my own Core didn't want to follow my wish. In a certain way, it wasn't satisfied with the Laws of Wood alone."

Kentucky quickly nodded. "Yes! That's exactly what Jeskli told me about Minokawas having to use two laws at the same time. Only a single one wasn't enough."

"Indeed," Celis continued. "However, what was it that I lacked? Different from you, Minokawas, I only have one Elemental Affinity, which is Wood. I got stuck with it for several hours, trying to figure out if I needed another Elemental Law. Since I'm a Demon Planet, I even tried to get in touch with Water or Earth Laws. In the end, none of them worked..."

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Chapter 2487: There... is?

Celis continued. "Wood Laws are a variation of these two laws of water and earth, so just one of the two wouldn't work either. Sure enough, I could tell they were there because of the Wood Laws, but I couldn't touch them. That's when I understood that it wasn't either of these laws."

"If it wasn't Earth nor Water, then what could it be?" Celis thought about the event. "Only then did I perceive something. Isn't Luan a Space Affinity Cultivator? Space isn't exactly an Element, but that's still Luan's affinity. Then... what else do I, a World Swallowing Cedar, have? Obviously, my 'absorbing powers,' which are at the top of all races. That thought immediately opened the door to a new world.. No, it only showed me the entrance... I already knew that world since birth. The Laws of Absorption..."

Celis then sighed. "Well, to be honest, I don't even know if Laws of Absorption are the right name. Perhaps I should call it Laws of Gluttony? Laws of Greed? All of them seem fit. Nonetheless, those were the laws I was lacking, laws that my World Swallowing Cedar Race absolutely needs to advance further."

Rean didn't lose the opportunity. "Then, how fast can you absorb Divine Origin Energy now that you touched those Laws of Absorption or whatever?"

Celis then used the last few Divine origin Cores around to make a demonstration. His Roots soon attached to them, absorbing the energy inside like dry sand absorbs water. It only took Celis a few minutes to completely dry them up. "This is just the initial result. I only touched the Laws of Absorption and haven't really comprehended anything. I'm sure I can be even faster in the future."

Rean, Roan, and Kentucky were surprised to see that. Celis was at least two times faster than before, only losing to the absorption rate of a breakthrough. If he had this kind of power of absorption before, the twins' group would have saved hundreds of years of time. "We are truly lucky to have you on our team, Celis," Rean couldn't help but comment.

"Hahaha!" Celis laughed in response. "I'm the lucky one here. Had you not appeared back in the Zasfin Planet, I would probably still be trapped by the Zasfins up to this day. I didn't even know the Space-Time Realm existed, let alone cultivate until reaching it. Thank you."

Roan didn't care much about that sentimental moment and just voiced his doubts. "It feels weird... Celis, these Laws of Absorption are indeed very good because we have Divine Origin Energy Cores. There is no need for us to convert Divine Energy into Divine Origin Energy. However, what if we didn't have them? It

doesn't matter how fast you can absorb normal Divine Energy. If your conversion rate can't make up for the extra energy, your cultivation would advance at the same speed."

Celis agreed with Roan there. "That's true. However, did you forget the other abilities my World Swallowing Cedar race has?"

Roan's eyes lit up. "I see... You can absorb other people's energy during battles and even their life force. If you add your Laws of Absorption to it during your Energy Draining Domain, just how fearsome would it be..."

Celis was happy. "Exactly. I might not have the combat power that Kentucky, Rean, or you have, but in a battle of attrition, I'm absolutely certain even you three together wouldn't last as much as I. If the four of us are together against an enemy..."

Rean could already see it. "With us four together, I'm not afraid even if we had to fight against Kinblei."

Kinblei was the Peak Stage Space-Time Realm evil cultivator. Not only that, but he also was a lot stronger than what you would expect from someone at his level. He even fought a Peak Stage Space-Time Realm from the Vruves to a standstill, which showed his power nearing that of a Divinity Realm expert.

Celis's happiness then disappeared as he remembered something. "Roan... is it even possible to create a pill to help comprehend Laws of Absorption? This seems to be a type of law very hard to appear if not for races like mine."

Roan was indeed worried about that point. "I know. Of the pills I created, the easiest ones were obviously the Light and Dark laws pills. Not just because Rean and I have Light and Dark Element Affinities, but also because we had the chance to acquire information regarding them back in the Underworld and Heavens."

"Your Earth Life Pill was definitely the hardest one to come by. Wood Affinity Experts are very rare since this is not a mainstream affinity. Nonetheless, they do exist, let alone Demon Plants of various races. Pretty much all Demon Plants are Wood Affinity Experts. After searching a lot and using Rean's communication system, I finally created the recipe for the Earth Life Pill."

"But what about Absorption? Greed? Gluttony? Or whatever the name is? If we don't even know the name, how can I search for it?" Roan asked. "Of course, you are also lucky."

"Lucky?" Celis was confused. "Why?"

Roan explained. "There is no such thing as a ready-made pill recipe. All of them had to be researched from zero. Your Laws of Absorption are no different. I'll try to look for information regarding your laws. But even if I can't find it, I can still attempt to create one. My pills are all unique, even though I used others' references. I'm sure that given enough time, I can create a recipe for Laws of Absorption."

Roan also added. "Besides, the Alchemy Workshop was now upgraded and the equipment available made everything much easier. With the specialists that have worked with me all this while, sooner or later, we will find the right combination."

Celis quickly nodded. "Alright. If you need help, let me know."

"I obviously will need your help. As the only one capable of using Laws of Absorption here, I need your input into the research." Roan then narrowed his eyes. "The only problem is the level of your understanding regarding these laws. You just touched them, so it will take quite some time until we can come up with something, and that's already considering all our advantages."

Rean and Celis went silent. Indeed, there was nothing they could do about it... or so they thought.

"What are you talking about? There is obviously someone we can ask about these laws," Kentucky suddenly said.

"There... is?" Rean, Roan, and Celis looked at Kentucky in surprise. "Who?"

Kentucky smiled. "Beelzebub."

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Chapter 2488: We Can Only Give It a Try

Rean, Roan, and Celis immediately went silent. As much as they didn't want to admit it, Kentucky's words held some truth. A Soul Devil is basically all about the absorption of souls. They needed countless souls to get to the Divinity Realm. Also, there is one thing they can't escape from. At the Space-Time Realm, they must start comprehending a law, or they won't advance either.

That said, it is very likely that the law Soul Devils need to progress through the Space-Time Realm is indeed Absorption Laws. Even if it is not, it is most likely something similar. Because Soul Devils are a mix of countless dead souls, they definitely don't have a normal Elemental Affinity since the affinities of the souls that made the Soul Devils would clash with each other.

"I understand what you mean..." Roan then accessed the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm and pulled an item out. Well, it wasn't exactly an item. Instead, it was the sleeve of a soul that was sealed. Back after they acquired the Universe Foundation Fragment from Belial, Beelzebub tried to attach a small piece of his Soul to Roan.

However, Roan already expected that and waited until they departed from each other. Once they were safe, Roan entered the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm, and Sister Orb found that sleeve of a soul straight away. She even asked if they wanted to destroy it, but Roan told her to keep it sealed in the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm as it might be of some use in the future.

"Is that really okay?" Rean looked at Roan as he asked. "Other than the agreement that we wouldn't attack or use any method capable of causing any problems for both parties for a thousand years, we have nothing. What could we possibly offer as a payment for his help in creating this new pill? Besides, this sleeve of a soul only works as some kind of call-out. We can't really talk to Beelzebub and will have to wait for him to come and see us. Not to mention that he might still be recovering in the Reincarnation Path Region, so who can tell if he will come or not."

Celis agreed with Rean. "Let's not forget that even if he wanted to come, he can't. The Temporal Path in the Realm of Gods is now blocked and protected by a powerful formation that could endanger even Elder Devils. Beelzebub isn't an idiot. Most likely, he is aware of the situation on this side since searching souls is a piece of cake to him. Even if we release his sleeve of a soul, Beelzebub would never attempt such a suicide journey like this."

Kentucky then asked Rean. "But we have senior Flinyu's token, don't we, Rean? Can't we simply use it to enter the Temporal Path and then go to the Underworld? Once we get there, we can release the seal on his soul and let him come to see us. Since neither he nor us can cause trouble for each other, we at least know he won't try to kill us."

"Now that I think about it, how long has it been since we made this agreement with Beelzebub?" Rean suddenly asked.

Sister Orb immediately answered, as she had the system to keep track of everything. [Don't worry. Only 47 years have gone by since the agreement. Good thing that Roan stipulated in their pact that the time used for the agreement was the normal time of the Realm of Gods. That way, neither you nor Beelzebub can use any type of time acceleration trick to make it look like either of you waited a thousand years already.]

Rean sighed. "The time acceleration of the Dimensional Realm truly makes it hard to keep track of everything. Thanks, Sister Orb."

He then went back to the main topic. "I do have senior Flinyu's token, but it is also extremely risky. That's because the Devils are definitely also protecting their own entrance to the Temporal Path. After all, now that the Realm of Gods and Heavens have taken control over their entrances, the Devils just don't know who or when someone might appear at theirs."

Celis also added. "Last but not least, Beelzebub wants to use this sleeve of a soul to come after us after the one thousand years is up so that he can acquire our Fragments. Even if we do make it to the Underworld and are safe there, would he come out now that he doesn't owe us any favors?"

Following that, Celis looked at Roan. "I say... We better just use my own understanding to help you create this new pill recipe. I don't think the risk we would take in trying to return to the Underworld would be worth it."

Roan wasn't very happy with that, but he was also surprised that Celis voted against it. "For you to say you don't want to go is quite unexpected. You definitely love to cultivate more than anything else. With Beelzebub's help, this pill might truly be ready in just a few years."

Celis nodded. "What good is there to have this pill recipe if we are not alive to use it? Once again, this is a very delicate time to approach the Underworld. It's not like Heavens, where we have a way to contact Weremis so that he can speak for us."

"Fine." Roan decided to accept Celis's refusal. "In that case, we have only you to rely upon to research a recipe for this Absorption Laws Pill."

"Not really," Kentucky once again intervened. "Demon Plants are rare, but they exist and even form their own group, just like the Lahamina Earth Trees. How about calling Flinyu and see if he can point us to a Space-Time or maybe even a Divinity Realm World Swallowing Cedar? Considering how fast your race cultivates, sure there is one or two strong enough to help us, no?"

Celis had his concerns. "As I mentioned, the core of a Demon Plant of the same race is extremely useful, let alone one at the Space-Time Realm like mine. Most Demon Plant Races would unify instead of hunting each other, but there are exceptions. Simply put... I don't know if someone of my race would be willing to help."

"We can only give it a try," said Rean as he immediately pulled his communication badge out.

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Chapter 2489: I Do Know Someone

Celis underestimated just how rare his own race was. Even within the Demon Plants Kingdom, World Swallowing Cedars are pretty much nonexistent. The reason for that was explained by none other than Flinyu, who received Rean's message and decided to directly call him back.

'World Swallowing Cedar? Why do you need a World Swallowing Cedar?' Flinyu asked with a tone of doubt.

Rean quickly replied, too. 'We are working on something related to the laws these Cedars use during the Space-Time and Divinity Realms. However, there is just too little information about it, so I just wanted to see if you knew a real one. I'm willing to pay a good price to talk to them as long as they are in the Space-Time Realm Middle Stage or higher.'

Flinyu shook his head. 'You expect too much from me. It's not because I'm in the Divinity Realm that I know everyone. In fact, you truly asked for a kind of a fairy tale. Normal World Swallowing Cedars don't exist in the real world. They are different from normal Demon Plants who awakened their sentiences.'

'Different?' Rean looked at Celis, who shook his head back. Celis never looked for anyone of his race while in the Realm of Gods, so he also doesn't have any information about them. All he knew was that his rare was truly very rare, even rarer than Kentucky's Minokawa Race.

The only reason why Celis knew he was a Divine Demon Plant back on Zasfin Planet was because Divine Demons can feel each other's auras, which are different from normal Demons, be they plants or beasts. For example, Kentucky can always tell with a single glance whether a Demon Beast in front of him is a Divine Demon Beast or not. The information Celis knew about being able to accept Kentucky's nest was because of the Parasol Tree, which was another Divine Demon Plant, and not because of his race. Back in the Zasfin Planet, he was the only World Swallowing Cedar he had ever seen, too.

'Would you mind explaining, senior Flinyu?' Rean could only ask further.

Flinyu didn't mind, as he was supposed to help the twins anyway. 'It's not any secret. It's just that it is so rare that little is known. First, I investigated a little about you and saw that you were looking for a Lahamina Earth Tree Core, right? So, to start, do you know where the Lahamina Earth Tree Demon Plants come from?'

Rean wasn't surprised to hear Flinyu investigated him. He would have done the same, so he just continued and nodded. 'Of course, from Lahamina Earth Trees that awaken their sentiences and form a core. That's basically how all Demon Plants can gain sentience even though it is quite up to chance.'

'That's correct,' Flinyu confirmed. 'Lahamina Earth Trees have a small chance of developing a core and gaining sentience, becoming a Demon Plant. The same goes for all other plants. Any grass you see around you might one day gain sentience and a core. Of course, the longer a plant's lifespan is, the higher the chance. That's why most Demon Plants are trees, and they are trees that usually would already live a few thousand years as a normal tree.'

'The point is, Demon Plants are usually the awakened form of their previous selves. Lahamina Earth Trees become Lahamina Earth Tree Demon Plants, and so on and so forth. However... there is no such thing as normal World Swallowing Cedars in this Universe.'

'What?!' Rean was taken aback, let alone Celis on his side, who was hearing everything. That was something he didn't know at all. 'But... then how do World Swallowing Cedars come to life?'

Flinyu continued. 'World Swallowing Cedars are mutations of another race called River Gorging Cedars. The mutation happens during the awakening process and needs some pretty ridiculous circumstances to happen. You can find quite a few River Swallowing Cedar Demon Plants since this is a very common and quite last living tree. Yet, World Swallowing Cedars... These are truly fairy tales indeed.'

Rean took a deep breath. 'Even if River Gorging Cedars are quite common within the Demon Plants Kingdom, that's only when you take all Demon Plants into consideration. Demon Plants themselves are very rare. If World Swallowing Cedars are mutations that happen during the awakening of an already rare Demon Plant, then I can't even imagine how few exist out there.'

'Exactly,' Flinyu agreed with Rean. 'Now you want to find one, and one at least in the Space-Time Realm Middle Stage. Since you asked for a World Swallowing Cedar, you know what their main ability is, right?'

'Yes,' Rean obviously knew. 'Their ridiculous capability to absorb energy.'

'Indeed,' Flinyu continued. 'They are so good at it that they end up consuming all life around them. That is another hurdle for this mutated race. They can spread their roots for tens of thousands of kilometers while just in the Transition Realm.'

Rean sighed as he remembered how his group first met Celis. He was imprisoned by the Zasfin and truly had his roots spread all over the Zasfins' Planet. The reason the planet was going through an ice age was mostly due to Celis's actions, although the Zasfin Race contributed a lot, too. That said, he knew Flinyu wasn't exaggerating in his words at all.

'Because of that, you can already imagine what happens when they end up appearing near someplace with higher-level experts. They are swiftly eliminated. When young, they can't even leave their location, just like normal trees. Yet, their effects are apparent. It is very close to the Aberrant Devil Flowers you were also looking for. The difference is that Aberrant Devil Flowers can reproduce at a ridiculously fast pace for a Demon Plant. If left alone, the damage they can cause far surpasses any World Swallowing Cedar.'

'Anyway,' Flinyu decided to conclude. 'I'm not sure how many are out there nowadays, but I can guarantee that there isn't a single one in the Divinity Realm. You can only try your luck with Spac-Time Realm ones. I don't know where to find them, but I know they at least exist. However, I know someone who probably can get you in contact with other World Swallowing Cedars.'

'Who?' Rean asked. Even if the chances were low, it was worth a try.

'Lahalan, a Lahamina Earth Tree Demon Plant in the Divinity Realm,' Flinyu quickly told the name.

Rean and the others bitterly smiled. That was exactly the same Demon Tree that hunted Rean for the core not long ago...

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Chapter 2490: Sanstin Continent

Noticing the silence on the other side of the call, Flinyu couldn't help but ask. 'Could it be that you know Lahalan?'

'Well...' Rean then explained how someone sold him a Lahamina Earth Tree Core, and it ended up with someone who he believed to be Lahalan after them.

'Someone sold you a Lahamina Earth Tree Core? That's quite surprising. You did the right thing, though. If you didn't get rid of that core, you would definitely be pursued until the end of time by Lahalan. I can pretty much guarantee that it was indeed Lahalan who appeared before you,' said Flinyu.

Rean nodded. 'So, what do you think? Should we try to contact Lahalan regardless?'

Flinyu immediately gave up the idea. 'Contact him? If he knows it was you who got the Lahamina Earth Tree Core, then appearing in front of him is the same as asking to die.'

Rean then had an idea. 'Can you pass me his communication number, senior Flinyu? If it is just some talk through the communication system, then we won't be at any risk.'

'I can, but...' Flinyu found it hard to work. 'You want to ask him about where you can find a World Swallowing Tree, don't you? Let's say he does talk. What stops him from telling you a lie and then ambush you in the location he passed over?'

'That's true,' Rean and the others could see that happening. 'Senior Flinyu...'

'Alright, I know what you want from me,' Flinyu didn't need to hear the rest to understand. 'I'll call him directly and ask for the information for you. It's just a simple call that won't use much of my time anyway. My master did tell me to help you, after all.'

Flinyu then disconnected from the call.

While they waited, Rean looked at Celis. "What do you think? If we get the information, do you still want to go and see this World Swallowing Cedar?"

Celis, who was now in his humanoid form, shrugged his shoulders. "To be honest, I don't even know what to say. I just hope it doesn't become a battle for each one's cores as soon as we see each other."

"Even if it becomes a battle, we don't need to be afraid. Since the other side definitely isn't in the Divinity Realm, we can definitely fight it off," Kentucky assured everyone. Flinyu did say that there weren't any Divinity Realm World Swallowing Cedars, after all.

"The problem is in case Lahalan decides to appear as well," Celis mentioned.

Rean was confident, though. "That's very unlikely. What does acquiring the Lahamina Earth Tree have to do with wanting to know where you can find a World Swallowing Cedar? It doesn't make sense for Lahalan to come as well. Besides, we will change our appearances once again when we go see this World Swallowing Cedar."

Everyone nodded. Sure enough, Flinyu called them back a few minutes later. 'Alright, I got the information from him, although he seemed quite suspicious about my request. In any case, I assured him that I had no intention of causing any trouble to that World Swallowing Tree, who seemed to be on quite good terms with Lahalan. I'll pass you the location now.'

Rean then received a message with the information necessary while Flinyu continued to talk. 'Whether there are any risks involved or not, I don't know. This is all I can do for you at the moment, so I'm leaving now. Don't call me unless it is really important. Use messages as always.'

Finally, the call was disconnected, leaving the twins' group with the information about the World Swallowing Cedar. "Let's see... This World Swallowing Cedar's name is Futuxei. He lives in a barren continent called Sanstin, in the Hogam Region. Where is Sanstin?"

Everyone checked the information in the communication system and quickly found it. "It's in the Demon Beasts' Territory, not too far from the Continents at the Center of the Realm of Gods."

"That makes sense," Celis said. "World Swallowing Cedars need a ridiculous amount of energy to cultivate, so it would be very unlikely a Space-Time Realm Cedar would live far from the Center of the Realm of Gods."

Roan didn't waste time and returned to the Dimensional Realm as he spoke. "Flinyu's information said that that continent is still not within the communication system, so we will need to go there to talk with this Cedar. Let's not waste time and go."

Celis quickly returned to the Soul Gem Dimensional Realm while Rean scratched the back of his head. Once again, Rean would be the one doing the traveling part.

Well, Kentucky was outside, too. "Enough cultivation for me. I'm going with you."

Rean smiled, knowing that Kentucky was probably close to suicide after a hundred and some years of cultivation nonstop. "Fine, let's go together."

Following that, Rean opened a Spatial Gate, connecting it to the nearest city with a Long-Distance Teleport Formation. "Oh! It's so easy to open Spatial Gates now. And I can connect the exit so far away..."

Kentucky raised his wing and blocked Rean, preventing him from entering the Spatial Gate. "Wait, let me try too!"

Only then did Rean remember that Kentucky could also use Time Power. "Alright, go ahead."

Just like Rean during his first tries, Kentucky failed to open a Spatial Gate several times. Even when he succeeded, it was extremely unstable and didn't connect that far. Nonetheless, practice brings perfection, so they used it like that. Once on the other side, Kentucky continued to use Spatial Gates while Rean pointed the direction.

What Rean could have done with a simple Spatial Gate, Kentucky needed over ten of them to reach the same destination, let alone the much longer time needed. "This is quite difficult..."

Rean smiled in response. "You are already doing better than me during my first times. Try to imagine how annoying it was to use Time Power while still in the Elemental Space Realm. Trust me, you are doing great."

Rean then descended to the city while Kentucky followed him. "I'll keep trying after we come out of the Teleport Formation," said Kentucky.

Finally, they paid the fee and left the Region. They spent ten years on this continent, but who knows if they would ever be back again.