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A complete wildcard, Liliya was surprised to find Dyrmir coming here to help her.

She thought that Dyrmir has already gone back to the Cluster Domain, she saw him walking inside, yet it seems he managed to sneak out sneakily. Even Prof. K and Ugrok didn't know that he was still outside.

But Liliya was somewhat thankful, she's at least not alone in fighting these people

All of the Awakened from the Mistin Family that came here are at least in the seventh-rank realm before the suppression. People that are being teleported couldn't help, none of the Awakened among them reaches this level of caliber.

Only a couple probably existed, and they are guarding the formation with Prof. K.

Due to that, it was great for Dyrmir to be here and helped her in stalling the Mistin Family.

Pssh!!

Boom!

Liliya and Dyrmir are currently on the run when the surrounding place has been covered in toxic gas. Out of the two, Liliya was becoming weaker because of that, and Dyrmir was forced to flee and bring her away.

"Don't lead them to the formation, we need to stall for time" Liliya said, coughing weakly.

Understanding what Liliya meant, Dyrmir quickly changed direction and dashes to the right. Sparks of lighting helped propel his body faster, increasing his speed as he sprinted away, and uses the trees to change directions quickly like a monkey.

On top of that, Liliya also engraves a mark on Dyrmir to make him even faster than before.

Despite his speed, the Awakened is following closely behind them.

Casting numerous spells that hinder the way and such as poisonous liquid blasting from the ground, more toxic insects, and gas that causes hallucination and nausea. Relentless efforts in order to catch them.

It seems like the Mistin Family's Awakened is mostly regulated through the use of poison.

On top of that, each of them also uses combat boots that make them faster and their steps silent. Almost like assassins chasing their target, these Awakened don't play around at the very least.

The man with purple eyes, Mistin watches this from the back leisurely.

"Stalling..." Mistin utters while looking at the escaping Liliya and Dyrmir, his eyes then darted to another direction, "The others should be here soon enough, I'll search for the teleportation formation instead of following them"

Nodding his head, Mistin's body melted into a purple substance and disappear.

Meanwhile, as Emham Forest is infiltrated and the battle has begun, Prof. K has finished the third batch of people to send them to Dargena City. It was then he heard the distant sound of fighting which plastered a frown on his face.

"Liliya is alone, she wouldn't last. I can't let her be like this" Prof. K mused to himself.

Deciding that he would need to do something to help Liliya first before finishing the evacuation, Prof. K ran into the Cluster Domain. A familiar sight came into view, but there was another portal across the portal he came from, glowing with blue light.

Giana is organizing the people to get into the portal, trying to do something herself.

On the side near the hut, Prof. K saw Ugrok sitting there and asked hurriedly, "Ugrok, who is the one that delivered the package earlier? Is it Rex or the other Silverstar Pack members?"

"No, Gelmar is the one that gave Ugrok the package" Ugrok shakes his head.

Clicking his tongue in displeasure, Prof. K has no other choice but to meet with Rex himself. Turning into green smoke, he then went into the portal leading to Dargena City, intending to ask for assistance in this operation.

Meanwhile, Rex is still being punished by Evelyn.

It was always an overwhelming sensation whenever Rex did it with Evelyn, she always abuse her control over her dark red fire to make any part of her warmer. In this case, she made her mouth warmer to the point that it makes Rex's head steamy and cloudy.

On top of that, she also abuses the First Breath to her advantage.

Since Rex's power now is rendered to only the peak of the seventh-rank realm, his body is not invincible to Evelyn anymore. A little bit of strength in her grip is enough to actually make Rex feel something.

Under her mercy, he reached climax multiple times already, and she isn't done yet.

"Go on, tell me you're sorry for being tempted by that creature. My ears are opened for you"

Licking the upright stick that was on the brink of exploding from the base to the very tip while keeping eye contact with her glazed eyes, Evelyn teased and intended to make use of this rare situation to her advantage.

Rex clenched his jaw when he heard this, "It's- It's a natural reaction, I'm not apologizing"

"Oh...? You're not going to?" Evelyn asked, putting more strength into her grip.

Feeling the increase in pressure, Rex grunted and his body tensed even more. As he felt that, he also sensed someone approaching the castle so he doesn't have much time, "Okay- Okay, I'm sorry. Now would you let me finish? Someone is coming"

A satisfied smile appeared on Evelyn's face when she heard this, she was elated.

"At least now I know that you're capable of listening for once. Okay then, let it out inside" Evelyn replied before she put the entire thing inside her mouth, all down to the base, and increase the temperature of her own tongue.

It was then, Rex grabbed Evelyn's head in reflex and let out everything inside.

Rex panted heavily as it's been some time since he felt this kind of pleasurable sensation. On top of that, Evelyn also didn't move at all despite her mouth being filled to the brim. She swallows all of his white juice to the last drop, not letting anything out.

Just around the same time, Prof. K reaches Dargena City and quickly searches for a clue.

On the way, he met Adhara and Queen Shanaela who are assigning the teleported humans. From Adhara, he finds that Rex should be inside the castle so Prof. K quickly dashes into the castle's direction in a hurry.

Reaching the castle, he finds Gelmar standing right in front of it and stopped him.

"What are you doing here?" Gelmar asked, raising an eyebrow.

Upon being stopped, Prof. K quickly points into the castle and said, "I need to see Rex"

"Lord Rex, mind your tongue outsider. If you want to see Lord Rex, then I shall ask him first" Gelmar said again sharply, he then turns away from the anxious Prof. K and knocks on the entrance a couple of times.

After hearing Rex's voice from the inside, Gelmar went inside first.

It was only about half a minute of Gelmar going inside while Prof. K is waiting outside, yet this half-a-minute felt like an eternity for Prof. K as he was sweating and his legs couldn't seem to stay still for a moment.

Just as Gelmar came out and let him in, Prof. K quickly ran inside.

Prof. K saw the sight of Rex sitting on his throne with Evelyn standing gracefully beside him with a rosy face, he then quickly approaches the throne and kneel on the ground, "L- Lord Rex, the operation to evacuate the people in Beah City was exposed to the 25 Golden Crest Families. Some of them are already inside, and we don't have enough manpower to handle them-"

"I think you misunderstand something, Prof. K" Rex suddenly intervenes.

Standing up from his throne despite his unhealed injuries, Rex started descending the stairs with a stoic expression, "One of my requirements in order to help you humans beat the Executor is for you and Giana to evacuate the people in Beah City. Meaning, it's your venture alone"

As he reaches the imperial black and white carpet, he stands in front of Prof. K.

"If you successfully evacuate the people of Beah City, then I'll help you. If you failed, then I would not help you. But..." Rex conveys before he squats right in front of Prof. K, his eyes were glowing red, "If so much as one person dies in your 'operation', then I will kill Giana. While you will be suspected of severe consequences"

Upon hearing this, Prof. K felt his throat tightening, he gripped both of his knees tightly.

"Remember, Prof. K. It was not Rex that came here to plead for help, it was the two of you. He's simply giving his price to help, don't think that this will be a fair deal" Evelyn added, still standing beside the throne.

Despite the unfairness, Prof. K knows what Evelyn said is true and he can't rebut it.

Clearly, from the start, the power is in Rex's hands.

Knowing that the situation in Emham Forest would only escalate with more 25 Golden Crest Families coming to intercept them, Prof. K is forced to play his hand a little, "I understand, but are you sure about this, Lord Rex? Liliya is there defending Emham Forest alone, she wanted to meet with you yet she might die out there"

Rex's expression froze when he heard this, he didn't expect Liliya to be there.

Although he was troubled by the fact, Rex stands up again and heads back to his throne. It was a long pause until he eventually sit back down on his throne again, "Well if she dies there, then it's her own choice. My words still stand. Gelmar, please escort him out"

Bowing slightly, Gelmar walks towards Prof. K and gestured for him to leave.

Not expecting that Rex would be this cold to an old friend, Prof. K slouches his shoulders as he was escorted out of the castle. Even if the odds are against him, he still needs to hurry back and try his best.

Inside the castle, after Prof. K leaves the throne room, Evelyn glance at Rex.

"Isn't that a fluke or are you being serious?" she asked.

Upon hearing this, Rex stays silent before he exhales roughly while stealing a glance at her.

Evelyn was stupefied as she thought he did that to make Prof. K works even harder, but seeing his reaction makes her slightly angry, "Rex, it's your friend that is out there. On top of that, surely you wouldn't want there to be casualties on the people that are being evacuated. Each of those people is the people you saved back then"

As she said that, she then descends from the throne and heads out of the castle.

"I'm going to check on the evacuated people, most of them are probably scared and confused. So me being there will hopefully calm them down" She added before leaving the castle, leaving Rex alone with his thoughts.

Meanwhile, back to Emham Forest.

Not gaining any assistance from Rex, Prof. K went back to the flickering formation again and kneel beside it. Knowing that he needs to create some defensive plan, he closes his eyes and channels his green smoke.

Under his focus, he managed to create five more copies of himself.

Each of his copies is made of green smoke, and he requires immense concentration and also high control over his power to make the copies mimic his actions perfectly. It's a strategy he thought of on the spot if someone manages to locate him and attempt to stop him from fueling the formation with his energy.

Prof. K is now crouching beside the formation, fueling energy into the formation.

Just as he did that, footsteps suddenly can be heard and all of them turn their heads to look at the newcomer. It was Mistin, wearing a devious smile alongside his purple eyes that are glowing under the shadow of the forest.

"Oh, I found it..." Mistin uttered in delight.

Summoning his sword which is dripping with a poisonous purple substance that creates a sizzle upon touching the ground, Mistin's eyes glint fiercely, "So the Green Messenger from the SCO is also working for the Traitor. King John and the Executor will have a great time dealing with you when I bring you back to them..."

Upon saying that, Mistin bends his knees and dashed forward with great speed.

A purple hue creates a trail along his path before he reaches behind one of Prof. K's copies. Not wasting a single second, he swung down intending to find the real Prof. K by slashing at each of them one by one.

But as he was about to do that, Mistin widened his eyes when a shadow blitzes to him.

It came from the Cluster Domain, and in the next second, he saw a huge creature right in front of him that parries his sword with a powerful swing of its club. Prof. K widened his eyes when he saw this, "U- Ugrok!"

Turns out the big creature was Ugrok, he came out of the Cluster Domain voluntarily.

Roar!!

Ugrok let out a battle cry that trembles the ground, creating a powerful soundwave that was even able to push Mistin back. Baring his grotesque fangs, he then roared again, "Where's Ugrok's son?! Where's Dyrmir?!!"

Crack!

Boom!

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Angry at the realization that his son is not inside the Cluster Domain, Ugrok came out with a steaming body, and his eyes flash with murderous intent. It was the worry that Dyrmir might be hurt that drives him to the utmost limit.

In this world, Dyrmir is the only one he has, losing him will mean losing his entire world.

Boom!

Stomping roughly as Ugrok went over to stand in front of Prof. K, the ground beneath him cracked underneath his weight. A monstrous sight that even alerts Mistin's senses of the danger coming out of Ugrok's presence.

Mistin, a suppressed eighth-rank realm Awakened felt threatened by Ugrok.

"What in the world is that thing? Where is he even came from? I've come here expecting a teleportation formation, not facing this weird monster!" Mistin thought out loud, he quickly held his purple sword in front of him.

Yet despite the monstrosity in front of him, Mistin needs to go through Ugrok.

Even though that is the case, he couldn't help but gulp harshly when he saw Ugrok's body start to swell and his thick red aura, a mix of his own energy and force started to be amplified by the second.

Ugrok's bloodline starts to articulate, the anger makes his blood boil and flow faster.

Not intending to let Ugrok reaches the peak of his power before starting the fight, Mistin's eyes glowed as he quickly launch a deadly spell, "Great Spell, Fivefold Maleficient Tendrils!", he chanted out loud.

In an instant, a few thorny vines burst from the ground and latched themselves onto Ugrok.

Each of the thorns covering the entire vine is purple in color, dripping with unimaginable poison that could kill a normal human a hundred times over with a single drop. A Poison Elementalist is very deadly to the teeth.

Despite that fact, Ugrok breaks free with his raw strength and charged forward.

Boom!

Boom!

Roar!

Breaking the thorny vines in the process with relative ease, the ground trembled a little with each wide step he takes. Straining with all his might, he lifted his club up in the air and then brought it down with a powerful swing. The muscles in his arms rippled as he struck Mistin with his raw strength.

Mistin tries to block the swing with his sword, but that was a mistake on his part.

Bam!

Crack!

Underneath the sheer strength of a berserk Cyclopes, Mistin was brought to one knee as his arms struggled to keep the huge club from crushing him completely. It was completely shocking to feel the strength Ugrok is exerting.

Looking over his shoulders to watch the fight, Prof. K was also surprised by this scene.

'Judging from his aura, that man should be in the eighth-rank realm before the suppression. But despite that, Ugrok is still able to overwhelm him in terms of strength' Prof. K thought in disbelief, a frown appeared on his face. 'Are Cyclopes should be this strong? If so, how come they are not one of the surviving high-rank Supernatural races?'

Similarly to Prof. K, Mistin was also shocked as he was pushed to one knee.

But at the sight of the wounds Ugrok suffered from the thorny vines earlier, Mistin frowned as he finds that it was only bleeding, 'Does this creature has immunity against poison? Why is he not poisoned by my attack earlier?'

Gritting his teeth, the shock turns into anger as Mistin doesn't want to accept this.

Even though he might not be the strongest out of the 25 Golden Crest Families' heads, he still has the pride that wouldn't let himself be trampled like this. In an instant, his body burst with spirit energy before he summoned his spirit.

Swoosh!

Boom!

"Don't underestimate me you brute!!" Mistin roared, his body surging with power.

In an instant, a purple spirit that takes an astral ghost-like form appeared behind Mistin before his body got covered by purple linen, turning him mummy-like with a hood that covered his head.

Clearly, this is Mistin's Gladiator Form, his power is soaring through the roof.

Maybe, if not for the First Breath suppression, the entire Emham Forest would be flattened by his power. But in response to him, the red aura around Ugrok's body started to sizzle and become thicker.

Rex would've been very much surprised if he saw that Ugrok also has the Red Force.

Albeit not as strong as Rex due to haven't been trained through Ethos, it's still an impressive feat. Then again, Ugrok has all the time in the world and is probably always training inside the Cluster Domain with Dyrmir.

Not showing any mercy, Ugrok moved unnaturally quickly and appeared behind Mistin.

Upon realizing that Ugrok is standing behind him, Mistin's purple eyes widened in shock before he sensed a concentration of energy from the back. Ugrok condenses his red aura to the tip of his club, glazing it with immense power.

It was then, he swung down once again with full force, "Earth Shatter..."

Swoosh!

Crash!

"Kaahhkk!!" Mistin got slammed to the ground underneath the powerful club, and a mouthful of blood exploded from his mouth. Even the armor from his Gladiator Form is not enough to tank the full brunt of Ugrok's attack.

On top of that, a web-like crack spreads far around the area and toppled the trees around.

It was a powerful strike filled with power.

Knowing that the fight is not over until the other side is not breathing anymore, Ugrok wanted to finish Mistin off, beating him with the club repeatedly, a couple of battle cries come from the side which pulls his attention away.

Dozens of Awakened suddenly leaped into action, attacking Ugrok at the same time.

Unlike the ones that were wearing a similar outfit as Mistin, these Awakened have different outfits showing that they were coming from different guilds and were sent here to do exactly the same thing as Mistin.

"We'll distract this monster, your guild should focus on the teleportation formation!"

"Okay! Leave it to us!"

Roar!!

Not pulling any punches to the people that are not a part of Rex's side, Ugrok let out a fierce battle cry and started to attack them with his vicious club, sending them flying away and tanking their spells with his thick skin.

It seems the Awakened that came are not as strong as the ones Mistin brought.

Since most of the powerful Awakened were sent to the Great Barricade in preparation for the upcoming danger in front of them, the Awakened that are left inside Ratmawati City are not that strong.

Even now, most of them could barely activate their elemental aura.

Because of that, these Awakened could only hope to stall Ugrok and buy some time while the others tries to deal with Prof. K, there's nothing more they could do except for that. Beating Ugrok is simply impossible.

If even Mistin lost in a one-on-one fight, then there's no chance for them.

As the people managed to be teleported, Prof. K quickly instructed them with a shout as the situation requires them to move quickly. One death means it's all over for Prof. K and Giana, "Quick! Go inside that hole! Someone will guide you inside, just go! Now!"

Upon hearing this, the teleported people were stunned for a moment.

Confusion surrounds them as these people just got here. But one of them reacted first when he saw the fight in front of him that looks vicious and bloody, and he was also the one that ran inside the Cluster Domain before the others soon followed.

Quickly turning around, Prof. K's body burst with green smoke.

Moving his body nimbly to dodge a few strikes from multiple Awakened that managed to reach him, the green smoke coming out of him burst even stronger. In an instant, the green smoke enclouded the entire place like a smokescreen.

Prof. K's silhouette disappeared inside it like a ghost.

Deciding to focus on the task, the Awakened ignored Prof. K and searched for the advanced teleportation formation inside the green smoke, "Split into two teams. One protects the other while the other search for the teleportation formation!" One of them shouted.

"Cover your nose with your elements, the green smoke is poisonous!" Another said.

In response, all Awakened covers their nose to not get poisoned.

Scanning the entire place in search of the teleportation formation, one of the Awakened saw a flickering light to his left. Upon seeing this, he went over with the intention to destroy the formation and accomplish their tasks.

Just as he took a step to approach it, a stinging sensation suddenly invades his throat.

Albeit he doesn't understand what just happened, his body reacted in a couple of seconds and he instantly lost consciousness, Prof. K penetrated his hand through the Awakened's neck completely and kills him.

Like a ghost, he then disappeared again before repeating the same process.

None of the Awakened were able to react as their numbers started to decrease one by one mysteriously, yet that triumph doesn't last long as more and more Awakened jumped into the green smoke.

It didn't take long before Prof. K's position was located by the Awakened.

'Krggh... there are so many of them!' Prof. K exclaimed inside his head.

Prof. K tries to defend himself but he was being attacked from all sides. Despite being an eighthrank realm entity before, the suppression makes the gap closer between him and the seventh-rank or even sixth-rank realm Awakened.

Due to that, he was soon overwhelmed by the numbers.

"Great Spell, Wind Lance!"

Splash!

From the back, Prof. K got penetrated completely in his stomach by a wind lance.

"Great Water Spell, Sinking Puddle!"

Not stopping at that, the momentary loss of focus was taken advantage of by the Awakened as a puddle of water appeared underneath him, and sunk his feet into it. Following that, another Awakened arrived in front of him with a clenched fist.

Covered with diamond, the Awakened then punch Prof. K in the stomach.

Bam!

It was a merciless series of attacks, and even before his body landed on the ground from being propelled away by the punch that broke his ribs, the ground exploded with gushing fire, burning his black robe and skin.

Struggling to recover from that attack, Prof. K glances to the side.

But his eyes quickly widened when some of the Awakened is nearing the people that were trying to get inside the Cluster Domain. Since the portal hole is small, they need to go in 3 to 4 people at a time.

'No... I need to do something. If one of them dies, it's all over for humanity!'

Just as he was desperately trying to stand up, struggling to fight back the pain he suffered, hoping for a miracle to come through, the Awakened that was about to attack the people got suddenly impaled from the back.

Prof. K widened his eyes when he saw this before a figure landed right beside him.

"No matter what you said, I won't stay on the sideline. Even if I'm not an Awakened anymore, I still am a former ninth-rank realm Awakened" Giana suddenly came, she was holding a sword that she took from the Awakened she killed earlier.

Earlier, Prof. K told her that she was not stable and should sit this one out.

Yet it seems he would need her help, and she also couldn't sit on the sideline for this one.

Knowing the stake of humanity on their shoulders, and the assistance needed to defeat the Executor, Giana couldn't sit still when she saw that the situation is getting worse and worse by the second.

"Seems like I was wrong. You are not human anymore, you should be able to help"

Just as Prof. K said that a couple of figures landed beside him too.

A loud thudding sound can be heard as Ugrok came back first, he was riddled with wounds since Mistin decided to join in the fight again. Following that, Liliya and Dyrmir also managed to come back after trying to take out the strong Awakened.

Now the five of them stand in a circle, covering each others' backs.

Swoosh!

Slowly, the green smoke dissipated and expose the Awakened surrounding the place.

Clasping their weapons tightly in their hands, the Awakened crowd the five and went into their battle stances. It's not looking good for them, yet there was no other choice, this is literally do-ordie.

It's either the operation is successful or they died.

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It was starting to get bleak.

Despite coordinating their defense pretty well, the five started to be pushed back.

Against the Awakened that managed to gather in Emham Forest at the news of treachery, the five attempted to desperately hold on, yet their combination of might is not able to triumph against the overwhelming odds against them.

While their stamina gets lower and lower, the enemies only increased in number.

Not only that, but their bodies also started to get weaker and weaker due to the riddled gruesome wounds suffered. Each one of them is bloodied, suffering numerous injuries from a simple cut to a poisoned slash.

Ugrok in particular suffers the heaviest as he needs to make up for the others more.

On top of the countless Awakened jumping on him, Mistin was amongst them, and he also got help from two family heads, similar in terms of power. Due to that, he was mostly occupied fighting those three.

Battling in close range is hard enough, yet there are others attacking from range.

In fact, the reason the five were overwhelmed was because of ranged Awakened that uses contemporary weapons, firing their guns imbued with mana. Dodging such a barrage is impossible for all of them.

Gasping for air, Liliya glanced over to her back and asked, "How much longer...?"

"I don't know, there's definitely more people to be teleported" Prof. K replied, he was currently dealing with the advanced teleportation formation. Out of the five, he contributed the least to the fight.

Prof. K could only send his copies to fight while his real body stayed beside the formation.

Knowing that the situation is very dire, Liliya grimaced as she saw the enhancing mark that she engraved on herself is already dim. It wouldn't take long before she ran out of energy, and that would decrease the five's battle power immensely.

Meanwhile, on the other side of the battlefield.

"What happened to you, Lady Giana? Are you taking it easy on me?"

"Krggh..."

One of the family heads decided to clash with Giana yet he was surprised to find that she was not as strong as he expected. It was then, his eyes glowed and noticed that he couldn't sense the spirit core inside Giana's body.

From his perspective, Giana looked normal, like a regular human.

Ridiculed by someone who has a lower standing than her, she gritted her teeth in anger.

Giana was not a pushover, she dashed at the family head and fights even fiercer, the fuel of anger makes her even stronger as she was able to push the family head's back. It was even more surprising considering that there was a deep gash across her torso.

A wound suffered from a heavy slash, and there are also multiple gunshot wounds on her.

Parrying Giana's fierce advancement, the family head jumped back and landed gracefully. Smirking lightly, the family head then said, "Is this how far you have failed, Lady Giana? Not a glimpse of your past self, no spirit core, and even aligning with the Traitor. Once a goddess and now, you..."

"You're just an unsightly, desperate, and weak traitor" he mocked blatantly.

Despite the cruelness of his words, what he said was accurate. Giana's once lovely face that has been marred by Rex, was no longer beautiful. She was now desperately seeking to gain Rex's approval. To add to her misery, she had also lost her Awakened power.

It has been a torturous couple of days for her, but this situation has been the worst.

Gazing down to the ground with a grim look, Giana's body trembled as she was burning with fury, "I will not deny what you said is untrue, in fact, I acknowledged it to be true" she whispers, not denying the harsh truth. "But don't you ever called me a traitor..."

Clenching her jaw, Giana raised her face to glare at the family head with her blue eyes.

"Unlike you who is sitting behind the safety of these walls, I sacrificed everything in order to keep Humanity alive. I don't expect you to understand it, yet don't you ever call me a traitor again!"

As she said that, a painful wail suddenly penetrated her ears.

Roar!!

Glancing to the side, Giana noticed the painful wail coming from Ugrok, severely injured.

Mistin finally landed a powerful attack that almost cut off Ugrok's shoulder entirely, litres of blood gushed out of Ugrok's big body, instantly creating a puddle of blood on the ground beneath his feet.

Instantly after that, the other family head beside Mistin made his move.

Fueling himself with blazing fire that created sparks of embers around him, the family head launches himself forward like a canon by creating an explosion beneath his feet. Instead of aiming for the obvious target, he went past Ugrok.

Upon seeing this, Giana's eyes bulged before she shouted, "STOP HIM!"

Knocking the Awakened around them, Liliya and Dyrmir heard her shout and also saw the family head heading towards the unsuspecting Prof. K, he was still teleporting the people and wouldn't be able to take his hand off of the advanced teleportation formation.

Despite the danger, Liliya and Dyrmir quickly jumped in the way to block the family head.

"Out of my way!"

Just as the family head said that his hand summoned a big two-handed blazing axe from thin air, expanding its heat in an instant. In response to this, Liliya and Dyrmir also raised their weapons to try and block the family head.

Yet, the power between them is too much, and the two have no chance.

Boom!

Splash!

It takes only a swing of the blazing axe for Liliya and Dyrmir to lose an arm in an instant.

Standing no chance against the family head, the two were knocked out of the way whilst their severed arms flew into the air. "Now you die, traitor of the SCO..." the family head smirked as he arrived behind Prof. K.

Pulling the blazing axe back, he then swung it with full force directly at Prof. K's back.

When Prof. K felt the warmth of the flame on his back that pulls his attention away from the teleportation, he quickly turned around to look. His eyes widened when he saw the blazing axe heading in his direction, he could feel his throat tightening in response.

'N- No, I can't react fast enough. The people... they are going to die!'

Despite the attack might end him in the process, the thought of the people he was teleporting would die which would seal the failure of this operation is the only thing inside Prof. K's mind right now.

Even in front of death, he feared failing the operation more.

Knowing that he couldn't react fast enough, Prof. K close his eyes. It was soon after he did that, he could feel his chest get hit and burned by the blazing axe. Naturally, blood climbs into his throat, forcing its way out of his body.

"Guahkk!"

Prof. K grunted painfully, he spat a disturbing amount of blood.

Although he was adamant about being hit directly by the blazing axe, he still tries to stiffen his body to resist the force that would push him, trying to keep his hand on the advanced teleportation formation, using most of his energy to keep the formation active and stable.

But a frown appears when the force stopped, and he managed to stay on his spot.

It was almost as if the blazing axe's momentum was stopped.

Slowly opening his eyes to check the situation, he was greeted by the sight of the big blazing axe embedded inside his chest, almost touching his organs. If the family head wanted to, he definitely could do more damage than that.

Prof. K thought that the family head was playing with him.

Yet he was proven wrong almost instantly when he saw a blade, cloaked with sharp green energy blocking the handle of the blazing axe, causing the family head to be unable to push further despite trying.

Realizing this, Prof. K looks back and saw an unfamiliar figure standing behind him,

Judging from the upright ears and flawless skin, this person should be an Elf, a very powerful one at that. Wearing royal armor with the royal crest as well as a cape, this Elf surely has a high standing in the Elven race.

It was Hastios, and he was sent here to help Prof. K in teleporting the innocent people.

Commencing a flick with his sword, sending a powerful surge of nature energy, Hastios is able to push the family head's blazing axe back rather easily. As he did that, he then walks around and stands in front of Prof. K.

"Keep teleporting the people, I will help protect you"

As he said that, dozens of Elves also jumped out of the Cluster Domain.

Similar to Hastios, these Elves are also wearing intricate and detailed armor that speaks of their standings. In the eyes of humans, these Elves are definitely foreign. But in truth, these Elves were quite well-known in the Supernatural world.

It's the Dauntless Cerion Order, the Royal Elite Guards of the Elven race.

Circling the advance teleportation formation, the Dauntless Cerion Order assumed their battle stances and watches the remaining Awakened with stern expressions, ready for a battle at a moment's notice.

Noticing that Ugrok is still rampaging despite his injuries, the Elves readies themselves.

Like a united unit that moved and act in coordination with each other, the Elves quickly jumped at an opponent of their choosing and the battle continues, it keeps on getting fiercer and fiercer.

Prof. K on the other hand looks at Hastios back before he felt immense relief.

Earlier, there was a huge burden weighing down his shoulders that keeps on increasing the longer the battle continues. Knowing what the fight will lead to, their imminent failure, it's hard for him to even breathe.

Yet now, he got reinforcement, and he could breathe easily again.

'Seems like he's not a total monster. Coming there and talking to him is the right move, I'm glad I did that instead of trying alone in a losing fight' Prof. K thought, he was glad that he did what he did.

Meanwhile, Hasstios scans the place, ignoring the family head standing across from him.

Hastios then asked, "Where is the one called Liliya?"

"Eh...?" Pausing for a second, Prof. K quickly recovered and nudges his chin towards Liliya who is still lying on the ground not far from them. She was in pain thanks to her severed arm, and she was now still struggling to get back on his feet.

Upon catching her sight, Hastios' expression twitched a little.

But as he was checking Liliya's condition, the family head realized that he was being ignored by this newcomer who reeks of arrogance. Gritting his teeth, the family head quickly dashed and lifted Liliya by the hair before wrapping his arm around her neck.

It was clear what he was going to do.

Turning to face Hastios again, the family head was about to threaten him.

Even though that was the plan, he finds his body frozen abruptly. It was naught but a moment, yet the family head could see the tip of a sword already a couple of inches away from reaching his neck before he could say anything.

Abandoning his plan, he lets go of Liliya and jumped back to dodge the sword.

Landing a couple of feet back, the family head grinds his teeth in bubbling anger seeing that Hastios helped Liliya get up nonchalantly and keep on ignoring him, "Go rest, I'll take it over from here"

Confused as to who Hastios was, Liliya didn't complain and did what she was told.

Standing up once again, Hastios glanced to the side sensing an immense amount of killing intent being directed to him, "Stop it, don't even try to do anything. If I wanted to, killing you will not be a problem"

"Are you even capable of burying me, Elf?" the family head replied, holding back his anger.

Just then, Hastios turns to face the family head before he raised his green sword, "Awakened in your realm relies most on Gladiator Form, an eighth-rank realm Awakened has a slight delay in activating their Gladiator Form. In addition to the suppression, that delay is going to be longer"

"Do you want to test it?" Hastios added, looking at the family head sharply.

Upon hearing this, the family head could only suffer Hastios' condescending tone before he then continues, "You activating your Gladiator Form against my blade, which one is faster? Do you want to test whether I could bury you or not?"

Chapter 844 Clueless

"It's going on smoothly, about 4,000 people have already been teleported"

"How many cities did you manage to gather?"

"If the cities that I visited all came for today, then there should be Lountain City, Wedron City, and Beah City. Approximately 10,000 people at the very least that need to be teleported, we're only halfway through"

Adhara, Evelyn, and Queen Shanaela are currently inside the Cluster Domain.

Despite the Awakened that was sent to represent the cities as well as Gelmar and the others that helped this process to go unhindered by allocating these people to a designated place, the three needed to contribute as organizing the people is not the only thing that needs to be addressed.

Most of the people that got teleported were terrified.

On top of the fact that they are stepping into a different and unknown city, the hectic situation that they went through is traumatizing for these regular people that are not built as a soldier.

Realizing that the three decided to lead these people to the portal in the Cluster Domain.

Each of their presence is very much needed. Queen Shanaela and Evelyn in particular.

Putting on a sweet smile that she always wears for her people, the aura of a Queen oozes out of Queen Shanaela's body. It was soft and assuring, providing comfort for the people traversing into an unknown land.

On top of that, additional help came from Evelyn's presence.

Since Evelyn was the one that visited their cities to discuss their evacuation to Dargena City, the people recognized her and gave her a light nod or a smile. It was infinitely more assuring to see a familiar face in this kind of situation.

"Are we not going to help them?" Queen Shanalea suddenly asked.

Both Adhara and Evelyn looks at each other briefly when they heard her question. Evelyn then answered first, "We should wait a little bit more, our assistance is going to be necessary. In a few minutes, we'll help"

"Evelyn... Rex doesn't want us going there" Adhara replied, a frown on her face.

Clearly, the two have different opinions about the matter. Evelyn is the one who told Queen Shanaela to send help for Prof. K and Giana for the sake of the people's safety, and she was also adamant that they would need help.

If they don't, Prof. K and Giana would ultimately fail, and innocent people will get hurt.

Adhara, on the other hand, believed the complete opposite.

She still hated Giana for what she did, it was an unforgivable act and she doesn't mind following Rex's command. It's not like the citizens of the cities would be massacred by the opposing Awakened anyway, they couldn't afford to do that.

In such uncertain times, tyranny would only lead the people to revolt.

People would stand up for themselves if the opposing Awakened dares to do that, and it would only make Rex's side more appealing, causing more people to seek evacuation. Between the Executor and the Supernatural Elders, humanity have already enough problems already, they don't need more.

It's impossible for them to not be aware of those consequences, so Adhara is not worried.

"Stop blatantly following him, there are times he could be wrong" Evelyn replied sharply, she then averted her gaze elsewhere and mused silently inside her mind, 'Just like when he decided to look at Calidora that way...'

Upon hearing this Adhara could only sigh and decided not to pursue the matter.

Following that, the three suddenly snapped their necks to the portal when they saw the people that were about to enter the portal exclaiming in horror. It was then, the three saw a figure coming out of the portal.

A tall pale-skin woman, oozing with blood energy, and gleaming red eyes. Calidora.

"L- Lady Evelyn, I'm sorry... I tried stopping her until you called, but I couldn't do anything to her" Dindora also came from the portal, bowing in apology as she couldn't stop Calidora from entering the Cluster Domain.

Evelyn clicked her tongue and waved her hand, "It's not your fault, you can go back"

Noticing that Calidora is about to make a problem again, Queen Shanaela quickly walks over to her, "Calidora, you've caused great trouble already. It's best that you behave now or Aunty will get mad at you"

"Aunty doesn't need to worry, I'm here to do their jobs for them" Calidora pointed at the two.

Just listening to her arrogance makes the veins on Adhara and Evelyn's faces bulge in anger, the two couldn't stand this Vampire. "What does that supposed to mean? Did you really think you could mock us and get away with it?!"

"An outsider should remain, an outsider. Know your place, Vampire" Evelyn added.

Upon hearing this Caliodra giggled sweetly before that giggle turns into laughter, she was looking at Adhara and Evelyn as if the two of them were the dumbest person she knows. "It seems that the Female Alpha and the Luna still don't get it, even though you spend so much time with him already, the two of you still don't get it. A shame... I thought at the very least, I could learn something from the two of you about him"

"But seems like I was mistaken to think that" she added, a punch to their hearts.

Calidora then walks over and heads to the other portal, leading to the Emham Forest. Yet Adhara grabbed her wrist, stopping her in her tracks, "What do you mean by that, Calidora?" she asked with a frown.

Seeing Adahra's frown, Calidora smirked at how clueless she was.

"Hah... I'm quite jealous already. Let me go, Female Alpha. I'm sent here by Rex himself since you two have already given assistance, I'm here to deal with when that defensive mechanism was triggered" She replied, twisting her hand to make Adhara let go.

Just as she said that she takes a couple of steps forward before stopping.

It was then the area around her scarlet eyes darkens, her eyes turns smoky before the veins near her chin started to turn ruby red and then black, climbing nearer to her eyes. Cursed and Blood energies were mixed together.

Under the three gazes, blood jutted from the ground and climbs upwards from the legs.

Calidora's entire body then got swallowed by the blood and her energy climbs even higher. It takes only a moment before the blood splashes around her, revealing a change to her appearance.

Now, Calidora is wearing a black elegant dress armor that exposes some of her flawless skin.

Prominently displayed on her left breast was a royal badge of the Vampire Kingdom. Some of her body still carried hints of the blood that had embraced and swallowed her earlier, almost like a shadowy fire around her right arm and left leg. Her elegant yet deadly appearance was then completed with a red forehead diadem.

Looking at her transformation into her battle-ready state, the others were not impressed.

Glancing over her shoulder sweetly, Calidora's hand reaches for her shoulder.

Her fingers playfully played around her shoulder, seemingly doing something. Alebit Adhara and Evelyn were reluctant to even gaze at her, both of them have their eyes bulged completely and their violent energies instantly exploded.

It was due to a mark that Calidora's fingers were playing around.

A white-colored mark in the shape of a star. Adhara and Evelyn would never mistake this mark even if they were in their dying breaths, it was the same mark they had on themselves, and this could only mean one thing.

"CALIDORA!!" Evelyn roared in anger with immense bloodlust.

Adhara was also the same, she doesn't want to believe what he was seeing is real.

Just as the two were stressing about the Silverstar Mark in between Calidora's neck and shoulder, she suddenly chuckled and said teasingly, "Relax... this is only a normal mark to scare those people outside. Don't get too worked up, this is just foreplay. Averting her gaze to the front again, she then added, "I wouldn't let Rex turn me, at least not in this state, not yet..."

Upon hearing this, Adhara and Evelyn were immensely relieved.

It was for a moment there that the two thought that Rex has already turned Calidora.

Evelyn was livid, her anger almost reached a boiling point if that mark was actually the real Silverstar Mark. She couldn't stay still and swore she'd make Calidora pay right then and there if she was actually branded by Rex.

"Now we know what would happen..." Calidora mutters before she walks away.

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Meanwhile, back to Emham Forest.

Hastios was having a stare-off with the family head, the tension keeps on climbing higher.

It was clear that Hastios have full confidence in himself on reaching the family head before he could manage to pull off his Gladiator Form, and the family head could feel that he would die if he accepted this challenge.

But it was then, the family head looks down with a smile on his face.

Seeing the smile, Hastios frowned as he doesn't know what is the family head smiling for.

Just then the family head started laughing subtly in ridicule, he then raises his face again to look at Hastios with a crazed expression, "Did you really think you could barge in here, kidnap a bunch of people, and expect we do nothing in retaliation?"

"Hmmm...?" Hastios tilted his head a little in confusion.

Although he was confused, Prof. K's body stiffens as he forget an important thing.

Prof. K has been trying to be meticulous in commencing the operation to not get caught with anything, yet he fails to consider one thing when he asked Rex for help earlier, he stumbled under pressure and forgot about that.

While he was still teleporting the people, he gritted his teeth and curses himself.

'How could I did such a blunder...? I forgot about my own invention!'

[Sign of abnormalities has been detected, you are a High-Elf!]

[Power: Sixth-rank realm]

[Inclination: Hostile]

[Threat Level: Blue]

[Warning! A coordinated attack by the Supernaturals has been detected!]

[Location: Sector 3B, the Emham Forest]

[Please be at ease and stay inside your homes. All personnel from the SCO and UWO are going to suppress the attack shortly, another notice will come when the attack has been suppressed]

Upon detecting numerous Supernaturals inside Emham Forest, Intra was alerted.

It takes only a couple of minutes before the alert came which was very quick, Intra-technology has encompassed the entire human territory, and its effectiveness is one of the greatest breakthroughs for humanity.

Yet, at this moment, the creator was in trouble because of it.

"Maybe a lower-rank Supernatural like you was not aware yet, so let me educate you" the family head smirks, taunting Hastios smugly. "Any Supernatural that stepped inside our territory will be notified by Intra-technology, and any attacks will be intercepted shortly. Just like this..."

Hastios was dumbfounded, he was not aware of this defensive mechanism.

Glancing around the place, he finds that his people were still winning the fight but he could already sense more and more Awakened coming closer like a swarm of ants. It wouldn't take long before the place is surrounded.

Standing on their grounds will be harder, and they wouldn't last.

"Now, we'll see how you deal with us now. Remember, this is our territory!"

Just as the family head said that Hastios saw inscribed runes appear on the ground behind the family head, he frowned as he realized that it was some kind of spell before out of nowhere the ground exploded.

Kaboom!!

Immediately after the swirling fire exploded on the ground, a figure appeared at the center.

 $\cdot c\theta m$ Upon sensing the sharp flaming energy coming from the figure, Hastios frowned as he could feel that this figure is way stronger than he is. Clearly, before the suppression, this figure is in the ninth-rank realm.

A fire dragon then appeared, sweeping around and burning the elite Elves to ash.

Prof. K who watches this paled, the figure that came is a ninth-rank realm Awakened, and he knows that this operation is destined to fail, 'W- We lost, I should've anticipated this. Now, there's no chance for us to win against this ninth-rank realm. But Rex definitely remembered, he must have a plan to deal with this'

Despite he was pessimistic, his mind suddenly jolted awake, 'No...'

'No matter what, I need to do something. It's my responsibility to help, no matter how small!'

Chapter 845 Lesson Of Responsibility

About fifteen years ago, inside a humble small town by the riverside.

It was a beautiful sunny day and the sky is blue.

People of the city, neighbors carried on with their everyday lives, conversing and joking with one another as if they were family. Since the town was so small, with at most 400 people living inside, everyone knew each other.

Just then, the people's attention was attracted to a young boy walking lazily.

The young boy has short black hair, a frail figure, and piercing green eyes. He's slightly over the age of fifteen, and it seems he was quite famous amongst the people. Not in a good way famous, but in a bad way famous judging from the people's expressions when they see the young boy.

"Daughter, don't get too close to him or you'll get sick"

"Shouldn't the mayor do something about him?"

"Hey, don't say that out loud. His deceased father is close with the mayor"

Listening to the people talking badly about him, the young boy didn't have any reaction.

Clearly for the young boy, this kind of thing is a regular occurrence for him, and he doesn't mind their words and mind his own business, wanting to reach home as quickly as possible to get out of the sun.

This started recently, about a month ago.

Unexpectedly during a regular day, green smoke comes out of the young boy's body.

It happened abruptly and he doesn't know what to do.

But he couldn't deny the fact that something must've happened to him as this is clearly not normal. Since both of his parents has deceased in a car accident, he went over to the local family physician alone to check if they know what was wrong with his body.

Although hopeful, he didn't get an answer. Nobody knows what happened to him.

Some attributed it to the work of the devils.

Additionally, the green smoke brought along a couple of side effects. One that he instantly felt was the fact that he feels tired all the time, he also becomes thinner, and he couldn't gain any substantial weight no matter how much he eats.

Just these side effects alone are bad already, but there's one that's worse than the others.

Due to the green smoke coming out of him and stopping randomly, the people that was around him that got too close would fall ill. It was because of that, people started to avoid him as if he was a plague.

Of course, the young boy didn't blame them, he would also do the same.

"Sigh... I'll get some sleep after I got home"

Coursing through the street with steady steps and curved back with a plastic bag in his hand, the young boy suddenly stopped, his eyes darted to the side when a lively voice called him from the side, he knew exactly who it is.

"Cristian!"

"A-Aunt Kayla?"

Running lightly from the side was a middle-aged blond-haired woman in her middle thirties.

Aunt Kayla stopped in front of Cristian breathing heavily before she puts both of her hands on her waist tiredly, and this made Cristian chuckle, "You don't need to run, Aunt Kayla. I'm not going anywhere"

"It's hard to meet you, you know. You always stayed home" Aunt Kayla replied.

Getting her breaths steady again, Aunt Kayla then raises a plastic bag in her hand and puts a bright smile on her face, "I packed you some home-cooked food, I accidentally made too much so here you go. I know you're always eating bad stuff" She gave a look at the items inside the plastic bag Cristian is holding.

Cristian cold only puts the plastic bag behind him, putting on a wry smile.

"Just look at yourself, all skin and bones. Learn to cook, I can teach you" Aunt Kayla added.

Smiling lightly, Cristian knows that he couldn't shake off Aunt Kayla, so he decided to follow along, "W-Well, I don't think I can refuse so I'll take it. As for learning to cook, I'll give it a thought. Thanks, Aunty" Cristian replied.

Upon hearing this the smile on Aunt Kayla's face blooms even wider.

Nodding her head in agreement, she then stretched her hand to give the plastic bag to Cristian. But seeing this, he smiled again as he can't get it like this, "Put it on the ground, Aunty. I don't want you to be sick"

"Just take it already., I'm not that frail" She shoved the plastic bag to Cristian.

Receiving the warm plastic bag, Cristian thanked her again before she bids her goodbye. Out of the people of this town, she was the only one that doesn't treat him like somekind of monster.

She was a kind person, she was like this to everyone in the town.

But this is why Cristian appreciates and cherishes her, she treated him like a normal person.

About a week later from that day, an unexpected incident happened.

Mayhem ensued as the small town was attacked by weird animals, these animals looks like dogs and cows, yet they doesn't seem like regular animals. Aside from their bigger sizes, some even have shocking abilities.

There were not many of them, about 10 in total, yet the damage done is destructive.

Cristian wasn't going to come out of his house as he was scared, but the attack happened in his part of the town. One of the mutated dogs came barging into his house and has no choice but to fight back.

It was then, he realized that his power come in handy, he could defeat the mutated dog.

Sensing that one of them has died, the mutated dogs and cows came running into Cristian's house like a tide of carnage, forcing him to fight again. But as the fight continues, the citizen of the town thought that the mutated animals were gone.

Until one of them noticed the fight in Cristian's house, blood splattered everywhere.

"N- No! Someone, please help him!" Aunt Kayla screamed in terror.

Even though she tries to garner the others' to help Cristian as the fight is happening inside Cristian's house, the other citizen didn't move from their spots. It was then Aunty Kayla tries to do it herself, but she was held back by one of the citizens.

"Kayla, are you insane?!" the man exclaimed.

Another then chimed in, "Think about your kids! If you go in there and die, what would they do?"

Aunt Kayla could not contain her fear and pain as the windows of Cristian's house were spattered with fresh blood and crashing noises echoed from within. Her trembling body was held by the man as she shed tears at the sound of mutated animals roaring and growling.

In the midst of the noises, she could also hear Cristian's struggling voice.

Despite the fight having been going on for more than ten minutes, none of the citizens dared venture inside. Instead, they are holding their guns outside, ready to shoot anything that comes out of the house.

Just then, footsteps echoed from the house as Cristian walked outside.

Looking at the crowd in front of his house, Cristian sighs as his body is trembling due to the grievous bloody cuts and scratches that he sustained from the fight. It was then, his body topple over and he fell down.

Breaking free, Aunt Kayla quickly rushes over to him before everything turned dark.

An unknown amount of time passed.

Cristian opens his eyes slowly and felt his entire body wrung with excruciating pain, he then blinks his eyes a couple of times and realizes that the ceiling is unfamiliar, it was not his house ceiling.

"Oh, you're awake?"

Glancing to the side, Cristian saw Aunt Kayla bringing in hot water and a cloth.

On top of that, he also saw a couple of children peeking from the door to see him. Upon realizing that he was inside Aunt Kayla's house, Cristian quickly forces himself to sit up on the bed, "Eugh... Aunt Kayla, I- I need to get back to my house"

"No you are not, stay here" She rebutted and puts the hot water on the desk.

Despite her insisting for him to stay here, Cristian couldn't do that as his body slowly emits green smoke again, "I don't want you or your children to be sick. Thank you for patching me up, but I need to go home"

Instead of letting him go, Aunt Kayla pushes his forehead and forces him to lie down again.

"Stop moving, you're still hurt" She said.

Cristian was at a loss for words, he couldn't grasp what Aunt Kayla is doing, being close to him is dangerous, "Just why are you being like this? Why are you so kind to me? I never did anything good for you"

"Well, firstly, you saved the town" Aunt Kayla replied as she dipped the cloth in hot water.

Upon hearing this, Cristian nodded in understanding, he remembered fighting those mutated animals so it must've been the reason Aunt Kayla is doing this. But unexpectedly, she continues, "Also, I'm the closest person to you in the town. Because of that, I have the responsibility to the people of the town to help you"

Albeit he was not expecting much, her answer slightly widen Cristian's eyes.

It makes Cristian looks up to Aunt Kayla even more for doing such a selfless act for the people, knowing that she might get sick by doing this. More than that, Cristian also learned something from her.

'Responsibility...?' he thought as his eyes darted to the green smoke his body emits.

Seeing Cristian's confusion, Aunt Kayla smiled softly and giggled, "It's hard to expect someone your age to comprehend responsibility. However, your power, it's not a curse. It's a Gift. In due time, you will also need to fulfill your responsibility"

"What would my responsibility will be?" Cristian asked, innocently.

But Aunt Kayla looks at him with a tender gaze, "I don't know, maybe you'll soon find out"

About a month passed since that incident.

Eerie silence covered the entire small town that has already been ransacked completely, heavy rain pours down from the sky, drenching Cristian who was now standing in the center of the town square, looking at the bloody mess in front of him that was being washed by the rain.

However, his eyes were not fixed on the blood but where the blood came from.

Looking down at the ground in front of him, there was a corpse.

Aunt Kayla lay motionless in the town square, she died on the town square, one of the victims of the latest attack. Not by mutated animals time, no - this time it was Demons from the depths of the underworld that had come to wreak havoc.

Their sole purpose is to spread evil in this peaceful town.

Unlike last time, Cristian couldn't do anything, he was powerless against the Demons.

No matter how much he tried, the Demons were invulnerable, he couldn't do anything to stop the inevitable destruction of the town. With his remaining power, he hides, turning into green smoke, and lay low until the Demons finished slaughtering the town.

When the Demons left, he instinctively searched for Aunt Kayla.

At last, he finds Aunt Kayla, yet she had gone on to a better place. Her sons were with her in her embrace, both having died together. The cruelty of the Demons was unbearable, they were merciless, "My responsibility... I still don't know and understand it, Aunt Kayla. Please, help me once more..." he said in a quiet voice.

Going to his knees, he grabbed Aunt Kayla's hand gently, begging her to answer.

But it was too late, she was gone, and no amount of pleading could bring her back to answer his confusion. Just as he was about to turn away, the corner of his eye noticed something from beneath the pouring rain.

Glancing to the side, there stood a small figure emerging from her cover, a young girl.

Cristian recognized this girl, she was Aunt Kayla's only daughter.

Upon seeing this, he chuckled and a smile bloomed on his face, "Ahh... even in death, you still helped me. I know now, my responsibility..." Cristian uttered with a smile, he walks over to the young girl and rubs her head gently.

'My responsibility... my responsibility is to secure the future'

Chapter 846 Fulfilling My Responsibility

Emham Forest, Ratmawati City.

It seems the situation has never ceased to keep on escalating, like an increasing stampede, threatening to crush the operation that Prof. K and Giana desperately need to complete. A literal nightmare that the two need to go through.

Giana, in particular, suffered the crippling anxiety the most.

Each time an attack was about to hit her, the flash of the military woman being killed by Adhara and Evelyn flashes inside her mind. A sight that she doesn't want to see ever again, she was the one that is directly responsible for that.

Due to her evil, she birthed two more evils into this world.

Additionally, those two more evils are crueler than her, and she wanted to undo that.

Fueled by a fierce and unyielding motivation for her, Giana keeps on standing her ground. Despite the Awakened's numbers that keep on increasing thanks to the Intra-technology warning, she keeps on fighting without end, her body moved on autopilot.

She disregards the fatigue and pain that overwhelmed her senses.

On the other hand, at the center of it all, another fearsome threat has joined the battle.

Hastios lowers his stance cautiously at the sight of the figure.

Scanning around the place, the ninth-rank realm Awakened, a man of fire then said while stepping towards Hastios, "These people do pick the most annoying time to attack. I can see now why President Sebrof was reduced to that state, he's becoming soft, politics gets to him"

Embers of fire can be seen flickering around his body, his appearance is daunting.

Just the sight of this ninth-rank realm Awakened alone, the other Awakened that were low on morale from not being able to beat the traitors instantly sky-rocketed again. It's incredible how one Awakened could change the shift of the battle this fast.

Standing across Hastios was a bare-chested man and his hair is a blazing fire.

A calm yet powerful and steady gaze decorates the man's face, showing the countless battles that he has gone through and survived. In addition, the man wore a pair of shoulder pieces and a red cape that hung off his athletic lean body. His gauntlets were even more impressive, sure powerful weapons, dripping with molten lava.

Crash!

Taking another powerful step, the man then smiled and tilts his head slightly.

"But unlike President Sebrof, I'm not that soft. I'm not going to be soft on a rebellion, we don't want it to grow, didn't we?" the man added with a scornful look, his eyes fixed on Hastios before shifting to the advanced teleportation formation behind him.

Upon seeing this, the man slightly nods and looks back at Hastios again.

It was then Hastios can feel that the man was about to make a move, and as expected, the man suddenly dashed straight towards him like a literal bullet. Very fast, Hastios couldn't keep up for a brief second.

Finding that the right gauntlet is scorching with fire, Hastios raised his sword in defense.

Despite being caught off guard he managed to use his nature energy to enhance the sword in preparation for the attack, planting his feet firmly on the ground, 'I need to lure him away from this place, but he's already fixed on attacking the formation. I have no choice but to stand my ground' he thought.

Since the man already eyed the formation, Hastios have no choice but to stay.

Albeit that was the case, he already started to plan how he will move after receiving this attack. In the first clash, the man should try to gauge how strong he is, and he could use that to his advantage.

But contrary to what he was thinking, the man smirked evilly.

Out of nowhere, Hastios can feel a gush of arcane mana and spirit energy concentrated in the man's right gauntlet, the level of energy that gathered shocks him as the man doesn't seem to be sparing a single strength and decided to go all-out from the get-go.

"Pneuma Spell, Reign of Fire..."

Immediately after he chanted that, he drives his fiery gauntlets in a straight punch.

The man puts twisted his torso in doing that straight punch, he was clearly giving it his all. Additionally, when his fist lunges forward, a dragon's head manifested on the gauntlet and seemed to be roaring menacingly.

Upon colliding with the sword, Hastios widened his eyes at the force of the punch.

It was so powerful that his feet were lifted off of the ground.

Furthermore, the nature energy that Hastios conjure to enhance his sword was completely broken through as the heat from the fire travels through the body of the blade all the way down to the hilt, turning the sword into a scorching metal.

Hastios groaned when he felt the pain, and instinctively let go of his sword.

But seeing this, the man laughs, his power soared once again to the peak, "I'm not done yet!"

Contrary to the Pneuma Slepp finishing, the man drives his fist further and managed to hit Hastios right in the guts. Following that, the dragon's head on the gauntlet blasts forward and sends Hastios crashing away.

Under the power of the dragon's head, Hastios didn't stop at all.

Anything that stands in the way were broken through instantly until eventually, a loud crashing sound can be heard in the distance as he crashes into the northern part of Emham Forest's walls.

The family head that was watching this from behind was excited at the sight of this.

But the man then glanced over to the family head and said with a commanding tone, "Go and finish off that Elf, I will stop those people from being teleported away and also destroy the teleportation formation"

Upon hearing this, the family head gladly complies and dashes away.

Once the head family had gone away, the man's gaze shifted to Prof. K. He was hunched over the teleportation formation unmoving, pouring energy into it to teleport the next batch while his back was facing the onlooker.

Looking at this, the man grabbed Hastios' green sword before he strides forward.

Just as he got closer to Prof. K with a scornful look, the man heard mumbling sounds coming from him. It was inaudible as his mumble is very light, in a whispering manner, yet he seems to be repeating the same thing over and over again.

"My responsibility..."

"Secure the future..."

"My responsibility..."

In the man's view, Prof. K has already lost it and he couldn't help but shakes his head.

"When I arrived here, I heard about these messengers from the SCO, an organization that managed to be on par with the UWO. But to be honest, I was expecting way more than something this pitiful from you" the man said condescendingly.

But as he was about to stab Prof. K, something happened.

"HEEUUAARGHHH!!"

Out of nowhere, Prof. K screamed at the top of his lungs, his voice was hoarse and is reverberating throughout the entirety of Emham Forest. It was an all-out scream with a broken voice.

Liliya on the other side of the forest feels a shiver running down her spine.

"Prof. K...?"

Although the voice was a broken one and was hardly recognizable, she concluded that it was Prof. K judging from the direction it was coming from. She had never heard Prof. K raise his voice to her, much less scream like this, and it terrifies her to the core.

It was then, green smoke burst forth like a tidal of mist from Prof. K's body.

One can see Prof. K's body deteriorating and his skin breaking down as the green smoke covered the entire Emham Forest fully, he was in incredible pain to let out this much power, and it was depicted by his painful expression.

If not for his Werewolf regeneration, he would definitely die if he exerts himself to this extent.

Feeling the prickly sensation on the surface of his skin, the man quickly realizes that the green smoke is poisonous, and he decided to coat his body with his own fire to repel the poison smoke and protect himself.

'Hmph! Even if you cover the entire forest, the formation will still stay at the same spot'

Despite the entirety of Emham Forest was covered in green smoke, the advanced teleportation formation is surely still at the same spot. The man was only a couple of steps away from it, so he was not worried.

But as he takes a step forward, he suddenly felt something grabbing onto him.

When he spun around to see what was grabbing onto him, the man saw a startling sight. Multiple copies of Prof. K are holding him, restraining him in his spot. In response, he instinctively brandished his green sword and tried to cleave them in half.

However, they dispersed upon contact, breaking apart into more wisps of emerald smoke.

Meanwhile, Prof. K was panting heavily with his body slowly being weakened.

In actuality, he didn't cover the entire Emham Forest with green smoke and only concentrated every single power inside of him on the man, putting him in a hallucination that paralyzed him on his spot.

One of the uses of his power, the poisonous green smoke can do many things.

Albeit he was able to put the man in a hallucination, he knows that he can't keep this up. The pace of his body deteriorating and breaking down has become faster, and his regenerative ability started to be left behind.

Despite that fact, Prof. K will still endure, at least until he teleported a couple more batches.

Under the immense stress, his body was experiencing right now, blood started to seep out of his nose and his breathing has become heavier with each breath. It was then, he suddenly stopped breathing for a couple of seconds.

Prof. K's eyes widened slightly before he looks down at his chest.

Seeing a green sword impaling his chest, he was shocked, and his mind then registered what had happened before a burning sensation filled his chest. The man has broken through the hallucination.

He broke it so fast, it seems the man is not a ninth-rank realm nobody.

Blood drizzles down from the corner of Prof. K's mouth as he felt his eyes becoming hazy, yet a whisper then came from the back, "Don't be stubborn, stop keeping the formation active or you will die here"

"No... I will not stop. No matter what you do, I will not stop" Prof. K replied stubbornly.

Upon hearing this, the man pulls the sword out and exposes a devious smile. He played with the green sword while still looking at Prof. K, "If that's the case, then let's test your resolve, shall we...?"

Not even hesitating, the man began slashing Prof. K with his sword playfully.

Multiple bloody scratches and nicks were left on Prof. K's back, almost as if the man was painting something. The fabric of his robe slowly tore away with each slash, eventually revealing the wounded frail skin underneath.

It was a disturbing sight, Prof. K's senses has become numb, and he could only feel pain.

At some point in the playful torturing process, his vision started to become blurry and his eyelids began to become heavier, 'I- I need to hold on, every little thing counts. The people, the future... I need to fulfill my responsibility'

While Prof. K started to lose consciousness, the man started laughing.

Showing not a single sliver of mercy, he keeps on cutting Prof. K's back open violently.

But as he continues this barbarity, a shadow came from the side and forces the man to abruptly stop. The shadow was fast, and the man couldn't even react before he got hit in the face and sent crashing to the side.

Recovering quickly, the man gazes at the pale figure with two fangs poking out of her mouth.

"Hahh~ I'm going to have fun with you..."

Just as the womanly figure said that two other creatures came out of the portal leading to the Cluster Domain which widened the man's eyes completely. Those figures look like damned creatures, anomalies that shouldn't be seen.

It didn't stop there as the man could hear the shouts from the others around him.

Glancing to the side, the man realizes that the Awakened were fighting amongst each other. But as it turns out, there are other parties that joined the fight, two parties to be exact belonging to the 25 Golden Crest Families.

One of them rampages through, slaughtering with extreme speed.

"Daniel Burton...?" the man uttered in surprise.

But his eyes then darted to the other side where the Awakened from Mistin Family suddenly lost control of their bodies, and in the next second, they grabbed their heads and breaks their own neck.

Upon seeing this, the man frowns once again, "Lady Lauren too?!"

Chapter 847 Reinforcement And New Ally

Victory should have already been in sight, yet its light disappeared in an instant.

Due to his arrogance when he should be finishing Prof. K off and then destroying the advanced teleportation formation, he instead played with his food and gives time for the enemy reinforcement to come.

It was a big mistake for him, and now he was faced with a difficult situation.

Coming out of the Cluster Domain is Calidora in her battle mode alongside two gnarly cursed creatures, one is a big insect while the other adopts the appearance of the Grim Reaper, a hooded skeleton that emits extreme malice.

Additionally, more traitors came to help, matching the number the man brought with him.

The Burton Family as well as the Hester Family came and attacked the other Awakened, clearly stating their alignment belongs to Rex's side instead of humanity. It was blasphemous, and this angers the man to no end.

Liliya who was saved by Daniel Burton fell to her knees in exhaustion, she was relieved.

Seems like Dray has managed to deliver the message and has come to the rescue alongside his father and also the guild behind the family. But what she didn't expect was the Hester Family was here too.

'Why are they helping us...? Is it because of the delivery that Ugrok gave earlier?'

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A moment ago, in the other part of Sector 3.

Dray quickly made his way alongside the two other Awakened that accompanied him to the Emham Forest earlier towards the Hester Family mansion after notifying his father about the situation, he has promised to deliver the package and intends to fulfill it.

One of the Awakened stole a look at the package and gasped in surprise.

"What is it, Ethan?" Dray asked, hearing him gasp.

The Awakened called Ethan looks at Dray before he shakes his head, "Nothing... It's just that I think I recognize that package, that head, I believe it belongs to one of the Five Conversions from the Shapeshifter race, the right-hand of King Oddity"

Upon hearing this, Dray and the other Awakened were also surprised.

Even though it's hard to recognize, this package, a head of a creature surely belongs to the Supernatural race. Dray doesn't know what this head has to do with the relationship between Rex and the Hester Family, but to think that Rex takes the time to instruct Prof. K to deliver this package, this matter must be important.

It didn't take long before the three of them arrived at the Hester Family mansion.

Similar to his family's own mansion, there are Awakened guarding the outside of the mansion. But Dray identified himself to the guards who instantly recognized him, "I want to meet with the head family, I want to meet with Lady Lauren, it's very urgent"

As Dray is not a nobody, the Awakened guards lead him to the entrance.

Just as the Awakened guards were about to open the door and search for Lady Lauren, the person herself opens the door from the inside and stepped out. She already knows that Dray is here.

Looking at Dray graciously, Lady Lauren then asked, "Why are you here my dear...?"

"Forgive my intrusion, Lady Lauren. I've come for an important delivery" Dray bowed slightly and said politely, he is groomed well by his father, and he knows that the opposing side is older and also has a higher standing than him.

It was after hearing this, Lady Lauren frowns in confusion, 'Delivery...?'

Shifting her eyes to the head of a creature that Dray is presenting to her, Lady Lauren gazes at it in confusion but then she noticed a stark resemblance, 'Is it a Shapeshifter's head? I can't really tell, it's already deteriorated'

"Rex is the one that wanted to give this to you" Dray suddenly added.

While still bowing his head slightly, he then continues as there's a message he needed to convey to Lady Lauren as he made this delivery, "He said that with this, the deal between him and you has been fulfilled. Rex also said that he apologized for the late fulfillment of his part, but he hoped you'll find peace and not continue the path of vengeance"

Uncertain of this, Lady Lauren then said, "Rex...? You mean"

"Yes, Rex Silverstar" Dray replied shortly.

After saying that, Dray paused for a moment before he looks up to see Lady Lauren again.

But to his surprise, he finds tears falling down Lady Lauren's face.

Lady Lauren's unnatural ivory-grey eyes have already turned watery as she humbly received the head of the Shapeshifter with trembling hands, she was holding the head as if it was the heaviest object she has ever held.

Knowing her background as a strong and unflinching woman, this sight was more surprising.

Someone of her caliber, that continued her deceased husband as the head family and keep the Hester Family at a high position in the 25 Golden Crest Families is definitely tough. But right now, she was overwhelmed with emotions.

Not wanting to disturb her sentimental moment, Dray bowed alongside the two Awakened.

"I will excuse myself now, Lady Lauren," he said.

Upon hearing this, Lady Lauren raised her teary gaze and nodded her head, "Thank you..."

After Dray and the two Awakened left, escorted by the Awakened guards, Lady Lauren went back inside and closes the door behind her. Instantly after that, she puts her back against the door and slides down to the floor weakly.

Just looking at the Shapeshifter's head once again, she ultimately burst into tears.

"He remembered... Rex remembered. He kept his words, he actually kept his words" Lady Lauren mused, sobbing in between as more tears drizzle down her beautiful mature face. She held the head close to her chest, looking up at the ceiling through a watery vision.

Remembering her late husband, she smiled lightly as she can feel him watching over her.

"I know it, you're still watching me even more up there" She mutters.

While Lady Lauren was allowing herself to feel the wild mix and relief and exhilaration, someone from the other room stepped into her view before stopping in their tracks at the sight of her in tears on the floor.

"M- Mother...?"

The similar features this man has clearly shown that he's Lady Lauren's son, William.

Compared to before when he was powerless due to not being an Awakened, he now has a sliver of elemental aura seeping out of him, showing that he surprisingly reaches the sixth-rank realm in such a short amount of time.

Feeling worried, William rushes over to his mother and kneels beside her.

Just before he could ask what happened, his eyes caught sight of the head Lady Lauren was holding onto dearly. It stunned him for a moment, and he quickly connected the situation and realized what had happened.

As the oldest son, he knows the truth, he knows what happened to his father.

It was because of that he also felt the same mixed feeling that his mother is feeling, and automatically, a couple of tears also poured out of his eyes. The situation is surreal, he thought that this day would never come.

Reaching out her petite hand towards her son's face, Lady Lauren smiled.

"Wake your little sister, we're not going to stay here..."

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As the ninth-rank realm man's moon was fouled, Calidora scans the place around her.

Casting her sharp eyes left and right to assess the situation clearly, she then glanced at the two Children of Chaos descendingly with a disgusted expression, "What are the two of you doing standing around for? Go and kill everyone aside from those who wear grey and green outfits" she said harshly.

Upon hearing this, the two Children of Chaos didn't refute and started attacking.

In an instant, the insectoid-cursed creature burrowed into the ground and started snatching up the enemy Awakened one by one, slaying them instantly. Meanwhile, the skeletal cursed creature, Dealkandrax rushed to the crowd, its hollow eyes casting invisible shockwaves that sent the Awakened flying away.

After commanding the two cursed creatures, Calidora's eyes then landed on Prof. K.

Similar to earlier, Prof. K is still devotedly setting up the teleportation formation and had not moved an inch. Putting on an amused smile, she strides closer to him. Calidora then grasped his chin and lifted it so she could look at his face.

"Oh...? Rex would definitely like to hear about this"

Looking at Prof. K's face, she was surprised and also amused, he has a strong will.

Just like that, the combined effort between the two cursed creatures, the allied families, and the remaining elite elves managed to push the opposing forces back, slaughtering their numbers rapidly.

It was only left one person that needed to be taken care of, the ninth-rank realm man.

Sizing up Calidora that seems to be nonchalant, the man's eyes fixed on her ruby eyes that emit a weird hidden power, and this makes the man frowns as he hesitates to engage, "A Royal Vampire, seems like the Traitor Rex has allied himself with the Supernaturals now"

"Hmm...? Don't be mistaken, human. I and only I alone is owned by Rex" Calidora replied.

After saying that in a playful tone, she then showed the man the Silverstar Mark.

Upon seeing this the man frowns before out of nowhere, five Awakened from the back rushed at Calidora with their respective weapons in their hands. Most of them seem to be motivated by the sight of the Silverstar Mark.

"She's one of the Silverstar Pack members!"

"Capture her! We will be doing the Executor a favor if we managed to capture her!"

Listening to them wanting to capture her, Calidora blushes slightly.

"Ah~ So many people wanted to have me when I'm clearly his, I'm flattered by your heroic attempts. But..." Calidora looks at the five Awakened with a nonchalant expression, she doesn't emit any aura whatsoever.

In response to this, the five Awakened enhanced their weapons with their elemental aura.

Brandishing their weapons in a cleaving manner with the full intention of hurting Calidora, the five Awakened were exhilarated, they would be raising up to the world if they could capture her and bring her back for interrogation.

It wouldn't be a stretch if they actually becomes a war hero.

Just as the weapons were about to reach Calidora's body, the black patterns inside her ruby eyes rotates rapidly, causing her eyes to glow. In an instant, the Eyes of Terror was activated, and the weapons' trajectory suddenly stopped.

Clank!

"Hmmm...?!"

Each of the Awakened frowned when their momentum suddenly stopped.

Feeling that something is wrong, the five Awakened try to push or pull their weapons away yet find out they couldn't move the weapons, they couldn't even move their own bodies. Losing the ability to move their own bodies, the five Awakened paled in fear.

Smiling sweetly, Calidora then added, "I can't have you lay your hands on me..."

Upon saying that, the five Awakened could feel an invisible force infiltrating their insides. It was a forceful force, the five were screaming in pain, and in the next second, their bodies exploded from within.

Splash!

The ninth-rank realm man saw this sight, blood splattered everywhere.

"Heart of Blood..."

Calidora then chanted a spell that stopped the blood from splattering, almost as if she had stopped time itself. In the next second, the blood of the five Awakened then moved and went inside her heart, amplifying her power.

Fixing her gaze back at the man, she then asked, "Do you want to have me too...?"

"If you think that showing the Silverstar Mark will scare me, then you're dead wrong. No matter how strong he is, we have the Executor, and you would not be able to escape him" the man replied mockingly.

But this makes Calidora giggles in amusement, "Of course, you could do that"

"The Executor is very strong, my family told me all about him. And yes, I would not be able to escape him if I get caught. But that's only the Executor, he has the strength to back it up, what about you...?" she added teasingly.

Upon hearing this, the man's expression darkens completely.

Since she was in a good mood, she finds joy in teasing these people, "I might not be able to escape the Executor, but you would also not be able to escape Rex Silverstar. After what happened, I believe you know that anyone he targeted is deemed for destruction..."

Listening to this, the man unconsciously gazed to the side, at Giana who was still fighting.

Just Giana's presence alone is a testament to Calidora's statement.

Even though he would probably be able to capture Calidora, that would also mean he lets himself be the target of Rex Silverstar. The man gritted his teeth, he knows what Calidora said is true.

"Now that you know that, let's fight!"

Calidora exclaimed maniacally and summoned her wings, dashing straight at the man.

Chapter 848 Climbing Frustration

Swoosh!

Sunlight pierces through the gaps of the forest as the ninth-rank realm man and Calidora blitzes through the entire place, ransacking the fights that were happening all around them under their accidental might that spread around the area.

Instead of clashing, the ninth-rank realm Awakened man tries to escape.

Calidora was expecting a little bit of fight from him but it seems she was wrong, the ninth-rank realm Awakened instantly tries to run away, fearing that he might be targeted by the one called Rex Silverstar.

Despite not coming from Ratmawati City, the man has heard of Rex's feats.

One that surprises him the most was the fact that he was able to cause a catastrophe in Ratmawati City and destroy more than half of the city. It was surprising because the man knows that he couldn't, he was not that strong.

If he tries to destroy his home city, he would not be able to deal that much damage.

Albeit the fire element is the most destructive element that can cover a wide range of areas, he wouldn't be able to destroy a quarter of his home city much less half. On top of that, Rex did that and even managed to escape.

Not that he lost, but he was the one that wanted to leave out of his own free will.

Just his feats alone speak of the power he possesses, and the ninth-rank realm man didn't want to be targeted by such a person by hurting this maniacal woman that is chasing him right now persistently.

'It's not like I can ask the Executor, we're planning to revolt against him right now...'

Clicking his tongue in displeasure, the ninth-rank realm man garner his energy to his legs before he exploded, dashing away with extreme speed. He quickly covered a great distance and eventually managed to leave Emham Forest.

On the other hand, Calidora shrugs her shoulders, she didn't need to chase after him.

Gazing up to the sky from the edge of Emham Forest, she saw a couple of drones already stationed above the forest, recording every single incident at this moment, "Okay, the stage is set. But maybe I'll give them a better view..."

Deciding on what to do, Calidora focuses her blood energy on her right arm.

In the next second, she brandished her arm in a cleaving manner and shot a wide blood-energy slash that cuts all of the trees in front of her in half. Nothing obstructed her way, and the people that were fighting ducked down, sensing the incoming attack.

Just like that, the trees were mostly cut down, obliterating the canopies of the forest.

After doing that, Calidora nodded inwardly and dashes away.

Meanwhile, the Awakened who were sent here to suppress the 'Supernatural Attack' were slowly being pushed back, and casualties started piling from their side. The tide of the fight has turned against them, and it's only a matter of time before they were going to be overrun.

In particular, the area where the two cursed creatures ran rampant was the worst.

Standing against these two cursed creatures was akin to being a pig waiting to be slaughtered. Not only were they find it hard to hurt the two cursed creatures, but there are all kinds of side effects just from being near them.

Under the distraction from the side effects, the Awakened stand no chance against them.

Screech!!

A deafening roar came from the insectoid creature, rattling the entire place.

Listening to this powerful roar, Daniel as well as Lauren glanced in the direction of the deafening roar with a frown on their faces. Daniel then puts on a troubled look, "Should we also take care of that? Is that a mutated animal that hibernated in this forest?"

"No, it didn't attack our people. Must be Rex's forces" Lauren replied with a firm nod.

Just as the two discussed that, something landed behind them.

Crash!

Sensing a powerful aura that seeped coldness into their bones, Daniel and Lauren widened their eyes in surprise. It was then, a whisper made its way to their ears, "Explain yourselves, or both of you are going to die here..."

Upon hearing this, Daniel and Lauren turn around and leap away in surprise.

Instinctively, Lauren already connected her conjured mental strings on Daniel's body, making him two times stronger. An automatic defensive reflex at the sight of Calidora, a Vampire that emits a horrifying amount of blood energy.

"And why do we have to explain ourselves to a Supernatural...?" Daniel rebutted back.

A smirk flickered across Calidora's face as she heard Lauren's harsh comment, she wasn't able to suppress her teasing nature when she heard this. Her body moved in a nonchalant manner, strolling over to one side, "Supernatural...? I can only imagine what Rex would think about that poor choice of words. Obviously, you're not a fan of Supernaturals"

Realizing that Calidora was also sent here by Rex, Daniel felt his throat tightened.

"Forgive his impudence, it's still a habit of ours and it would not happen again. We're here to simply assist in evacuating the people to Dargena City and also wondered if we and our people could join too" Lauren quickly added, trying to appease what Daniel said.

But that doesn't seem to be enough, the tension still keeps climbing higher.

Liliya then came rushing from the side seeing this standoff, she was obviously injured but still decided to intervene, "Don't hurt them, they are from the Burton and Hester Family, and they've come to help us. I believe Rex wouldn't mind if you let them be teleported too"

"Ah... you must be Liliya" Calidora muttered, glancing at Liliya with her red eyes.

Pointing at Liliya with her index finger subtly, she then added, "Go into the Cluster Domain quickly and treat your wounds, it was because of you that we're forced to help that crow human. So leave right now"

Upon hearing this, Liliya was completely surprised.

'I- It was because of me...?' She uttered inside her head, not expecting Calidora to say that.

Since she was following Prof. K from the start, she's quite sure that he made a deal with Rex in exchange for helping evacuate these people. But it seems, he wasn't supposed to receive any help.

Now she knows that Rex's forces were sent to help when he knows that she was here.

"But still, are you going to let them come too?" Liliya asked again.

Finding that Liliya is trying her hardest to convince Calidora to let them come too, Lauren decided to add for the sake of survival and pointed skywards, "Our family would try our best to help in whichever way we can, we're not asking for any privileges. Only a place to be safe. Since we got to this point, there's no turning back now"

Calidora looks up and finds that the drones were fixated on them.

At this very moment, the Burton and Hester Family has been exposed to be allying with the supposed Traitor. If Calidora refused them right now, then they would definitely be imprisoned and tortured as a Traitor would.

Listening to their sincere plead, Calidora shrugs her shoulders.

'It's not that I have any say in this, but it's fun seeing them worried that they might be refused' Calidora thought in amusement, she doesn't have the authority to refuse them, Rex already accepted told her to bring all of the ones that help into Dargena City.

Brandishing her hand lightly, Calidora nodded, "Fine, you can come"

"Keep on protecting the forest until everyone is evacuated, the mayor should be the very last person to be here, so if he was teleported then you can also evacuate yourselves" she added before glancing to the side.

Calidora made eye contact with Dealkandrax for a moment.

While Daniel and Lauren were relieved that they too were going to be accepted, a sudden jolt of cursed energy happened coming from their side. It was Dealkandrax that suddenly burst with powerful cursed energy and tries to escape.

Upon seeing this, Calidora moved in an instant, chasing after Dealkandrax.

It was clear that she was way faster than Dealkandrax, the gap between them was getting more minuscule by the second as he tries to escape the forest. But realizing that he couldn't, Deaklandrax pointed his hand forward.

Cursed energy gathered in his hand before a beam of cursed energy shoots forward.

Swish!

But instantly after that, Calidora grabbed Dealkandrax by the head and slammed him to the ground. A big crashing sound can be heard. However, she didn't stop there and stomped Dealkandrax on the back strongly.

Crack!

Boom!

"Do you think you can escape me? May I remind you of what you are?" Calidora asked.

Grunting in pain, Dealkandrax tries to stand up but the force from her feet becomes even stronger, pinning him on the ground, "Your despicable mother is Rex's pet now, she's nothing but an animal. Since you're her child, then you're even worst than a pet, do you understand?"

"I understand..." Dealkandrax replied meekly, his voice is not the same as it used to be.

Calidora then looks to the side with a fierce expression and saw the insectoid cursed creature looking at them, and it seems to be hesitating to approach, "Worthless animals, it took the two of you that long to clean up the opponent? Pathetic"

As she said that, blood chains suddenly appeared in his hand.

The insectoid-cursed creature suddenly got wrapped by the blood chains before being pulled by Calidora alongside Dealkandrax that is being held ruthlessly by the head, "Our job here is not done, protect this place with your lives"

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Meanwhile, the Executor's Castle.

A figure wearing a white robe and a white crow mask knocks on the throne room door before being allowed inside. In a respectful manner, the White Messenger strides inside with his head facing the floor all the time.

Except for Brigitta and King John, nobody is allowed to look the Executor in the eyes.

"Forgive this small ant intrusion, but I'm here to report a situation"

"Hmm...? What is it? I am in a foul mood, so mind your words, lesser Human"

Upon hearing what the Executor said, the White Messenger gulps harshly as he brought bad news and couldn't really sugarcoat the report. "We are under attack, and it's most likely done by the Traitor, Rex Silverstar"

"Attacked...?" the Executor mutters with a straight face.

But listening to the grave tone the Executor is using, the White Messenger quickly added, "I- It's an actual attack. I believe he came here to evacuate some lesser humans, not a personal attack on you"

"If that's the case, you deal with it. This is your job, not mine" the Executor replied.

The White Messenger could only smile wryly from underneath his crow mask, the Executor really didn't care about anything other than himself, "Oh, this is a perfect incident. Label the lesser humans that wanted to be evacuated as Traitors, and bring them all to me, it's the perfect excuse to use them as a sacrifice"

Listening to this, the White Messenger felt his body freeze.

"A-Are you..." the White Messenger mused, but he quickly shakes his head to shrug off the hesitation in his voice, "I will do as you are told, I'll notify the others and bring those lesser Humans here for you"

With that being said, the White Messenger excuses himself and leaves the throne room.

Right after he left the throne room, the Executor looks out of the window and mused to himself, "As if I didn't know about the attack, these lowly humans are too much. That abomination is probably working with the Supernatural right now, he wanted to lure me out into a trap"

"I hate it, I want to kill them all, this is not how it's supposed to go!" he added in vexation.

The Executor tightened his grip on the armrests of his throne, enraged. He yearned to obliterate everything in his path yet he had one pressing task before he could do that, "I must finish my weapon first. If I accomplish this, then I can go to the Symposium, and if I gained father's inheritance, I will be invincible!"

"We'll see how you all begged your lives then..." he added, frustrated by his condition.

Just as he thought of that, a spark of cursed energy appeared on the side of the throne room. The Executor looks at it before a frown appeared on his face, "Cursed energy...?"

Chapter 849 Chilling Twist

Inside the Silverstar Pack Castle, in the tranquil shadows of solemnity.

Rex is still sitting on his throne in silence, his gaze fixed forward with sharpness and resolution, filled with hidden thoughts that were sealed away inside his mind. It's been more than an hour since he stayed like this.

A couple of times, his expression scrunched with a frown.

Just earlier he has done something really stupid, he wasn't planning on sending help.

But the more he thought about it, the more he felt bad about himself for being swayed by his anger. Usually, he could keep a level head in any situation. However, looking at Giana's face earlier sparks some trauma inside of him.

His foster parents' deaths haunted him whenever he saw Giana's face.

It frustrated him to no end for not being able to think properly because of anger, and he was cursing himself inside his head, "If it' weren't for Evelyn, I would've been oblivious to the change that has presented itself like this. Seems like I still need to work more on my anger and hatred..."

"I promised Evelyn to keep my distance, but she's the only one I can send" he added.

Rex could only shake his head as he reaches out his hand to his trapezius muscle, two small clearentry wounds can be seen there, almost as if someone bits him. It was the only way, the others are not ready, and he wouldn't want them to be put in danger.

Despite making them feel like being treated as children, Rex can't do it any other way.

But then a frown appeared on his face, Gelmar reported to him earlier that Evelyn was intending to go help Prof. K herself. Adhara decided to join too. However, it was Evelyn's idea to start.

Just thinking about this alone makes his blood boils, he gripped the throne handles strongly.

"I'm okay with her doing anything, but not this. I need to punish her" Rex mused.

Sighing to himself, he leans his head back and closes his eyes.

"Executor, huh... I'll make him feel like an ant in my world. I don't expect the plan to work smoothly, but I will always come on top. I'll make sure of it" Rex mused to himself before opening his eyes again, gazing at the entrance to the throne room. "It should be nearing the end by now..."

Realizing that there are thousands of people outside, he gets up from his throne.

Instead of going out to greet the refugees he had accepted, Rex strides to the hallway on the side before he stepped into a room. Delta was inside, and she was still eating the human corpses, victims of battles.

Noticing a presence, Delta gazes up and tilts her head in question.

Since eating the human corpses for more than a day now, Rex could see the improvement in Delta's physical stats. On top of that, he saw a notification from the System that made him quite happy for Delta.

<Delta is close to being eligible to reach further evolution>

<It's advised for the user to give Delta the enhancement to specify the path of evolution>

'Great, I'll do that after I dealt with the refugees' Rex thought in delight.

Rex is determined to make Delta stronger so he would've had a proper strong month. He had already learned his lesson after being severely injured for the second time. Even now, his body still bore the evidence of the brutal encounters with the Supernatural Elders, he was still injured.

"Come, Delta. I need you to do something with me, the others don't need to know" He said.

Upon hearing this Delta seemed to nod her head and went over to Rex.

Both of them course back through the hallway, heading to the throne room again to leave the castle. It was then, Delta growled lightly and nudge her head towards Rex, staggering to the side a couple of steps.

It was a light gesture, and Rex understands what she meant clearly.

Putting on a wry smile, he could only scratch the back of his head, "You missed me...?"

"Did I ignore you for too long? I'm sorry" he apologized.

Growl!

Delta growled once again, trying to be defiant which only made her cuter. But then she whined, and Rex's expression softened into a somewhat sad smile, "You miss Ryze too? Of course you, you're not a horse so naturally it's hard to forget people"

"Also, you do spend a lot of time with him back in the university" he added subtly.

Remembering that Ryze is still inside the human territory, Rex felt bitter. But as damned as his exfriend is, he must be taking care of Ryze properly now. Despite the fact that he was a Dragonman, Edward is there.

So Rex was not worried, but it will be good to get him back here.

In a way, Rex is still responsible for him, he was the one who pulled Ryze to all of this.

Upon reaching back to the throne room again, Rex glanced at Delta and thought to himself while rubbing his chin, 'Hmmm... I think there needs to be more pressure, Delta alone will probably not enough'

Deciding on what to do, he called Flunra and Gistella's names subtly.

Like a pair of shadows, the two instantly appeared in the throne room and bowed in respect.

"You call for us, Lord Rex...?" Flunra asked.

Just before he answers Flunra's question, his eyes were drawn to Gistella who also has become way stronger than the last time he saw her. It was evident that her energy has experienced a drastic change thanks to devouring the human corpses.

Even her black heart was pulsating robustly, spreading power inside her body.

Rex nodded his head in acknowledgment before he eventually replied, "I believe the evacuation is going to finish any moment now. I need to greet the refugees that are definitely uncertain right now, and you are going to help me with something"

"Help...? Do you want us to organize them?" Flunra asked again in confusion.

If it's about greeting the refugees, then the two of them couldn't help much aside from keeping order as Rex speaks in front of them. But it seems, that's not what Rex wanted from them.

Smiling mysteriously, Rex then added, "No, I want you to do something else..."

Meanwhile, outside of the castle.

Queen Shanaela alongside her people, Adhara, and Evelyn are tending to the refugees that are already crowding the city square. Some of them were scared of the unfamiliar place, while others were mesmerized by the sight of the city.

Only the thought of living in such a great city makes their bodies tremble in excitement.

Compared to their home city, Dargena City is miles apart in terms of advancement and beauty. Many that were skeptical of going here instantly flushed those thoughts away, the place is breathtaking.

"Move closer to the City Hall, give space for others!"

"Please be at ease, you will be briefed about the situation shortly. Be patient"

While Evelyn and Queen Shanaela are organizing the refugees earnestly, Adhara didn't.

Adhara was spacing out a couple of times, the refugees that are asking her about some things were ignored by her because of that. It was obvious that Calidora's provocative words from earlier were stuck inside her mind stubbornly.

Many thoughts haunted her mind because of that, she was very disturbed.

'Why did he ask for her to help Prof. K...? Aren't we good enough?' Adhara thought, frowning.

Each of Calidora's words disturbed her to no end, she was drowning in doubts and questions. This kind of thing is supposed to be her job, she was the Female Alpha, yet Rex asked Calidora to go instead.

On the other hand, Evelyn also saw Adhara spacing out from the side.

Clearly, she has something in her mind, and she also knows that it was because of what Calidora said earlier. Despite wanting to comfort Adhara, she couldn't as she too was thinking the same thing.

Glancing to the castle, her expression softened, 'I've been here before that Vampire...'

'Although Adhara was by his side first, I'm at least here longer than that Vampire. But how come her words makes me feel she knows Rex more than me...? I feel like I don't know Rex at all' Evelyn thought in worry, she was stressing over this immensely.

It was her job as the Luna to understand Rex, she was meant for this.

But in a way, based on what Calidora said earlier, it was almost as if she was the better Luna.

This kind of progression is clearly not going where she wanted, she could feel that Calidora is pushing her to the side bit by bit, taking over her position as the Luna. Even then, Evelyn also remembered that Calidora said that she was jealous.

'Am I missing something? Why am I completely clueless...?' Evelyn thought again.

Just words alone could render the Female Alpha and the Luna in this state of worry and uncertainty, the two were stressing out while trying their best to keep the refugees organized despite their messy minds.

Not long after, the mayor emerged from the portal and stepped out.

Upon seeing this, Adhara and Evelyn take that as a sign that all of the people were teleported already. The mayor deliberately teleported the last in order to make sure that everyone is already evacuated.

Since he was now here, there shouldn't be any more people to be teleported.

"Mayor, how's the situation outside?" Evelyn asked.

Hearing his name being called, the mayor glanced to the side and realized that it was Evelyn. But he soon shakes his in response, "I was forced to run to the portal as soon as I was teleported by the Awakened. But it seems they are still fighting, I can tell that much"

"I'm going to help," Adhara said and intends to go inside the portal.

Evelyn quickly called her, "Calidora is out there, are you sure you want to help her?"

Adhara abruptly stopped in her tracks when she heard this. However, she steeled her resolve and intends to help until the people that are still outside are evacuated, "Yes, I don't think I can stay any longer and do nothing"

But as she said that, she suddenly caught a whiff of a familiar scent.

"F- Father...?" Adhara uttered in surprise, she could smell her father's scent is near.

Just as she was about to search for her father whom she misses very much amongst the crowd, her eyes as well as Evelyn's eyes shifted to the side and saw Gelmar running towards them in a hurry.

Stopping in front of Evelyn and Adahra, he then catches his breath for a moment.

"Forgive my intrusion, Lady Adhara, Lady Evelyn" He apologized with rigid breaths before he eventually straighten his back and reported, "But I was specifically told by Lord Rex to inform you to bring the refugees near the Silverstar Castle, the two of you. It seems he would make a speech there"

Evelyn and Adahra look at each other, but the two eventually comply.

It seems Rex knew that the two are going to do something reckless and asked Gelmar to come fetch them. Adhara and Evelyn don't have any other choice, the two nodded their heads and lead the refugees.

A moment later.

In an organized manner, the refugees were led to the foot of the hill.

Most of them were having questions as to what they were led to, but some of them are already guessing that they would meet the ruler of this beautiful city. If the mayor is correct, then the ruler should be Rex Silverstar.

None of them has a bad impression of him, Rex is their savior from the malice of war.

Just them willingly coming here is already a testament to the respect they had for Rex, they all believed that he was the good guy, regardless of what form he takes. But their thoughts halted when they saw a figure coming to view at the top of the hill.

Rex came walking in his Werewolf form, his bearing alone pressed the air down.

Such a sight spark different reactions from the people.

Despite already knowing that Rex is not that simple through rumors, this is beyond them.

The refugees were expecting a magnificent speech of Rex accepting them and taking care of them under his wings, guaranteeing their safety. But the words that came out of his mouth quickly tightened their hearts.

"Since you're all gathered here, let me say this first... Welcome to Dargena City"

"Most of you probably already know but just in case, my name is Rex Silverstar. It's a pleasure to meet you all. But I believe our time together will be short, it pained me to part so soon with all of you"

Upon hearing this, the people started to become confused about the situation.

But then out of nowhere, a disturbing grin crossed Rex's face as his eyes glowed red viciously, "Did you really think I'll forgive what you humans did to me...? You all didn't seriously think that this is your sanctuary, right? No..."

"All of you walked into Wolf's den willingly, and now it's time for a massacre!"

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"Now it's time for a massacre!"

Thump!

Rex's fierce declaration makes the heart of thousands of people start thumping faster.

Despite hearing the declaration, the people don't react and were rooted in their spot. It was for a moment that their minds were not connected to the real world, completely thrown off by the sudden declaration.

Unconsciously, the people turn their heads to look at their leaders.

Just a moment ago when the cities gathered in Beath City, the representatives has been briefed by the mayor about the situation. He explained that Evelyn, one of Rex's women invited him and their cities to live in Dargena City.

Dargena City is a sanctuary that would shelter them from the horror of war.

It's a place where the unending war between humans and Supernaturals couldn't reach.

Aware of this fact, the representatives started doing campaigns and talks.

Each of them was assigned to forward this idea to their own people and convey to them the situation. Helping them believe that this is the best course of action for the safety and future of the people.

Frankly enough, they were all successful in doing that.

Not fully successful, there are still doubtful people, but most of them are on board with this.

It was done for the sake of pacifying the people with the Supernaturals. Clearly, there are going to be Supernaturals inside Dargena City, and thus making the citizen fine with the presence of Supernaturals is very important.

Of course, it doesn't need to be instantaneous, but enough to not cause a ruckus.

Revolution can only be sparked and completed if there's a side willing to do something outside the norm, and in this case, accepting the future life of co-existing with Supernaturals.

But now, seeds of doubt started to grow within them as they look at their leaders.

The ten thousand people watching from below have their faces turn pale and their blood runs cold in response to Rex's loud declaration, with a voice amplified with mana that sounded thunderous.

Horror can be seen behind their eyes vividly, their pupils dilated.

Even then, they were still rooted in their spots, and most of them tries to keep being positive.

Since their leaders seem to be convinced of the purity of Rex, he must be playing a joke on them right now to lighten the mood. It was a thought that most wanted to believe, but Rex's sharp eyes made them doubtful.

Not only the gathered people but the others were also surprised by this.

The Elves know about the purpose of Dargena City, it's aimed to become a sanctuary for those tired from the war, a place to live a peaceful life. But Rex's declaration definitely not in line with his purpose which is very odd.

"Why is he saying that...? What's he up to?" Adhara muttered in confusion.

On top of that, the mayor also glanced at Evelyn, "What's the meaning of this, Evelyn...?"

Upon hearing this Evelyn snapped out of her daze and frowns, she was also confused as to what Rex meant by this, "I- I don't know. Wait here, I'm going to ask him what he meant by that" she said and dashed away.

Similarly, Queen Shanaela saw her people looking at her in confusion.

Albeit she was also confused about the situation that has turned out like this, she scans the ten thousand people before her eyes widened. It seems she realized something and signaled to her people to play along.

Meanwhile, Rex is gazing down at the scared people with probing eyes.

Currently, due to the declaration he has made, the people started to let out a bleak aura albeit subtly. On top of that, he was also scanning the ten thousand people's stats and searching for the perfect obvious candidate.

But even with this, Rex still doesn't feel like this is enough of a stimulation.

'Hmm... now, which one is going to be the black goat?'

Scanning his eyes over the thousands of people, his eyes then landed on a well-built man at the center, he has a clean and fresh complexion and is also experiencing the same amount of dread and panic as the others.

Just as he was doing this, Evelyn suddenly landed beside him with a worried expression.

"Rex, why did you say that...? You're scaring them" She said.

Upon hearing this, Rex glanced at her briefly while still keeping a stoic expression. It seems he doesn't intend to explain himself, "Shut up and watch, Evelyn. Don't get involved with this or you're going to be in trouble"

"H- Huh...? A- Alright" Finding that Rex is using a cold tone at her, she decided to stop.

Nodding his head, Rex then glanced over to Flunra and Delta beside him.

Flunra was also in his Werewolf form which was even more intimidating than Rex's transformation in the people's eyes. Then, he noticed the signal from Rex's eyes before turning his attention to the well-built man at the center.

Roar!!

Gaining the signal, Delta roared while also imbuing her lightning energy into it.

A jolt of lightning coursed through the air and created a soundwave that is deafening to the people, even the air trembled from the intensity of the soundwave. The people instinctively closes their ears in reflex.

Following that, Flunra then leaped from the hill and reach above the people.

Thanks to the sun shining behind him, Flunra's figure was shadowed by the sunlight, turning him into a silhouette. Realizing that he was landing at the center, the people scurries to the side to avoid him.

However, the well-built man fall flat to the ground when Flunra landed right in front of him.

Crash!

Due to the massive body that Flunra's Werewolf form possesses, the well-built man was shadowed under his wide figure. It was then, Flunra showed his vicious claws, "I'm going to start with you..."

Out of sheer horror, the people saw Flunra grabbing the well-built man by the neck.

Most of them started to back away in fear when they saw this, the doubt started to become stronger inside their minds. But in the next second, despite the man's plead, Flunra smiled diabolically and completely crushed the man's neck with his claws.

It was so disturbing, the sound of meat and bones being crushed can be heard clearly.

Splash!

Blood splattered to the surroundings as Flunra did that, showering the people around him with the blood of the well-built man that was already been decapitated. Such a sight makes the people's stomachs grumble, starting to feel nausea.

"KYAAA!!"

"WAAH!! HELP ME!!"

In the next second, the people screamed in horror and tries to run away in response.

People who are at the center started to push the ones that are still oblivious to what had happened, and things quickly shifted from calm into chaos. But the blood smeared on them was enough to make the oblivious ones run too out of instinct.

Realizing what had happened, Evelyn couldn't stay still and stepped forward.

"Are you crazy?! What are you doing? Aren't you supposed to protect them?!" She exclaimed.

Upon hearing this, Gistella's body suddenly tensed when a cold air brush her skin.

Gazing up to look at Rex who was still facing the people that were starting to panic, she could sense the anger coming from him, it was akin to a sharp air penetrating her body. Albeit she was cramped inside her room to devour the corpses and get stronger, she realized that Rex is angry at Evelyn.

If Evelyn overstepped, she was worried that Evelyn would make Rex even angrier.

Grabbing her shoulder quickly, Gistella then shakes her head.

Looking at Gistella telling her to not pursue the matter, Evelyn becomes even more hectic and rebutted, "Gistella, why are you okay with this? I'm not going to be calm when he killed an innocent man without a just reason!"

From her perspective, this is wrong, and this is not how Rex should act.

But this makes Rex's expression turns grim.

Rex slowly turns his head towards Evelyn and gave her an ice-cold state, the silent anger can be seen through her eyes, "Didn't I tell you earlier...? I told you to shut up and watch, or are you deliberately trying to provoke me?"

Noticing the anger inside his eyes, Evelyn's words got stuck in her throat.

For the very first time, Rex gave this kind of look to Evelyn. It was then she realized that there was no doubt that he was angry at her, and the anger is not a mild one either, it was a wave of complete genuine anger.

Evelyn's body freezes when she made eye contact with him.

It was then Gistella quickly stepped forward and held Rex's hand fearing that the situation might escalate. Even though Rex was angry at Evelyn not her, she could feel her heart thumping as if she was the one that has done wrong.

"M- Master... Let's focus, shall we? I'll do my part now"

Gistella said with a euphonious tone, trying to comfort Rex's anger with her words.

Listening to this, Rex paused for a second to keep staring at Evelyn who is already looking down to the ground before he eventually replied, "Hmmm... go and do it, I think I could tell them apart now"

Nodding her head, Gistella channeled her energy and slowly conjure a barrier.

In an instant, a blue dome started to encompass the entire place, stopping the people from running away. Many of them banged on the barrier desperately, but it was no use, they couldn't break through the barrier.

Since most of them are regular humans, they couldn't do anything against the barrier.

Rex looks down on the people and now saw that the bleak aura coming from them was clouding the entire place. Despite that being the case, he could find a couple of them are not emitting a bleak aura as intensely as the others.

'Now, it's easy to find them' He thought and nodded his head.

Upon finding the people he was looking for, Rex reaches out his hand forward lightly.

"Lightning Spell, Black Field Orko..."

Chanting his favorite lightning spell, the ground beneath the people instantly got swallowed by blackness. It was then, black lightning tentacles jutted out of the ground and grabbed some of the people.

Out of the thousands of people, there are about two dozens that got caught by them.

Flunra's eyes flickered fiercely when he saw the people that were caught by the black lightning tentacles, he then quickly moved swiftly through the people, fixing his eyes on the ones that were caught.

Just like that, the people that were caught got injured by Flunra's lethal claws.

The mayor who was watching this paled in utter terror, he couldn't believe that he was tricked like this. Guilt started to overwhelm him, he was the one that brought his people here just to be slaughtered.

Seeing his expression, Queen Shanaela smiled gently, "Don't worry..."

"Y- Yes...?" the mayor uttered stutteringly.

But Queen Shanaela didn't shame him as she too would tremble in fear if Rex ever turned against her, she knows that the mayor was terrified to his core, "You know that plan on evacuating the people to this city is exposed, right? It's why Rex's forces were fighting against the forces of the humans"

"It must be because of that. As you believed earlier, Rex is not a bad guy" She added.

Listening to this, the mayor then glanced back at Flunra that was attacking the ones that got caught by the black lightning tentacles, and asked, "D- Do you mean that those people are spies that were hiding amongst us...?"

"Yes, I believe so" Queen Shanaela replied and nodded her head.

Realizing this, the mayor could finally breathe easily again, it seems he was wrong to judge.

Although Queen Shanaela said that, she was still confused about one thing about this situation, 'I know that he was trying to get rid of the spies hiding amongst the humans, but I don't know why he declared that he would massacre the entire humans like that'

'The normal humans would still be terrified of him because of that' she thought.

Upon thinking about this, Queen Shanaela couldn't help but look at Rex above the hill that is always surrounded by the air of mystery, 'I really don't know the source, extent, and limit of his powers. He seems to be boundless...'