## **GREED: ALL FOR WHAT?**

Chapter 1551 Pity For Weakness.

This difference in density between the two objects might not affect the net holding them, but it will affect the way the objects interact with each other. For example, a clash between a diamond and a rock with the same mass. The rock won't be able to affect the diamond at all, while the diamond can tear the rock apart. That is a simple way to explain the enhancement of quality brought about by Supreme Laws. But it is more complicated than that. Supreme Laws affect more than density and pressure.

For example, in terms of the interaction of laws, a concept of fire might beat a concept of water at the same power level because of its advantage of heat and energy over water. But a Supreme Law of Fire cannot beat a Supreme Law of Water. This is because, at that point, the Supreme Law of Water has lost its weakness to fire. It too can be hot and full of heat energy more than fire.

In this way, the Supreme Law of Water will be able to beat the concept of fire because it will be able to make the concept of fire weak to it and therefore, overwhelm fire. This is the kind of power wielded by a Supreme Origin god. With a Supreme Law, an Origin god who doesn't have an attacking concept can change the form of his law into anything suitable for battle and will not have any weakness in speed, defense, or attacks. They can even simulate the laws of space, illusion, time, and any other laws required to make an attack that you can block become undodgeable and unlockable. As if that isn't enough, they can make that attack lethal. So even if a direct hit shouldn't be able to kill you, it will kill you because you have suddenly become weak to it. So even if there are not enough attacks to go around to hit all the enemies, the Supreme Law can replicate them and increase their numbers so that every enemy gets one. That way, ten thousand Leviathans can suddenly produce enough firepower to take on nearly a million targets. It is a kind of power that no amount of stubbornness can overcome. It made Soverick shake his head in pity for the Origin gods that died in the siege. It is only fake pity because he knew they were going to fail right from the start. If he cared about them, he wouldn't have called them to attack a Supreme Origin god. But now they are all dead. His pity is that they were not strong enough to create more

problems for the first sage. But he is not concerned about that too much because he can foresee that those who died here will be very dissatisfied with the first sage.

Anyone who was killed without knowing how they died will be dissatisfied. Even if they are not dissatisfied with the first enough to want revenge, they know now that a Supreme Origin god is protecting something valuable. At the very least, he can expect another round of attacks on the Leviathans soon.

He is also sure that the next attackers will be very prepared. He can already see them coming with Supreme Origin gods and using their world fragments for only defense.

The thought of it made him grin slightly. The eyes all over his body twitched with repressed excitement. But he didn't get carried away because he knew he wasn't completely out of danger yet.

First, he moved away from the battlefield so that the angry Supreme Origin god battle sage monkey wouldn't take advantage of him.

Then he said to the void beside him, "Are you going to be stalking me throughout the era of conquest, or are you waiting for the right opportunity to ambush me?"

Someone invisible replied to him. "When did you find out? I suspected that you would notice, but I was still confident in my Supreme Law. It seems everyone has underestimated you. Maybe your eyes can truly see everything."

Soverick continued moving as he replied, "I am not in a chatting mood. I am going to attack if you don't state your business immediately."

He decided not to answer her question but to state an ultimatum. This is just because he hasn't found a way to defeat her for sure. If he was certain of victory, then he would have attacked rather than engaged her in conversation at all. "Don't be so rash. I just want to talk."

"Then talk and be done with it. State your business now."

He said that, in the meantime, he activated his world fragment again. His vision extended past his normal viewing boundary of the light side down to the dark side. He found her true form, which is a gray flame beneath the law

matrix. This flame is what he sensed first before he saw her with Legion-7's soul sight.

She is more of a spiritual entity and his eyes can't see spiritual entities well. He certainly can't see them if they are hiding themselves. But he is not on his own. He asked Legion-7, "Any solution?"

Legion-7 replied, "A fight must involve direct contact with her for me to intervene. Even then, it will be a struggle since she has a Supreme Law."

Aeternus also advised, "Chaos energy can surely fix this problem."

Soverick considered all their suggestions as he chatted with her. He is just stalling for time. He doesn't expect this meeting to end well, so he is preparing for the worst outcome.

He has been trying to find a way to be certain of victory ever since she started following him when he entered the territory of the former Virut plane. Unfortunately, he is not certain that Legion will be able to defeat a Supreme Origin god with a Supreme Law related to souls without exposing their strength. He wouldn't even have been able to see her avatar if he didn't have Legion-7's soul sight. That shows just how tricky she is and how difficult it will be for him to deal with her if she can avoid his eyes.

Chapter 1552 Two Criminals.

He too is hiding himself. But his stealth is external. Anyone who can see past his cover of warped space can see him, but it will be difficult to do so because the way he warped space around himself makes him exist in a different dimension. But she, on the other hand, is in the same space but cannot be seen at all. She is like the invisible spiritual fragments that are created when someone dies. It appears as if she doesn't exist at all. He used this information to try and devise a plan. In his future vision, possibilities flashed by several times. They fought in those futures, with some leading to his victory and some leading to his loss. But most of them did not end quickly. The fight at the soul level went on for years once it started. The duration of a fight between them is what is mostly discouraging him from fighting her. The other reason is the same reason why the Supreme Origin god guarding Salvini gave up on him. It is because two beings with Supreme Power cannot defeat each other easily.

So he will have to expose more of his power to defeat her. When coupled with the fact that she and the Supreme Origin god guarding Salvini can team up against him, it makes it an extremely bad idea to fight her.

It might not even be that battle sage monkey that interferes. Surely she must be prepared to outnumber him if she came with the intention to fight him. So it could be any other Supreme Origin god that gangs up on him. Still, he is not resigned. He thought to himself, "If the future is uncertain, the past might hold some truth."

His vision of her flowed backward into her past. He saw her true form. She is a red-furred battle sage monkey, similar to someone he knows. His conjecture was proven right when he saw her meet Litori and Mihila. She didn't say anything to them. She just stalked them, like she is doing to him right now. He moved his eyes to see more of her past. It flowed to reveal how, where, and when she entered the realm tree. But then his vision went dark. She must have sensed his vision and used her Supreme Law to block his sight. She said to him, "That is not polite. You made me use an Origin essence."

He snorted. "This is your last chance. State your business or I will attack."

She took his warning seriously this time around. But her goal is not something that can be stated easily. So she started by stating the obvious. "There are at least two of you in one body."

"And what business of that is yours?"

"There is no rejection between you two. It is as if you are conjoined twins. It is as if you are Gemini twins, but at the soul level. I want to know how to become something like that. I don't mean any harm. I hope to pay for the information."

He lied, "I was born this way. I cannot help you."

"Is that so? You were born with the consciousness of another race in your mind? I would believe this if the consciousness in your mind belonged to your brother and sisters, not high elves or Supreme Beasts."

Soverick asked her, "And how would you know that?"

"I am somewhat of an expert on souls and consciousness. I can see some traces of those two races in your consciousness."

Soverick didn't like that she knew about Legion, but he wasn't surprised either. She is a battle sage monkey and also a Supreme Origin god. It is highly likely that the first sage or Salvini told her this information to create enemies for him. If he can tell everyone her position, she can surely tell everyone his secrets. What she said is useful to him, though. The future in Soverick's vision changed rapidly with the addition of more information and the progress of time. It made him see more than he could see in the past or in the future. He got more clues about her Supreme Law. He saw that it was more proficient at attacking the soul than the physical body. He saw that her attacks could even bypass the defenses of the body. He saw the bloodline she created in the High Heaven Realm and how it was related to Litori. Then his vision darkened again. He snorted in displeasure. The Supreme Origin god was also dissatisfied. She said, "You should stop doing that."

"You should also not stalk me. But here we are."

"I am not stalking you. I just wanted to meet you. Surely that is not a crime."

"It is a crime when you have hidden yourself like a criminal sneaking about."

"But you are also hiding yourself."

He said without guilt, "That's because I am a criminal. As a criminal, I know how to identify other criminals very well. You look like one."

He was speaking with her as he flew into the realm. No one can see him, and she is more hidden than him, so everyone who looked their way didn't see the two invisible beings chatting. He said to her, "I sense no malice from you currently. It doesn't look like you plan to fight me right now, but you are not entirely truthful. You are here for something else that doesn't need fighting."

"Either way, I can't help you. You might as well ask another Origin god for the secret of their concept. The only thing it will reveal to you is their weakness. You won't be able to use their abilities if you don't have the concept."

Her invisible avatar smiled. "You are right. I didn't come to fight. I came to speak with you as a peer in hopes that we could negotiate an agreement in peace. There's no need to fight because it is something that is best achieved without violence."

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Chapter 1553 Perks Of Immortality.

She said sincerely, "I truly do not have ill intentions."

Soverick snickered and said, "I wish I could believe that."

She continued, "You are not being entirely truthful either. What you have is more than one concept. Origin gods shouldn't have more than one concept, and yet you achieved it. Who is to say that I, too, can't have more than one concept? After all, if you can succeed, so can I." Soverick rejected her again, "I don't care if you can succeed. I am refusing your request." She tried another angle, "Would it change your mind if I swear not to reveal the information to anyone else and never to fight you?" "No, it wouldn't help." "Very well. I shall leave you be." She did leave him. Her avatar and true body moved away from him. He expected it since he had seen it before it happened, but he still felt surreal that it would work. He thought to himself, "Being an immortal has surely changed things. I find that I am liking it more and more." Then he resumed his journey. He didn't stop thinking about the encounter with her, though. Everything they said and did was reviewed in his mind over and over again. He kept coming to the conclusion that she had given up because he was immortal. The acquisition of immortality is more than a change in lifespan or the defiance of death. It also leads to a change in perspective. This perspective affects how conflict starts and how it ends. For example, if he could be killed permanently, she never would have taken his refusal without threatening to kill him or even going so far as to attempt it. But he can't be killed permanently, and she can't get what she wants with violence. With her concept and Supreme Law, it would be very easy for her to search the mind and memories of a living mortal or kill them to acquire their soul, which she will loot for the information she needs. But he is immortal, so his mind and soul are protected. It means any conflict she starts with him will not end with his death, and she will not get what she wants. So she gave up. He understands that the fact that she didn't fight him isn't because she didn't have bad intentions. It is just that she didn't have a choice but to give up for now. As for what she will do in the future, that is still uncertain. The source of his surprise is that this sort of restraint is new to him. Legion as a whole have not been immortal for long, and they haven't interacted with other immortals apart from stealing from them. The enemies they have had in the past, like Beelta, Helios' father, the fountain of life, and CARNAGE, have always threatened to

kill them or attempted to do so. So it is a special experience to not fight with someone after refusing to give them what they want. It is an experience that the Tree Father didn't get from the Origin gods that attacked him for his secret. He said in appreciation, "We have some issues with the void universe, but immortality makes up for most of our grievances with it."

Aeternus asked, "What's not to like? Besides, if we don't like some rules, we just have to break them." That made Soverick chuckle. Possessing immortality is truly a great feeling for him. It feels great to have fewer worries in the world. Death has become a strange concept, not an immutable fact that they have to be afraid of. Life will remain peaceful for them as long as they are not sealed and as long as they don't mess with a world god. This feeling made him understand why some Origin gods, despite being weaker than the Tree Father, would look down on him and dare to attack him for what they wanted. Immortality has emboldened them.

This immortality is why Litori's ancestor gave up on forcing him. That and the fact that he has a power equivalent to a Supreme Law, so she can't force him. It is a good thing for him, but it also has its side effects. He, too, has faced some restrictions due to immortality. For one, Legion-7 can't turn Origin gods into vessels or infect their minds at all. He too can't use most of the timerelated attacks he used to be able to use on transcendents and kings of law. This is because not only are Origin gods protected by their concepts, they are also protected by the law of order. So unless he can actually kill them, there is very little he can do against Origin gods. But he is not deterred. Soverick believes that they just have to find a way to break the support of the law of order. Then they might even be able to kill Origin gods permanently. That's for the future. Right now, his job is to find an attack point in the realm tree for Legion to take advantage of. Some of the other clones have gone to the Tyrant Realm through the void, but Legion wants to secure a point of access to the Tyrant Realm through the dungeons in the High Heaven Realm. So he went into the realm, inspecting every corner of it. He saw that beneath the layer of space of the realm is another layer of space. They seem close together, but they are very far apart. The two layers are moving closer together and fusing, so the distance between them will soon disappear. He observed critically, "It seems the spatial coordinates of the realm of high heaven and the tyrant realm are overlapping. It will take years, but it will happen." He is right. This overlapping in the space of two realms far away from each other is creating a battlefield between the two realms. It is a battlefield that he intends to take advantage of for Legion.

Chapter 1554 Lining Up For A Beheading.

What Soverick saw as he inspected the realm made him smile.

He said proudly, "Who needs a child of the plane? What can hide from my eyes? In fact, this is giving me a good idea for what our next scheme against the first sage will be."

He is certain that he will be able to see the dungeons that will be created from the fused spatial coordinates as soon as they are created, but he is not satisfied with that. His eyesight has given him an advantage that he intends to make total use of. He intends for Legion to take advantage of it and use it to make a move against the first sage. Aeternus grinned with anticipation and said, "It is killing two birds with one stone. I like it."

----In The Void Universe. Outside the Tyrant Realm.

The Tyrant realm tree is surrounded by layers of tubular-shaped black battleships. Their patrolling forms look like a swarm of locust and the disturbance created by their movement created a hurricane of void energy around the realm tree. In a way, they have formed a black curtain around the realm tree that one might be fooled into thinking is a protective layer. But it is not. One of the signs of the lack of the protective function of this black curtain is the fact that the battleships don't forbid passage through them. There are openings in various sections of the hurricane where Origin gods can pass through. Anyone can pass through these openings as long as they meet three conditions. The first condition is speed and order. If anyone wants to pass through, they must be in line with the others and can only pass through the various openings. They can't try to breach the barricade through the patrol paths of the battleships, and their speed must also be less than 50% of the speed of light so that they can be scanned. Anyone who violates those two rules will be shot and killed, even if they belong to the High Heaven Realm. The third condition is the possession of a special mark. This mark was given by Mother High Heaven to every creature below the level of world god that was born in the realm of high heaven. No one else, apart from some demons of the realm of high heaven, possesses this mark. It is this mark that the battleships are scanning for. So anyone who has met the first two rules but doesn't possess this mark will also be killed. There is no mistaking these three rules because the battleships broadcast them outward to everyone around them. There is also no forgiveness. Anyone who violates the rules is

destroyed immediately, without any form of warning. No one will even see the attack because it will be invisible.

Furthermore, there's more to fear aside from the battleships. Any Origin god worth anything can feel the terrifying beings lying just beneath the law matrix. Most of the Origin gods can't tell where the world gods are, but they can sure tell that they are surrounded. It is a suffocating feeling for most Origin gods. It is so suffocating that the Origin gods are moving slowly and carefully lest they offend a world god and be smitten or cursed to eternal damnation. So not only is everyone obeying the rules, but they are also walking on eggshells in front of the Tyrant Realm. They have formed long lines that extend far into the void around the realm tree. Despite how long these lines are and how many entities are in them, the line is peaceful and moving steadily. Legion-8 and Legion-9 are in line too. They are in line, like children lining up to receive food. They are so well-behaved that no one would suspect that they had considered trying to steal a battleship to examine it. Fortunately, the battleships can't read minds, or they might become the target of their wrath. This is also good for the high heaven realm because, they are not the only ones who have that thought. Many Origin gods have had it ever since they heard that the realm lord used it to defeat world gods. A lot of immortals want one of them for power or to get to the bottom of their source of power. Many have made a move earlier. Their failure is probably why no one is making a move right now. The two clones look similar as they stand in line. They are both cloaked and masked, but they have different physical features beneath their top-grade cloaks. One of them is a ghostly white apparition without arms or legs. He is an energy being in a cloak. He does have a white crown on his ghostly head, glowing brightly like a halo. No one can see this white crown because it is hidden by the effect of the black mask he has on his face, which is another top-grade artifact that hides his features. The other one is Legion-8. He is the new clone created to replace the dragon clone. He is in his humanoid form, complete with two legs and four arms. That's where his features end in his attempt at normalcy. His skin is violet. It is so deep in violet that he blends in with the black void energy around them. He also has a white crown on his head and doesn't have eyes, lips, or a nose. The two clones are similar in this aspect. Legion-8 said, "We look like chicks standing in line for sustenance from our mother." Legion-9 snickered, "We are more like jackals standing in line for our turn to ravage a helpless prey." Legion-8 agreed, but he had something else to say. "I hope you're right about the prey being helpless. If you are wrong, then we might be standing in line to be beheaded."

That gave Legion-9 pause. He said, "Nothing is certain. Everything can change and is always changing. If we have learned anything from the Supreme Law of Chaos, it is that nothing is constant but change itself." -----

A/N: I didn't prepare a bonus chapter today. I will try to make it tomorrow.

Chapter 1555 Trouble Brewing.

Legion-9 continued, "There's nothing we can do apart from give it a try. As long as the price of failure is our death, we can manage it."

Legion-8 had to be content with that. It is not nearly enough to assuage his fears or those of Legion, though. They are still very concerned because this fact is very important for the success of their mission. No one can argue about the fact that the realm lord's move has nearly crippled this realm. By the looks of things, the Tyrant Realm has been cut off from support and can only die buried in enemies. It can't get helpers. Meanwhile, Origin god enemies can enter it freely. Even so, the tyrant realm cannot be taken lightly. After all, a weak and starving carmel is still more adapted than a horse in a desert. No matter how starved a carmel is, it will still possess humps that it has used to store fat for desperate days and emergency use. This is something that a horse can never have, no matter how strong and well-fed the horse is. The tyrant realm is the camel now. It might be cut off from support, but it surely has a secret stash of power somewhere hidden in its body for unfortunate days such as these. It might be weak right now, but it might not be the helpless prey it seems. Even if it is, its weak condition might not remain so for long. Legion is certain of this uncertainty because, despite how everything looks on the surface, they can see what lies below. And what lies below the law matrix are terrifying and powerful creatures waiting and searching for prey. Some of them are Origin gods from High Heaven realm, but most of the others are from the Tyrant realm. Why they are hidden is currently unknown. But all of them are hidden and waiting. Legion can guess what the Origin gods of the Tyrant Realm are waiting for. The whole realm tree is surrounded by these terrifying creatures. The world gods stand side by side and against each other. It looks to Legion that the world gods are getting ready to fight. They haven't fought yet, but it is only a matter of time for them to fight. And when they do, this seemingly orderly and peaceful inspection of Origin gods at the barricade might be thrown into disarray. Legion doesn't even need to look that far to know that trouble is brooding. The line of Origin gods is not the only location where Origin gods are around the plane. There are plenty of Origin gods who have hidden themselves around the realm tree. Some of them are

Origin gods from High Heaven realm, but most of the others are from the Tyrant realm. Why they are hidden is currently unknown. But all of them are hidden and waiting. Legion can guess what the Origin gods of the Tyrant Realm are waiting for. If they are the Origin gods of the Tyrant Realm, they will be waiting for the moment this barricade goes up in flame. They are not of the Tyrant Realm, but they too are expecting chaos to descend. This conjecture seemed to have been confirmed by the large number of Origin gods from the Tyrant Realm that have decided to hide themselves and surround the lines of Origin gods of the high heaven realm waiting to enter the Tyrant Realm. Legion-8 complained, "We wouldn't have to do this if the planes hadn't fused. We could have just stayed on the Zargoth plane and controlled it to invade the Tyrant Realm. Now the plane is accessible to everyone in the realm."

Legion-9 looked around and said, "If we had as much influence with world gods as the realm lord, then we might do the same thing. Barricading the Tyrant Realm is a much better move than reinforcing the individual planes of the realm."

"It might be much better, but it is also more difficult. There's also too much uncertainty. All these world gods prowling around are setting off false alarms during divination and are causing Soverick's future vision to go haywire."

"We just have to take things one step at a time."

This is their first time attacking a realm tree. It is a dangerous undertaking considering that the Will of the Tyrant Realm won't like what they are about to do.

It would have been assuring if they could use the future vision to determine the future possibilities and plan accordingly. But they can't do that because the Will of the Tyrant Realm, the realm lord of the high heaven realm, and many world gods are involved. What they can see are the unwanted signs of trouble coming. They don't need to see the world gods below for them to see the storm brewing. Even if they are being paranoid and there is nothing to fear, it is still a strange sight for them to see the large assortment of individuals, all hidden from most passersby. These individuals have used many methods to hide themselves, be it with a Supreme Law, concept, or world fragment. But none of them can remain hidden from the two clones.

The two of them saw many races loitering around the realm tree. Some of them are close together and are hidden in the same world fragment, so Legion is certain that they are working together. One such squad drew their attention because it had a red-furred battle sage monkey among them.

This red-furred battle sage monkey and the group she is in are all looking at them. They have been looking at the two of them right from the time they joined the line and moved to the open section of the blockade. So it is clear to them that even if trouble doesn't descend on the barricade as a whole, it will come for them. They soon turned their sight away from the world gods, sharpening their knives for battle, and the suspicious group stalking them to focus on the multitudes of battleships. They don't have the ability to enhance their vision like Soverick, but they have his base concept at their disposal, and it's enough to see what's within the battleships. What they saw is a sight to behold. The battleships themselves are intricate works of art. Each one is fashioned from the union of several tiny, top-grade artifacts.

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A/N: Legion ruined some of the realm lord's plans so it is only right that he ruins some of their plans too. Fortunately, Legion is adaptable.

Chapter 1556 Not Discouraged.

These tiny battleships are like the cells of an organism. They are identical in form but different in function. From what they can see, each cell can also change and replace each other's functions, thanks to the Supreme Law that's holding them together. Such is their versatility, and yet there are trillions of them in a battleship. The tree father was impressed by the ingenuity. "These battleships aren't battleships. It is the Authority within them that is the battleship."

He is impressed because what others see is only the shell of the battleship. The tiny, top grade artifacts that formed the shells are just accessories. It is the Authority that each battleship carries that is the core or foundation of the battleships.

The Authority is the source of power for the world fragment. And considering that the Authority of the void universe is nearly indestructible, the number of battleships will remain no matter what damage they take. The cells will just be replenished, and the shell will be whole and functional again. It represents a

new way to forge world fragments. It is not a method he can use because he doesn't have a Supreme Law or Authority. He has to build a law matrix, while the realm lord can derive a law matrix easily with his Supreme Law. He also needs a world fragment as the source of power for it. The two of them didn't stare too long at the battleships because they knew that powerful beings could sense their gaze, the realm lord being undoubtedly one of such powerful beings. It is especially prudent to be careful around anything with a Supreme Law. Supreme Laws can't be understood with common sense. They literally uncommon sense as they are made up of rules and mechanisms different from those of the void universe. But they did dwell on what they saw for a while. They even made sure to quicken their pace so as not to draw attention when their white halo yearned for the Authority within the battleships. The tree father observed. "It is certain that the realm lord has managed to achieve success in producing Authority en masse. He might also have the spark of power like I do."

Legion-8 said with a little wariness, "He is growing stronger and stronger. I doubt we are the only ones who think he should be curbed. There are bound to be others who think so, and some of them might be strong enough to do something about it."

The Tree Father looked below the law matrix again and said, "It is not a wonder now why there are many world gods who want to break his barricade. The matter of the life trees aside, the Authority of the void universe is more than enough for them to crash his party." Soverick interjected, "I don't care as long as their attack doesn't affect us. We will not rely on them. We just have to prepare ourselves to match him when the opportunity arises."

They haven't lost confidence because they too are making swift progress. Their current mission will undoubtedly assist the realm lord in becoming victorious in the era of conquest, but it will also help them. Besides, they don't think they are inferior to the realm lord in terms of forging. They, too, managed to forge a world fragment. They would be able to forge better things if they had Authority. They haven't been able to create the Authority of the void universe, but the fact that the realm lord beat them to it has not discouraged them either. They have broken too many laws to feel inferior to anyone, and they have defied the will of a being stronger than a world god for them to doubt that they cannot catch up to and defeat the realm lord. It is as they learned from the Supreme law of Chaos, progress is the only solution to ensure supremacy in the face of constant change. They are making progress, and it is powerful, so they are confident of eventually defeating the realm and

gaining everything he has for themselves. That's for the future, though. That future is getting closer, but for now, they have an era of conquest to win. So the two of them entered the Tyrant realm to get it done.

They had just crossed the threshold in space into the territory of the Tyrant realm when they felt the hostility of the whole realm directed towards them. Legion-8 joked, "Someone doesn't seem happy to see us."

Legion-9 looked around warily as he watched for an attack. He said, "It is to be expected. No one likes enemies in their house. Or in this case, in their bodies."

Legion-8 laughed out loud. He didn't appear to be concerned as he said, "But it does not matter. We will have our portion of their pound of flesh anyway. It is either going to be quick and painless or painful and difficult for them. But we will certainly get that pound of flesh."

The attack they were expecting didn't come. But the hostility remained directed at them. It was also increasing at every moment. Not only did they feel the hostility of the world, but it was accompanied by a terrible suppression on them. Even so, they are unfazed and are still going to go through with their plans. The suppression they feel is similar to the suppression of the realm of high heaven on Origin gods, except stronger. It is every indication they need to know that the Will of the Tyrant Realm doesn't want them here and is willing to do everything it is capable of doing to crush them.

Unlike the current Realm of High Heaven, where there is no more suppression of Origin gods and where even world fragments are allowed, the Realm of Tyrants is not willing to accommodate their presence at all. This suppression and hostility are not without discrimination. It is directed only at the strangers in the realm tree. Strangers who enter the realm of high heaven will also experience it. This is the time of war, after all. One has to be ruthless toward their enemies and kind to their allies.

Chapter 1557 Too Much Hostility.

If not for the fact that the two wills of the realms are holding each other back, the two clones would be torn apart as soon as they entered the realm or captured, frozen, or tortured by the Will of the Tyrant Realm. They wouldn't be able to joke at all about getting their pound of flesh. There was no direct action by the Will of the realm to kill them, but the two of them remained alert and

careful. They have to be because the information they got from Mother High Heaven about the era of conquest and the Tyrant race has made them come to the conclusion that they should expect a fight with enemies as soon as possible.

The suppression of the realm would make a fight disadvantageous to them, seeing as they can't use world fragments. Even the use of spatial divine abilities and concepts has been restricted, so no one would be able to teleport into the realm from outside of it. That is why only four of them were scheduled to enter the Tyrant Realm directly, instead of sending one person and teleporting their clones to them. Helios has already arrived, but they failed to teleport to him, so they had to go through the barricade. The two of them soon approached the only landmass in the Tyrant realm. It is a large bubble in the void, surrounded by a bright halo of light. There are two suns orbiting this large landmass. It is a weird sight to them since stars are supposed to be outside a realm tree and not within it. It is not the only strange thing to them. Unlike the Realm of High Heaven, which used to have many landmasses, the Will of the Tyrant Realm didn't separate its landmasses to separate the races and give them a higher chance of survival. This led to the creation of one large landmass as the entire realm and allowed a single race to dominate the realm. This single race is the Tyrants. They killed off every race that could compete with them and subjugated the whole realm. The Supreme Alliance might have become like the Tyrant race in the realm of High Heaven if not for the separation of the plane, or they would have gone extinct in the early days when they were weak and called white goblins. It could also have been the dragons or the Gemini or the high elves. The Tyrant race is not certainly what the fate of the Supreme Beasts would have been if things were different in the realm of High Heaven, but it is undeniable that the realm of High Heaven has a lot of strong races compared to the Tyrant realm simply because it divided its realm into planes. The two of them stopped and didn't approach the landmass any further. This is because it is shrouded in a special spatial boundary called the divine plane. They will need to breach the divine plane to continue.

Legion-8 said, "Let's separate here. I will start my mission here. You can go on without me." Legion-9 nodded and went further into the divine plane. He fell into the halo of light around it and entered the divine plane. His figure disappeared from Legion-8's senses, but Legion-8 could tell that he had met with enemies immediately. It appeared that the Tyrants had been waiting and attacked him. It was more like the Tree Father caught them doing something important. The Tyrants were sealing the divine plane when the tree father

came around. The Tree Father didn't try to fight them. Instead, he focused on running away. His mission is to infiltrate the realm and start a church of faith, not to fight the Tyrants. At least that's what his mission will appear to be to whoever might be watching them. Even if that isn't his plan, a fight with the Tyrants right now is disadvantageous and can be endless since this is their home ground. Plus, the Tyrants vastly outnumber him. A fight with them will be a losing fight. Unless he is willing to expose more of his secrets, But he is not going to do that. It is more effective to try and reduce the suppression of the realm on them by becoming a god of the realm. In addition, the creation of a god will weaken the Tyrants. Legion-8 waited patiently for a while. He was experiencing what the Tree Father was experiencing to decide if he needed to intervene to allow him to escape. He is the closest to the Tree Father so he decided to be on standby before moving on to his own mission. The Tyrants were numerous, and they even had Tyrants with the strength of a Supreme Origin god. This was more than enough to match what the Tree Father could do on the surface. However, the tree father wasn't the only one trying to break through into the main realm, and he was one of the few who could see the future. He just happened to slip through attacks and evade his enemies. The Tyrants couldn't keep the Tree Father, who already possessed the power of a divine spark, without the amplification of world fragments. This meant the tree father wasn't helpless to escape, even though the suppression of the realm prevented the use of world fragments. Legion-8 then chose to begin his mission outside the divine plane immediately. As the new clone of Legion, he has a special mission that suits his specific divine abilities and concepts. Legion-8, just like every clone of Legion, is special. He was specifically engineered by the other clones, so his uniqueness was intentional and not something created by chance. He didn't reincarnate like them. Instead, his body, divine ability, and concept were created by the combined effort of the clones, just as they fashioned a law matrix. Building a law matrix was more difficult work compared to building a new clone. But the body of the new clone is sure to become more powerful than a law matrix. ------

A/N: This bonus chapter is for Rosery. I will release the one for Smokey Bus tomorrow.

Chapter 1558: A Living Poison.

Legion used a mundane virus as the base material for the new Legion-8's body. This virus was incredibly virulent. It could kill infected victims quickly as

it proliferated rapidly within them. But this prevented it from spreading itself to other hosts fast enough before its current host died.

The virus was genetically and magically engineered into a hive-like entity with a divine ability based on the law of poison. This made the virus sentient and improved its infectiousness.

Then the hive was fashioned into a single body with the help of the Tree Father and then combined spiritually with the soul fragment of an Origin god that Legion-7 had stripped from Legion-1.

The process was painful for Legion-1 because Legion-7 had to purge the soul fragment of his body and concept since he had completely become an Origin god.

If Legion-1 hadn't already fused with Legion-7 before the dragon clone, then the creation of another clone wouldn't have been possible at all since Legion-7 wouldn't have been able to intercept the free Origin channel that the dragon left with his death.

Even then, it was incredibly painful because the Supreme law of order didn't want it to happen. The law of order protects Origin gods but Legion-7 succeeded because the soul fragment is part of his body, he can engineer his soul imprints, and because Chaos energy will destroy anything it is directed to destroy.

So the process of creating the soul fragment was far more painful than the time Gehaldirah had to purge his body from his soul as a sovereign of law.

Then Legion created Legion-8's concept, using the law of poison as the main law. The laws of life, death, space, and time as the supplementary laws, and the laws of dream and soul, light, darkness, earth, water, air, and fire as the tertiary laws.

This made for a total of 13 laws, with an image of a three-layered concept all working on the core law of poison. The law of poison is why his body is violet. It is not only violet on the surface, it is violet within him too.

This is because he doesn't have organs or skin. Each part of him is made of tiny viruses held together by the concept of All-Existence Poison combined with an immortal soul.

In a way, he is a living concept like Legion-7. Except that he doesn't eat other concepts, and he was easily accepted by the void universe to become an Origin god. But this has made him more dangerous than Legion-7 because his kind of insidiousness can be used without punishment from the void universe.

This insidiousness is what he was sent to do in the Tyrant Realm. His humanoid body has now scattered into a cloud of violet dust. This is his true form.

The individual dust uses the law of poison to infect the environment. Both space, time, matter, and the energy of the living and the dead in the form of light, darkness, fire, and earth, water, and air were infected. Even the intangible soul and emphemeral dreams couldn't hide from this poison.

Legion-8 spread himself into them like a toxin that couldn't be resisted. His surroundings did resist. It is the innate reaction of the world to the invaders. But he is an Origin with full access to the law matrix, so the world couldn't block his concept.

When added to the fact that he can learn to adapt his body with the law of life to the surroundings so that any successful resistance is only short-lived, it makes their resistance futile.

And there's the fact that part of his existence is spiritual and dream-like. So he is infecting the world on both a physical and spiritual level. This makes most of the resistance against him a waste. Even if the resistance can manage to target both levels of infection, its efforts would have to be divided and weakened to do so.

At the end of the day, he is a virus, not a poison. He is the source of sickness. The poison is just how he infects his host. The real problem begins when he starts using the energy of his host to proliferate. This leads to the rapid weakening of the host until it dies of lack of energy or the host becomes Legion-8 after being overwritten from within. Death is still the ending.

Legion-8 spread himself like an expanding blot or blemish in the world. This is his mission in the realm. It is the second point of action against the Tyrant Realm in their quest to make enough contribution in the era of conquest to gain the help of the realm lord.

Unlike the Tree Father, this is his true mission. This mission is very important if Legion wants to achieve that goal because there are a lot of special

individuals participating in this era of conquest. They may keep some of their cards to their chest, but they have to play some of them to earn enough contribution points.

Legion-8's current mode of action is not unique. His divine ability is similar to the metal fire divine ability. The difference is that the metal fire is limited to the law of earth and can only act on earth in the plane.

He, on the other hand, can start spreading himself from any point in the realm. As long as there is existence, he is capable of infecting it. He can even infect the metal fire. Both the living and nonliving can't escape his infection.

He is a disease in the realm and a successful one at that, based on the fact that he received positive feedback from Mother High Heaven about his current actions through the mark she gave them.

Others would need to kill and destroy the living and nonliving things in the realm to weaken the Tyrant realm. He doesn't need to do that. That's Aeternus's and Helios' job. He is to reduce the size and power of the Tyrant realm by infecting it and converting it into himself.

A/N: Legion-8 the dragon is dead. He is gone. Legion-8 the virus is a new clone.

Chapter 1559: Good Bait.

In a way, he has the easiest job among the clones. His current action is an easy method of mining contributions for Legion. If not for the fact that he is also acting as bait, then his job would be too easy.

His performance as bait was too good, so the prey, thinking themselves to be predators, decided to take a bite out of him. Light and darkness rippled somewhere behind him. It was a black curtain that was removed to reveal what lay beneath. What was hidden became exposed, revealing four entities.

One of the entities could only be described as a brute. It is a giant of a being covered in spiked armor. They also have a single horn on their head.

Two other figures appeared to be non-descript. They had no face, lips, ears, or nose. They were smooth and featureless all over. When combined with

their humanoid form and white complexion, their identity was exposed at a glance.

The fourth and last person is invisible. But Legion-8 could see her. She is a red-furred battle sage monkey. She is the same red-furred battle sage monkey that Soverick spoke to earlier in the previous Virut plane. Her presence here surprised Legion a little bit, but they are nothing if not adaptable.

Legion-8 said to them, "This is quite the sight. Three Supreme Beasts and one battle sage monkey. What are you doing here? I have no enmity with any one of you. We are supposed to be allies here. We come from the same realm."

They didn't approach him rashly. They stood far away from him while communicating with him.

The female battle sage monkey said to him, "We meet again."

Legion-8 asked, "Do I know you?"

She chuckled. "Yes, you do. I met with one of your clones a little while ago."

"I have no recollection of this event. You are a complete and total stranger to me." He lied.

"Don't bother to lie to us. I never forget a soul that I have met before. Besides, you have at least two consciousnesses in you right now. You are the only one that I have met who does. Not even Gemini twins do."

Legion-8 chuckled and said, "I think you've gotten the wrong person. I don't have two consciousnesses. I might have schizophrenia and multiple personalities, but I don't have two separate consciousnesses."

"You do," she insisted.

"I don't." He insisted.

"Doesn't he?" She asked one of the two Supreme Beasts.

This Supreme beast agreed with her. "He does have two consciousnesses, so he must be Legion, the one that cheated the Supreme Alliance."

"I don't have two consciousnesses." Legion-8 continued to deny it.

He has nothing to gain by admitting it, so he will deny it. Besides, it is unlikely that something good will come out of telling the truth to four people who have kept themselves hidden and have been following him since they joined the line outside the realm tree.

One of the Supreme Beasts said calmly, "There's no need to hide your identity. We already know who you are, and we are not here to fight. We just want to talk."

He told them dismissively, "Say whatever you want to say. It is my choice to listen or not."

"We don't care about your enmity with the Supreme Alliance. What we care about is the secret of some of the uniqueness you have shown. We want to know how to become world gods without any Supreme Law."

Litori's ancestor also chimed in. "And I want to know how to have more than one consciousness in a body."

Legion-8 asked, "How did you find me?"

Legion is especially interested in this fact because it has been difficult to track them ever since Aeternus joined with Legion-unity. Their soul fluctuations have been scrambled by Chaos energy, and it has made divination or scrying almost impossible. But she was able to pinpoint them with certainty and follow them.

She replied. "You are the only being I have ever met with more than one consciousness. I can't mistake that anywhere. It is my special ability. You stand out in a crowd because of it. Your state of existence is that unique."

Legion-8 asked her, "Is that so? How come you are working with the Supreme Alliance? Aren't you a battle sage monkey? You should be working for the racial council."

She laughed. "I was looking for you, but then I noticed that they were also looking for you, so I proposed that we join forces."

Legion-8 didn't believe her, but he couldn't confirm the truth because something was blocking his vision of her past right now. It appeared to him

that she was prepared for this. He is also prepared, so he doesn't feel pressured.

The Supreme Beast urged him. "We won't take your secrets for nothing. We are willing to pay you well for it. You will get a world seed and a world engine from us."

Legion-8 considered the proposal. "That sounds good, but you might be wasting your time. If I had the secret to become a world god without a Supreme Law, would I be here slumming for contributions in the era of conquest?"

"Yes, you could still be here. You can do anything you want, and that includes working for contributions when you can be a world god on your own. Besides, working for contribution doesn't mean you still won't use the secret. You are just working to acquire the realm heart fragments that you need."

Legion-8 admitted, "You make some sense."

"We don't want to play around. Swear to us that you don't have the secret we want, and we will leave immediately. We will stop troubling you too."

He asked suspiciously, "Really? What about the Supreme Alliance?"

"We are not here on behalf of the Supreme Alliance. This venture is a private one, but I am sure the Supreme Alliance or any Supreme Beasts won't come after you after you've sworn that you don't know the method to become a world god without a Supreme Law."

Chapter 1560: Negotiations.

Legion-8 didn't believe it, so he asked, "Why?"

The Supreme Beast explained, "This is because the Supreme Alliance has decided not to hunt you. But they didn't forbid anyone in the Supreme Alliance not to act against you for their personal interests."

Legion-8 was still suspicious. He said, "That can't be true. This doesn't sound like the overbearing Supreme Alliance that I know."

"It is true. The Supreme Alliance is not happy with you for using them, but you didn't deceive them for nothing. Legion led us to the home plane of dragons and helped us destroy it. So in a way, it was a transaction, and you fulfilled your end of the bargain."

He asked about the reason why the Supreme Alliance was after him in the first place. "What about the dragon heart that they wanted?"

"They have decided to let that go for now because you are not easy to deal with. Even the powerful dragon king couldn't kill you. The only way to corner you currently is with the power of a world god, but the dragon heart is useless to world gods."

Legion-8 understood why Legion had been enjoying peace recently, despite the number of people that they had offended. It turned out that the Supreme Alliance was wary of the dragon king.

If the dragon king couldn't do anything to Legion, then the Supreme Alliance would be more helpless against them. And if the dragon king hasn't given up yet, then by trying to take something from Legion, the Supreme Alliance might offend the dragon king.

Of course, this would not be so if the Supreme Alliance had not decided to go after the Realm Lord and declared the mission publicly. They did, so this excuse doesn't sound believable to Legion-8.

He doesn't believe what the Supreme Beast said about the Supreme Alliance being understanding and reasonable. He would rather believe that there is just too much at stake and too little to gain for the Supreme Alliance to go all out after Legion now that they are immortal.

What he said about the dragon heart not being useful to world gods is true, though. It is just that powerful beings would rather see for themselves if it is useful or not rather than give up without putting any effort into verifying the claims.

The combination of their caution and unwillingness to give up is why the Supreme Alliance is not stopping other Supreme Beasts from making moves on Legion despite being afraid themselves. They are just testing the waters to see if they should get involved.

Legion-8 finally spoke after giving it some thought. "I understand. I do have a method to become world god without a Supreme Law. But your price for it is too little. I want more for it."

The Supreme Beast asked, "How much more?"

"Give me nine sets of realm hearts complete with world sparks."

The first Supreme Beast said, "That's too much. You're asking for the value of nine realms and the resources and time needed to subdue them."

The second one also joined in, "You are playing with us even though we approached you with sincerity."

"Don't say that. I am very sincere. 9 sets of realm hearts, and you can have it."

The Supreme Beasts communicated amongst themselves before speaking to him. "Alright. We will consider your proposal and get back to you when we decide on what to do." "We will leave now."

Legion-8 watched them leave just as they said they would. All four of them left, but he didn't relax at all. His wariness was proven to be correct when another group of Origin gods approached him.

They remained hidden far from him and didn't approach him, but he could see them, and he couldn't dismiss their presence as a coincidence because they were Supreme Beasts.

He chuckled to himself and said, "I knew this wasn't over."

It was far from over. Another group came to make two groups that are beseeching him. Then a third came, and a fourth. Their numbers increased rapidly as Legion-8 watched.

It couldn't be a coincidence that some Supreme Beasts found him, only for many Supreme Beasts to come and surround him. It is particularly odd that they are surrounding him. They didn't just appear around him. They took up positions to box him in.

Legion wasn't surprised by their presence, and they could guess what these people were planning to do to him even without Soverick's eye. It is because it is a common behavior among immortals.

Whenever immortals want to do business with anyone, they will first try to steal what they want from that person. It is a test to see if that person has enough strength to keep that valuable thing and is worthy of making demands from them.

It is true that the Supreme Alliance is wary of him and does want to make the deal for the secret from him honestly. But that doesn't mean they are not going to try and see if they can't get it out of him forcefully. It is especially important to try and steal the information, seeing as the price to pay for it legitimately is so expensive.

It is unlikely to be a spur-of-the-moment decision, either. They know what they are doing and are informed about him, seeing as they didn't attack Legion in the realm of high heaven. They know that Legion can teleport away, so they waited for him to come to the Tyrant Realm, where he is suppressed, so that he wouldn't be able to escape.

They were also cautious in that they probed Legion first to see if he had what they wanted. The first probe was the ancestor of Litori. Legion still can't figure out how she is related to the Supreme Beasts, but they are certain now that they are working together.

Legion-8 thought to himself, "Soverick was right. This sneaky battle sage monkey is truly a criminal. She is the worst kind of criminal too. She can't be killed and she can always identify

us."

Chapter 1561: Not So Simple.

The ancestor of Litori asked for his secret and gave numerous reasons for it. She was even willing to pay for it, but he refused.

Soverick was sure that her request was a cover for something, which she denied. Then she came with another set of people, and they forced him to either swear that he didn't know the secret to becoming a world god without a Supreme Law or prepare to be hunted by the Supreme Beasts.

He didn't swear it so they confirmed that he had the secret. It was all they needed to know that they were not going to bark up the wrong tree or go on a wild goose chase by trying to use violence to get the secret from him.

A single entity using violence against an immortal would be a bad idea. But a superconglomerate like the Supreme Alliance using violence to get what they want is a very efficient idea. Especially since they are so good at discovering the weaknesses of others and capturing them.

Legion-8 thought to himself, "They are preparing. I should prepare too."

While he is surprised that Litori's ancestor chose to work with the Supreme Alliance, he is not surprised that she was scheming against them, and he is certainly not caught off guard by this turn of events.

He was already prepared to be bait, and these people have only fallen for it. It is best that things don't go the other way around and make him the fool, so he used Soverick's concept. There is an eye within the violet cloud that Legion-8 has become. He could see these layers of information through the links of causality that bind them. But this time, his ability to see the future had encountered a blockage.

He received information about them, but it was fragmented because the past had been blocked. His eye couldn't see into the past accurately, as these people were prepared for him. This blockage reminded him of Soverick's meeting with Litori's ancestor and how she was able to block his vision too.

He said to the other clones, "It seems she was collecting information about us during the first meeting, just as Soverick was getting information from her."

Soverick snorted and said, "It is no wonder she didn't plan to fight. She was content stalking me."

Then Soverick tried himself. He even used the world fragment, all to no avail.

He cursed and said, "They are either constantly using their Supreme laws or using the help of world gods to block my sight. Either way, it must have cost them a lot."

Legion-1 felt a sense of urgency, "This can't go on. These people have too much information about us. Their plan is almost perfect. They have the information advantage. Something has to be done."

Legion-7 joined in and said, "This is all because the dragon king exposed our information to the Supreme Alliance. It is only a matter of time before everyone knows about us."

At first, Legion-8 was only slightly regretful that he couldn't get more information, but he and the other Legion realized that something big must be brewing against them. All of these Supreme Beasts have Supreme Laws, except the few that don't. But even those few are shrouded by the aura of world gods, so their information can't be scryed casually.

This is significant because using a Supreme Law is expensive. Each use of it expends an Origin essence. The assistance of world gods isn't cheap either. This means that the Supreme Beasts have either put in a lot of effort to test them or that this attempt might actually not be a test. It might be the real deal to capture them.

Legion-8 doesn't doubt that his enemies will be defeated because Legion too is prepared, but he doubts that the Supreme Beasts will let things go after this try. After all, no matter how expensive their efforts are, they can't compare to nine sets of world engines, world seeds, and world sparks.

They are bound to try again with the information they gain from this failure. Things could become troublesome for Legion who wants to focus solely on making contributions for the era of conquest instead of fending of Supreme Beasts.

Soon, all the Supreme Beasts that would attack him had arrived. The void around Legion-8 looked empty and calm, but it was far from it. An army of ten thousand Supreme Beasts had arrayed themselves around him.

So he is outnumbered 10,000 to 1, but that didn't make them overconfident. They still communicated with each other and planned their attack.

This act of planning clued Legion-8 into what was to come. He couldn't see their past or future, but his future could always be seen. They are in his future, so he saw the various things they considered and planned to do with him.

What Legion-8 saw made him chuckle. "These people aren't fools. They know to be suspicious when they ought to be suspicious."

They are ten thousand to his one, and he is in the Tyrant Realm, so he can't escape, but they are still suspicious. The Tyrant Realm bans the use of world

fragments by outsiders, and this won't change until the Will of the Tyrant Realm becomes too weak to uphold that rule.

The rule is very strong now, so Legion-8 shouldn't be able to use a world fragment to empower himself, and since he doesn't have a Supreme Law, he should be powerless against any of them, much less ten thousand of them at once.

He can't even use a domain under the harsh suppression of the Will of the Tyrant Realm. So everything is in their favor, but they are still being suspicious and careful. They are treating him as a great enemy.

It is flattering, but he doesn't like it. It is because they are right to be suspicious. They know they are not only fighting one entity, and so they don't want to underestimate him. It is the right attitude to have if they are to succeed in capturing him.

Chapter 1562: Contingency Plan.

Their plans come down to two objectives. They want to seal him at all costs or allow one of the Supreme Beasts without Supreme Laws to touch him. They have special arrays to accomplish the first option and they have come prepared for the second option too.

Those Supreme Beasts without Supreme Laws are incapable of making Supreme Laws. They have a concept that can shift into any other concept, and they do this by stealing the concepts of others by touch.

They are the Supreme Beasts who took the path of further awakening and are stuck. But they are very useful. The Supreme Alliance can use them to steal Legion-8's abilities. All they have to do is touch him. This theft is also permanent, so if they succeed, they will have something important to bargain with Legion.

Legion-8 admitted, "It is a foolproof plan."

As if they heard his confirmation, the Supreme Beasts decided to attack him. All of them began to approach him at once. They remained hidden so that they could get as close to him as possible before they fought. After all, their

plan is to seal and capture him. Killing an immortal won't bring them any benefits.

They know that he might be able to see them, but they don't care. The closer they get to him, the better for them. Legion-8 was also hoping for them to get closer to him. He was also preparing to use the contingency plan that Legion had planned for them to use in desperate situations.

It is true that he doesn't have a Supreme Law and he can't use his world fragment, but he can use the Tree Father's divine spark and Helios' Supreme Power through Legion, so he is not in a hopeless situation.

However, he is not going to use either of them. He is not going to use the Tree Father's divine spark because Legion is not willing to expose more information about themselves to the enemy.

They are bound to expose a weakness if they reveal too much of their capabilities. That is just common sense. It is especially prudent to hide their abilities, knowing that the Supreme Alliance won't give up after this defeat.

So it is a smart thing to keep some things hidden. But it is also because Legion as a whole can feel that they will regret it if they expose Legion-9's abilities.

They can't tell exactly why it is a bad idea because of the divination blocking of the Supreme Beasts, but they can tell it is bad. They can feel the gaze of a world god on them despite the shroud over their future vision, so Legion knows that this is far from being simple.

There's only one thing that Legion has at their disposal, and they know for certain that it doesn't possess a weakness. That is what Legion had prepared for Legion-8 to use.

Legion-8 deployed this trump card when the Supreme Alliance got close enough. A domain sprang outward from him.

It is not a normal domain, so the Will of the Realm couldn't block it easily. The domain of a World Beast is very powerful because of the support of the inner world and a world fragment, so it can break the suppression, but it did so slowly.

The speed of the domain was slow, so the Supreme Beasts could avoid it by retreating. They would have avoided it if they had decided to retreat, but they didn't fear his domain, and they also wanted to get closer to him, not away.

They didn't continue to approach him unprepared, though. An Origin domain can't work against a Supreme Origin god if they don't want to be suppressed by it. So they all burned Origin essence to use their Supreme Laws at full power in preparation to resist his domain.

The law matrix around Legion-8 was warped into various phenomena for their purposes. It became impenetrable walls and unbreakable spikes of law that stood in the way of the expanding domain. The backlash of their resistance was so great that the domain collapsed immediately when it clashed against their resistance.

This is to be expected, considering that a single domain is fighting against ten thousand Supreme Origin gods. It will break, no matter how sturdy it is.

What the Supreme Beasts didn't expect was that it would break apart and release its abominable payload. Chaos energy poured out of the broken domain and drenched the impenetrable walls and unbreakable spikes.

Those impenetrable walls and unbreakable spikes quickly became not so impenetrable and unbreakable as Chaos energy began corroding them.

Chaos ensued immediately as the Supreme Origin gods screamed, yelled in pain, or groaned. It was a direct hit that couldn't be blocked.

Contact is all the Supreme Law of Chaos needs, be it false or true, to get to work. Their Supreme Laws are part of their existence, so by blocking Chaos energy, they have made contact with the law of Chaos.

The orderly array of the Supreme Beasts literally descended into chaos. Every entity that Chaos energy touched lost its sense of direction, perception of its surroundings, and sense of time.

They descended into madness as they fought with all their might to resist the corrosion of their existence. Gone was the mission they came here for. They all scattered or died. Legion-8 watched this with relish. He said in appreciation, "Storing Chaos energy was not in vain."

He is not like Aeternus. He can't just output a large amount of Chaos energy when he needs it. The transfer of Chaos energy between the clones is too slow, so it is best if he stores it for future use. Future use, such as being bait.

His hard work in storing it and the fact that his concept of All-Existence Poison was created with the image of Chaos energy as its foundation made him have a great deal of appreciation for what Chaos energy is doing. He might be immune to Chaos energy, but he knows just how much pain they are going through.

Chapter 1563: Hybridization Of Chaos And Order.

The Chaos energy first infected their existence on contact. Their existence resisted it, so Chaos energy began destroying their existence to remove the resistance. Then it used the leftovers from the destruction to proliferate and create more Chaos energy, thereby increasing in power and making subsequent destruction to eliminate resistance easier.

Chaos energy will only get stronger over time and will not end until the infected dies. It is a vicious circle that ends in death. It is why world gods don't like coming into contact with world enders at all.

His concept was an attempt to not only imitate those sequences of actions but also improve on them. This is something that someone with their knowledge and greed would want to achieve.

The Supreme Law of Order, whether true or false, grants its owners the advantages of variability and adaptability. They can change the rules of the world to achieve an advantage in defense, attack, or speed, so their wielder doesn't have a weakness in any area.

But the Supreme Law of Chaos, either true or false, has the advantage of virulence. Unlike the Supreme Law of Order, which focuses on empowering its wielder, the Supreme Law of Chaos focuses on overwriting and converting all of existence into itself, including its enemies.

This difference is why Legion-7 could survive his encounter with the Viper's Hegemony, the Supreme Law of Order of the Serpentine World God, but didn't dare try to assimilate the Supreme Law of Chaos, whether true or false.

The two types of Supreme laws have their advantages and disadvantages in certain situations. World gods are all powerful and can fight each other freely, but they don't dare fight world- enders.

It is because of the advantage of the law of Chaos that the Supreme Origin gods can't get rid of the corruption of Chaos energy, and it is because of the advantage of the Supreme Law of Order that the Supreme Origin gods won't die to the curse as long as they don't want to and as long as they have Origin essence to keep resisting.

It is a never-ending fight that can only end in one way. Their voluntary acceptance of defeat or involuntarily defeat after running out of energy. Even the first sage will not be able to escape this fate if he is struck with a world-ender.

Legion wanted to fuse the advantages of the laws of Chaos and Order in Legion-8 by creating his concept with the laws of order but in the image of Chaos.

He can infect and poison all things just like Chaos. He can change and adapt to the resistance of the target, just like Chaos. He can overwrite the target and replicate himself with the energy he devours from the target just like Chaos. He can do all these with the derivative laws of Order.

Unfortunately, Legion-8 hasn't reached the goal of Legion yet. He still has weaknesses, especially to other Supreme Law and Cosmic force. He will need to have a Supreme law of his own for him to match either Order or Chaos in adaptability or virulence.

If his Supreme Law is very powerful, then he will be able to possess the advantage of both. He might even be able to overwrite or infect the Supreme Law of others. Maybe then, Aeternus will be able to fulfill his wish of stealing Authority from the void universe.

Legion-8 watched the Supreme Beasts scramble about in pain. The first to die were the ones without Supreme Laws. They couldn't resist Chaos energy for long.

The amount of time they spent surviving after they made contact with Chaos energy is the amount of time they spent suffering under it. If they had a choice, they would have shortened it, not extended it.

Their existence was unraveled, corrupted, and stripped into bits that multiplied the power of Chaos. The rest that was unneeded by Chaos like their concepts, was then fed back to Aeternus's divine spark to make it stronger.

Only those with a Supreme Law could resist for a long time. But it is a pitiful display. It is not exactly a replay of the fight between the Supreme Origin gods and many normal Origin gods of the Lumen plane against CARNAGE, seeing as it is not as grand. But it is far worse.

After all, they had failed to defeat CARNAGE, and the best they could do as Supreme Origin gods was not to die to CARNAGE. This time, the best they could do was suffer in pain.

Someone shouted at him, "What kind of curse is this?"

It was Litori's ancestor who asked the question. She was right to call it a curse. It is a curse that will remain with them until they die or until someone very powerful cuts off the part of their existence that has been infected. Until then, they will wallow in pain and suffering until they die.

The ones with Supreme Laws will preserve their strength after resurrection, but the ones without Supreme Laws will lose it. They will have to start again as one-star Origin gods.

When it is considered that the only ones without Supreme laws are the Supreme Beasts that were forcefully strengthened with cosmic energy, that means it is a curse that has caused the wastage of the cosmic energy spent on them.

Legion-8 replied, "It is a curse that makes me happy."

She said with sarcasm, "I see. I wonder where it came from. Is it something that you were naturally born with?"

She was in pain. Her avatar's red fur had already turned black. Even her true body beneath the law matrix, the white flame, had become tainted. It is clear that she has a lot to deal with currently, but she took time out of her busy schedule to scowl at him in hatred.

The dedication to hatred impressed Legion-8. He decided to be magnanimous and give her the information she was trying to get out of him. He said, "If you don't know what it is, then I don't know either."

Chapter 1564: Public Dissemination.

She obviously didn't believe him. She looked at his expanding violet cloud of a body, which was very similar to the black cloud that he just released on them, and scowled even further.

That scowl remained on her face as she chose to die. Legion-8 confirmed her death through the feedback of the rush of power in Chaos energy.

Unfortunately, he didn't have time to enjoy it before a Supreme Beast took her place. The Supreme Beast said, "Very good. It seems your access to this strange energy is not coincidental or limited. You truly are related to the abominable creature that ambushed us at the dragon home plane. Very good. This operation was not in vain."

It was Legion-8's turn to frown in displeasure. His mood became heavy. It was not improved by the death of the Supreme Beast or the thousands of others that chose to die. Even Aeternus wasn't so happy with the improvement in the power of Chaos.

They can tell that something bad is going to happen soon. The Supreme Beasts are keeping a tight lid on it, but Legion can tell that they will become very angry soon. Unfortunately, there's nothing they can do to stop it.

Legion-8 continued corroding the Tyrant realm. The Supreme Beasts backed off, so no one came to attack him. But, as Legion expected, things didn't end there. The Supreme Beasts made another move.

All the clones received the message that they sent out to every Origin god of the High Heaven Realm. They received it at the same time as the trillions of Origin gods that did.

The message said, "Is it possible to have more than one concept? It is not supposed to be possible. But a certain Origin god of the high heaven realm has achieved it. This is all we know about him."

"Gehaldirah was a high elf with a royal bloodline. His father and mother are..."

Legion-8 sighed. "This is a ruthless and shameless move. They want to borrow the hands of others to continue to test us and pressure us."

Soverick was furious. He was truly angry that not only did the Supreme Alliance steal his move against the first sage and Salvini, they also used it against him.

The Supreme Alliance released almost every piece of information that they have about Legion to everyone. They told everyone about Legion having many clones.

They even went ahead and released information about each clone. Now everyone knows that they have a world beast, a battle sage monkey, a star godling as clones.

They shared the details about the divine abilities and concepts of each clone too. Everything about when the clones were born to where the clones currently are was exposed. Their current battle strength and the information about their possession of a world fragment that they built were also exposed.

The only clone they didn't speak about was Aeternus. They told everyone that Legion has eight clones. It could be that they are lying to the public or that they don't know about Aeternus, their demon clone.

It could be both. The Supreme Alliance would want to hide the fact that Legion has access to and control over Chaos energy so as not to discourage others from messing with them.

Legion-8 grumbled, "Now that everyone knows that we have a way to have many concepts and a way to become world gods without Supreme Laws, we are sure to have a lot more enemies."

Legion-3 was rather optimistic. "Things are bound to be more difficult, but only that. Only world gods can threaten us, so we should be fine as long as we don't fall into their hands alive or get sealed."

Legion is sure that the message will lead to grave repercussions because they have used the power of the people just a while ago to pressure others to great success.

Currently, Salvini can't leave the safety of the Leviathans. She has to be protected against the constant swarm of attacks by those who want to gain possession of her. It seems that will be them very soon.

The secret to having numerous concepts is certainly more tantalizing to Origin gods than a child of the plane, so they are going to attract more enemies than Salvini did.

There's also the fact that they created a world fragment on their own and their possession of the secret to becoming world gods without Supreme Laws. Origin gods should not be able to create world fragments, and they certainly should need Supreme Laws to become world gods.

Besides, everyone knows that they have universal artifacts too. One of these secrets would cause a stampede of immortal enemies to chase after them. It is not encouraging that they possess four such valuable secrets.

So they began to prepare for the repercussions of this move. The Supreme Alliance has decided to use the power of the multitudes to probe them. If the dragon king gets angry that they were trying to take what belongs to it, then it will have to get angry at trillions of Origin gods too.

The Supreme Alliance is also relying on the power of multitudes to find out their weaknesses. Information like how long they can use Chaos energy, the frequency between each use, and the decline in the power of Chaos energy over time, if they exist, are things that are bound to be discovered over several attacks on Legion. This way, the Supreme Alliance won't have to sacrifice their resources to test them anymore.

Plus, external pressure on Legion might make them return to the Supreme Alliance for help with a lesser request in exchange for the secret they want.

After all, the easiest solution for them right now is to become world gods. But they can't do that unless they get world seeds and world engines. Those are things they can't get easily and can't get on their own. They know because they have tried to get those things and have failed so far.

Chapter 1565: The Heat Is On.

All the Supreme Alliance needs to do is act generous by offering them just one set of world seed and world engine for the secret to becoming world gods without Supreme Laws. It is obviously a cheap price to pay, but if Legion is desperate enough, they might take it.

Legion-1 said to them, "This is a problem that can only be solved by strength, and we are not lacking in it. Plus, we are immortal and rich. But this scheme will set us back in terms of resources and time. We can't have that if we are to contribute well to the era of conquest."

Soverick was not so optimistic. He said, "That's just the start. Surely the Supreme Alliance knows that we are immortal. I propose that we should be very careful from now on. This is surely not the end of their schemes."

Aeternus added, "We can't stay on the defensive either. Being passive is not a long-term solution."

Helios asked, "But what can we do to damage the Supreme Alliance? Preferably something that can benefit us too. At the very least, it should be able to solve the problem we have found ourselves in."

None of the clones could answer that question. Not even Soverick could think of something. The situation the Supreme Alliance has put them in is irreversible. It is an egg that has dropped and broken. It can't be fixed without some time-warping shenanigan, which is something the void universe forbids.

Soverick said helplessly, "This problem all started when we gained the attention of the dragon king. It was then that all of our secrets were exposed. He must have told the Supreme Alliance, and now they are using it against us."

Legion-5 said with determination, "At the end of the day, only strength can save us. We have to continue growing stronger."

Aeternus agreed, "We grow stronger and make sure everyone that crosses us regrets it."

They have a terrible conundrum on their hands because this problem is not a problem that can be solved with brute strength. Their secrets have been exposed, and there's nothing they can do to erase that problem.

It means that their enemies will be informed and won't fight them with ignorance. It will make brute strength less effective.

The most effective solution they can think of is to make the information about them obsolete by becoming stronger. That way, their power will become effective again. They will also be able to deter people from attacking them when they get stronger. That is going to be difficult to do considering their enemies are immortals with nothing to lose, so they have to make sure the Origin gods lose something whenever they fight.

Legion-8 lamented, "It is going to be nearly impossible to deter Supreme Origin gods. We can't seal them, and we can't make them lose their power or memories, even with Chaos energy. This is going to be difficult."

He is truly pissed. It is going to be difficult to make immortal people regret their actions if they don't lose anything. Even now, Legion has found out that some Origin gods have invaded the Zargoth plane and are destroying it in an effort to find them.

All of Legion's work in the plane is going down the drain. The Virut plane is also being searched, but the Origin gods are more restrained because of the racial council.

The Origin gods searching for them would have attacked the Lumen plane were it still around. It is not around anymore, but there are certain Origin gods who have some information about a certain unique Warrog responsible for the destruction of the plane and are telling everyone who would listen about that Warrog.

Legion hasn't been attacked yet, but they already know that the hunt for them has begun from this information and from the feeling of being scryed as various entities are trying to divine their position.

No one knew about them before, so they were not important enough to be scryed, and their enemies didn't have enough information for their scrying to be accurate. But now information about them is aplenty, so even races with a smidgen of divination talent have enough information about them to find.

If not for Aeternus and the influence of Chaos energy from him, people would be able to find them easily. But Soverick can tell that people aren't giving up. A lot of people are using Supreme Laws to track them.

The effect of the move by the Supreme Alliance is just starting, and they are already feeling the heat. If things continue like this, then they might not have a place in the High Heaven Realm anymore and might even have to hide and run in the immortal lands when world gods come after them.

Legion-8 is so angry that he wants to pay back the Supreme Alliance for their move. The best thing he can do to make them feel pain is to attack their hatcheries and kill their young.

Unfortunately, that is not going to benefit Legion more than a short moment of emotional pleasure. Considering that the Supreme Alliance might be prepared for that, it is safe to say that they might be expecting them and might have set up a trap for them.

So they are not going to let Legion-8 kill the young Supreme Beasts that he has infected. It is not possession, so the Supreme Alliance didn't discover the tentacles that he had deposited in them.

Killing the young will surely hurt the Supreme Alliance, but it won't give Legion any tangible benefits. Besides, they can tell through Soverick's foresight that a better option is going to come out of it in the future. So it is best they keep that move for when it will bring them the best benefits.

At the end of the day, they decided to continue what they were doing here, trying to earn contribution points. They will hide doing that while trying to construct their Supreme Laws.

Chapter 1566: Star Thief.

They are going to hide in a realm tree because they are sure that being outside a realm can't be safe for them right now due to the search of world gods. They will continue to strive to gain the assistance of the High Heaven Realm and won't give the Supreme Alliance the benefit of crawling back to them.

To achieve that, Legion-8 is corroding the Tyrant Realm, while Helios is responsible for plunging the realm into darkness.

It wasn't only the tree father and Legion-8 that entered the realm for the mission to accumulate contributions. Helios also entered, and the Supreme Beasts probably noticed him, but they avoided him. Instead, they went after Legion-8.

It could be because Helios was doing dangerous work, and they didn't want to die by coming closer to him. After all, the full power of a star can only be

rivaled by world gods. For someone to start eating a star, he must not be one to be trifled with.

The stars of the Tyrant Realm are just two. They are also inside the realm because there is only one land mass in the realm. The two of them stand on opposite sides of this single landmass and rotate around it. The gap inbetween them helps create the variation of day and night. But ever since Helios started his stellar work, the duration of night in the realm has increased, and the brightness of one of the stars has dimmed. The planes still get about the same amount of light because a third star has appeared beside this dim star to help share in its duties.

This third star is not only helping the dimming star to perform its duties, it is also helping it to shed its weight. This way, its mass will reduce, and it will be able to fly around the realm faster. Only someone like Helios can bear the all consuming heat around the star and do this thankless job.

Unfortunately, the lesser the mass of the dimming star, the greater the effect of the

gravitational pull of the second star on it. The second star is pulling on the star that the third star is feeding on. So if the third star doesn't eat it fast enough, the first star will crash into the second star.

To prevent losing his food, Helios, the third star, has to produce a gravitational pull on the first star to negate the pull of the second star on it. This gravitational pull has to grow stronger the lighter the first star becomes, which is not an easy thing to do.

Some might think Helios is having the time of his life eating a star, but it is a very tough job. Not only does he have to bear the full heat of the sun from being close to it, he has to bear its power as he eats it.

Fortunately, Helios is good at his job, and it pays well. His concept was practically made for eating stars. Actually, he was made for killing things, stars included. But what he is doing is not just about pleasure. Killing the stars of the realm will plunge the realm into darkness and count as the destruction of the realm.

What he is doing is worse than what CARNAGE did when the demon god blocked the light of the sun to a plane. What he is doing is going to affect the whole realm.

Apart from the contribution of the destruction of the stars, the death of stars and the lack of light it will bring will also lead to the death of every living thing that relies on light. It will freeze the realm and upset the ecosystem of the whole realm, which will produce more contributions for Legion.

Helios himself is a pillar of fire. Within that pillar is a single large eye surrounded by many small, pupilless eyes. The single eye has 14 pupils, while the small eyes surrounding it have

none.

There's a large pupil at the center of the large eye, surrounded by six pupils, which are in turn surrounded by seven pupils. The seven pupils represent his dominion over lightning, light, darkness, earth, water, air, and fire. The six pupils represent his control over creation, destruction, space, time, life, and death.

The last pupil at the center represents his encroaching control over the Supreme Law of Order. It is Legion's hope to comprehend the Supreme Law of Order. Together with the other pupils, Helios can push, pull, and freeze the world. If he is careful enough, he can eat a star without dying from indigestion.

The small eyes around his single main eye reflect the properties and operations of the star. He is able to see the effects of his actions on the star in real time. This is important because he is literally shaving and shaking a bomb. Indigestion is the least of his problems because of his suicidal actions.

The original dragon heart that he gained from the dragon clone didn't have the last pupil at the center of his eye. He didn't have the many pupilless eyes surrounding his main eyes either.

Those pupil-less eyes are actually mirrors. Because of this, the pupil-less eyes can be considered to be made up of a pupil so large that it takes over the whole eye.

The presence of Soverick's eyes around the large main eye is linked to why Helios has a 14th pupil of order. The 14th was small at first, but it increased in size and power over time as Soverick's helped Helios comprehend more and more of the Supreme Law of Order.

As his comprehension increased, so did the size of the 14th pupil. Soon, it will cover the whole eye and assimilate the other 13 pupils. When that event

happens, Legion will have completed the comprehension of the law of order and will either gain control of it or fight with the void universe because of it. It is something they are planning for, just like their eventual showdown with the Supreme Law of Chaos.

Chapter 1567: Magnificence Of A Realm.

Those are events for the future. In the meantime, Helios is devouring a star. To be more accurate, he is eating it. He isn't so much using the law of devouring as forcefully taking solar mass from the star and taking it into his inner world.

The stellar mass is first swung around him in a loop that cools it down before ingesting it. Then it is passed on to Aeternus through Legion-7. So he is doing two jobs at the same time. The light he is producing is just a side effect of swimming in an ocean of plasma. It doesn't count as a third.

It is not a pretty picture. The star is doing its work diligently. It is going around the realm while providing light and heat, like it was created to do. Helios, on the other hand, is stalking this diligent star like a thief. He is keeping a close distance from it as he steals its solar mass. He is more of a parasite or a bully than a devourer.

Some people have tried to interrupt him, but they have all been burned by the heat of the star whenever they get close to it. Helios, on the other hand, is not harmed by his proximity to the star. In fact, the star can't harm him at all. This is because of his power over light and fire.

He is both a dragon of fire and light, and many other laws. That means he has immunity to fire and light.

And because he has the original dragon heart, he can improve this ability further with cosmic force. All it will cost him is cosmic force.

His manipulation is different from Legion-5's in that he can use cosmic force with his words. This power is the origin of the dragon tongue and dragon magic. It is so powerful that it can contend with Supreme Origin gods. That is, as long as he has cosmic energy.

Helios is doing his work above while the Tree Father is doing his below. The Tree Father is currently rushing towards the abyss. It is where the target of his mission is, and he wishes he could get there quickly, not only because he wants to start his mission as soon as possible, but also because he is being chased.

Unfortunately, the Tyrant Realm is very large. It will take a long time for him to reach the abyss. It will only take him a maximum of an hour, but even that is too long when someone wants to kill him. It is a pity that he can't teleport at all. So he has to cross the single largest landmass that he has ever seen.

What he saw along the way made him in awe of the realm. He said to himself, "A realm tree is very powerful. Fortunately, we have never offended Mother High Heaven, or we might not be here today to see this."

It is difficult to truly appreciate the size of a realm when it is divided into many small, isolated spaces. It is at times like this, when they can see a sprawling landmass that extends as far as the eye can see, that one gets to appreciate the immensity of a realm tree.

By his estimate, the surface of the Tyrant realm is likely 10 x 10^18 square meters. Or 10 x 10^12 square kilometers. That's 10,000,000,000,000 square kilometers, or 10 trillion square kilometers. It is a majestic sight to behold.

The power of a realm is something that is undisputed, but rarely is it ever displayed. Everyone agrees that the Will of the realm will beat any Origin god, even if they have a Supreme Law, if only for the fact that the Will of the realm is capable of suppressing every Origin god that enters their realm.

The suppression of Origin gods is like the suppression of a domain. One can imagine just how powerful the domain is, if it is large enough to cover the size of the realm. It is especially inspiring considering that Supreme Origin gods can't be suppressed by domains, but they will be suppressed by a realm.

Even so, the full power of the realm has rarely been showcased. One of the good things about the era of conquest is that it has allowed the realm tree to show its full power and enlighten the ignorant masses of the likely consequences of offending the Will of a realm. It has also shown Legion how lacking they are if they are to go against a realm tree on their own.

Billions of immortals have invaded the Tyrant Realm, but it is still a long way from falling. And this is despite the fact that the Will of the Realm is currently

indisposed. If the Will of the Realm was present and could wield its power, no Origin god could threaten it at all, regardless of their number.

Even now, in the absence of the Will of the realm, every Origin god is still suppressed. Currently, the clones can't use each other as spatial beacons to teleport out or into the realm because of the lockdown of the realm.

The clones can still sense each other and can initiate the teleportation. But the difficulty of teleporting across space has increased so much that the energy requirements and the time it will take have rendered it impossible for them.

So in a way, not only is the whole realm a domain suppressing them, but it is also a seal. It is a poor seal in that the Origin gods can leave it and they can die within it. But they won't have any memories of their actions in the Tyrant Realm if they die in it.

It is humbling to think that this is just a general realm-wide effect caused by the displeasure of the Will of the realm. If it were the targeted displeasure of the Will of the realm on them, then they wouldn't be able to resist at all. They would be frozen like helpless prey before the might of the whole realm.

A/N: Bonus chapter for the 500 golden tickets goal.

Chapter 1568: Froggy Intelligence.

A domain the size of 10 trillion square kilometers, capable of suppressing 1 million Origin gods, including Supreme Origin gods. Meanwhile, Legion-5 can barely freeze a single Supreme Origin god with his cosmic domain. He would even fail to do so if he didn't have the assistance of the world fragment.

It is a sobering thought that has made them understand the gap between a world god and an Origin god even further. It has also made them appreciate the realm lord's achievement of defeating a world god.

The realm lord was able to overcome this difference with the aid of a billion world fragments built with trillions of top grade artifacts and powered by a billion units of Authority. They don't have either of the two, so they are unlikely to be able to achieve such a feat.

However, they are not discouraged. Legion, as always, is still greedy. They still haven't given up on their plan to hunt a world god. It is their backup plan in case they fail to make enough contributions in the era of conquest.

They have to be prepared for failure, or they are just preparing to fail. The actions of the Supreme Alliance have especially made it important that they prepare for failure. However, their preparation for failure even preceded the exposure of their secrets, so it is not something rushed.

It is not wishful thinking on their side, either. They have two plans to achieve this goal. One plan is based on the Tree Father, Aeternus, and Helios and their sparks of power. The other plan is based on CARNAGE and Aeternus. They can use elements of either plan together based on the situation.

These are plans that they hope they will not need. After all, Legion has put a lot of effort into making enough contributions in the era of conquest, and it would be easier to earn contributions than to hunt a world god for their realm heart. But they are preparing for the

worst.

Having those plans hasn't made them complacent. They don't want to fail to make enough contributions. That's why the Tree Father is rushing towards the abyss and will be doing his best in the land of hope in the Tyrant Realm.

Of course, he is going to mask his true motives with something else. However, those are plans for when he reaches the land of hope. In the meantime, he has to escape from the Supreme Tyrants chasing after him.

He escaped through their blockade in the divine plane into the main realm. He was not the only one who managed it, so many others are being pursued just like him and have taken some heat for him. Even so, he is still being chased by three Tyrants.

These Tyrants have different shapes and sizes. But one thing they have in common is that they are pitch black. They are not ominous black like Aeternus. The blackness of their existence doesn't spread and infect the world around them. But they are still pretty strange-looking, as black is a rarely-seen color in nature.

His enemies are constantly attacking him from behind. Their attacks are powerful and accurate. It takes less than a second to hit him. Unfortunately for his enemies, they keep missing.

No one should be able to dodge an attack enforced by Supreme Power because it is the fastest attack and because, most times, they transcend the concept of speed. A single hit can also cripple the opponent because it has reached the limit of lethality.

However, the Tree Father is not dodging their attacks after they make them. He is dodging the attacks before they are made and then nullifying the power on them when they get close to him, so the attacks miss him.

It is just a little tweak on his side. He is not going all out to block the attacks. His influence on the attacks is to nudge them in the right direction, which is away from him. So these attacks are still powerful.

They bypass him and crack the continental plate of the realm before his eyes. The way they penetrated the earth and caused the area around the point of penetration to crack and sink shows him the fate he just avoided.

He said in admiration, "Supreme Laws are too powerful. I can accommodate and control power in all its forms, but they can create power in different forms. I want one too."

His pursuers are understandably upset. They called out to him, "Stop right there and face us."

"Aren't you an invader? Why are you running from a fight?"

The Tree Father didn't stop, but he entertained them. He said to them, "I will stop if you fight me one by one."

"We promise to fight you one by one."

The Tree Father asked to be sure, "You promise?"

They confirmed, "We promise."

But the Tree Father didn't stop. He ridiculed them, "Do you think I am a child? If you truly thought I would stop to fight, then you are the foolish ones. So much power but the brain of a frog."

They laughed sinisterly and continued to chased him. One of them taunted him in return, "You are the frog. You are in a pot full of boiling water. It is only a matter of time before you are cooked."

If he was being pursued by a single person, then he would stop and fight. He too has Supreme power, after all. But there are two other Supremes chasing after him, so it is a bad idea to stop.

It is rare for a Supreme to beat another Supreme. They can only wear each other down. The one that runs out of Origin essence first loses. But two or more Supremes will surely be able to defeat a single Supreme.

This is because a Supreme is not truly perfect. They don't have a weakness, but they are not at the limit of power in every aspect at the same time.

Chapter 1569: The Land Of Hope.

When a Supreme is using their power to reach the limit of the light side in one aspect, such as attack power, their defense and speed will be lacking in that moment.

It won't be a problem if the enemy is a single Supreme. That Supreme will be busy resolving their attack. But another enemy will be able to take advantage of their exposed weakness when they are busy with someone else.

The dynamics between Supreme Origin gods is still true even though his pursuers are not true Supreme Origin gods. They are just Sovereigns of law who have received the power of the Will of the realm in order to repel the invaders.

That is another thing that no one knew that the Will of the realm could do. Even normal children of the plane are rare. Not many know that a transcendent can be boosted to the power of an Origin god thanks to the enhancement of the Will of the plane. So knowledge about the children of the realm is rare.

But thanks to the era of conquest, it has become known that the Will of the realm can raise 100,000 of its children from the Sovereign level to the Supreme Origin god level. This means that Salvini might not be as helpless as the first sage is making her out to be.

It also means that it will be a losing fight for him to stay and fight these three Tyrants. He can surely turn things around and win if he uses his spark of power in conjunction with his world fragment, but that's a waste of time and will expose his strength.

If he can acquire that kind of victory, then his guests in the abyss will be wary of him. The land of hope might not welcome him with open arms or agree to his plan to build churches in the Tyrant Realm. So he endured the chase and continued to run towards the land of hope.

The land of hope is the last bastion of resistance against the Tyrant realm in the whole plane. It is the only place that Tyrants can't extend their greedy hands into and the only place where those who don't want to be under the control of the Tyrants can live in relative peace.

It is also the only place an invader of the realm can gain some respite from the pursuit of the Tyrants. The demons of any other realm might hate anyone who is not a demon, but the demons of the Tyrant realm are always welcoming to troublemakers of the realm.

The land of hope is on the first level of the abyss. The Tyrants have tried to take it several times, but they have failed to do so. The Tree Father is hoping the Tyrants will fail this time

too.

It is not that they have never succeeded in invading the land of hope. They have invaded it several times and succeeded in breaking through their defense, but they had to give up on the place because of the constant attacks from demons and the inability to use their divine ability in the first abyssal plane to strengthen themselves.

The Tyrants eventually gave up on the first abyssal plane. This created a location for people from the realm to escape to. Over time, it was fortified as several generations tried their best to secure it until it finally became the last bastion of resistance against the Tyrants.

The Tyrants were not originally called Tyrants. But they were so bad and tyrannical that they were called Tyrants. Even the whole realm was named after them, and a plane in the abyss became a land of hope for the realm.

The Tree Father smirked just thinking about it, "It is ironic that demons have become saviors. The world has truly turned upside down in the Tyrant Realm."

He can afford to be amused because he is about to reach his target. It is a place at the edge of the Tyrant Realm. There are towering walls that reach the divine plane in front of him.

The whole realm is a single landmass, and the abyss meets this landmass at a location at its edge. Everyone in the realm knows this. But it is difficult to find the land of hope because the first abyssal plane is always moving.

It circles around the edge of the realm. One would need to reach the end of the realm and wait for the land of hope to come around. But the Tree Father didn't do so. He ran here directly, as if he already knew where it would be at this point in time.

He didn't end up at the edge of the world at this exact location, where there is a wall at this time, by chance. To him, it is more like the wall was waiting for him to come. It is because he had already seen this event before he chose a direction to run to after he breached the divine plane.

The sight of the wall made him marvel again, "Maybe the existence of Tyrants is required for people to achieve great things. The resistance of all living things in order to survive can be so powerful sometimes."

The wall was so high that it reached into the void and stopped in the divine plane. So there was no way to go over it. Fortunately, the fortress and its guards opened their doors wide to him. It didn't happen by chance, either.

He shouted as he approached the wall, "Give me hope. Give me freedom."

The guards heard what he said and were moved. They opened the gate after they heard what he said and after seeing that he wasn't a Tyrant and that he was being chased by Tyrants. This was clear to them. After all, he is not black but he is being chased by three black people. For them, the color black is practically the color of villains.

A/N: There's no racism going on here. If anything, the Tyrant Race is the superior one here.

Now that I have set the record straight, I can say what made me decide on the skin color of the Tyrants. We already have white supremacists in GREED. I decided that it was about time we saw what black power looked like.

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The guards also moved to protect him from the Tyrants by calling on their strongest force to man the wall. The wall began to glow. It enhanced the power of the demon lords into demon kings and made demon kings capable of using the wall to resist demon gods or Supreme Origin gods.

The Tyrants saw this and gave up on the Tree Father. However, that's not the end of trouble for him. The fact that he was being chased by the Tyrants doesn't mean he is not a spy for the Tyrants.

Tyrants don't need spies for them to create problems for the land of hope. They can just waltz and cause trouble. However, spies can create a lot of problems for the land of hope, so they have to be cautious.

After all, they still need to smuggle food from the Tyrant Realm. This is because the land of hope is not generally conducive to life.

The land of hope is corrosive, and the air is thick with sin energy and ashes. The sin energy is good for demons, but it is bad for other races. Plants can't grow in the land of hope, and animals have shortened lifespans, stunted growth, failing fertility, miscarriages, and all manner of ailments for staying there over a long period of time.

So they need food grown in the Tyrant Realm. Some food is stolen, but most of it is traded and brought to the abyss through abyssal altars. That means there are people in the Tyrant realm who trade with them.

Some of those trading partners are even Tyrants. It is not something the Tyrants are proud of. It would be a shame for their identities and the identities of the other trading partners of the land of hope to become exposed. Hence, a spy is not welcomed.

The way to test if someone is a spy is to bring them before a demon of lies. There is a particular demon god who has taken it upon itself to take charge of

the subterfuge and counter-subterfuge departments of the land of hope. This demon god is LIES. Every newcomer is questioned in its presence.

LIES is not doing its job because of kindness. Demons as a whole are gaining a lot by allowing the land of hope to exist in the abyss. To them, the living beings that live on the first abyssal plane are animals that they are rearing. They don't harvest until their livestock are about to die, but it is still a lucrative way to gain flesh and souls.

That's why demons go out of their way to find channels for food and fertility drugs for the inhabitants of the land of hope. They even built habitats that banish sin energy for the inhabitants of the land of hope.

Of course, they call them pens for livestock, but that doesn't change the fact that it has improved the standard of living in the land of hope for the inhabitants.

With the habitats, the inhabitants don't get frequently sick anymore, and their reproduction rate has gone up, so one has to admit that the demons have a good business model going on here. It is the demon god of lies' job to make sure spies don't ruin it.

The demon god of lies also gets to utilize its sin and spread it by running the department, so it is a win-win for everyone. It had a mountain on which it kept a clone for emergency interrogations such as this. So the Tree Father was quickly brought up the mountain to meet

## LIES.

Things have been running well in the land of hope for quite a while now. Unfortunately, the Tree Father's presence threw a cog in this well-run and well-oiled machine. This is because LIES couldn't do the one thing it is good at. It couldn't tell if he was lying or not.

The Tree Father was brought up the mountain, escorted by demon kings who felt uneasy throughout the process. But the Tree Father was carefree.

The top of the mountain provided a view of the entire land of hope. The top of the mountain is also where LIES stays. If he is unable to gain the certification of the demon god, then this view will be the last thing he sees. He should be worried about this, but he wasn't. It was LIES that felt uneasy.

The demon god of lies is a cloud of energy. LIES is also a stone. It is also a pond. It is also an animal. It is also a plant. It is several things at once, and over time, it is whatever LIES wants to be. But it is currently baffled and exasperated.

Now, LIES should be able to tell if someone is lying or not. All it needs to do is be present when someone speaks. Its Supreme Law will react excitedly to lies as soon as they are uttered. It will also react to truths, as they will disgust it.

Unfortunately, it couldn't react to the Tree Father's words at all. Every single one of its attempts led to a clash with the Tree Father's existence, which is a fight of sorts. But it was evenly matched with the Tree father, so it couldn't affect him.

If it can't affect the Tree Father, then it can't authenticate him. But LIES has more things to be confused about. It can't tell how the Tree Father resisted its power at all.

LIES asked calmly, "What kind of creature are you? You're not a living thing. Certainly not any living thing that I have ever seen. And you are not a demon, either. I would know, seeing as I am one."

This is the first time someone or something has resisted it. But it finds the Tree Father to be strange because the Tree Father doesn't have a Supreme Law at all.

LIES, and most of the void universe, accepted that Supreme Power could be acquired with only a Supreme Law, be it the false Supreme Law of Order or Chaos. Yet, here is someone with neither.