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Chapter 1281 - The Ordeal Of Achieving The Cosmic Realm! I

Noah's gaze was serene as it shone with an utter incandescent light while gazing towards Halcyon, this golden haired existence actually being the daughter of the very same Champion of Reality that she was trying to kill!

A mother that cared not for her, and a father who she saw turn into the Enemy of Reality itself.

Noah gazed at the golden haired woman as he saw immense sadness and inexplicable emotion in her eyes, not helping as he felt a tinge of sympathy for this being.

Nobody should ever have to plan to kill their father. Nobody should ever have a mother that never showed them the love that couldn't be replicated by anyone else!

Yet Halcyon faced both of these situations with utter strength as even amidst the sadness, her eyes held a hint of firmness and strength that seemed endless.

"But in all this happiness, the Primordial descended down." Springforge's story continued as it showed the descent of the pristine veiled Primordial, the illusory image of this being saying out the words that she heard that day.

"Aegon...you have a unique soul capable of accepting an inheritance that can grant you unimaginable strength. Strength that is vast enough for you to even be able to protect your Reality!"

Those were the words the Primordial had spoken!

"After that, the whole dynamic changed." Springforge spoke out why keeping her gaze locked with the illusory figure of the Primordial, waving her hands as all the figures faded away.

"Aegon was taken away from us for a few days, and he returned as someone different from the man we once knew as he seemed to bear an unshakable weight on his shoulders. But on top of that...he also now held tremendous power as the only thing I know of it is the name he mentioned to us very early on-The Invincible System."

RUMBLE!

Noah's eyes exploded with immense light as he heard one of the things he wanted to know most about!

The source of strength for this being- what the Primordial had handed down and exactly what it granted Aegon!

Springforge saw the eyes of Noah that shone like lanterns as she continued.

"And invincible he was. He was able to set off into the Ruination a day after as he traversed and Rose to greater strength quickly, coming back and taking the rest of us from our home Cosmos as we began to explore other Cosmos- it was a grand adventure as this time, Aegon was leading the way. Nothing could stop him, and he rose through the Realms of power at such ridiculous speeds that we could only stare in disbelief."

"Daos...he quickly comprehended! Cosmic Treasures, he quickly found. All along this time, Stormdust gradually faded from his leading position as Aegon steered our destiny, the passage of time gradually showing rifts occurring between Havenbreaker and Stormdust as just a few hundred thousand years since he became the Champion...the pair that moved together became Aegon and Elera. The Champion and Havenbreaker!"

WAA!

Havenbreaker had actually left behind Tritus for a man with immensely more power, and whether this was out of genuine emotion or something else...who knew!

"Millions of years passed as we traversed the Ruination Seas and experienced a vast number of Cosmos, Aegon continuing to rise in strength as he even began to hunt down Primordial Beasts- this being the time that his strength rose the fastest as it was soon after that he began to establish the Primordial Empire."

The Bastion of Reality.

It was born from the Blood and Bones of defeated Primordial Beasts as they granted Aegon enough strength to collect all the Cosmos he wished as he amassed a tremendous amount of power!

"It was during this time that he also gave us each one third of the expanding Empire to oversee, setting up rules along the way as when the issue came with each of us individually wishing for more power- the Writs of Challenges were introduced."

"Me, Tritus, and Elera...we all sought the same level of power Aegon had as we gradually began to drift from each other while fighting over the influence of Cosmos, seeing Aegon's strength almost within reach even if he held countless more Universes within his Origin. But then he blew all of us out of the water when a few hundred thousand years ago...he achieved the Cosmic Realm."

WAA!

The Cosmic Realm!

The other piece of the puzzle that Noah came here to find out about! His gaze was serene as he floated closer to the figures of Springforge and Halcyon while he spoke out.

"How exactly did he achieve the Cosmic Realm? How many Splendiferous Universes did he build?" The question that lay at the core of the coming battles rang out sonorously!

A verdant light shone from the eyes of Springforge as she replied.

"Nothing too complex. As simple in numbers of galaxies for one to birth their first Universe. Just forge 100 Billion Splendiferous Universes within your Origin, and the Cosmic Realm is within your reach."

RUMBLE!

A ridiculous number popped up as Noah inadvertently sighed, the sheer work and impossibility of achieving such a task through normal means being mere fantasy!

"Just 100 Billion Splendiferous Universes..."

One must know, his rampage in the Primordial Sea along with the shocking Cosmic Dao of Loot had only granted him a few million Splendiferous Universes, and he was someone unique as beings didn't normally have 1000% Increased Loot Quantity and 100% Increased Loot Rarity!

His slight frustration was seen in the eyes of Springforge as she smiled and continued.

"The rest of us still only have a few million Splendiferous Universes after all these years, and we saw him leave all of us in the dust as the secret to it all lies in whatever power he gained as a Champion. Whatever that Invincible System of his grants him...and whatever that Primordial gave him."

The eyes of Springforge were filled with wanting as she was also an expert that wanted to reach such a stage! But when one looked at what was required to do so...the task was simply insurmountable as it was a grand question to how two beings had achieved such a stage within this Reality.

"So, this is the enemy you have. How exactly will you deal with him?"

With sharp eyes, Springforge posed a question that caused Noah's eyes to light up as within them- one could see immense confidence even with the arduous task before him!

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How exactly did Noah plan to deal with a monster that had the backing of a Primordial and something as ridiculous as the Invincible System?

It was a question that Springforge posed, but it was one that Noah had asked himself in the past day many times!

Of course, he had gotten many different answers as he had even seen a pathway where in the future, he lay atop the fractured body of Aegon- so he knew the possibilities were endless! There were futures where he lost, and futures where he became a slave of the Primordial, and then there were other grand futures that Noah had only now begun to see as he amassed more information.

He continued to utilize <Destiny Negation> after he obtained all the information he was getting from <Reader's Foresight>, and many more paths unfolded as even though Noah's confidence only grew from it, he was also shown futures where he lost as he knew to be careful!

And when he collated all of this information and looked for a way forward with <Path to Victory>...Noah was shown many possibilities. All of the futures he saw were possibilities and not entrenched in certainty!

But he was confident as he looked towards Halcyon and Springforge and replied calmly.

"I'll need a few weeks or months at most and I should be at the Cosmic Realm. After all, it is only 100 billion Splendiferous Universes."

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Springforge raised her eyebrows as she looked at him inquisitively, her voice echoing out sharply.

"A non-answer. What exactly can you do? You do not have the Invincible System that allowed Aegon to achieve the Cosmic Realm with ease. You have an Edict, and he has multiple.... there are so many ways I can mention where I just don't see how you can climb over such an insurmountable wall."

Springforge didn't have the absolute belief that Halcyon had from the memories she saw of the future as she continued to question Noah for exactly what he had! Towards this woman, Noah's body that was brimming with golden with the essence of Kismet this entire time began to be tinged green.

"Who said I only have a single Edict?"

RUMBLE!

Springforge found herself pulling back in shock as she then pointed her hands towards Noah with her words stuck in her throat!

"That! That...!"

The essence of Amelioration- the Edict that Springforge herself had designed...it could shockingly be seen wrapping around Noah's body as he gave off an indubitable life force.

The sight caused Springforge to not be able to talk as Halcyon looked towards the scene with her heart easing, finding that even amongst all the events occurring and the possibilities of the future- the being before her truly could find a way forward.

"Even if I don't tell you the specifics of what I will do. Believe me when I say I will do what is required." Noah spoke simply as he floated towards the shocked figure of Springforge while his body still brimmed with Amelioration.

"Now, Stormdust and Havenbreaker are Tritus and Elera. You are..." Her eyes shone with dazzling light as the scene of him using her own Edict out of nowhere entirely overwhelmed Springforge, her lips moving before she realized as she voiced out absentmindedly.

"Estella. Estella Holmes." Her absentminded voice showed her shock as Noah's right hand lifted her chin to align her verdant eyes with his.

"I look forward to working with you, Estella." The scene of one of the Family Heads that owned one third of the Cosmos within the Primordial Empire having her head raised by a man played out before Halcyon.

The golden haired Foremother looked at this scene with raised eyes as one could see an emotion akin to dissatisfaction as a stifling feeling settled in her heart!

It was only after a second did Estella come to, her eyes flashing sharply with green light as she definitely looked into Noah's eyes while her body began to brim with power!

"Let me know when you achieve the Cosmic Realm then. Until then, I looked forward to seeing how you handle Stormdust."

The aura of Amelioration vibrated on her body as she still couldn't accept seeing another person freely use it, the two of them staring at each other as neither side backed down, but of course...who could compete with droves of endless mana?

Pure mana was interchanged to become the essence of Amelioration as it released from Noah's body in waves, the Architect of this very edict actually finding herself losing in terms of pure essence of Amelioration as she continued to be filled with disbelief!

Noah saw the pride of this being hurt as she didn't want to back down, laughing as he stopped the waves of Amelioration releasing from him and stepped back, turning his head towards the golden haired woman who genuinely held a light of jealousy while staring at them!

"Halcyon, tell me about all the things you've seen. The more detail the better."

Noah controlled the pace of the whole talk as he made himself at home in this verdant realm, waving his hands as a huge portion of a torn wing of a Primordial Beast appeared, a fireball silently being cast with the essence of Kismet as it bloomed below the huge wing that spanned over a mile.

"Meanwhile, I'll grill? us some good food..." The essence of pristine Nomological Edicts were used to cast unique skills, Noah activating [Five Star Chef] as he began to cook something wondrous!

Springforge looked at such an abrupt change with an annoyed expression as she couldn't help but think exasperatedly. 'Who the hell thinks of grilling food right now? How can he use Amelioration?!'

She was exasperated, but little did she know the food being prepared by Noah's Five Star Chef was enough to even cause those in the Cosmic Realm to shed tears due to how good it was!

Of course, this was on top of the 100,000% boost to All Parameters, Realm Progression, and many other temporary boosts for all who consume any foods Noah made under the effects of [Five Star Chef]!

As his Primordial Ruination Clone collected information while dining with two powerful women, his main bodies were carrying out the even more important tasks as towards the question from Sprinforge of how he would exactly catch up towards Aegon...Noah was carrying out one such action right at this moment.

It was an action made possible after he had fused multiple new Cosmos that his clones reached in the past day into the Infinite Cosmos. It was something he could do with an overabundance of the Light of Conquest!

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Over the past day, Noah had his clones stretch out to locate more Cosmos as after they were found and the conversation with the Core consciousnesses overseeing these Cosmos occurred, the dozens of Universes of these Cosmos were fused into Noah's Infinite Cosmos as he then spread his essence of Fealty over them!

Currently, over 23 new Cosmos had undergone the process of fusion into the Infinite Cosmos, this shocking number increasing the population of Noah's Cosmos countless times over as with them falling under his banner, the Light of Conquest he gained spread out brilliantly across his millions of Splendiferous Universes.

The newly added Cosmos ranged in their own uniqueness as Noah found most of them to have Hegemonies at the very peak of power, the ordeal of breaking into Antiquity that was easy for some also being an insurmountable wall for others. He obtained only three Cosmos that uniquely had a single Antiquity that ruled the entirety of their Cosmos, these existences being accomplished beings that had achieved such a task against all odds as there were no factions to divide their power!

Yet now, they all fell under Noah's banner- no matter how grand their achievements were. The Infinite Cosmos now held over one thousand genuine Universes within it as the Cosmic Core was dramatically elevated in size and power, but no new changes had occurred with this as when Noah looked into this with the Nomological Edict of Kismet, he was given the number of 100.

On the 100th fused Cosmos, there lay a possibility for Noah to experience a chance in the features and capability of the Infinite Cosmos!

At this moment though, these recent actions had granted him an overwhelming amount of Light of Conquest as he could finally enhance the latest Cosmic Dao he had designed that boasted ridiculous capabilities!

In the Ruination Realm, his Universal body was engrossed in reading the golden book that was transcribing a hidden meeting between Stormdust and the Cosmic Primordial Beast. One of his main human bodies was watching the soon to be completed mixture of daos and laws for another Minor Nomological Edict as a Grand Primordial Heart was being devoured of all of its essence, and then there was the third human body that was adorned in the verdant effects of [The Ameliorator]...it was this body that was taking the job of the next task as he voiced out grandly.

"Let the Light of Conquest flow into the Cosmic Dao of Loot."

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Ah!

A brilliant white light shone within Noah's origin as it drilled into the golden river that represented the Cosmic Dao of Loot, this grand show of lights continuing for a few seconds before Noah's body released a wave of powerful white gold light!

His stellar eyes being washed over by the mesmerizing essence of the Ameliorator glanced at the status Panel as he observed the new and improved authority of the Assimilator of the Cosmic Dao of Loot.

Before this, he always had the +1,000% Increased Loot Quantity and +100% Increased Loot Rarity, but after the enhancement with the light of conquest...

{Authority of the Assimilator of the Cosmic Dao of Loot}<EMPOWERED>: An authority that only appears around those who have fully comprehended and assimilated the Cosmic Dao of Loot. It has been empowered by the Cosmic Essence of Conquest as its Rank is further elevated. It grants +150,000% to All Parameters, and the unique modifiers of? +2,000% Increased Loot Quantity and +200% Increased Loot Rarity are also obtained. Adversely, the essence of this Dao and its effects can only be activated by the essence of 10,000 Splendiferous Universes per second. Due to the Empowerment, all loot will now have their rarity ranked based on colors of white, blue, purple, and gold.

A stellar description of Noah increasing the amount of loot he could get from a factor of 10 to 20 appeared right away as wondrously...if he killed a single Lesser Primordial Beast, he would get 20 Resplendent Lesser Primordial Hearts! This also wasn't to mention whether the effect of 200% Increased

Loot Rarity would still give out loot with the affix of? <Resplendent>, or if he could finally elevate the rarity of the treasure from one rank and into the next!

But...he didn't have to wonder too much about this because he wasn't done.

He had been shown with <Path to Victory>...and this was one of the methods that would allow him to do the impossible- the method to allow him to catch up to a Champion that had simply been given too much! His eyes flashed with intense excitement for what was to come as he voiced out grandly.

"Deconstruct and reconstruct the Cosmic Dao of Loot."

RUMBLE!

Yes!

The turning of the Cosmic Dao of Loot into a Runic Dao Line that granted a 100 fold boost to the current boosts of the selected Dao!

This definition of "current boosts of the selected Dao" was extremely important as it was different from the definition of the? Runic Dao Line Enhancers that elevated the "base boosts" given by a Runic Dao Line.

The base boosts included things like [+150,000% to All Parameters] or [+100,000% Increased Annihilation Damage], but it didn't apply to extra effects like [50 Random Debuff Effects to enemies] that stemmed from the same Annihilation.

When the Dao of Annihilation was turned into a Runic Dao Line, all effects, whether base or extra effects- were multiplied by 100 times as Noah gained 10,000,000% to Increased Annihilation Damage and 5,000 Random Debuff Effects to enemies. But when he utilized Resplendent Runic Dao Lines, only the base effect of 10 million percent was enhanced as the extra effect of 5,000 Random Debuffs was left unchanged!

From the Cosmic Dao of Loot, [+150,000% to All Parameters] was the base effect that would be elevated by Resplendent Runic Dao Line Enhancers, but the extra modifiers of the enhanced [+2,000% Increased Loot Quantity and +200% Increased Loot Rarity] would not be affected.

Resplendent Runic Dao Lines would not affect these ridiculous modifiers...but the initial step of turning the Dao into a Dao Line held a certain 100 fold increase to all boosts of the Dao- base boosts and even extra boosts.

This was Noah's aim!

A 100 fold increase to +2,000% Increased Loot Quantity and +200% Increased Loot Rarity!

Even if they couldn't be enhanced with Resplendent Enhancers after that, so what?! A 100 fold increase of 2,000% was 200,000%. Of 200% was 20,000%.

"..."

Even Noah was breathless as he watched the deconstruction of the Cosmic Dao of Loot, knowing that even the possibility of such a thing was utterly balance breaking as nobody should even be capable of obtaining such a thing.

And he was correct.

He already knew what was coming as he had seen it- where for the first time ever...he actually wouldn't succeed in branding a Runic Dao Line onto his body.

He would actually fail in branding the Runic Dao Line of Loot as the effects such a thing would provide were simply not possible!

Yet...he still did it regardless as what awaited on the other side...was something just as glorious!

Chapter 1284 - An Unachievable Effect! II

For the first time ever, he wouldn't succeed in reconstructing and branding a Dao Line onto himself! There was a singular reason for this- and it was the effects that such an action would achieve.

They were just too far above what a Cosmic Dao could grant!

The +2,000% Increased Loot Quantity and +200% Increased Loot Rarity were reality bending effects that changed the quantity and quality of items already set by reality to change, and it was an effect barely actualized as the price was now the burning of 10,000 Splendiferous Universes per second.

To try and go above such effects was an impossibility as Noah was restricted at the level of a Cosmic Dao...as a mere Cosmic Dao could not provide one with such drastic reality bending effects like the ones Noah was currently looking for!

THRUM!

Noah's eyes followed the reconstruction of the Cosmic Dao of Loot as it turned into a glimmering multicolored line, this line shining gold as it went towards his back to etch themselves onto his body.

But...

BZZZT!

A terrifying backlash erupted as for the first time, the Runic Dao Line was not able to latch on to his skin! It floated behind him and tried to latch onto other parts of his body, but none of these tries were successful as a multicolored line now simply rotated around Noah with no direction!

And as expected....

<Error.>

The voice of the Cosmic Core that was in charge of showing Noah the simple quantification of his strength and abilities rang out in his mind as he saw the inscription of the Cosmic Dao of Loot failing.

<An unachievable reality bending effect is contained in the current transformation of a Cosmic Dao into a Runic Dao Line. The level of Dao is too low to achieve such an effect as it cannot be properly inscribed.>

The mechanical voice of the Cosmic Core rang out in his mind as Noah's eyes were filled with calm as he continued to listen.

<The only expected probability to achieve the intended reality bending effect may lie in an Edict above Greater or in the Systems instilled by Primordials.>

Yes.

What Noah was trying to achieve with the effects of the inscription of this Dao were too grand that even a Minor or Greater Nomological Edict would not be enough to provide it! For this, he had to delve into Edicts above that or even Systems that Champions held!

He had an inkling that Aegon or other Champions like Eckert had such balance breaking and reality bending effects similar to Increased Loot Quantity and Rarity, among even more capabilities that he knew nothing about. He didn't know too much about the path of Eckert, but what could explain how Aegon had been able to forge 100 Billion Splendiferous Universes while even his peers were still in the millions?

His eyes flashed sharply as he voiced out.

"Modify it to the highest possible extent that will be accepted."

Even if he couldn't have the unique strengths and Systems of Champions, he had himself!

His words were heard as the glimmering multicolored line began to vibrate, losing some of its luster white still trying to sink into his body over and over again.

<Modifying and recalculating to what extent the reality bending effects of Increased Loot Quantity and Increased Loot Rarity can be utilized.>

A beautiful show of light unfolded as the multicolored Runic Dao Line pulsed with gold as its intensity changed over and over again, the blazing light it originally released reducing to a great extent before it finally sunk into Noah's body!

<Reduction and modification successful. Proceeding with the Dao Line Inscription. Congratulations, Master.>

WAA!

The Runic Dao Line of Loot seemed impatient as it dug into Noah's Universal body, not even going to the open portions of his skin as it sank past his muscles and bones built from millions of universes themselves and went towards his heart!

THUMP!

On his thumping heart that released waves of universal light, this now fully golden light of loot wrapped around his heart as it branded itself in a unique fashion, occupying one third of the surface of his heart as it now seemed covered with golden rings.

A flash of golden light shone from his glorious heart as it even shot outwards to brighten up the crimson Ruination Realm, Noah's luminous eyes turning to his Status Panel right away as he saw what the maximum modified and reduced effects of what this Cosmic Runic Dao Line could produce!

<Runic Dao Line of Loot> (EMPOWERED) :: Grants +15,000,000% to All Parameters, and the modifiers of? +50,000% Increased Loot Quantity and +5,000% Increased Loot Rarity. Adversely, the essence of this Dao and its effects can only be activated by the burning essence of 1,000,000 Splendiferous Universes per second. Due to the Empowerment, all loot will now have their rarity ranked based on colors of white, blue, purple, and gold.

"...beautiful."

Noah uttered with a pristine smile. It wasn't the 200,000% that should have come, but even one fourth of this number was utterly ridiculous as Noah felt like he was touching upon a grain of sand of what Champions enjoyed with their Systems!

50,000%? Increased Loot Quantity and +5,000% Increased Loot Rarity! Just from the Loot Quantity alone, a single Lesser Primordial Beast would grant him 500 Lesser Primordial Hearts. Then...one had to take into account the factor of +5,000% Increased Loot Rarity.

"You better be capable of turning a Lesser Primordial Heart into 500 Grand ones at least or there'll be a riot..."

Noah voiced out threateningly while looking at this glorious modifier of Loot Rarity. With it, he expected to obtain at least 500 Grand Primordial Hearts from a mere Lesser Primordial Beast, and as for what he would obtain when he killed a Grand Primordial Beast?

"Ah..." It was a bright future Noah could only look forward to!

Chapter 1285 - An Unachievable Effect! III

At this time point, Noah had obtained 50,000% Increased Loot Quantity and 5,000% Increased Loot Rarity, with its cost being a ridiculous 1 million Splendifirous Universes every second.

This was one third of nearly all the Splendifirous Universes he currently had, but he could take down multiple Primordial Beasts within a second as just a single dead one should be able to give him back 1 million Splendifirous Universes with the newly upgraded modifiers!

And if he wished to further increase these ridiculous modifiers...then he had to turn to Edicts and even the things he knew nothing about yet- the Systems of Champions given by Primordials!

"All the pieces will fall together later..." His voice echoes out across the Ruination Realm as he gazed towards the body overseeing the completion of another Edict.

The mixtures of laws and Daos that were converging and dispersing constantly still weren't fused enough to allow Noah to obtain a glimpse and utilize the Cosmic Dao of Fusion to bring them together, this Edict that was leaning more towards the Defensive side needed another few hours before it was completed!

With the achievement of 50,000% Increased Loot Quantity and 5,000% Increased Loot Rarity, Noah had accomplished a major milestone as he already knew where he would go to test out the results of these ridiculous modifiers.

"There happen to be quite a few clusters of Pandemonium hidden within the vicinity of the Primordial Empire..." He smiled deeply as he wondered on the specifics of just what Hyperion was planning, this existence having the power to go head to head or even possibly kill Aegon as it instead targeted the terrifying veiled Primordial above him!

'I'll enjoy the Primordial Beasts you've hidden around until then...'

His thoughts were vibrant as his Universal Body turned his eyes towards the words on the golden pages called forth by <Reader's Foresight> that showed a meeting between Stormdust and Hyperion.

<....In the calm Primordial Seas filled to the brim with Primordial Beasts, a single human floated before the titanous figure of the Draconic-Elephant Hyperion as the majestic voice of this existence rumbled forth.

"Do you truly understand the consequences of accepting my proposal?"

The question contained a hint of amusement from Hyperion as his third eye was closed, his two vast eyes the size of universes locking onto Stormdust's figure that was staring into them fearlessly.

"I cannot beat the power of whatever Aegon was granted by the Primordial, so I can only turn to you. I know that I might lose myself or not even truly be me...but what choice do I have?" The voice of Stormdust was filled with utter calm even though it seemed to be that of someone that had lost all hope!

"He knows it is me and the Daolords within my House that are the Tainted Ones. He knows I have a connection with the Primordial Beasts and yet he doesn't do anything to me. You can say it's due to our friendship...or it is that he truly believes even with all this, it is still beneath his vast power as he can handle it whenever he wishes. That is how confident he is of his power! So I ask you...do I even have a choice but to accept your proposal?!"

WAA!

Waves of primordial essence undulated from him as his crimson eyes glared at Hyperion, this Cosmic Beast releasing a devilish smile as he voiced out.

"I suppose not. The moment you planted my essence inside little Havenbreaker and gave me the heart of the Champion...everything was sealed. But I am a fair being. If you are ready, in exchange for all of that...you will have power."

The heart of the Champion! This phrase wasn't literal as it actually meant the one being that Aegon cared for the most...his closest friend had actually moved in the dark to tie her into the hands of a Cosmic Beast!

RUMBLE!

The Primordial Sea began to twist and churn as the third eye the size of a Universe opened on the forehead of Hyperion, this eye actually vibrating as a crack formed in the center, and from it leaked pristine golden blood that pulsed with shocking power!

Stormdust looked at this golden blood with a gaze of avarice as it shot towards him, as if it was the most prized possession in the whole world! It reached him instantly as it surrounded him like a vast golden sea, his body trembling as he allowed this golden blood to begin entering his body.

A burst of colors short forth as his Origin screamed in joy, hundreds of thousands of Splendiferous Universes shockingly beginning to bloom within the body of Stormdust at this very moment.

Hundreds of thousands!

Not galaxies- but the Splendiferous Universes that were so hard to forge as even after millions of years, Springforge, Havenbreaker, and even Stormdust had only achieved a few million Splendifirous Universes. But now, Stormdust alone was about to surpass his peers as he performed a ritual with shocking consequences.

Hyperion looked at the scene with impassive eyes, gazing at Stormdust in a way that one would gaze at a mere ant or bug before his eyes.

"Drink my Origin Blood. The more of it you take, the more of you I can control..."

He voiced out calmly and loudly as Stormdust couldn't even catch his words currently, his Origin gleefully taking in the Primordial Origin Blood of a special existence that was undoubtedly one of the strongest within this Reality!...>

"Primordial Origin Blood..." Noah repeated these words to himself as he turned his eyes towards his reserves of Golden Destiny and fortune that were increasing just a little bit faster since Hyperion came into the picture, many thoughts crossing his mind as he continued to read on!

At the same time, his Primordial Ruination clone was in the verdant realm with two gorgeous and powerful women, his eyes intently looking at Halcyon who was talking with a serious expression while keeping her eyes on the constantly spinning Primordial Beast Wing that had begun to release a shocking aroma.

"There are many things I see that do not make sense, but the one scene that gives me nightmares is the shadow of a huge entity. This shadow appears behind Aegon constantly, but I can never glean anything from it apart from three huge eyes that seem to be gazing at everything with utter scorn. They could be the reason for the change that turns Aegon mad...so mad that he turns to end everything."

Noah listened to her words with sharp eyes as he instantly thought of Hyperion, wishing that the things this woman saw were more detailed and less cryptic than what they were! Her ability seemed similar to <Reader's Foresight>, but it could see much further ahead than it as Noah knew this woman's destiny and fortune had to be larger than most!

His eyes were contemplative as he spoke inquisitively.

"You said before you have even seen yourself utilize an Edict as you have a glimpse of it now, right?"

"Yes," Halcyon replied with a depreciating look. "I was able to help Aunty Springforge finish hers, but I still cannot complete mine. I do not know what event will pass that will allow me to do so!"

She spoke calmly even though it was something she wanted the most, but she was patient since she knew it would come in time! Yet she found her eyes opening wide as after she finished her words, she watched Noah wave his hands and cause for the appearance of a pristine multicolored Primordial Heart that was unlike even the Grand Primordial Heart she currently held.

"This..." She and Springforge looked at this in surprise as Noah voiced out nonchalantly.

"This is a type of Primordial Heart that can allow you to comprehend any Cosmic Dao that you come across the essence of. I will show you the essence of a Cosmic Dao that will help you complete your Edict with ease, and then we can see just how much more of the future you can discern."

...!

Noah spoke calmly as he gave out a single Resplendent Lesser Primordial Heart out of the hundreds he had remaining, intent on completing another one of his goals here today- teaching Halcyon the Cosmic Dao of Fusion as he then watched this woman complete an Edict right before his eyes!

Whatever laws and daos she fused before him...he would watch and replicate himself for yet another Edict!

Samsara, Cessation, Kismet, Amelioration.....all of these were just the first set of Edicts he would have. There were many more to come as when he faced the Stormdust currently being powered up to even greater degrees by the Cosmic Primordial Beast, he planned to thrash this being no matter the damn level he achieved!

Chapter 1286 - A Defensive Edict!

Shock.

That was the only thing in Halcyon's heart as she learned the wondrous Cosmic Dao of Fusion while utilizing the essence of a pristine Primordial Heart, Noah then nudging her on as she called forth the essences of laws and daos that made her a Foremother- the rough combination of essence that put her on the stage of <A Glimpse of Edicts>!

"Madness...pure madness! Just what are you?!" Springforge was in disbelief as she looked towards Noah who actually didn't pay her any heed, his eyes remaining on the curvaceous figure of Halcyon as he voiced out.

"Go ahead. Fuse them."

With these words, Halcyon collected the rough mixtures of essence around her while causing the Cosmic Dao of Fusion to erupt around her- her eyes seeing the formation of an Edict she had thought would come much later!

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While Halcyon tried to complete her first Edict, Noah went forward to complete his third after Cessation and Kismet as the next one was a defensive based Edict!

BZZT!

Essence of a myriad of laws and daos merged together chaotically as after fully eating up another 20 Resplendent Grand Primordial Hearts, Noah had achieved <A Glimpse of Edicts> on yet another Edict as this one contained the Daos of Conquest, Chronos, Vastness, Fortification, Vitality, and the laws of Life, Earth, and Water.

It was an Edict that would be in the upper tier of MINOR Edicts and almost reaching GREATER Edicts due to how many daos it held within it, and it was why it took so long to complete it!

"Fuse together!" Noah bellowed out domineeringly as his essence of Fusion roiled out madly, wrapping around the cluster of dao and law essences as his Origin also began to burn 1000 Splendiferous Universes!

A wondrous assortment of colors came together to form a glorious purple-blue line that shot into and bound into Noah's Origin tightly, the name of this Edict appearing with his mind.

"Bulwark..."

The Nomological Edict of Bulwark!

<Nomological Edict of Bulwark> :: A Nomological Edict is a form of undeniable truth and authority that is birthed from the combination of laws and Daos. It cannot be circumvented or stopped by anything, with the only possibility of deniability lying with another Edict. The Nomological Edict of Bulwark is born from the combination of the Daos of Conquest, Chronos, Vastness, Fortification, Vitality, and the laws of Life, Earth, and Water. As the Edict Architect, Noah Osmont gains the Authority of Bulwark that grants him unique rights. With the essence of Bulwark, the user can be protected to a great degree against many forms of damage as they are granted a permanent 50% chance to Block All Forms of Damage. The Authority of Bulward grants one the ability to cast True Auras of Defense that include <Shield of the Bulwark>, <Aura Master>, <Warder>, and <Ephemeral Fortress>. Along with this, any Nomological Edict grants its user a smoother pathway towards ●●●●●●, granting them an increase in the speed of their Realm Progression by +100,000%, an increase of +1,000,000% to All Parameters, and increases the chances of Fusions of other Laws and Daos by 1% for the production of other Nomological Edicts.
Current fusion of the laws and Daos for the Nomological Edict of Bulwark: 1%

A beautiful defensive Edict and its abilities lay before Noah's eyes, his gaze going towards the four abilities he now gained access to as the Architect of this Edict!

<Shield of the Bulwark> :: When facing a tremendously strong attack, the user can call upon a primal shield that has even withstood the test of time to defend them. The Shield of the Bulwark grants +50,000,000% Increased True Defense, can block 50% of All Incoming True Damage, and has a Thorn effect that returns 100,000,000% of all received Damage.

<Aura Master> :: A collection of incandescent auras can be called upon to surround the user. The [Aura of Vigor], [Aura of Defense],? [Aura of Mana], [Aura of Grace], [Aura of Might], [Aura of Serenity], [Aura of Discipline], and [Aura of Determination] as they gain 100,000,000% Mana and Health Regeneration, +25,000,000% True Defense, +25,000,000 Area of Effect to All Abilities, +25,000,000% Increased Health Value, and 1,000,000 Condensed Barriers of Defense among other boosts...

<Warder> :: The user becomes a Ward as he surrounds a maximum of 1000 beings with an Aura that absorbs all Damage dealt to them towards him. All incoming damage is accumulated in the Aura of the Warder as it can be released with +25,000,000% Increased True Annihilatory Damage towards one's enemies.

<Ephemeral Fortress> :: The ability to move is nullified as in exchange, one becomes a stationary fortress capable of blocking even the essence of Greater Edicts to a degree. While in the state of Ephemeral Fortress, 90% of incoming damage is reduced as the damage from any Dao Essences is nullified by the user. Only top tier Minor Edicts can harm the user under this state as they can only be possibly killed by the essence of Greater Nomological Edicts.

Wondrous new skills that came with this Edict appeared before his eyes as <Shield of Bulwark> and <Ephemeral Fortress> could be cast when a terrifying attack was thrown his way.

Then there were the unique abilities of <Warder> and <Aura Master>! The first one was unique as it protected others apart from him and then reflected all damage back to the enemy, but the latter one...

It reminded Noah of the skills he obtained back on the blue planet when he was just an upcoming hunter- granting him the capability to cast a protective barrier or aura at all times with his infinite mana as even if he was asleep and enemies attacked him- they would find themselves despairing to find him stacked with multiple barriers and aura!

Now, such a capability was brought back to him and in even grander terms as the Auras he could call forth had vastly different capabilities- some of them increasing the rate of his mana and health regeneration as others gave him hundreds of thousands of condensed barriers of defense.

"Aura Master."

He called out slowly as his mana churned, becoming exchanged into the Nomological Edict of Bulwark as a stupendous ability was activated. An array of colorful aura bubbles then bloomed gloriously around Noah's already incandescent Universal Body!

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How could [Aura Master] be best described? To Noah, the moment he finished the cast of the skill, he observed one circular aura after another blooming from his origin as they layered themselves around him and overlapped gloriously!

A blue Aura of Serenity, a red Aura of Determination, a green Aura of Defense, a gold Aura of Grace...a myriad of colorful auras surrounded him as he looked like an existence encased in glowing circles of light that released calm waves of their respective essence unto his body.

"Haa..." He breathed in deeply as he felt like all of his cells were screaming in joy- the feeling of this skill and even the essence of Amelioration being something that caused one's very cells to feel a sense of happiness.

The many auras surrounding him undulated with waves of power as he could leave them in this flashy fashion, or he could choose to use his Primordial Eye and make the many auras invisible to others!

He enjoyed the vast array of colors around him as he then tested?<Ephemeral Fortress> and <Shield of the Bulwark>, nodding his head with appreciation as he looked at this completed Minor Nomological Edict.

After the design of this Edict, Noah effectively covered himself Offensively, Defensively, and even had multiple support type Edicts!

Now, he would finally spare some of his focus on an Edict that didn't just strengthen him alone, but also strengthened those important to him.

"We'll finally put the features of Blacksmith's Forge to use if all goes well..."

Noah smiled at the thought of the possible next Edict, his two bodies already being surrounded by Resplendent Grand Primordial Hearts again as he went back to reading! At the same time, his clones moved as half of them overtook the important mission of locating the Clusters of Pandemonium hidden across the Ruination Sea where clusters of Primordial Beasts could be seen.

Noah would target these in the next following days before the glorious Writ of Challenge against Stormdust went down as after this event...the forces of the Primordial Empire were going to get extremely busy as things became utterly chaotic!

From Noah being teleported to a cluster of Pandemonium before during an assassination attempt and even the one he observed Stormdust be teleported from to reach the Primordial Sea, he had come gained some exposure to these unique locations as he considered them dens of treasures.

As for how to locate more of them? This was an easy thing to do as since he knew there should be some around the trillions of light years around the Primordial Empire, he just had to silently traverse the vast Ruination Sea around this area while utilizing the Primordial Eye to look through the folds of space until he found what he was looking for.

He could do this...or something even simpler as since he designated and looked at what contained in clusters of Pandemonium as loot, he could use a feature of the Cosmic Core that had sat in the dust for too long.

"Utilize [Treasure Hunter], focus on the aspect of Entities that can give out treasures more than anything else."

Noah spoke out grandly towards the Cosmic Core as he called for the feature of Treasure Hunter to be used!

<Yes, Master.>

THRUM!

Essence coagulated around 28 Clones Noah had deployed across the Ruination Sea, where above each of their heads...a shimmering golden arrow only they could see appeared as this arrow began to shoot towards a certain unknown direction!

The golden light of each of the Clone's left eyes shone as they turned into pure Ruination Essence, turning into crimson blurs of light as they followed these golden arrows towards places that should have things considered treasures for the current Noah.

He could find the clusters of Pandemonium he sought for, or other things entirely!

While his clones did this, his Universal Body appeared in the vast and now nearly endless Infinite Cosmos.

He appeared first in the Novus Universe as he watched his people assimilating their new strength through battles with each other, his voice stretching out towards the Cosmic Core once more.

"Is the new Universe ready?"

<Yes, Master. A Universe with its galaxies built to be the furnaces and engines for the Blacksmith's Forge has been completed.>

One of the many boons of Noah adding new Cosmos into the Infinite Cosmos was the tremendous increase in Vital Essence that could bore new singularities and form new Universes, with many more possibilities opening up as for the future to come, Noah made a request for an entire Universe to be designed into the [Blacksmith's Forge]!

An entire universe for him to build new weapons and armors at the level and power that others could only envy! These new items would also go hand in hand with the new edict that was in the works of being completed- an Edict geared towards this field that should further elevate Noah's power along with his people.

"Let's see it."

His body that shone with colorful incandescent bubbles of auras disappeared before he could disrupt the training of his people, teleporting into a new Universe that if it could be described in one word...it would be scorching!

The galaxies within this Universe were crimson and they let out blazing heat, Noah appearing at the very center of this Universe as he saw before his eyes a huge structure that was grander and larger than any galaxies. The structure had the glorious shape of a hammer as it spanned millions of light years in diameter, this being the center of this Universe that was known as the Blacksmith's Forge!

Noah himself didn't have to personally carry out the act of forging as he could designate it to the Cosmic Core that would take his essence and utilize the materials he chose to form the weapons and armor, but Noah liked the feeling of starting out the new series of weapons after all this time himself as he wanted to enjoy the unique process of using the forge.

"First, the enhancements now that it is performed by a Cosmic Core..." Noah's eyes shone brightly as he looked under {Cosmic Core Management} and locked onto the feature of Blacksmith's Forge.

[Blacksmith's Forge] :: A unique forge created for the purpose of smelting the most refined and powerful Items. The rank of the Item created will be reflected on what materials were provided. A singular Item or an Item Set can be created as an immense output of energy is also required to use the forge.

Currently craftable Item Ranks: ...Saint, Void...Galaxy, Galactic Filament, Universe, Universal Filament, Quasi-Cosmic. Locked Item Ranks: Cosmic Treasures, Cosmic Filament Treasure...

"Well now..." Noah's eyes flashed sharply as he looked at the highest ranking item he could forge, becoming even more confident on what he was about to do!

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In the Universe Noah had termed Blacksmith's Forge.

Countless Galaxies with no life in them floated while releasing waves of immense heat, even being in the stages of Hegemony finding the environment of this Universe stifling if they ever stepped foot in it.

Noah floated into the vast Forge of this Universe itself as this structure shaped like a hammer contained millions of stations designed with crimson gold colors, showing a workbench that held pristine gold hammers, anvils, and glimmering furnaces that held within them condensed crimson galaxies.

Noah could choose to pick up a hammer in any of these stations and heat up the materials before hammering them down to the shape he wanted, or he could simply allow the automatic process of forging the Items as he gave the Cosmic Core the specifications of what he wanted!

He continued past the countless stations as he came to the center of the Forge, seeing a vast clearing a few hundred thousand light years in diameter as here, materials that had been passively collected over the days by the Cosmic Core from the newly added Cosmos could be seen here.

Unique Crystals condensed from Cosmic Core essences made up a vast majority of the materials as they were collected from naturally born mines where the essence of Cosmic Daos clustered. There were many more things that didn't interest Noah as he waved his hands to add on to this pile the special material he would be using- and also the material that he was currently seeking with his clones!

THRUM!

Space fluctuated as Noah took out the dismembered pieces of Primordial Beasts he held with him-this being a precious resource as Noah actually erased the Primordial Beasts before with the deadly effects of Cessation.

But there were still many that weren't entirely wiped out as Noah took the chance to obtain their remaining bodies as in the near future, he would be using the skin and bones of Primordial Beasts to forge his items!

And looking at the highest level of Item he could make, it seemed like he would be very soon producing Quasi-Cosmic Treasures.

"Not any Quasi-Cosmic Treasures though...these ones will be born with the essence of an Edict!"

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Yes! Noah had seen the quality of Quasi-Cosmic Treasures, seeing them not enhance his power all that much as they even held limited boosts if a Daolord used them.

Most Quasi-Cosmic Treasures held the essence of a particular Dao similar to the Cosmic Treasures like Ruination, with the Cosmic Treasure having more grand effects such as allowing one to have a Primordial Ruination Clone or a 1000:1 time ratio Realm in the case of RUINATION.

Noah's Quasi-Cosmic Treasures would be approaching the power of average Cosmic Treasures without their uniqueness alone if things went as he planned!

As his thoughts ran rampant, they were evicted up by the consciousness of the Cosmic Treasure deeply connected to him as the voice of RUINATION stretched out into Noah's mind.

<Master, you'll have to make sure you don't leave me behind when you achieve the Cosmic Realm and even forge past it. You can upgrade me to a Cosmic Filament Treasure and even a Primordial Relic if you raise the level of the Cosmic Core and enhance the Blacksmith's Forge some more.>

The practical and gradually more emotional Cosmic Treasure spoke out grandly as Noah laughed, sending waves of the essence of Amelioration into this treasure as he reassured it not to worry. There were many things he was planning for in the future as this would be among many!

As for the forging of powerful Quasi-Cosmic Treasures nearing the power of genuine Cosmic Treasures? This was something that the next Edict he was designing would help with.

He already knew the name of the new Edict he was waiting for, and since it wasn't as intense as many others, it would be completed fairly soon!

"The Nomological Edict of the Forgemaster...I look forward to it!"

Forgemaster! Noah could already see this name as in the Ruination Realm, the mixtures of laws and daos were nearly complete.

"Let's see what types of Quasi-Cosmic level items we can make first..." He familiarized himself with the unique types of weapons and armors as a glimmering Blue screen of many designs appeared before his eyes.

Base designs of weapons, and even blank blueprints that he could design the shapes of his own unique items!

There were many things he could do as apart from the materials of Primordial Beasts he already had, he was about to obtain many more at this moment as six of his clones had managed to find something that seemed like an entrance into a cluster of Pandemonium!

His Universal Body lifted a hammer as his stellar eyes weren't even seeing the forge before him, the scenes of an Edict nearing completion and his clones locating dens of Primordial Beasts reflecting within his eyes.

"Let's get things rolling..." His eyes released beams of light as the river of destiny churned wildly...but it was being steered every so slightly at this moment!

Across the vast Ruination Sea.

Six clones were in the form of Ruination Essence as they stared towards a menacing swirling mass of Pandemonium hidden in the folds of space, the golden arrows of Treasure Hunter pointing in this direction as Noah was excited to start farming and test just how wondrous the effects of 50,000 Increased Loot Quantity and 5,000 Increased Loot Rarity would be!

The other clones came across unique regions in the Ruination Sea that had unique environments where the essence of other Cosmic Daos converged, and two clones came across huge monoliths born from crystallized Ruination Essence that Noah put away to see if they could be used as materials.

So at this moment, Noah was staring at the entrances into six clusters of Pandemonium as he prepared to attack them simultaneously!

"Enter, make sure nothing can escape, enjoy?a shower of loot..."

A step by step plan appeared before Noah's eyes as he activated <Path to Victory> while looking at these 6 clusters of Pandemonium.

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Pandemonium!

Clusters of destroyed Reality that spread out more and more from the edge of the observable Reality as the Primordial Beasts devoured more Cosmos.

They contained a type of essence of utter destruction and death that only Primordial Beasts could withstand due to their nature, and clusters of Pandemonium melded extremely well into the vast Ruination Sea as Hyperion had multiple Primordial Beasts stationed in clusters of Pandemonium across multiple locations across the Ruination Sea.

The reasons for this were something only this frightening creature entertained, and it would unfold gloriously in the future.

At this current moment in time.

ROAR!

A Grand Primordial Beast released a guttural roar as it asserted its authority in a vast cluster of Pandemonium that contained another Grand Primordial Beast and 13 Lesser Beasts.

Their large mouths would occasionally open as they swallowed entire gulps of Pandemonium, the largest Grand Primordial Beast reigning Supreme as it floated at the very center while returning to its state of cultivation- waves of multiple Daos and Laws undulating over its body as wondrously- this beast was trying to form an Edict, or at least catch a glimpse of it!

"Hmm?" Yet even while lost in the feeling of the myriad of Daos, this Primordial Beast still sensed fluctuations an instant later as its eyes the size of Galaxies opened wide.

It wasn't alone as all the other Primordial Beasts did the same staring towards a point in the cluster of Pandemonium where something other than a Primordial Beast had entered!

There, a man clad in obsidian satin pants and a loose shirt that showed off the robust muscles on his body appeared, his voice only reaching their ears at this moment as the effects of the ability his voice had called out had already settled in by the time they heard it!

"Life Realm."

THRUM!

Instantly, every single Primordial Beast disappeared from the Cluster of Pandemonium.

Amidst the roiling and repulsive black essence, a glimmering gold and crimson circle the size of a grain of sand appeared as within it...13 Lesser Primordial Beasts and 2 Grand ones the size of Galaxies were pulled into it silently!

Such a scene occurred simultaneously in 6 clusters of Pandemonium. Each one having a varying number of Primordial Beasts as low as 15 to as high as 21.

All of them, without fail- were now contained in a [Life Realm] that was activated by the essence of a Nomological Edict!

Unless one of these Primordial Beasts had comprehended an Edict that could counter the one utilized to call forth the ability of [Life Realm], they would remain within it until the being that cast it let them out-or he perished!

Noah saw what he had to do for the optimum outcome the moment that <Path to Victory> finished, and his six clones now looked at the figures of dozens of Primordial Beasts across 6 clusters of Pandemonium that amounted to 102 Beasts.

Within a cluster of Pandemonium that had 13 Lesser Primordial Beasts and 2 Grand Ones.

"..." These powerful existences had yet to even react as they stared inexplicably at the figure of Noah serenely floating at the center of the enclosed Life Realm, their Origins feeling a unique pressure around them as the two Grand Primordial Beasts looked at the edges of this Realm to see a boundary made of a terrifying Edict- the Edict of Cessation!

"ROAAAR!"

These two wondrous existences were the first to react as their bodies glowed with resplendent light, their figures of combinations of dragons and phoenixes opened their terrifying jaws as they released beams of Ruination and the Primordial Dao Essences.

WAA!

They tore across the unique space towards the figure of Noah that actually didn't make any moves after he contained the Primordial Beasts in an unbreakable Realm!

He watched the terrifying blasts of light that could rip apart any Daolord with ease as he didn't carry out any actions, simply watching as they came and were about to strike his body when...

BZZZT!

A shocking force of repulsion pushed the beams of Ruination and the Primordial Essence to his left and right, his figure remaining untouched as gloriously, the circular protective auras of multiple colors vibrantly became visible!

Blue, red, gold, violet...all sorts of colorful circles covered Noah as his figure was untouched even against the attacks of Grand Primordial Beasts!

"Beautiful!" His eyes blazed with a happy light as the essence of the Edict of Bulwark wrapped around him, gloating at the center of the realm serenely as he tested to see if any damage could pass through the multiple barriers and auras he had active

"Come on," he motioned towards the Primordial Beasts while smiling brightly. "I won't make a move in the next few seconds, let loose and show me what you got!"

RUMBLE!

Domineering words erupted out against the Primordial Beasts as their eyes erupted into flames of utter anger, their bodies becoming encased in raging bouts of essence as they turned into streaks of light towards Noah.

"<Ephemeral Fortress>."

He spoke lightly as his body gained another colorful layer that shone with a violet green light. This represented him not being able to move in exchange for a reduction of 90% of all incoming damage as he was immune to all Dao and Law essences!

If an existence did not have an Edict- they could do nothing to him.

If an existence did have an Edict- they better hope it was a highly offensive one!

BOOM! BOOM! BOOM!

The Primordial Beasts clashed onto him with an array of skills as the Grand ones even struck down using their physical bodies, but they found to their shock that they couldn't even move the existence encased in multiple colorful circles that showered him with gorgeous light.

"I see."

Noah turned off <Ephemeral Fortress> as he could move again, a devilish smile appearing on his face as...

"My turn."

THUMP!

Time seemed to slow.

Far from even the Clusters of Pandemonium, Noah's Universal Body looked at the slightly over 3 Million Splendiferous Universes as in the next second, he called out lightly.

"Burn."

WAA!

A command to burn Splendiferous Universes and activate the Cosmic Dao of Loot as the cost per second was 1 million!

A third of everything he had built would be used as the fuel to achieve the mind bending reality of 50,000% Increased Loot Quantity and 5,000 Increased Loot Rarity.

He would only burn these 1 million Splendiferous Universes as within the next second, he had to clear out all of the Primordial Beasts within all 6 Clusters of Pandemonium!

With him being capable of being at speeds in a matter of milliseconds- mere one thousandths of a second, this time would be more than enough for him.

In each of the 6 Clusters of Pandemonium,? the bodies of his clones instantly expanded to be as large as a Galaxy.

They gained the same size as the Primordial Beasts as in the next second, his clones turned into streaks of light that even the Grand Primordial Beasts within the Clusters of Pandemonium could not keep up with!

They didn't even see him move!

He encased his body in the essence of Cessation as in less than a millisecond, he shot in the direction of 6 different Lesser Primordial Beast in 6 different clusters as his figure that was a blur of light passed from the front of these powerful Beasts and came out behind them.

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Time seemingly resumed, still moving in mere milliseconds.

WAA!

A shower of golden blood erupted out in each of the Clusters as a Lesser Primordial Beast could be seen with its two halves falling left and right, cleanly cut through in the middle by an Edict it couldn't yet even imagine reaching!

Golden blood littered the pristine circular auras covering a single devilishly smiling being as his eyes were not on the solemn and shock of the Primordial Beasts around him, but on the prompt shared by the eyes of all clones and more importantly, his Universal Body.

[+6 Lesser Primordial Hearts obtained...] DING! The effects of the Cosmic Dao of Loot are applied...[+3,000 Shards of a Cosmic Primordial Heart obtained.]

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Ah!

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With Noah's immense origin and consciousness, just like how he could move rapidly within the time scale of one thousandth of a second, he could think and evaluate things even faster as he could have a day's worth of conversation with himself in less than a millisecond!

This was what occurred next as his thoughts moved rapidly when he saw the prompt that told him of the Loot he had gained from the deaths of just 6 Lesser Primordial Beasts.

It wasn't an elevation from Lesser to Grand, his percentage of 5,000% Increased Loot Rarity being so ridiculous that a Lesser Primordial Heart was elevated into a Shard of a Cosmic Primordial Heart!

When placed along with the 50,000% Increased Loot Quantity, a mere 6 Lesser Primordial Beasts granted him 3,000 Shards of a Cosmic Primordial Heart.

Ah!

It was a reality bending effect that Noah was limited from what its full potential would have been, and it caused him to further look forward to when he overcame all restrictions and elevated these modifiers to even greater levels.

In the slowed time of less than a millisecond, Noah's Universal Body in the Blacksmith's Forge pulled out the so called Shard of a Cosmic Primordial Heart as it illuminated all his surroundings with glorious light!

He floated outside of the golden crimson hammer shaped Forge as within his hands, a small crystal that weighed heavier than an entire Cosmos appeared. Not something countless light years in diameter, not a pulsing heart releasing a multicolored radiance! It was simply a round crystal that released a shocking amount of radiance as within it, one could see clusters of glorious shining universes.

A crystal with the mass of a Cosmos! Can one even imagine such a concept? Even Noah felt his strained as he held it, his Edicts surging to reinforce him as he held this glimmering crystal in peace.

This crystal was a Shard of a Cosmic Primordial Heart as even with its small size, Noah looked at it with excitement as it shone with a purple loot light from the effects of the Dao of Loot that represented a treasure a rank lower than the highest that would shine with a gold loot light!

'Even something like this is only ranked with the purple loot light? Then the full Cosmic Primordial Heart will be the only thing in this Reality that deserves a golden loot light...' Noah thought as such with brilliantly shining eyes as he then viewed the description of this wondrous treasure within his palm.

[Shards of Cosmic Primordial Hearts]:: Pristine in stature and among the rarest of all things within a Reality. The rank of a Cosmic Primordial Heart is too high as within a Reality, only a single one may be obtained from a fallen Ender of Reality. With a Cosmic Primordial Heart, one can gain a glimpse of the Essence of Reality utilized by Higher Existences that allows what is considered impossible to be probable. A single Shard of a Cosmic Primordial Heart can grant one the essence to form 50,000 Splendiferous Universes, or Forcefully Increase the Progression of an Edict by .1%, or help in the formation of a single Edict, or be utilized towards the formation of a genuine Cosmic Primordial Heart. 10,000,000 Shards of Cosmic Primordial Hearts are required for the formation of a genuine Cosmic Primordial Heart. Current Shards of a Cosmic Primordial Heart: 3,000.

"Ah..." The description was read a few times by Noah as he focused on its simplicity and grandness!

A Resplendent Lesser Primordial Heart granted one 800 Splendiferous Universes as a Resplendent Grand Primordial Heart granted 4,800 Splendiferous Universes. Yet a single Shard of a Cosmic Primordial Heart granted one 50,000 Splendiferous Universes as to top it off, one could elevate the percentage of an

Edict, forge an Edict, or the grandest feature...the Shards to go towards the combination of a genuine Cosmic Primordial Heart.

A treasure that granted one the Essence of Reality! Noah knew of what this essence was as when Primordial Beasts devoured Cosmos- they accumulated one such essence as it was what allowed them to advance from Lesser all the way to Cosmic.

An Essence utilized by Higher Existences!

When such a word rang out in Noah's mind, he couldn't help but think of Primordials and all the things they were able to do to raise Champions.

Was this essence the secret behind their power? Behind the power granted to Champions? Was it one needed to be capable of forging a System?!

WAA!

Many questions, but there were no answers.

What did have an answer though, was how ridiculous Noah's rate of forging Splendiferous Universes was about to be!

The 3,000 Shards of a Cosmic Primordial Heart alone would grant him the gorgeous number of 150,000,000 Splendiferous Universes!

"..."

It was just a simple multiplication of how many Universes each Shard granted with how many Shards there were. But it showed that within this single second where Noah burned 1 million Splendiferous Universes, one third of all of his current Universes- this single second that only had a few milliseconds of it pass...he had already gained 150 Million Splendiferous Universes within this period of time.

Mind you, this was just from the deaths of a single Lesser Primordial Beast from each of the 6 Clusters of Pandemonium! Just 6 Lesser Primordial Beasts equaled 150 Million Splendiferous Universes!

When he thought of the dozens of other Lesser Primordial Beasts and even few Grand Primordial Beasts still remaining within the Clusters of Pandemonium, the calculations showed that the number of Splendiferous Universes he would forge after all this would spill well over a billion.

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A percentage of what he needed to before he could achieve the Cosmic Realm with the requirement of 100 Billion Splendiferous Universes!

Ah!

Faced with such a shocking reality, Noah couldn't help but spend the next millisecond reflecting!

Yes, they were just Shards of Cosmic Primordial Hearts, but when everything was calculated, the number was sheer insanity.

When Noah looked at this, he couldn't help but look at himself in a different light as he felt like he was finally walking the easy path of Champions!