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Chapter 1601 The Great Update

[The Lesser Gods can now descend into the world but are confined in areas where there are objects of worship.]

[A certain threshold of faith is needed for the gods to descend upon Holy Relics that show their faith.]

[Lesser Gods are not able to create a divine realm in the mortal realm unless they want to be tethered into the land.]

[A major update will now begin.]

[All players will be logged out in ten minutes unless they are in special circumstances.]

[Players can now logout if they are not inside a dungeon. All players that are in the middle of a quest or a dungeon will be moved to a special instance where they can still continue their quest or dungeon run. These players will not be able to affect the flow of the game.]

[Rewards have been given to those that have participated in the End of the Current Cyle.]

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All of the players that did not have any quest that they are doing logged out while those in a dungeon had a slight pause before their game resumed. The pause was to signify that they were moved to a different server where they can continue their quests. The results of their dungeon aid or quests will be patched after they are done.

Adrian is not yet logged out because the demons have a duty that they must fulfill first. All of the demons were deployed and created a powerful magic circle that covered the entire world. The magic circle instantly fixed the loosening barrier towards the divine realm or else it will not only be lesser gods descending without restrictions.

The Greater Gods and above that saw this cursed at the demons for doing this as the gods would have been able to descend if they did not do such a thing. The greater gods were just waiting for the barrier to loosen up a bit and they would have been able to descend. The barrier suddenly solidified again which made the greater gods and above them unable to descend.

Even the lesser gods were not that contented with them just descending near areas of worship or near a holy relic. The Daemos made sure to restrict the gods as the mortals are not ready to face the might of the lesser gods. The lesser gods that did descend earlier and was given a demigod body did rise up back to their respective ranks.

A lot of divine beings are now walking the world, but they still have some restrictions. The demigods that returned to being lesser gods cannot create divine realms in the mortal realm as well. They are also unable to exert their true power as a lesser god unless they are in a place of their worship, but they still have the body of a lesser god.

Once the world was fully covered and the magic circle activated, the Daemos returned back to Avalon while Adrian was now able to logout. Adrian's body did not vanish but was absorbed into

the Tree of Life and Death as his core is damaged due to travelling freely too much in the death realms. His body was overexerted due to the presence of the Primordial Goddess Magwayen attaching herself to her.

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In the real world, all of the players were now logged out of the game after five real time hours. The players that were shifted into a special server earlier are now out of the game which is why their changes are now being patched as well. Eight hours have passed since the start of the new update and yet there is still no news of what was added into the game.

A lot of speculations started to circulate online on what the new details of the patches will be. A lot of players have opened up threads on what they think that the new patch will give. Some are excited while others are in fear because the last world messages, they received were about gods being able to descend freely now.

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Thread Name: The Gods have come!

UnknownUser1: The gods have descended which means that the time of the mortal men are done! We will all be exalted and be under their divine presences!

UnknownUser2: Calm down, god fanatic! Gods and Goddesses are not new in Pandemonium. A lot have already descended but they were being low key because demigods can steal their divine essence.

UnknownUser3: I bet the demigods that hunted the weakened descended gods will now run for their lives as they have returned back to their peak strength.

UnknownUSer4: LOL! You guys do know that a few gods with that caliber of strength were already killed right? Gods and Goddesses are not omnipotent in Pandemonium as they can be killed. You can just look at what happened at the western continent as reference.

UnknownUser1: All of you will taste the smite of the gods for being non-believers!

UnknownUser2: Someone did not take their medicine. Can someone call an ambulance for this dude!

UnKnownUser5: The dragons are still one of the best races out there. The Ancient Dragons have yet to take action as of now. I bet they can overpower or at least equal a lesser god.

UnknownUser6: I still think that the Daemos are the peak race! When will Equinox unlock his race?! I am already waiting to bend time and space like him!

UnknownUser7: Do you not know how broken his character is? The racial quest for that would definitely be something that one user cannot do. Even if he is one of the best, he cannot do something as grand as the Racial Quest for the Daemos alone because of their broken abilities.

UnknownUser8: Keep dreaming scrub!

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A lot of users have the same discussions as they knew that the power dynamic will change once again with gods being able to descend and all. The dragons and the angels will no longer be the apex predators of the current world. The gods will now be a power imbalance as they could tip the favor of their war.

A lot of the players are waiting to see what is happening with the world. Twelve hours have passed since the start of the update yet there has been no news. When almost thirteen hours are about to pass, a video suddenly dropped in the webpage of Pandemonium and even their streaming site.

As if the world has become hungry for the details of what is happening in Pandemonium, five million users suddenly simultaneously entered the live stream of the event. The server did not explode as the servers of Pandemonium are said to be one of the most durable and stable. Even other companies would want to know how they store and process data but that is locked under strict supervision.

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~A world where gods have descended~

~A broken world that is starting to get fixed~

The Pangea Patch has started!

Details will be released after eight hours of this video upload.

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The world went frantic as the video uploaded was actually just a clip of the clues on what is going to happen. The players started to search the databases of their game pods if they actually read something about Pangea. The clip said that the gods have a world they can now descend while a broken world is starting to get fixed.

The players did not know what the second phrase is about because they do not know what this broken world is. Those that have peeked into the secrets of Pandemonium know what the broken world meant. The world that they are residing in, Nebulon, is the broken world that the phrase is talking about which means that the patch is about expansion.

Only a few select people know that the completed world's name was actually Pangea. The patch literally meant that the world is becoming bigger than ever. A lot of the areas that they have thought to explore will be changed and there might be new things that will be introduced.

As if the itch to know what the phrase meant cannot be eased without being scratched, famous Pandemonium Bloggers started to give their take on the given clip. One of the most famous bloggers was the explorer player that was sucked in an alternate dimension or rather world. She was none other than the player named Amelia, whose race has been changed into a Gaianoid which is a living sentient machine and human hybrid.

"Good day, everyone! I bet you have gathered in my current live because all of you are very curious. You are indeed correct in assuming that I have a solid breakdown of the clip! As you all know in my channel, I was sent to a world were machine and living beings have fused magically.

I thought that the world I was sent to was artificial but the records in that world indicated that it was already millions of years old. The world that I was sent to, Eden, was actually an actual place in the

main world named Pangea!" Amelia stated which sent waves of emotions to all players in Pandemonium.

Chapter 1602 Before the Pangea Patch

Amelia started to explain what Pangea meant as it was a very new term to almost all of the players as they usually do not use libraries or study on the history of Pandemonium. Very few players are bookworms as having time to read a book would usually mean lesser time in leveling up. Players like Adrian that are lore crazy and still powerful are rare, but they are also one of the most dangerous bunches.

"As I have said before, Pangea is basically the real main world which has been fractured due to the heavy restrictions placed upon this world. This fractured world is called Nebulon and was intended to be like this for a few millennia more, but I do not know what happened. This is the reason why I am inviting a special guest in our stream." Amelia stated and her chat suddenly went crazy.

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IloveAmelia123: Is it a boy or a girl? If it is a boy, then I would be heartbroken!

Explorer Freak: Where are the police? I would like to report the person on top of my chat!

Amelia Fan Girl: If it is a boy, would it be her boyfriend? Ah! I am so excited for this!

Unknown User: It is probably someone that could add more details on what she just said. Afterall, the things she just said is not yet verified which means she could be lying to us. She might just be speculating which is why she needs a credible source to tell us if what she said is true.

IloveAmelia143: Whoever reported my earlier account shall be hunted by me in game! Also, Amelia would not lie because she makes sure that everything that she puts out is quality and true. She is not like those other explorer type channels that speculate a lot yet do not even have one sliver of evidence.

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"It seems that everyone is getting heated, but I can assure you that the database in Eden is very real. There are even some data on races that have yet to appear in Nebulon but my Data Clearance Level is not yet high enough for that. I can only go on with the articles that I have already access to. Anyways, my guest is none other than Equinox himself!" Amelia shouted with energy.

Amelia thought that her chat becoming quiet might have been a bug, but the chat suddenly exploded a few seconds later when it all sunk in. The chat suddenly started to go ballistic to the point that a lot of people are being timed out due to them spamming. Amelia suddenly saw that her viewer counts of fifty thousand jumps to three times the number upon her announcement.

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Demon Lover: Where is he? Where is my future husband?!

Explorer Freak: Calm your hormones down. Chill! I am pretty sure that the avatar he is using is all glammed up which is why his character looks attractive.

Equinox' Future Wife: Someone is salty!

Demon Fan Girl: Drink some sweet milk maybe that will erase the saltiness in your words.

Excited For New Content: Can we go and discuss the Pangea Patch now? I only came to this stream because of this.

Amelia's chat suddenly went into a different topic as there were lots of players that were his fans. This was also Adrian's first live guesting which is why a lot of people are joining in. Even if they only came to the stream to learn about the potential changes, all of them are still curious of what the player called the Demon looks like.

A lot of famous players were already known by their real life looks because they do get sponsorships and advertisements. Some did not look exactly as their game characters, but they were decent looking enough. There were some that could be said that they really did put much effort in enhancing their game character.

"Hi everyone! Equinox here!" Adrian suddenly announced as he opened the video call function but suddenly turned it off.

This was Adrian's first time being on stream that is not inside the game. He accidentally accepted the video call invite without setting it up which is why his bare face was shown. He did not even get any sort of makeup but there was a soft filter that is applied in the video as a base. Still, one can see that he was still in his house clothes since he was just wearing a comfortable tee.

"I am a bit shy since this is my first time in a stream like this which is why I would like to turn off my camera. I did set up my Chibi virtual avatar so that will do my movement for me. Thanks!" Adrian stated but he was actually very nervous.

The chat once again burst into a frenzy because they have seen Adrian's real face for a split second. Some were not fast enough to screenshot what he looked like, but some were actually recording this livestream. They were able to rewind the video to screenshot what Adrian looks like.

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Demon Lover: Damn! He fine!

Equinox' Future Wife: As expected of my future husband.

Demon Fan Girl: I am dead. Call me when the stream is over. He looked too fine.

Demon Hater: Why is the world so unfair!

Equinox Fan Boy: LOL! Since when did the world become fair? But still, that is his real face? Even I was suddenly smitten because of the visual attack.

Explorer Freak: He looks better than those that are in advertisements, and they were all dolled up while he just has the bare minimum.

Creepysoo Fan Girl: No wonder Kyungsoo always bragged about how Equinox looks when people asked what he looked like in real life. I still love you more, Creepysoo!

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Amelia did not expect for her chat to explode once more, and the hundred fifty thousand people suddenly ballooned to half a million. It seems that people joined her livestream when Adrian's presence was clearly known. Still, Amelia was still a bit taken aback by what Adrian looked like that her face could be seen frozen.

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IloveAmelia222: My previous account was muted but are you fine my dear? Did your internet connection suddenly freeze?

Explorer Freak: LOL! Her internet is fine because the chat is moving. She was not expecting the visual attack like the rest of the people here.

Demon Lover: I am still recovering from the attack myself.

Demon Fan Girl: Girl! Same!

Equinox' Future Wife: He is mine though! Everyone should look away!

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"Uhmm... Are you still there, Amelia?" Adrian asked.

"Yes! Sorry about that. I was suddenly lost in thought for a moment. Anyways, can you tell us about Pangea?" Amelia asked.

"Sure, I would be happy to. You already covered the basic fact such as Pangea is the original name of the world. There are records of this in the archives that the Daemos keep but there should also be other records from old civilizations. Nebulon is the broken world that the world message that was described in the world message.

Nebulon is basically getting back to its original form as it is now pulling the separated 'worlds' if I were to describe it. If some of you have already been to a different world, then you might know that the biome is different and everything inside of that world cannot be found in the main world. This is possible because that 'world' is actually a part of Pangea that was separated due to the barrier that protects the world." Adrian stated.

Adrian then started to disseminate the information that he and his sister decided he can give. This whole interview was something that Mina herself devised. It was a way to show that the Pantheon guild has informational advantages and telling the world to be on their toes.

This interview is also something that is done because the Pantheon guild or rather Mina (Solstice) wants to recruit Amelia as she has been deemed as essential for the guild. Adrian is not someone to dismiss a claim that his sister gives because she has very refined intuition for such things. Adrian also saw some of the streams where Amelia fights and he could see how her tactical prowess is shining.

When Amelia was asked by Solstice in joining the guild, the former easily accepted but she wanted to do a discussion with Equinox about a topic that she picks. Fortunately for her, the next patch suddenly started, and she was familiar with the hints. She picked this discussion for Equinox to guest in her show and she was not disappointed.

She thought that she would need to brief Equinox about Pangea but is shocked that he was more informed than her. Her explorer spirit is suddenly fired up as there was actually someone that knows more about Pandemonium than her. She was offered by other guilds before, but she rejected them because they do not share a bare minimum interest in her passion. Pantheon guild was the first one that caught her attention.

Chapter 1603 The Pangea Patch

The current livestream that is featuring Adrian is currently on trending due to the number of users watching. Amelia did not expect such a reaction from people as the number was not stopping. It did not take long for the live viewers to reach the count of a million which is a large number of users in Pandemonium.

"Thank you for the very informational message, Equinox. As you can see the viewers in our current live stream, a lot of them were waiting for the verification of the initial news that I have given. In fact, some of the things that I said earlier came from Equinox himself when we arranged this live video interview." Amelia stated as some speculations that she had was verified when she talked with Adrian earlier before.

"I do not really mind talking about Pandemonium lore because it is interesting. I also rarely see other people who have the same interest as me in the lore. Some just really like punching and killing monsters that they forget that it is a game rich in story." Adrian stated which made the live viewers react wildly.

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Wanderer01: I am so guilty of that.

I Love Smashing Fists: What is wrong with that? That is basically the essence of the game. Even Equinox is like that as he actually likes fighting as well. Have you seen your own close-up shots in battle? You are basically smiling at your opponent! Ke ke ke...

All I Do is PVE: He basically called out a majority of the players, but he is not wrong. Sometimes learning more about the world could put you in an advantage.

Lore Master: He is absolutely correct as I have noticed differences in monster descriptions when I view them with my friend who does not like to read in Pandemonium Libraries. I basically got more information in the status screen with refreshing news about the monster.

Demon Lover 143: The Demon God has spoken! We shall now gaze upon books in Pandemonium.

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The livestream viewers could be seen enjoying the engagement because Adrian is not like the other people in the streaming business. He answers questions straight to the point without standing on ceremony. He also gave some incredibly useful tips like reading about monsters and such which made the silent lore lovers give him a thumbs up.

"I am not saying that you should bury yourself in books as I know that not all of you have the patience for that. I am just saying that reading up on any clues in your current quest could lead to a

better ending. Options that will not be given to you will appear if you are much knowledgeable in the matter.

Pandemonium is a game that does not have an absolute flow because the players are the ones that dictate the state of the game. If you see what happened in the western continent, the movement of the gods are influenced by the players greatly. I am almost a hundred percent sure that a player triggered the instances that lead to that situation happening." Adrian stated.

Adrian's statement about the descent of lesser gods and such might have been too farfetched when another one said it, but they actually found him to be more credible. Adrian might not be a hundred percent sure that a player activated the situations, but he is actually telling the truth. It was a collective action of the players that led to the Distorted God Apophis acting sooner.

"Thank you very much for the opportunity of giving your insights and telling us what you know of Pangea. If any of you are wondering why I am able to interview Equinox, then I shall tell you honestly. I am actually now part of the Pantheon guild!

I am currently interviewing my own guild master which he graciously accepted when I asked this favor when I joined. Some of you might be shocked that I was not joining any guild before, but the Pantheon guild offered me greater freedom compared to the other guilds that asked me. I also passed the qualification test, so I did not just join because they recruited me!" Amelia stated.

Adrian could remember the recording of the battle that Amelia had with Basil. She held her qualification battle a week before this interview. She already joined them long ago, but she had yet to officially be a part of the group since the guild officers were busy.

"If the guild master has some spare time, maybe we can get some questions from the livestream viewers. Is that fine with you?" Amelia stated.

"I think about five questions should be fine. Nothing too personal though as I like to keep some things private." Adrian replied as he wanted to repay the warm welcome that he received.

"I have compiled the questions that some of my Pandemonium Super Fans have given earlier. I also filtered the ones that have too personal questions. I will now read the question and I am sorry that I cannot do all your questions but maybe another time when the guild master joins another livestream... maybe. I do not know." Amelia stated as she teased the viewers.

Adrian did not have much going as of now since he is also waiting for the patch like all the other players. Also, his sister told him to make sure that Amelia would be getting lots of views for this interview. She will be handling their streaming channel and perks as she will live stream their guild adventures.

"Okay then! First question from I Want To Be A Demon... when will you be able to unlock the racial quest for the Daemos? Such a spicy question from the start but even I am curious to know if you are already in the midst of it." Amelia stated as the whole chat suddenly became silent as if they were waiting for Adrian's answer in anticipation.

"I am currently not in the midst of that quest because I have yet to receive it. I maybe a Daemos but a racial unlocking quest should not be limited to a person of that race. Maybe someone is already trying that quest. Who knows?!" Adrian stated.

Adrian answered the other questions as well as it mostly was about his race. He already told them what was already floating in the forums. He just verified their speculations but made sure to only give enough information that will not hurt him as he was being targeted by other players recently.

The livestream viewers might not have realized it immediately, but they were refreshed with Equinox' attitude. Some of the live streamers were almost repetitive and could offer almost no originality which is why a lot of players were shifting to Explorer content. The viewers that watched this interview suddenly ignited their passion to play Pandemonium.

Adrian's sudden guesting on Amelia's channel made waves on the internet. Not only his real face was revealed but his statements about Pandemonium made game theorist talk about it. As if riding on the heat of the topic, Atlas Inc. suddenly released the patch details to all of the players.

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PANGEA PATCH

Lesser Gods can now descend!

- Lesser Gods will now be able to descend unto the world with specific conditions.
- Conditions vary but the gods will be stronger when close to something with their faith.

Continental Shifting

- The whole world is starting to shift as the land mass is becoming bigger.

Growing World!

- Lots of new land and seas have been restored.
- The world itself seems to have become bigger or is that just something in my head?
- Discover new monsters and varieties of new items in the expanding world.

New Classes Unleashed!

- The world has changed due to the easily available descent of gods. New job classes have become available.
- You could change your job class without repercussions for a month if you managed to unlock a never-before-seen job class.

Godly Arena

- A new game mode where players will team up with gods in order to defeat the opposing enemy team.
- Rules of this game mode will be given when players enter the game.
- This only happens at specific hours every Wednesday and Sunday.

The Gods of War is joining the Arena!

- You can now fight against a God of War in the Arena as long as you have met the requirement.
- Details of the rules will be posted in any Arena that is in the game.

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Note: Players can now re-enter the game after an hour of this announcement and patch notes.

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There were a lot more of the announcements but most of them were bug fixes and balances. Adrian read the balance notes if any of his skills were hit but they were not. He heaved a sigh of relief when he has verified that his skills were not nerfed.

"I guess its time to go back in Pandemonium." Adrian muttered as he entered his game pod.

Chapter 1604 The Start of A New Chapter

A lot of the players did not even wait for the official start of the opening of the game. They already logged in and were transported to a relatively blank world where there is a clock in the sky. The clock in the sky read three hours as one hour in real time is three hours in game time.

Adrian is also not a stranger to this phenomenon as he also logged in before the game opened. There was also another teaser given to the players that will login for the first time after the patch. Atlas Inc. stated that there would be a cutscene that will feature some of the new things that they have added.

A lot of things were added but the main things that the players are excited for are the new classes, the Godly Arena and the arena where you can fight the gods of war. It is not something that one can have easily as fighting against a god is a privilege.

The players are eyeing this because they could become the Champion or Envoy of a god of war should they impress the latter. The players were willing to see all of the changes made in the arena as gods are a powerful force that can aid a character. Most of the powerful players that are known have patrons that give then aid in times of need.

The players were all gathered in one large area, but one could see that they are not interacting much with the people around them. Some were directly looking at the countdown timer while some were taking their time and watching streams that give a hint of the recent patch changes. Some were also active in forums as the gods descending has become a favorite discussion.

"They seem to think that the gods are easy to please but they are not. One would need much more charisma and spunk to get the attention of the gods. Some of the gods even look down on mortals which is why there would be some that will not even bother." Adrian thought as he read the forums.

He was already finished with the livestream as they immediately ended it when the patch notes were released. He knew that the people would rather read the patch notes and every change than to listen to him and Amelia talk. They ended the livestream in a good manner with positive attitude from the livestream viewers as well.

[The game will now start to commence.]

[All players that are logged in will experience some sort of shift as all the characters will now be moved back into the main server.]

[Thank you and enjoy the Pandemonium.]

A female mechanical voice suddenly rung through all the ears of the logged in players. The excitement and anticipation of the players could be seen as the mixture of emotions started to show. When the countdown timer hit zero, all of the players suddenly turned into particles of light as they were now sent to the main server.

[You have logged in to the main server of Pandemonium.]

[Pangea Patch has been completely assimilated.]

[Pangea Patch cutscene shall now be played for players that have logged back in for the first time after the maintenance.]

The scene of what happened in the western continent suddenly played out. The scene of the three gods that are essentially the real rulers of the western continent gods showed their power. The whole western continent has been transformed into a haven for gods of the Ennead.

The newly reforged gods of the Ennead could be seen brimming with a strange power that has been refined by the Serpent God Apophis. The Sun God Ra looked at the newly forged western continent with a smile. The Moon God Thoth continued in his efforts to record the new events that are happening in the western continent.

The next scene suddenly played as the spell called Perfect World made the balance of Nebulon become shaky. The divine barrier that held out the powerful divine beings started to become thinner. Lesser Gods of Pandemonium and even Lesser Dark and Distorted Gods started to descend.

The divine barrier would have become even thinner if not for the timely intervention of the Daemos. The Daemos used all of their Origin Magic to reinforce the deteriorating divine barrier which now blocked greater gods or higher from descending. This did not go well with some of the gods though as one could see the irritation that they are giving the Daemos.

The scene suddenly shifted to a dimension where life and death could be seen freely floating. Half of the realm was lush and full of life while the other half was barren and desolate of life. Two divine beings could be seen residing on this realm which were the Twin Gods. The God Abaddon was covered in black robe while the Goddess Gaea was wearing a white robe.

The God Abaddon and the Goddess Gaea could be seen carrying their iconic weapons. The sky in this divine realm suddenly became ripped apart as a powerful cosmic entity suddenly peered into it. The cosmic entity was as big as the sky or even bigger as only an eerie looking eye peeked through the large hole that it made.

The God Abaddon and the Goddess Gaea suddenly activated their weapon as their usual appearance changed. The God Abaddon could be seen donning armor that has dark black metal with blue and silver linings. The runes embedded on it are even glowing in a platinum light which made him look like a true God of Death.

The aura beneath him could be seen creating small ghost like entities as a black flame aura surrounded his entire body. The sword in his hand suddenly became bigger as it now glowed in a powerful energy that was in three colors and Adrian is familiar with. The God Abaddon actually managed to harness Nether Energy into his blade.

The Goddess Gaea also changed her appearance as she was no longer wearing robes. She was wearing armor with the motif of plants. The plants were actually made of a green metal that radiated a golden energy. The plant armor that crawled up on her body had white runes shining on each part which signified that it is enchanted to the utmost degree.

The small shield that she held also transformed to a large shield that could cover her body. The shield looked like a large bouquet of roses of different colors. There are also thorns on the side of the shield which means that it can also be used to attack.

Adrian also noticed that the Goddess Gaea's armor had this peculiar glow to them that is also in three colors. The colors were none other than blue, white and green which is that of Aether Energy. She is covered with an emerald aura while the aura beneath her created leaves freely flowing in the wind.

The God Abaddon and the Goddess Gaea could be seen creating something with both of their hands. The God Abaddon created a sphere of concentrated death energy while the Goddess Gaea created a sphere of concentrated life energy. The two of them suddenly clashed these two energies together and created a very potent but volatile energy.

Adrian knew this skill as this is Void Demolition which was passed down to him and Levin Cloud. They usually take ten minutes to even do this skill, but the Twin Gods could do it instantly. The Twin Gods then used this volatile energy and shot it towards the large eye that peeked into their realm.

A loud and ear-piercing roar suddenly sounded as the large hands that were keeping the realm open has let go. The Twin Gods then jumped forwards to the large hole as they battled the unknown beings that were pouring from it. The Twin Gods managed to defeat and destroy all of the unknown beings and closed the gate.

One would have cheered loudly for the Twin Gods, but they could see that they are very tired. Whatever they faced from the other side must have been a powerful being. The Twin Gods knew that they must now be proactive which is why the called upon the Gods of War.

"The foreign beings have started to become even more erratic. Even gods will tire out at this rate. We must now start training the mortals." The God of Death Abaddon stated.

"We must nurture life in order for it to thrive. We must no longer be passive of what is happening as many are now trying to get this universe." The Goddess of Life Gaea added.

"We are now giving the Gods of War the chance to train the mortals that we have chosen in the arena. Fight to your hearts content and create powerful champions that will lead Pandemonium to new heights!" The Twin Gods announced as the whole world reverberated.

Chapter 1605 The Restoring World

The announcement of the Twin Gods made the Gods of War cheer because this is the time they are waiting for. The Gods of War could be said as the most powerful fighting force when it comes to fighting against foreign gods. They were always the ones to be the first in line when it comes to fights which is why it was such a puzzle when they were not that active.

The Gods of War could be seen almost drooling at the fact that they can now fight with each other once more. They could also fight against the beings that the Twin Gods have created which means

that they might learn more fighting styles. The Gods of War are only interested in fights that they could grow as they see boring fights as things that they do not need to bother.

[The Godly Arena has been summoned into the mortal realm.]

[The God Fight has been enabled in the Godly Arena where one can fight a god with restriction to the level of the user. Defeat the God of War and get rewarded handsomely for your valiant victory.]

[The God War has been enabled in the Godly Arena where a group of one hundred will team up with five Gods of War and go in an all-out battle with the other group. Get Arena Points for the contribution and victory.]

[Players that qualify for the Godly Arena must have at least 1000 Arena Points.]

[The Godly Arena Shop has been created in the Godly Arena.]

[The entrance to the Godly Arena can be accessed through the air at the center of the world via flight.]

[A Teleportation Circle is also available at Avalon.]

All the players have finished viewing the cutscene as they started to read the next notifications. For the first time, the players from all over the world did not skip the cutscene as everything was a clue. It also detailed a fight against an unknown god from the perspective of the Twin Gods.

Adrian is quite glad that a teleportation circle was made available in Avalon, but it makes sense since only demons can properly utilize extreme long distance teleportation. It might also be a perk for having the Twin Gods as the patron gods for Avalon. Nevertheless, a lot of players will now come to his territory if they wanted to go to the Godly Arena without using air travel.

"I need to increase the production of the Avalon Teleportation Scrolls." Adrian muttered as he charged one gold coin per scroll.

This scroll was being circulated in the world as a way to easily reach Avalon. This is very good for players that are far out from Avalon but cannot travel easily. Adrian pays five silver coins to the demons that create the scrolls, and he profits four silver coins in return as there is an auction house tax. This is also one of the ways Avalon could amass a large number of wealth that is used to make the facilities better.

Before Adrian could go to his next planned destination, he was suddenly pulled by the three elders. The three Daemos elders brought him to a room where there is a projection of the actual world. Adrian is amazed by the technology used as it was an amalgamation of the vision of each demon scattered.

"Is this the whole projection of Nebulon? Why are there lots of empty spaces though. I could also see floating land. Is that normal?" Adrian asked as Avalon itself is not a natural phenomenon as it was created.

"This Nebulon now. About three worlds have fused together with the main world. It is now starting to restore itself to its former glory." Ascalor stated.

"Is it a bad thing?" Adrian asked.

"It is not a bad thing, but it is not a good thing for us either. We might have slowed down the regression, but the world will continue to expand every day. Even we will be unable to do anything about that." Koronn stated.

"You must be worried about the divine realm barrier as the more it expands then the more powerful gods could descend." Adrian stated as they cannot easily defeat gods.

"It is not that we cannot defeat gods, but we do not have the numbers to sustain the world if it continues to grow. I am sure that you already know that the stability of the realm depends on us because there are no gods of time and space in Pandemonium." Ascalor stated.

One of the secrets that Adrian does not tell even his friends is the fact that the Daemos are actually a race that locked three-fourths of their original power to maintain the realm's stability. The Daemos are tethered to Pandemonium as pillars that hold down time and space. This is the reason why Adrian felt an incredible surge of power when he stepped into the Void.

Inside the Void, Adrian's tether to the universe of Pandemonium vanished and released all his latent power. If the Daemos are to be wiped out, then the universe would have been flooded by lots of dangerous beings and gods. Whoever indoctrinated the people that the demons must be exterminated must have known this as they planned to make the world unstable.

"If the world continues to grow like this then it would sap more of our strength which would weaken all of us. Only will the burden be lighter if our number increases, but our race is not entire known for having the best fertility rate. Our only chance right now would be the relic of our race." Ascalor added as Adrian suddenly gulped.

"You mean to say that I need to find it? The Eye of Chaos?!" Adrian muttered with a heavy feeling attached to his chest because he already knows what will come next.

"Arch Demon Equinox... As decreed by the Elders of the Daemos. You must now proceed in finding the relic of our race, the Eye of Chaos." The Three Daemos Elders announced as Adrian received his Racial Unlocking Quest.

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Racial Unlocking Quest

Quest Name: Find the Missing Traces of the Eye of Chaos

Quest Tier: Racial Quest

Quest Description: The Three Daemos Elders have decided that the numbers of the Daemos are no longer enough to sustain the stability of the Restoring World. There is a great need for the Daemos to increase their numbers so that the burden of maintaining the world will not strain the already strained population.

The stability of the realm is not the only thing that hangs on the balance as the strength of the Daemos is also tied to it as well. Find the traces of the Daemos Relic: Eye of Chaos so that it will lead you to the unknown location of the artifact.

Clear Condition: Find Traces of the Daemos Relic: Eye of Chaos (0 / 2)

Clear Reward: +5 to your current level

Failure Condition: Unable to find traces within the given duration.

Failure: Once initial duration has passed, all Daemos will lose 0.1% of their total strength per month.

Duration: 1 year

Restriction: Only available to the player acknowledge by the three Daemos Elders and is of the Daemos Race.

Note: This quest is a chain quest. This quest cannot be shared to anyone as this is an exclusive quest to Player Equinox.

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Adrian believed that the Three Daemos Elders would one day tell him to find the relic, but he did not expect that it will be this early. It seems that the world regressing back into its former appearance has triggered all sorts of things. The Daemos is a race that is heavily relied upon by this world as the protect the stability.

Unless a God of Time or a God of Space could appear suddenly then the Daemos would forever share the burden of maintaining the world. They could be described as the living Gods of Time and Space as they essentially do the job of maintaining time and space that gods should have. If the world grows too big and their numbers still low, then the Daemos will become very vulnerable.

"I will do my best to look for the relic with all my might!" Adrian stated as this became his priority.

Adrian knew that a one-year duration meant that the traces were very difficult to find. To make matters worse, only he could feel these traces as it is a quest that only he could clear. He might be given more time if he manages to clear it early but that would take tremendous luck.

"You do not need to burden yourself too much as we will also aid you in looking for the traces of the relic. Come talk to us from time to time as we might have ideas on where the traces are. The search for the traces would be much more difficult now that the world is expanding." Bronx stated as he did not want to put too much pressure on their youngest Arch Demon.

Chapter 1606 The Start Of The True Dragon And Angelic War

Adrian received the racial quest, but he has yet to get any leads as the other elders also do not know where to start. He was given a year of game time to clear the first chain which means that it will not be easy. Seeing that he cannot go immediately to the place of the quest, he decided to do things that are on his list instead.

Adrian suddenly received a message from Frey as she did say that she needs his help. Adrian does not know the details of the request, but he wanted to help Frey as she helped them in previous missions. He also found the request interesting as they would basically be going to another dimension.

Adrian has a vague sense that the request that Frey wants help with is something that has to do with the Goddess Freyja. Adrian could sense that Frey's divine energy weakened to the point that even the will of the goddess does not descend on her. She was not even able to use it when she participated in the war at the western continent.

"Let us just help her as much as we can." Adrian muttered as he vanished from his place and did not even wait for his guild members.

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The sudden weakening of the divine realm barrier also meant that the beings of great power that is stuck in the mortal plane would get stronger as well. This is true for the leader of the angels named Mikhail as his strength soared to the levels of a lesser god. He is not a god or a demigod, but his power levels is equal to that of a lesser god as the restraint on his body is lifted.

Angels are a race that cannot become gods and demigods but can have equivalent power if they have the same threshold. They were intentionally made like this by the Goddess of Light Luminaria as she wants complete control of the race. She only viewed angel as her beautiful servant creations that must cater to her whims.

The angels under her are not aware of this fact though since they have blind devotion towards the Goddess of Light Luminaria. The leading angels have an idea of this, but they are also extremely devoted to the Goddess Luminaria since they have been bestowed blessings. Should they no longer follow the orders of the Goddess of Light Luminaria then she would take back her blessings.

The angelic leaders that have no blessings will weaken and will be at the same level as normal angels. This is how the Goddess of Light Luminaria wields the leash that she has on the angels. The only angel that could resist the Goddess of Light Luminaria is the leader of the angels named Mikhail.

Mikhail is different from the other angels as he is actually created the same way as the Fallen. He was also created using parts of gods of light like his deceased twin. He is obeying the Goddess of Light Luminaria only in name as he believed that a being like him deserves to rule the angels.

Mikhail could be seen bursting with powerful energy as his power level rose to that of a Lesser God. He might not have divinity, but even lesser gods would fear him because he believes that he is the perfect being. His peak strength is still unreleased as the world is not yet regressed fully but he believes that his current strength can deal with the threats.

It was not just Mikhail that became powerful but also the other six angelic leaders. The powerful auras of the seven angels could be felt even if they are outside the tower. Pristina, the previous Pope of the Church of Light, thought that she has gained power levels that are on par with the seven angelic leaders, but she was wrong.

With the world's restriction becoming less, the divine blessing that the Goddess of Light Luminaria has given the seven angels became even more pronounced. The angels who were being careful and adapting to the world that they woke up on is now ready to attack. Mikhail immediately called upon all of the angels back to the Silver City as they must plan out their next moves.

It is not just the angels that became powerful as the Ancient Dragons that were slumbering have begun to wake up. Not all of them woke up as only the ones that were at the power level of lesser gods woke up. About three Ancient Dragons woke up from their hibernating slumber and all the dragons immediately knelt to give praise to their ancestor.

The Ancient Dragons are dragons that have existed since long ago but most of them died off. There are only ten of them at the current time and three of those ten have waken up. Ancient Dragons feed on mana in the atmosphere and it also sustains their bodies to become active.

The reason for the hibernation of the Ancient Dragons is the lack of mana in the atmosphere. They will inevitably die if they were to keep moving in a heavily restricted world. The only way for them to avert this disaster is by hibernating so that the mana consumption for the particles would drop to a vast degree.

They might not have been able to move but they were able to live. They did this knowing that they might sleep for a few thousand years but that is nothing to Ancient Dragons that live to at least a hundred thousand years. The six elemental dragon kings knelt down to the three Ancient Dragons that have taken up.

"We greet the Ancient Dragons, Indrajala, Khah-yil, Namtar. I hope that all of you have rested well." The six elemental dragon kings stated as they bowed.

Seeing the six elemental dragon kings bow to the three ancient dragons, the younger dragons also bowed to them. The three Ancient Dragons told them that such things are not needed in their presence as they are dragons like them. The six elemental dragon kings looked at each other as they knew that the three ancient dragons are just being modest.

The ancient dragons are not like the elemental dragons as their scales are silver or platinum in color. They also harness a strange force called the Arcana Force which is only possible if one becomes an ancient dragon. They are beings that once were elemental dragons but have transcended the racial barrier of what a dragon can be.

"I sense great worry from the emotions of the young ones. What has happened while we were asleep?" Indrajala stated as her voice is like that of a gentle mother.

When the ancient dragons asked what was happening, the six elemental dragon kings explained the situation. They were now in an irreversible fight against the angels because they have insulted their mother goddess. Hearing the insults hurled at the Mother Goddess Tiamat made all three of the ancient dragons release bloodlust.

The Dragon Fear that all of them released made some of the weaker dragons faint from the pressure. The angels are now marked as the enemies of the dragons and that they must be destroyed completely. It seems that the world has forgotten how fierce and unforgiving a dragon's wrath really is.

"We have only been asleep for a few hundred years and our racial standing has already declined to such a degree. No wonder those winged birds dare to fight against us as they believe that they are superior to us." Khah-yil stated as his voice is similar to a grumpy old man.

"You should calm yourself first, Khah-yil. We have yet to fully be able to handle our bodies as we have just woken up. But I am with you in decimating the angels that dare to insult the Mother Goddess." Namtar stated.

"Both of you should reel in your Dragon Fear as the young ones have fainted. Anyways, the most important thing is that we must meet the Mother of Dragons. Where is she?" Indrajala asked.

"She is currently at the nursery as she is tending to the eggs that are having difficulty to hatch." The Light Dragon King Lumen Isens stated.

The three Ancient Dragons then turned into humanoid forms as they were told that the Mother of Dragons takes a humanoid form. She has yet to master her draconic transformation as she was just recently born of the world. The elemental dragon kings also informed them that she has guests over as well.

"The Nephilim?!" The three ancient dragons stated in shock as they knew what a Nephilim was.

"It is no wonder why the angels are becoming erratic as a Nephilim has been born. I guess even the demons that are in Hell are wanting to come over to the mortal realm. The blood of a Nephilim does increase their own inherent abilities after all." Namtar stated as she now knows why the angels have become even more aggressive.

Chapter 1607 Frey's Request

Adrian teleported to the Northern Continent as this was the location that Frey told him to meet up. It is at the western tip of the northern continent where the inhabitants are more in the style of Vikings. She was very popular here as this was actually the location where she first started her adventure in Pandemonium.

She was not sent to the central continent like the others as she got a special item called the Valkyrie's Girdle when she was at the start of the game. She did not think anything strange to what happened to her until she read some blogs. Still, she made a name for herself in this town and is actually one of the leading figures here.

The town is called Frost Landing and is actually the base of operations for the Valkyries, but they were not there. Frey asked all the townspeople on any clues on the location of her sisters but even they did not know where they were. The Valkyries actually protected this town from any powerful monsters which is why the townspeople is also endeared to them.

The fact that the Valkyries, or the group they call themselves as which is Northern Lights, is not in town. The security of the town could be handled by the warriors as they were also trained when the Valkyries go out to hunt. Still, the warriors or those that can fight that are present in town cannot handle massive threats and monster hordes like the Valkyries can.

Adrian arrived at Frost Landing, and he was immediately told to provide evidence of his character. He did not know that the town was this strict since it is out in frosted land but at least he was not turned away just because he was a demon. He actually found that refreshing as other human kingdoms in the central continent would immediately call for security when they see him.

"My friend is actually here. Her name is Frey, and she will come for me. I am Equinox of the Daemos. Should that greeting suffice?" Adrian stated.

The two guards have a puzzled look as Adrian was clearly male, and Frey usually only hangs out with women. The two guards cannot gauge the strength that Adrian has but he was not being a mess. Since Adrian was behaving, the guards did not push him further as he did say that Frey was coming for him.

"They might look burly and ready for war, but they are actually the most civil human settlement that I have been to. Then again, I have only been to few human settlements in my demon look." Adrian thought as Frey came for him after he told her that he was at the gate.

The guards immediately greeted Frey with a smile and let Adrian pass through when she vouched for him. The guards could even be heard having a somewhat friendlier tone towards Adrian. They did not even mind that Adrian was not human, but the northern continents is very diverse as well.

Frey led Adrian to a small shack where the sign read Northern Lights. This was the hideout or rather the place where the Valkyries stayed when they have nothing to do. Usually, the Valkyries would jump from world to world when they are given mission, but this was the first time that they did not return after a long time.

"Could they have not been busy? It might have been that they are fighting a tactical opponent and they needed a long time to plan out how to engage." Adrian stated as he heard from Frey that they have been gone for at least two months.

"If that was the case then they would have called for me or gave a letter that they will be gone. Usually, I get the letter in a week or two, but this is the first time that I have not gotten anything in two months. I can barely feel the divine energy of the Goddess Freyja as well." Frey stated.

"If this involves the goddess then I do not know if I can actively participate because I am the Champion of the Twin Gods. Any action on my end would also entail the stance of the Church of the Twin Gods and the Twin Gods themselves. It is also one of the reasons why I have not bothered to listen to the requests of the humans." Adrian stated.

This is not the first time that Adrian has dealt with something involving gods. There are some nobles that wanted to have him guest in some events, but he knew that they only wanted the prestige of the representative of the Twin Gods. It is not just Adrian that is like this but also Levin Cloud as they are beings that could commune with the Twin Gods themselves.

The two understands that they are living representations of the Twin Gods in the mortal realm even though there are two prophets for the Twin Gods. The two prophets are still children which is why Adrian and Levin Cloud often attend official matters or the elders attend in their stead. Also, any matters involving gods should be assessed with great detail as any action against or with another god will have an impact on the Church of the Twin Gods.

"I actually forgot about that. It is just that we might need to go to another world, and I need your help with that. It might also have something to do with the God Loki." Frey stated.

Adrian remembered the God Loki as he was the one that restricted his strength to that of a demigod. Adrian could easily restrain him because of the numerous restrictions on his body before but that will not be the case if he can have the strength of a lesser god. The God Loki is also incredibly furious at him as well and it is to the point that he will get killed if they meet once more.

"If it is that guy then I might be able to help you. We already have an irredeemable relationship so there is nothing wrong on my end. Also, he was also the reason why I had to work double time which made me level slower. I am actually one boss monster away from getting level 300." Adrian stated as he cursed at the God Loki for unleashing the Distorted God Apophis.

"Ok then. I am thanking you now for your help in advance. Let me discuss the details first then. You do know of Nordic Mythology...yes?" Frey asked.

"I am somewhat aware, but it might be different in Pandemonium so please enlighten me." Adrian stated in a rather young and fresh tone which looked cute in the eyes of Frey.

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Meanwhile in the living room...

"He is smooth and is using his charm well." Adrian's mother stated as she actually wanted to check what her son was up to in his gaming pod. It was her past time to see her son enjoying adventures.

"He is still quite slow, and it is all his natural charm that is doing the work. What can I say when he takes after me that is full of natural charm." Adrian's father stated.

The two discussed what their son was going through as Mina filled them in that Adrian was having a crush on a girl. They were not against it as their son was already old enough to date. They raised him well which is why they believe that he would be respectful and responsible.

"Anyways, why don't we have cuddling of our own." Adrian's father stated as he winked at his wife and carried her to their room.

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Frey discussed that the Nordic Gods believe in the concept of the Yggdrasil or the Tree of Life. Unlike the elves though, they believe that the Tree of Life can actually connect nine worlds. In fact, the nine worlds that are connected to the tree of life are just fragmented worlds from the original world which is Pangea.

They call the world Nebulon as Midgard as it sits in the center of the other worlds. It is also a world that connects the other eight worlds together. The Nordic Gods have factions as well called the Aesir and the Vanir, but they were only given factions depending on their nature.

"Then you need me to help you activate the portal to the other world?" Adrian asked.

"I also need your strength as well since it might be a difficult task. We will retreat if it is out of our league though. I shall also compensate you with a legendary tier armor as your guild members said that you are looking for one." Frey stated.

Adrian only needs one more legendary armor in order to upgrade his current armor to Legendary Tier. It seems that his guild members have started to talk about him and his worries when the other guilds interacted with them. He does want the legendary tier armor though as he wants to upgrade his armor due to him getting greater damage.

Chapter 1608 The Bifrost

Frey discussed that the Valkyries are using a special pathway in order to go to other worlds. This pathway was being maintained and monitored by one of the Nordic Gods called Heimdall. It is him that gives any permission to use the special pathway that even the other gods use.

"If he monitors it then will he not be able to detect us if I activate it?" Adrian asked.

"He only monitors those that are using the passage at a specific time as there is a time window that his apprentice switches. Even gods need rest in order to make sure that they do not become energy deficient." Frey stated.

"Oh! I did not think it would be that exciting. I also want to know what the mechanism they use in using that special pathway. I am now excited to go to Asgard if I am not mistaken." Adrian stated.

"We will investigate Asgard first as that is the world that will be the most obvious if they want to bring the Goddess Freyja to. Also, it is not like this world that has restrictions as Asgard is a world where even High Gods could easily maneuver. The gods in Asgard are there with the mortals that are worshipping them as they live with them." Frey stated.

"If that is the case then that would mean that it would not only be gods that are against us but also a whole world. If the Goddess Freyja was indeed taken there and is imprisoned, the citizens will not be on our side and just a mere sight of us will alert the gods. Gods are connected to their believers to some extent and could share sight with them.

If a citizen spots us at a right time when a god is checking the state of their followers, then it will be a disaster. Forget about helping the Goddess Freyja as we would also be captured should they are alerted by our presence. I suppose you have something that could help us which is why you are not worrying like me." Adrian stated as he could see that Frey was not as worried as he was.

"I have this. I got it when I defeated a monster called a Huldra. They are famed for shapeshifting into beautiful women." Frey stated as she took out a bark of a tree.

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Item Name: Huldra Essence

Item Type: Consumable / Material

Effects:

- A small piece being ingested will transform the user into a very alluring and seductive female of the world.
- The transformation will last for a day even if only a small nibble has been taken.
- You will also generate a cow's tail once the Huldra Essence is ingested. You must hide the cow's tail as other people seeing it would disable the transformative illusion that you have on.

Description: The essence of a Huldra is a special material that can give the ingester the same abilities as the species for a day. The Huldra can disguise themselves as young women to walk in the world of men. The power of their illusion is only broken if someone sees their tail. They visit communities in order to lure young, unmarried men into the forest where they are kept as slaves, lovers, or sometimes the Huldra will suck the life out of them. If one of their victims is set free or escapes, they will forever live with the temptation to return to their captor.

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"The illusion is so powerful that it even worked on the God Thor. Granted that he is a muscle head at times, but he is very resistant to magic. As long as we do not go face to face with any gods then we will be able to move freely in Asgard." Frey stated and Adrian agreed.

The two then moved to the location of the special pathway that Frey has mentioned. The location of the special pathway called the Bifrost is at a cliff where one can see the sun rising in the northern continent. Adrian also felt something strange in the location when he arrived as he felt that the laws of time and space are rather lighter in this location.

Frey casted fire magic and cleared the snow that piled up and revealed a large magic circle. The large magic circle was carved into a stone and metal alloy that is engraved on the cliff itself. Adrian is amazed as the runes that was used in this magic circle are not used in this world.

"Interesting. It is so bold yet intricate at the same time. Whoever created this magic circle has subtle knowledge about time and space. You can also see the ways to activate it here. It was not made just for the use of one person but can be used by anyone that could decipher its meaning." Adrian stated.

Frey learned a lot from her time with Adrian about Pandemonium and about him as well. She is amazed that he could deduce things like runes in such a fast way that puts any of the gods that deciphered the magic circle to shame. She was about to tell him how to activate it, but he already found out how.

"No wonder there should be someone that needs to keep an eye on it. Invading Asgard would be very easy if they are able to decipher the magic circle like you did." Frey stated.

"It is not easy even for me as there are things that I cannot read unless I get a full guide on these runes. You said that there are nine worlds connected using this special pathway but there are ten here if I am not mistaken. The tenth one cannot be read though which means someone deliberately made sure that the tenth world will not be accessed." Adrian stated.

"I see but that is not what we are here for. There time for the switch happens at every sunrise. Heimdall will stop monitoring and diffuse his energy that is connected to the Bifrost for five minutes. We have that amount of time to enter and hopefully go to Asgard undetected." Frey stated as it was still dark outside, and they need to wait two more hours till sunrise.

"Noted on that. We still have two hours so make sure we are prepared." Adrian stated but he just went back to deciphering the magic circle as he might be able to make something like this.

Adrian thought that this could be something like an automated portal that could lead to Avalon. It would also decrease the workload of Daemos Corps as they are the ones teleporting the flightless individuals to Avalon. Frey did not bother Adrian much as she could see that he was very engrossed.

She also made sure that they are not being tracked as the God Loki might not only be the god that has descended. Frey also remembered that the Goddess Freyja also had a twin brother called Freyr that dotes on her. She wants to know if the God Freyr knows what state the Goddess Freyja is in.

"Frey?! Are you fine?" Adrian asked as he waved his hands in front of Frey.

"Sorry! I was deep in thought." Frey stated as she snapped out of her thought as the situation started to sink in as the time is almost upon them.

Frey gave Adrian a small chip off the Huldra Essence as they need to transform first before heading to Asgard. Adrian ingested the small chip that looked like tree bark and suddenly became a woman that looked like she lived in Frost Landing. Frey did so as well, and her appearance changed as well but the thing that they noticed was the cow tail that they had.

"She looked better before. What am I thinking?!" Adrian thought as Frey's appearance was vastly different than her real one. She still looked beautiful, but Adrian preferred what she looked like before.

"Hide the tail." Frey warned as they must hide the tail to make sure the transformative illusion does not break.

"Done. Are you ready?" Adrian asked as the sun started to rise since sunlight started to pierce the dark sky.

"I am ready." Frey answered.

"I am starting the Bifrost then. Let us hope that we will not be detected prematurely." Adrian stated as he poured mana into the magic circle.

As soon as Adrian poured mana in the magic circle and directed it to the runes where it says Asgard, lights suddenly poured down from the sky. A rainbow road could be seen made by the lights as this was the Bifrost. The special pathway immediately transferred the two as they vanished from the location.

Frey and Adrian had to hold hands because the pressure that bared on them was immense. The pressure was immense but that did not mean they could not see the pathway that they were using as they were bathe in rainbow colored lights.

Chapter 1609 To Asgard

Frey described the Bifrost as something like a rainbow light road, but it is actually more like a portal beam. Adrian could feel that the Bifrost is merely a pathway that pulls the bodies of those that activate it to the specified location. It is like a predetermined tunnel that cannot be deviated from its path.

Frey and Adrian could be seen holding hands as they do not want to be separated. Frey was warned by the Valkyries that there was a slight chance that one could get sent to another world if they get swept by the Bifrost. The only way to make sure that all of them will be sent to the same location would be to huddle together or hold each other tightly.

One could see that the two are somewhat blushing, but they needed to hold each other tightly. They did not speak while they were being transported but they did see the view of the world that they are going to. Frey has already been to Asgard but the only gods he met before were the God Thor and the God Freyr.

The other Nordic gods do not even want to associate with the Valkyries as they are under the Goddess Freyja. She has not met with the God Odin yet as he would usually be sleeping due to his immense power being used to fuel Asgard. It is a realm of great beauty and wonder that is unlike that of the mortal realm.

"Asgard is also separated into other godly realms as some gods have special abodes in it. The three major godly realms one of which is Valhalla which is the hall of the gods and the God Odin's abode. Thrudheim which is the godly realm that is managed by the God Thor. Breidablik, which is the home of the most peaceful god and a friend of my goddess, is ruled by the God Baldr." Frey stated.

"So basically, we want to land in Breidablik then?" Adrian asked.

"If we can. Heads up as the end of the Bifrost is upon us." Frey stated as they were now reaching the ends of the Bifrost.

Adrian was told that they must not enter through the front gate as Heimdall, or his assistant would be present there. They would immediately be captured by them as they basically infiltrated Asgard via the Bifrost. Adrian already grasped the Bifrost as he has deciphered at least 60% of it given the free time earlier.

Adrian's hands touched the rainbow light as Paradox analyzed the information. Paradox has been analyzing the Bifrost ever since they have entered it as per Adrian's command. They needed to recalibrate the coordinates that are encoded on the destination that they have been given.

"Analyzation has been completed, master. Shall I now transfer you to another location where there is connection with the Bifrost to Asgard?" Paradox asked.

"Affirmative." Adrian replied as Paradox' globe like shape suddenly spun fast as both Adrian and Frey vanished from the Bifrost a few meters before they were sent to the gates of Asgard.

"I felt a disturbance in the Bifrost, Master Heimdall." Heimdall's assistant stated.

The God Heimdall suddenly used his gifted sight and peeked through the Bifrost to see if any soul was using it. Foreign users often stumble in Asgard accidentally which is also a cause for a disturbance in the Bifrost. It might be that rare occurrence, but the God Heimdall needs to make sure because it might also be a threat to Asgard.

"There is nothing in my field of vision. Maybe there was a being that accidentally activated a gate but fell through a different world. That might be the anomaly that you have detected." The God Heimdall replied as he did not see anyone using the Bifrost currently.

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A powerful static field suddenly appeared in a beautiful forest just outside of the main city of Asgard. This static field is actually a spatial anomaly, and two beings came out of it. Adrian and Frey with their disguises still intact managed to Arrive in Asgard without any injury.

[You have arrived at Asgard.]

[Merge percentage with the Main World: 11% and slowly increasing.]

[You have arrived at a world that has no restrictions to divine beings.]

[Your divinity has been activated and increased your stats by 15% due to the new world restrictions.]

Adrian did not know why but he is extremely glad that his Divinity stat actually is useful for once. The stat actually increased his overall stats by a lot which is very helpful in such a new world with new dangers. Frey also noticed that Adrian felt different from before as she could feel that his existence became bigger.

She can sense this because the transformative illusion does not affect her. Other beings would not be able to detect the changes that happened to Adrian's body unless they closely inspect it. Frey also felt it faster because they were still linked up together using their hands.

"You can let go now." Adrian shyly muttered as he pointed to his hands using his lips.

"Oh! Sorry! I was just a bit flustered that we were safely in another place near the city." Frey stated as she stopped holding to Adrian's hands.

"Good job, Paradox." Adrian stated as he wanted to thank Paradox for safely bringing them inside and undetected.

"Seeing that Heimdall is not even moving from his post means that we have successfully gotten inside. We can get information from the city but be careful as there are some soldiers mixed in with the mortals here. The gods are monitoring this city very well because it is near Valhalla." Frey stated as they needed to split up for a moment since they need to cover lots of ground.

"Okay! Message me in the party chat if you get something substantial. The things that we need to find out are the status of the Valkyries and the Goddess Freyja... am I right?" Adrian stated.

"Correct. If the Valkyries are found, then looking for the Goddess Freyja would be much easier as well." Frey stated.

"Can you not feel the goddess now that we are in Asgard?" Adrian asked as the connection between Frey and the Goddess Freyja should be stronger if they are near or in proximity to one another.

"I tried to detect the Goddess Freyja, but I can barely feel her presence. I know that she is somewhat fine though as the connection between us is not yet severed. I will look for information on the west side while you can cover the east side of the city. Are you fine with that?" Frey stated.

"Noted on the east side." Adrian stated as both of them walked in opposite directions.

Adrian and Frey must send a message to one another every five minutes to make sure that they are not in danger. It is also a way to make sure that one of them would be able to collect the other should something happen. Adrian actually gave Frey a special talisman that he managed to create which is called the Bound Pair Talisman.

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Item Name: Bound Pair Talisman

Item Tier: Semi-Legendary

Item Type: Tracking / Spatial Movement Talisman

Effects:

- Supply 1 mana point per second to this talisman to activate.
- This talisman comes in pairs and each pair will provide a clear direction where the other one is when supplied with mana.
- If the user supplies 5000 Mana points in one of the talismans, then they will be able to be transported to the other one as long as they are ten miles from the other pair.
- If mana supply is cut upon soft activation, the talisman that was cut off will immediately send a help signal to the other.

Description: A talisman made by a somewhat talented Scribe called Equinox. This talisman does not have special attack capabilities but is great at tracking. This is perfect for those that want to see if their significant other is telling the truth of where they have been.

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Adrian made sure that they will always have a general idea where the other goes. Asgard might look pretty with its vast golden towers and homes, but it is not something that is good for those that are enemies of the gods residing there. If there is one thing that they must know about the Nordic Gods is that they are not forgiving and love to go to battle.

Adrian made sure to cover himself well as his current form is very beautiful, but he thought that was no longer needed when he saw the people inside the city. All the people in this golden city were extremely attractive as if they were sculpted by the gods and goddesses of beauty. Adrian's beautiful face is just like another rose in a garden full of other beautiful flowers.

"No wonder she thought that the shoal was too excessive as a disguise." Adrian muttered as he walked to a commercial district.

Chapter 1610 Search For The Valkyries I

The people of Asgard did not look like normal individuals as even the normal mortals were actually wearing golden accessories. Not only did they look rich, but they also are incredibly beautiful. He also noticed that there are soldiers wearing such powerful armor that is keeping the peace.

"No wonder all of them could just flaunt their jewelries. The guards are maintaining the peace and any crime that is done will be dealt with harshly. Frey did tell me that the people of Asgard are not very compassionate when it comes to criminals." Adrian thought as he headed to his desired location.

The people of Asgard are people that are heavily policed not only by the soldiers but also their gods. If a god in Asgard views another person or mortal as a menace, then they would be ignored by the populace. There is also another view and that is the attention of a god.

If a mortal or another being catches the attention of the gods, then they would become incredibly known and revered in society. This is the situation when the gods and mortals are in the same place and interact with one another. A society built on the views of the absolute which are the gods are created.

There is one thing that does not disappear even if society is ruled by the gods themselves and that is drinking. The people of Asgard are said to be very jovial and always want to party. They drink alcohol as if they are drinking water because the mortals and even gods in Asgard have incredibly high alcohol tolerance.

The city has numerous pubs where the populace drinks as the past time for such people are stories and drinking. A society that does not fear invasions or any attacks from monsters would just focus on what they want to do. It is a society where people can pursue their passion which is art or research.

Asgard may not be perfect, but it would be a utopia for those that want to pursue art and research. The gods themselves are the ones protecting the realm which means the mortals can do anything they want. All the mortals have to do is provide the gods with faith for the latter to become stronger.

"The downside of such society is that the fall of the gods. If the gods fall, then the whole of Asgard will fall with it. The soldiers are not even equivalent to a level 200 player, but their equipment is top tier. The weakness of this society is the death of the gods because the mortals have no way to defend themselves should a powerful existential threat arrives at their doorstep." Adrian thought as he entered the pub.

Adrian does not know why the gods of Asgard wanted to integrate their world back into the main world. The mortals in this realm are not even good in combat as their job classes are mostly artistic. The people of Asgard would die should it fuse back together with the main world.

Adrian then thought of a reason why the gods of Asgard would want to integrate their world back to the main world. The reason for them wanting to return to the main world is that Asgard has already used up all of its resources. The world itself has started to stop producing natural minerals and elements needed to make civilization prosper.

Adrian might not know but his guess is actually true because Asgard is already hollow when it comes to precious metals. The gods of Asgard have fully harvested everything in this world and created the perfect golden city using it. It is also one of the reasons why they created the Bifrost in the first place as they need resources from other worlds.

Asgard can only sustain itself using food, but culture and the advancing of civilization has halted for at least a thousand years. The gods of Asgard knew that a civilization that does not continue to evolve will naturally die off. It is also one of the reasons why the Gods of Asgard let the mortals do arts and research so that their boredom would vanish.

When the Bifrost was created or rather accidentally discovered, the gods of Asgard started to pillage other worlds. The gods of Asgard themselves will go to different worlds which they call the nine realms in order to get resources there. Unlike Asgard, the other worlds have restrictions which is why armies are needed to conquer areas of other worlds.

Asgard managed to create and culminate culture for a thousand years due to this practice. Everything would have been perfect, but the resources of other worlds are not easy to culminate. The residents of the worlds that they created a gate on are not keen on letting invaders take the precious resources of their world.

The numerous gods of Asgard would battle these inhabitants. They would either make them submit or kill all of them to make an example. The gods of Asgard knew that they need a bigger world to get resources from as the other worlds have become treacherous and dangerous even for the gods.

The gods of Asgard could no longer ignore that they need Midgard which is the main world. They tried conquering Midgard back then, but they were severely defeated as the restriction of the main world is very potent. Seeing that they cannot use brute force in order to get Midgard, the gods of Asgard devised a plan to slowly weaken the barrier that separates the worlds which is the divine barrier.

The divine realm barrier not only blocks the gods but also the worlds from merging back into the main world. The gods of Asgard were not the only ones that planned this as the gods of other worlds have thought the same thing. Even if the gods did not know that they were planning the same thing, all of them weakened the divine realm barrier centuries ago and is now reaping what they sow.