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Chapter 2301 We Will Meet Again

"Farewell for now." The being with an oni mask stated as he suddenly released a wave of energy that was so calm yet violent at the same time.

The God of the Storms Seth and the God of the Skies Horus tried to stop them, but they were repelled by an unknown force. A force that Adrian is somewhat familiar with repelled the two gods as it used their energies as the repelling force. The being that is currently escaping with the Primordial Beast of Wrath is using the same martial aura that Ain is using. Unlike Ain though, the martial force of the being before them has reached the peak.

"Are you going to let him escape?" Levin Cloud asked Adrian.

"Of course not. This will not be as easy as before and I have already planned for something like this. I even saved that specific spell to make sure that I can use it without any problems. Dimension Break!" Adrian stated as he snapped his fingers.

The large amount of energy that is surrounding the oni masked being and the Primordial Beast of Wrath is suddenly bombarded with another powerful energy. The energy released shattered the dimension before them which also destroyed the one being used by the oni masked being. Adrian thought that there would be no backlash to him, but he thought wrong as he suddenly got attacked by an unknown force.

"Oh cra...!" Adrian stated as he suddenly got sent flying as if he got punched by a thousand beings. He was directly sent flying towards the beast horde away from the current area he was in.

"What just happened?!" Levin Cloud asked.

"He did something. I did not see clearly but he moved too fast even for my own sight." Frey stated as she pointed to the oni masked being.

"The young demon is very troublesome to deal with." The oni masked being stated as he suddenly got covered in his own martial aura. Discover more stories at My Virtual Library Empire The oni masked being also used a gourd shape device or artifact to store the body of the Primordial Beast of Wrath. The sudden disappearance of the Primordial Beast of Wrath alarmed all of them, but they could not easily charge to the new enemy that appeared. Even the two gods that are with them are staring at the oni masked being as if they were also wary of him.

"I guess I should be the one to help with this then." The shadow of Apophis suddenly stated as it appeared from the sands below.

The oni masked being suddenly used a palm strike to stop the attack of the shadow of Apophis. The palm strike is not ordinary as it carried the weight of about ten thousand pounds. The shadow of Apophis was destroyed because of it or rather the shape became distorted as the shadows spilled on the ground. The sands suddenly started to move to bind the oni masked being, but the latter just released a powerful burst of aura that destroyed the mana in the sand.

"Have a taste of this!" Lycan shouted as he released a powerful burst claw move that released claw marks as energy waves.

"Fierce but uncontrolled." The oni masked being stated as he waved his hand to release an energy wave that easily dismantled Lycan's attack.

"My curses are not working on him." Levin Cloud stated as it seems that death magic is not very effective against the being they are fighting against.

"Mere paltry spells that use death do not work on an Immortal like me." The oni masked being stated.

The oni masked being suddenly used both of his hands to create a yin on the left and a yang on the right. He then used both of his hands to block the sudden attack of Vayu and Solstice. Vayu's katana is aimed at the neck of the oni masked being and he is almost close, but the fingers of the enemy stopped it from connecting. The same happened on Solstice' side as she got blocked by a palm instead of fingers since she used both swords.

"Controlled yet missing the essential fury." The oni masked being stated as he made the ying and yang energy explode which sent Vayu and Solstice flying towards the walls.

"Bad oni!" Soleil shouted as she released powerful flame spells towards the oni masked being.

The oni masked being then did a graceful martial dance that conjured water from below his feet. He then stomped on the water below him to make it erupt. The water that erupted blocked the flame spells that are about to hit him.

"Furious yet unrefined." The oni masked being stated as a spear suddenly lunged towards his neck.

Frey bent the light around her to appear almost invisible and also faster, but her surprise attack was not effective. The oni masked being already perceived her even before her attacks connected. The oni masked being gently brushed aside the spear that was about to pierce his head and released a palm strike at Frey as a counterattack.

"Damage Redirection!" Kabrakan shouted as Frey is suddenly covered in a thin aura that resembled his.

The oni masked being hit Frey with a palm strike, but the damage redirected to Kabrakan instead. He also got affected by the added effects of the attack which sent him flying to the nearby structures. Frey did not waste this opportunity and released the thorns on her spear to damage the enemy, but the oni masked being dodged all of it without any problem.

"Refined to the point of perfection but some parts are still lacking." The oni masked being stated as he started to have exchanges with Frey.

Frey did not use any attacks that would put her near the oni masked being as she knew that he has perfect control over melee range. She made use of the properties of her spear's reach to launch attacks. This made the oni masked being prioritize dodging, but Frey could not land any decisive attacks in exchange.

"Are you not going to help?" Levin Cloud asked as he looked towards the God of the Storms Seth and the God of the Skies Horus since they were not even moving from their location.

"We are trapped since earlier. Did you not notice?!" The God of the Skies Horus stated as he looked down towards their shadows. The splattered shadow of Apophis was used by the oni masked being to root the two gods in place. Thy will remain rooted as long as the shadow of Apophis does not reconstruct.

"This is a problem. I cannot use spells if they move that fast or else I might hit Frey." Peridot stated as the area they are in has friendly fire disabled.

"Let us support her with buffs instead. Soleil, please do the same or else we might hit Frey." Levin Cloud stated.

"Okie!" Soleil replied as she empowered Frey with the Flame of Vitality which is a special buff that only flame elementals can give to another being.

Frey being buffed by three players made her easily follow the oni masked being when it came to movement. She is no longer lagging behind as they danced across the battlefield. The exchange between the would have been longer if not for Frey losing stamina as her mental state is becoming tired.

"Oh! The destroyed the dimension is now partially stabled." The oni masked being stated.

"You will not get away!" Frey shouted as she tried to do a decisive attack with all her energy.

"A good try but not enough. You need another hundred years before you can attempt to defeat me." The oni masked being stated as his moves became illusionary to the point that his hands could not be seen by Frey.

Frey felt the danger in the upcoming attack to her and could feel her death. Valkyries have a sense that could tell death, and she knows that hers will come. Just as the attack was about to land on Frey's head, a spear suddenly cut through time and space to arrive at the head of the oni masked being. The oni masked being suddenly decided that he could not attempt the kill and retreated as the spear followed him.

The spear followed the oni masked being even though he was retreating with light steps. The chimes of the bell could be heard for each of his movement as the power of the spear made him dodge instead of repelling it. Adrian suddenly appeared behind the oni masked being to attack but the subtle dodge of the latter was so fluid that the former was not able to follow it.

"Such an interesting spear. I would like to battle the young demon more, but my time here has already been strained. You have blocked my first farewell, but you cannot do so for the next one." The oni masked being stated as he took out a strange orb and smashed it. The strange orb created a ripple in space which transported the oni masked being instantly without Adrian being able to sense it.

Chapter 2302: Feeling Empty

The strange orb that the oni masked being had the force of a dragon as its energy was used to tear space which Adrian found strange. The power of that orb felt like it was of the Arcane which should not be possible for dragons as they use elemental energy. Unless that power came from a dragon that could manipulate space, then there is no other possibility of that happening again.

"They left just like that?!" Levin Cloud grumbled as they lost their enemy and even the Primordial Beast of Wrath managed to escape.

"I apologize for not being able to stop them." Frey stated as she felt that she was lacking due to the fact that she was unable to stop the enemy despite being closer.

"It is not your fault. All of us were easily handled by that oni masked being. Even the two gods that we have under our banner was paralyzed." Solstice stated as the God of Skies Horus and the God of Storms Seth found offense on what she said.

"She is correct on that assumption. Whoever that broken god was, he managed to defeat us with pure skill despite having the body of a demigod. We did not think that the Shadow of Apophis could be used as a way to bind us." The God of the Skies Horus stated.

"We were merely taken by surprise. Whatever he was, he can manipulate energy almost to the point that he could use the laws of the world even as a demigod. Still, why is a terrifying being like that attacking our continent to steal some crystals with divine energy? Does he want to ascend back to godhood but that is impossible using our own energy crystals?" The God of the Storms Seth stated.

"Such embarrassment. I could not move this body of mine due to what that broken god did. Now that all of you are available, help in killing off the horde as they are still angered. The city itself is not yet safe for all of us." The Shadow of Apophis stated.

"I guess that is where we part ways. We no longer have any need to stay here." Adrian stated but the Shadow of Apophis stopped him.

"I think the mediator and his friends would like to help us with the horde." The Shadow of Apophis stated as if it was teasing.

"Why should we do that? We only came here for the Primordial Beast of Wrath, and it is no longer here." Adrian stated but even he is not sure that he could go against three gods when they do stop them from returning to Avalon.

"In exchange for helping clear the horde, all the things they drop will be yours as long as you kill them. We will also add the information that we know of these attacks that have been happening to our temples." The Shadow of Apophis stated.

"You do not have that kind of authority to declare that." The God of the Storms Seth stated.

"I have already informed Ra about this exchange. Also, we need some helpers from the outside as we cannot peek into the other continents due to the laws we established for our continent. We would need some collaborators to end these sieges on our temples." The Shadow of Apophis stated.

"If grandfather has already agreed then there is no more discussion needed." The God of the Skies Horus stated as he agreed.

"All you will do is help against the horde and nothing more. Any actions that do not align with that will taste my sands." The God of Storms Seth stated as he turned to sand.

"Do not mind the cranky dog as he is a bit overworked. So, will all of you help?" The Shadow of Apophis stated.

Adrian looked to all of his friends that gathered and all of them nodded. A horde like this is also a way to level up a lot as he started to stagnate when it comes to experience points. The only wauy for him to get is fighting powerful enemies alone or killing hordes of monsters. At this point, Adrian only sees the horde as experience points which is why he already summoned all of his soulbounds.

"If that is the case then we will accept the offer. I hope that everything is said in this exchange to make it worth our time." Adrian stated.

"Thank you. Even the western continent will not dare cheat the Mediator of Death after all." The Shadow of Apophis stated as she dissolved into shadows and returned back to the main body.

"All of you be careful and do not go alone in a horde. I will stay here and inspect how all of those masked vagabonds from the east came to this continent. I can sense traces of teleportation of some sort that is a bit different from our magic." Adrian stated.

"We will deal with the hordes, but we know that you will still look after us." Levin Cloud stated as he already saw Adrian in his Aetheros Mirror Demon form.

"Have fun leveling." Adrian stated as all of his guild members spread out to help different points of the city in pairs.

"Are you not going?" Adrian asked Frey as she is still a bit disappointed that she was unable to go against the oni masked being.

"I think my self esteem took a hit from what that being they called a broken god told me about myself. His tone was not filled with mockery, but he pointed out everything that is practically a hole in my battle style." Frey stated with a pout which made Adrian smile a bit as he did not expect that she has this side of her.

"Maybe you need to relieve some stress via pummeling some monsters. Take Sirius with you as I know that your mount is resting up from flying too fast to answer my call." Adrian stated as Sirius came out of his shadow.

"Thanks. I guess I need this to take my mind off it." Frey stated as he patted Sirius which made him wag his tail.

"Enjoy!" Adrian stated with a smile.

"Be careful as well as there might still be remnants of their group in the city." Frey stated as she and Sirius dashed off.

"I wish there was as it would be easier to interrogate their souls." Adrian stated with a rather calm tone as he entered a mirror and disappeared from his current location.

In the eastern continent, a portal that created a rift in space could be seen being created. The portal was not stable which made the being that entered it be incredibly hurt when they exited. The oni masked being had all parts of his body in tatters. He still held the mystical gourd that held the Primordial Beast of Wrath which calmed his mind as it will still be needed for the plans to come.

"Lord Chiyou!" A group of powerful immortals suddenly came rushing to the oni masked

being.

"I am fine. I just need some rest. Take the gourd and heal the Primordial Beast of Wrath." Chiyou stated as he could be seen struggling a bit from standing.

"Did you use the Dragon Rift Bead!? What prompted you to use it?" A humanoid being that has the smell of mountains and forest asked Chiyou as she has never seen the latter that desperate to use an unstable Dragon Rift Bead.

"I was against three gods and a demon that could manipulate space at his whims. Add to that some reckless warriors that want me and the Primordial Beast of Wrath dead. Are you satisfied with that answer, Chimei?" Chiyou stated.

"How did the demons find out?" Chimei asked as she knows that they made sure to never disturb the demons. They even made sure to avoid their detection as much as possible.

"I think the demons do not know of our plan, but this young demon and his group wanted the Primordial Beast of Wrath dead. It seems that they were contracted by the Devil Gods to deal with the primordial beasts of sin." Chiyou stated.

"If this young demon you are referring to is the Lord of Avalon in the center, then this is huge problem. He is an Arch Demon that can move other Arch Demons older than him. There is also a Noblesse hiding in that territory which is why it is difficult to plant spies. A lot of our own spies died, and no one has yet given information about that territory." Chimei stated. "That Noblesse will not be able to move as he is still weakened. The demons are also stretched thin at the moment, and we will use that to our advantage. The plan will need some adjusting as the Primordial Beasts of Sin cannot be easily deployed as before." Chiyou stated.

"About that... one of them managed to escape from our control." Chimei stated as she tried to

avert his eyes from the rage that Chiyou was emanating.

"Which one?" Chiyou asked.

"Pride." Chimei replied.

Chapter 2303: Primordial Beast of Pride

"To think that it would take me that long to escape that prison. It was so demeaning to be trapped in that gourd without any way to escape. Fortunately, I am so great that I bided my time to destroy the copy of that artifact. I would have escaped as well even if it was the real thing but that is just a small challenge." The Primordial Beast of Pride stated as he is currently heavily damaged and resting in an abandoned underground system.

The Primordial Beast of Pride is still trapped in the human body that he was sent inside of. He might have broken through the binding that made him follow the commands of the organization that the other Primordial Beasts of Sin have agreed to, but he cannot shed the mortal body. Whatever mortal body that they used for him seems to have some special abilities which disables his ability to separate the soul.

"I need to rest after all. A beauty rest is all I need to recover these missing limbs. I guess the world favors me after all since I was not caught by them and lost their trail completely. They believe that I am no longer in the eastern continent when I am just below the largest city where Immortals gather. What better place to siphon energy from when all the pride of being a martial artist is swimming in the air." The Primordial Beast of Pride stated as he smiled. Among all of the Primordial Beasts of Sin, the Primordial Beast of Pride is the only one that did not want to partake in this deal. The only reason that he got caught up is due to the fact that the Primordial Beasts of Sin are connected in a strange way. All of them are like a collective which is why anything that happens to one or more will be the fate of the others.

"Thanks to Wrath weakening, I was able to escape. If all of them die, then I guess I will be the last one standing to absorb all of their essences. To be reborn as the True Beast of Sin, I just need to be patient. A majestic being like me will bide his time while recharging my energy in this prideful city." The Primordial Beast of Pride stated with a smile as he started to meditate to recover the missing limbs.

"Of all the primordial beast of sin that will escape, you had to make the most devious one escape!" Chiyou stated as his anger could be felt.

"All of my underlings are already giving chase to him as we speak. He seems to have escaped to the central continent which some of our people are also making moves as well. It will only be a matter of time given that he was heavily injured while escaping." Chimei stated.

"The plan will get major setbacks with that psychotic being on the loose. If he does not make a move, then nothing will change but that prideful monster will definitely ruin our plans. Make sure to handle it or else it will be your head on the chopping block, Chimei." Chiyou stated as he entered his abode to heal the injuries that he got.

"I always put my head on the line, Chiyou. It would have been great if I could separate that head of yours from your neck, but I stop myself from troublesome thoughts." Chimei whispered softly but she knows that Chiyou would definitely hear what she said.

"All of you, inform the ones in the central continent to carry the plan out while looking out for the Primordial Beast of Pride. Any disturbance should immediately be reported to me as I will deal with that beast personally. It is not only Chiyou that could move away from our beloved continent after all." Chimei stated as she returned back to her own pagoda as well.

"I am now sick of monsters." Peridot stated as her mana is almost gone.

"I think I did too much healing to the point that I gathered all of their aggro." Levin Cloud added as he spent more time running away compared to healing his team members.

"The only one happy is the undead brat because he has a mission to collect a million undead." Lycan stated as Creepysoo could be seen happily storing undead.

"I got too excited with the battle as well that I got a Drunken status due to so much blood flying about." Solstice stated.

"Why are they grumbling, Papa?" Soleil asked her father.

"Sometimes adults do that my cute princess but make sure that you do not become like that when you are an adult. You should be like Big Brother Kabrakan that is just sitting there peacefully and looking up at the sky." Vayu stated as he also looked tired. "I think he already zoned out because of being tired as well." Levin Cloud teased.

"Great work out there!" Frey stated as he tapped Kabrakan since she just arrived.

"Huh? What! Are there still more?!" Kabrakan suddenly exclaimed which made all of them laugh out loud.

"Where is Equinox?" Frey asked as she looked incredibly refreshed from killing thousands of enemies atop Sirius.

"He is talking with the gods regarding the information." Solstice stated as she pointed towards four individuals having a discussion a bit far from their current location. "Sorry did you guys wait long?" Adrian stated as he finally returned back to the group.

"So, what did they say?" Levin Cloud asked as he is the most curious among them.

"It seems that some assailants have been targeting their temples for months now. Back then only one temple a month has been hit but the occurrences increased to the point that the gods needed to be involved. The things that they took from the temple are items that can gather divine energy, but they should only be usable by the western continent gods which is why even they do not know why thy are sealing it." Adrian explained.

Chapter 2304: Strange in the North

"How does the Primordial Beast of Wrath fit into this?" Solstice asked.

"It seems that the Primordial Beast of Wrath is controlled by these organization. What is more surprising is the fact that they can control and contain the primordial beasts of sin. If they can control all seven of them then our chances of winning are slim to none." Adrian stated.

"In other words, our guild alone cannot fight against seven of them all at once. Not a good metric to go by since there are also other enemies like that annoying oni masked guy. His fighting style heavily reminds me of Tai that secretive player from the eastern continent." Levin Cloud stated.

"I also came to that conclusion when he was fighting all of you. They also have the same mask only different colors and design, but their overall fighting style is almost the same. If Tai could be said to be still incomplete, then the being we battled earlier has perfected it. The gods here also told me that they suspect that broken gods from the eastern continent are the ones behind it." Adrian stated.

"If you say broken gods of the east then I think I know of them, but they are incredibly secretive. Even the Ryujin do not have complete details over them as they rarely fight with our kind. I think it could also be said that they are avoiding us so that they will not be held in the spotlight while also minimizing the weaknesses that they could show." Peridot stated.

"A secret organization. A bit cliché but exciting since they seem to be the real deal. How about the traces of teleportation you were talking about?" Levin Cloud added.

"It is a form of teleportation that uses nature's energy as a way to move but it would take like two hours for it to work based on the runes used. What I did not like is the fact that I cannot trace back where they came from as if the path on the other side was destroyed. You could even say that they used a slower teleportation process similar to that item the oni masked guys used earlier." Adrian stated.

"Regarding the Primordial Beast of Wrath, I think I found its energy signature familiar. The northern continent is now experiencing severe food shortages. I felt a similar energy signature from the Primordial Beast of Wrath when I visited a place that was devoid of food and water." Frey suddenly added as she actually came from investigating that place and wanted to ask some elves in Avalon for help in resolving the matter.

"You mean there is another one in the northern continent? Wait... food has always been scarce in the northern continent, right?" Levin Cloud stated.

"Yes, food has always been scarce in the northern continent but the appetite of people there is less compared to others in other continents. The cold lessens the needed nutrients in their bodies but that is not the issue. The food situation has become even more problematic than before as monsters that should not have been in the territory of living people started to pillage." Frey stated.

"Wait?! Did you say pillage?" Adrian asked in shock because monsters in the northern continent are not like that.

Monsters in the northern continent do not pillage from settlements but just eat what they take. They are also incredibly wary of settlements as the northerners will destroy the nest of monsters that dare steal from them. This is the reason why the northern continent does not suffer from monster attacks in their settlements.

"Yes, but there is also another strange thing we found out. The monsters that were pillaging the settlements are all malnourished and thin. They were not pillaging for their own consumption which we find strange." Frey stated.

"Do you need our help?" Adrian asked.

"For now, the elves would be enough for us. I also do not want to trouble anyone when the information I have is not that solid." Frey stated.

"You are not troubling us. We are friends and friends always have each other's back. I would even drop my job class upgrade to help you if you really need me." Peridot stated as she took Frey's hands.

"Yep. I do not want my sister-in-law to be all shy with me now do I?" Solstice stated as she teased Frey.

"Sis...in...law?!" Frey exclaimed in embarrassment as she did not expect such thing from the mouth of the ever-serious Solstice.

"Stop teasing her, sis. Anyways, if you just need the help of elves then I can help with that. You can also bring that guy with you since he is more helpful than the elves." Adrian stated. "Why me? I have yet to say anything." Levin Cloud stated in protest.

"Come on. We are helping our friend here so just accept." Peridot stated with a serious expression.

"Okay fine since you are the one telling me to do so." Levin Cloud stated as he could only agree.

"Do not worry because I am coming with you. I want to see the northern continent as well." Peridot stated.

"Sorry, I am late. It took quite some time storing all of the undead." Creepysoo stated.

"I would say no worries but the God of the Storms over there has been glaring at us since earlier. Let us go then since we already did what we needed to do here." Adrian stated as he opened a portal that led back to Avalon. All of them stepped inside and vanished from the western continent.

"You can stop your brooding face now." The Goddess Apophis stated as she teased the God of the Storms Seth.

"I am still unsure why you needed to share all that information with outsiders." The God of the Storms Seth stated.

"You used to be so cute but even your personality was reset. Anyways, you do not know when we will need them again. Even gods cannot freely move in our continent without losing a lot of energy. I can see that we will be needing their help again soon." The Goddess Apophis stated as she looked incredibly certain.

Chapter 2305: To the Land of Dreams Again I

Adrian and the other returned to Avalon but they did not stay long as they also have other things they need to do. Adrian asked if he was needed in the northern continent, but Frey told him that she will call for him if she needs the guild's help. She knew that Adrian wanted to do something before the Primordial Beast of Wrath suddenly showed up.

"Once I am done, I will visit you guys if you are not yet finished." Adrian stated.

"Do not worry about her too much as we will take care of her." Peridot stated as she teased Adrian.

"With me there, the plants will bloom in no time. I am also interested in using my magic in a land filled with cold air. It might raise my mastery over my own magic." Levin Cloud stated. "I thought you did not want to go earlier." Adrian stated in sarcastic tone.

"I was just making sure that I at least have a say. You suddenly volunteered me without my consent, so I was caught off guard." Levin Cloud grumbled.

"You also do the same thing to me, so we are even." Adrian replied with a blank look.

"Touche." Levin Cloud retorted.

"Thanks for the help." Frey stated as she smiled towards Adrian.

"No problem." Adrian replied with a smile.

"If you two do not kiss then at least a hug would do to make sure my ship sails." Peridot stated.

Peridot's statement made the two blush which made them unable to stare at each other. She could only sigh, but she understood that the two are not the type to publicly show affection. Still, she is glad that the feelings are at least mutual.

"Be careful and contact me and the guild immediately if it is a sign of a primordial beast of sin." Adrian stated as they entered the gate that he prepared for them that leads to the northern continent.

As soon as the three of them left, Adrian went back to his room in the guild house. He needed to go to the Land of Dreams where he could meet the God of Dreams Morpheus. He still needed a way to suppress the power of the creation relic of the Selvaggians. The creation relic is also starting to recover some of its power which could be barely contained inside the chest of his inventory.

King Leonidas did tell him that the creation relic has powerful potent energy that it would attract monster hordes to their kingdom every week. The only reason that they are not overrun by monsters is the fact that many of the powerful Selvaggian warriors are in the kingdom. Killing monsters every week became an event for them, but it does take quite the toll on each being living inside the kingdom.

"Even if you take it away, the power of the creation relic has seeped into our land for far too long that it will attract monster hordes to us. It might lessen in intervals, but our kingdom will never be cleansed of monster hordes. I just hope that you could do the same as us when the relic recovers its powers." King Leonidas told Adrian without any pretense. "A monster horde event could be a good thing for Avalon though since the monsters around are not that powerful. A lot of newbies would go here more because of the fat experience points." Adrian thought which made him smile contrary to the expected fear that one would have when they know they will get hit by a monster horde.

"Time to sleep. Good thing I have this sleeping mask that can switch to sleeping mode in the game." Adrian muttered as he entered his room and located his floating asteroid bed.

[You have used the Sleepy Mask.]

[You will be transported to the Land of Dreams.]

[With your current level, you can only get 10% mastery when training in the Land of Dreams.]

Adrian saw pitch black darkness as soon as he read the notifications. He then opened his eyes and entered the Land of Dreams where it is like a special place in the world that opened up when the God of Dreams Morpheus became more interested in the mortal realm. This place is like a training ground for skills where people could train mastery without using materials in the waking world. The downside is that mastery does not rise fast and is lesser.

Adrian's dream world is a mish mash of things that represent him. It is like a chaotic mess of time, space, and force bent in different ways. It is something that cannot be comprehended unless one is a demon. There are also signs of life and death magic around, but they are merely accents to the chaotic nature of his own dreamland.

"My nights may pass but dreams will last. I, Equinox the Mediator of Death, wishes for an audience with the God of Dreams Morpheus." Adrian chanted as he also created the sigil of the God of Dreams Morpheus which looked like a sand pouch.

The sigil suddenly glowed bright with divine energy and Adrian's dreamland suddenly shook. A powerful entity created a gate made of clouds and sand. The God of Dreams Morpheus came out of this gate with his unique attire that would mistake him for the God of Nightmares instead, but he is also that kind of god.

"You have called young mediator. Although, I do not like to take audiences personally, but you have invoked me using your prestige. I already know what you want and yes, I can provide you with that information for a price." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated.

"I even prepared a whole dialogue but it you already know it then that saves time. I also need something else other than those things I want initially." Adrian stated.

"Oh? Tell me then. I am a bit intrigued." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated.

"Do primordial beasts dream? If so, can I track them using that?" Adrian asked.

Chapter 2306: To the Land of Dreams Again II

"You are being risky with your questions, young mediator. Still, I will amuse you and answer. The Primordial Beasts do not dream as they do not need to do so. They are not beings that are confined to the concept of dreams." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated.

"What if the are suddenly confined in mortal bodies that are programed from birth to dream?" Adrian asked which suddenly made the God of Dreams Morpheus incredibly curious.

The sudden follow up question sparked the curiosity of the God of Dreams Morpheus. If Adrian knew one thing to get the help of the God of Dreams Morpheus, then that is to insight his curiosity. Of the three brothers that are the child of the Goddess Nox, the God of Dreams Morpheus is the most curious as this personality trait sparks the best type of dreams in his realm.

"Interesting question. There have been so interesting changes happening in my realm as more nightmares are appearing. The nightmares are also invading the dreams of others which is why it is getting a bit problematic. The nightmares also take interesting forms that does relate to the Primordial Beasts of Sin." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated.

"Is that so?! Then that means you can help me locate them." Adrian stated but his dreamland suddenly trembled as if he offended the God of Dreams Morpheus.

"That is taboo, young mediator. You can heal in your dreams and even gain inspiration from them but one must not use the dreams to locate other people. If this happens then the barriers between my realm and the waking realm will shatter. Dreams and nightmares will manifest in the waking world which will be very catastrophic beyond measure." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated in a serious tone. "I see. I guess I overstepped my authority there. I apologize for my transgression." Adrian stated.

"As long as you know the rules then I will not make a fuss about it. Still, I should at least reward you for helping me realize the source of the nightmares increasing in my domain. You may take these as a way to suppress violent nature of the Selvaggian Creation Relic." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated as he gave Adrian something that looks like a cloud.'

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Item Name: Cloud of Clarity

Item Tier: Mythical

Item Type: Dreamland Special Item

Effects:

-Creates a calming effect that can regulate emotions to the highest degree.

Description: A special item that can only be given by the God of Dreams Morpheus. It is only given to those that have contributed to his special domain as one must have enough merit to even bring it to the waking world. It is also only given to those that have the complete trust of the God of Dreams Morpheus as items from his domain should never be used against living beings in the waking world.

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"Thank you." Adrian stated as he graciously accepted the item.

"I trust that you will not use it for anything else but know that you will face my wrath if you do not use it wisely." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated.

"I will only use it for calming the creation relic as I have promised." Adrian stated.

"As long as you know the rules then everything will be fine. It is now time for me to go, young mediator. I thank you for having a good impact on the waking world as many started to dream better. It also provides me with good entertainment as even their nightmares about you are very good quality. Farewell and may the dreams be ever in your favor." The God of Dreams Morpheus stated as he vanished.

[Do you wish to stop using the Sleepy Mask?]

"Yes." Adrian replied and his consciousness faded to darkness.

[You have received the Cloud of Clarity, and it is transported to your inventory.]

"Oh! It is directly added to my inventory." Adrian muttered as he checked.

Adrian immediately walked towards the Tree of Life and Death to hand over the items needed to upgrade the territory. The Tree of Life and Death told him that it will take care of the creation relic of the Selvaggians and the Cloud of Clarity while the territory has yet to fully integrate them. Adrian placed the all the upgrade materials directly in a special pocket space inside of the Tree of Life and Death.

Adrian thought that there would be no changes that will happen but there was. A chunk of earth from below the ground started to fly upwards to level against the other floating islands. A chain and small foot bridge could be seen being formed as well. A floating island ten times smaller than the others could be seen being added to Avalon. This sight made all the players in the territory clamor as another island was being added.

"I thought you said there would be no changes?" Adrian asked.

"I thought so as well but it seems that you are very favored by your Land Deity. It is the one diverting some of its own energy to create the floating island. It will be completed within two months or less which means that my initial timeline is still there. The blessings you will receive from creating another island will also be available only at that time only.

[Your territory, Avalon, has created a temporary floating island.]

[Your territory, Avalon, is now able to be chosen as a destination for players that choose the Selvaggian Race.]

[A portal that leads to the Wilde has been created in your temporary floating island.] [This portal can only be used as a one-way entrance to the Wilde for players that start as Selvaggians in Avalon. This portal will only display its full capabilities once the temporary floating island becomes complete.]

"At least they can go to the Wilde without the aid of the other portals which should solve the way of getting some skills for them." Adrian thought but a message sent to him by a close friend made his jaw drop.

Chapter 2307: Suddenly Accused [Please help me, my friend. I am suddenly accused of embezzling.]

"Sorry but I cannot help you with that in real life." Adrian replied.

[I did not mean in real life! I meant inside the game!]

"I do not want to get banned so it was nice knowing you while it lasted." Adrian replied once again.

[Please come to the merchant guild branch here in Avalon. I will explain everything once you get here.]

"Fine. Wait for me and do not get any ideas of escaping but if you do... just so you know and you did not hear it from me. There is a special dimension where communication magic is unreachable and cannot be traced. You did not hear it from me though." Adrian replied.

[...]

"I will go there now. I am just playing with you, but you know the options. (winky face emoji)" Adrian replied.

Adrian arrived at the merchant guild in Avalon, and everything seems to be operating as usual. He was even greeted by one of the attendants and led to the branch guild leader office. Adrian reached the office where Piggy Bank is and immediately noticed the tense atmosphere as if the owner of the room knew that he was being monitored. "I am here. Now can you explain what you need to say to me?" Adrian stated as he suddenly snapped his fingers to isolate the space within the pocket dimension.

"Am I safe to say everything that I can say?" Piggy Bank asked.

"If they installed a magic spell here that can transfer sound then we are safe. I have created an isolation from the real world. They would hear static though which might make them even more likely to believe what you are accused of." Adrian stated.

"Hearing static is fine as they believe that I do not know that they have already wiretapped all the walls in my office. They would just think that is a defensive measure with the pocket dimension the guild is operating in." Piggy Bank stated.

"Seeing that your sweaty and on the verge of a breakdown, I think you have a problem with the main merchant guild?" Adrian asked as nothing could make his merchant friend this nervous except for a few things. Even dungeons do not faze him even though he has a merchant job class.

Piggy Bank gulped and took a glass of water before answering," You are correct. They suddenly barged in here and told me that I was being accused of embezzling funds that are supposed to be sent to the main merchant guild. I already presented them my ledgers and all records were also copied by them."

"You did not embezzle any funds though, right?" Adrian asked seriously.

"Why would I do that!? I am one of the few players that have become a branch manager of a merchant guild. This is very difficult to do as they do not trust us players that much, but I managed to do it. Of course, this is due to you having that contract that I should be the branch manager here if a merchant guild is to be situated here but still..." Piggy Bank stated.

"Ok, I believe you so please stop crying with your jiggly body." Adrian stated as he noticed that Piggy Bank's avatar has become rounder for some reason.

"Did you find out who accused you? Want me to send them off to the other side?" Adrian asked.

"That would just make it even more suspicious. The one that accused me suddenly getting killed might let them think that I am suddenly hiring assassins after them or something." Piggy Bank stated.

"Is that so? There are some knights already here though." Adrian stated as he could sense the presence of some strong NPCs which made him cancel the spatial isolation.

"Piggy Bank! You are hereby arrested for hiring assassins against your accuser." Three NPC knights suddenly barged in, and their leader stated the announcement which made Piggy Bank run towards Adrian.

"I do not even know my accuser and you dare say such things to me! This is not right! You are slandering me! I even gave all the records here!" Piggy Bank retorted as he was now behind Adrian.

"Silence! You are to be arrested now. Get him." The knight leader stated and the two beside him started to walk towards Piggy Bank.

"Who gave you the authority to do arrests at my own territory without even informing me?" Adrian coldly stated as his voice felt like it became lower than before.

The two knights that were about to take Piggy Bank suddenly felt gravity increase for them. They tried taking a few more steps but both of them had to stop themselves from kissing the floor. The knight leader gulped as Adrian no longer hid his powerful presence which made all of the beings in the merchant guild have their skin crawling.

"You do not have authority here, Lord of Avalon. The merchant guild is an independent entity and each of its branches is treated as an extension of its influence." The knight leader stated but he was quivering.

"Is that so? There was nothing like that stated in the document that I signed. In Avalon, I own everything even this building that you are in. I can easily destroy it and turn it into a black hole should I desire. Tell me again, what do you mean I have no authority here?" Adrian stated in a cold tone.

"Forgive the transgression of the knights, Lord of Avalon. They were merely sent here to get Branch Leader Piggy Bank for his trial. I admit that they are a bit on the brash side and even rushed here without informing you. For that, I apologize on behalf of the main merchant guild." A wizard stated as he bowed to Adrian as he was not that affected by the aura that he released.

"I was waiting for you to announce yourself. I thought you would just keep quite until I squish one of them to a meat paste. And you are?" Adrian stated.

"I am the High Wizard Dore. I am pleased to meet the Lord of Avalon that I have heard so much about. If I may, can you please release them as they have suffered enough." The High Wiard Dore stated which Adrian somewhat sees as a challenge but nothing he could not

handle.

"Do you want them to stop kneeling?" Adrian asked Piggy Bank.

"Are you asking me about it?" Piggy Bank asked back.

"I am asking the ghost in your office as it seems to be enjoying their suffering." Adrian answered sarcastically.

"I think you could release them. High Wizard Dore is someone trustworthy and impartial." Piggy Bank replied and Adrian released his gravity manipulation which made the two knights stand up albeit a bit wobbly.

"Care to explain how my friend here suddenly got accused of embezzling and then accused of hiring assassins when the first accusation could not be justified?" Adrian stated with a smile

but the aura around him was not happy.

"You are not privy to the concerns of the merchant guild, Lord of Avalon." The knight leader stated but that only made Adrian's eyebrow twitch. This miniscule eyebrow twitch suddenly blasted a small pushing force towards the knight leader and injured his ear.

"You were saying? I think I have heard something wrong." Adrian stated as he opened his eyes to reveal an extremely sharp gaze.

"To tell you the truth, Lord of Avalon. I myself do not know why that is which is why I secretly followed them here to ascertain it. I will make sure that no harm will be laid upon Piggy Bank if he truly is innocent as he claims he is." The High Wizard Dore stated.

"We are wasting time, High Wizard Dore. With you and me here, even we can take down the Lord of Avalon." The knight leader stated as he drew his sword which shocked the high

wizard.

As the knight leader was about to fully draw out his sword, numerous hidden weapons from the shadows rose up. About twenty beings made of shadows could be seen rising from the shadows beneath the knights. Each weapon is deadly and is even coated in a special poison native only to the shadow realm where the shadow people live.

"You fool! Do you know that the Shades protect this place and its lord!? Sheathe your blade at once or you will not leave here alive!" High Wizard Dore shouted at the knight leader as he even used his cane to slap the shoulder of the latter.

When the knight leader released the handle on his sword and dropped it to the floor, the Shades that were Adrian's protection unit in Avalon returned back to the shadows. Still, the fear could still be seen written on the faces of the knights as one wrong move could spell their deaths. The knight leader could barely speak to the point that he was almost frozen in fear.

Chapter 2308: Bringing the Accused

I am what you call a High Wizard because I have mastered at least two elements to the highest degree. I can cast wind and water elemental magic up to the Mythical Tier. The Transcendent tier is in the realm of demigods and gods which is why mortals like me cannot cast it. Unless I ascend to a demigod then I will be trapped in the Mythical Tier forever.

This is also one of the reasons I accepted the job offer of the Merchan Guild when they scouted me. One might say that you only need talent in magic to become a powerful wizard but that is a feeble dream. You need both talent and money in order to breakthrough the limits of magic. I merely accepted their offer as an honorary member that will protect the Merchant Guild in times of trouble in exchange for things I need for my own research.

I was incredibly busy but the air in the merchant guild suddenly turned a bit different. Some branch leaders were suddenly accused of embezzling funds when they know that the merchant

guild is very heavy in punishments when it comes to that. One of the accused is even the new branch leader in the mystical territory known as Avalon.

I investigated who accused Piggy Bank because I have seen him before and judged that he is the most honest merchant I saw except for the Grand Merchant Leader of the merchant guild. He is not one to embezzle which is why I asked who accused him to see if it was slander. He is a very important member of the merchant guild in my eyes as he is the only one that the demons are friendly to.

It takes a lot for demons to trust you which is why he is already an important figure in my eyes. To us wizards, demons are the peak form of magic as they can easily weave time and space according to their wishes. They are the ones that we wizards should always achieve to be which is why suddenly accusing someone like Piggy Bank, that is friendly with demons, is not a step in the right direction.

There were already a lot of opposition when he became a branch leader, but the upper echelon could only agree. The merchant guild building pact that came from Avalon specifically stated that Piggy Bank must be the branch leader or else the deal will not come through. A lot of the upper echelon debated that the Lord of Avalon was demanding too much but the greed of merchants cannot be stopped by just that.

Piggy Bank rolled in and presented the likely items that can be traded by Avalon. High quality herbs, food, and even magic gems of high purity could be seen there. To add more honey to the pot, items from the world of Selvaggians and Forest Guardians are added to the mix since they trade with Avalon. All of these items are something that any merchant would want to sell and even keep as most of them are good for protection.

The most enticing item that the Lord of Avalon gave as a trade item are the incredibly precious Teleportation Scrolls. My mouth watered and my eyes bulged when I learned that this precious item is suddenly part of the trade goods. Although a limited supply is given, such an item is something that we can sell for a lot of money according to the merchants.

"Do not tell me that this is a trap teleportation scroll?!" One of the upper echelons asked Piggy Bank back then.

"No. As you can see there, a mage can enter the coordinates, but the distance should not exceed the continent as this magic scroll is only for continental use. You can also tag a specific location as the landing point for ease of use like cities or towns." Piggy Bank stated which made all the upper echelons unanimously agree for him to become a branch leader. Back to the present, Piggy Bank was accused by a rather backwater member of the upper echelon of the merchant guild. I was about to start investigating the old man when I suddenly learned that he dropped dead because of an assassination. What is even more shocking is the fact that Piggy Bank was blamed for the assassination when his summons was just given about two days ago.

Who in their right mind would be able to confirm a hit with just two days? He did not even know who accused him which meant that he would have needed to hire someone to investigate first before hiring an assassin. Something is fishy from the auras of the other upper echelons as if they are being influenced by something.

This eerie feeling started to happen when that new youngster replaced his old father in the upper echelon board. I never liked him from the start which is why I avoided him. I can feel that something was odd from him, but he was a normal human when I checked using magic. Still, since a majority vote was cast to bring Piggy Bank, I told them to do it gently as he is only accused and not the perpetrator.

I almost flipped the table when a majority vote was given to have the knights arrest him. This would not have happened if the Grand Merchant Leader was here, but he is in the western continent easing the tension in that branch. It seems that some suspicious individuals were escorted using our ships that sail to the western continent and those individuals' destroyed temples.

Seeing that I cannot stop them or the other upper echelons that wanted a softer approach, I decided to join the arrest team, but I only came to make sure that they do not hurt Piggy Bank. Three knights came with me as we even used a precious teleportation scroll to reach Avalon in one go. If the Grand Merchant Leader knew of this then he would have thrown them out of the guild in one go for using such a precious item. Still, I will not lie that I am also very excited to use it as I rarely get to try that thing.

We arrived in Avalon, and I could only be in great shock as even the knights that came with me are the same. The people that interact in Avalon are of different races, but the air here is different from some cities that are controlled by the guild. In the cities controlled by the merchant guild, there is a rule to not discriminate but there is still that underlying bias which makes other beings unable to truly interact with each other.

Here in Avalon, I could see different races smiling and greeting one another. Even their children are happily playing with each other even though the differences between them is stark. As soon as we arrived, I also felt the stares of the demons since we used a teleportation scroll.

It seems that they saw the merchant guild badge on us which is why we were not questioned as we just went straight to the guild branch.

The knight leader and knights that I accompanied are good, but they want to ascend the ranks. This led them to be incredibly harsh when trying to get Piggy Bank. They even forgot to introduce themselves to the other person in the room that is a demon. A demon that I, myself, could not stare into as if just looking will make my eyes burst.

If the demons outside made me shake in fear, the demon that is in Piggy Bank's office made me outright terrified. The demon that is talking to Piggy Bank looked completely different from the other demons as if he is above all of them. His demeanor also tells me that he is someone so important that you should never disrespect.

I might look slightly old in my 40s and the demon might look like a teenager but they never age. He might be hundreds of years older than me which is why respect must always be given. I was about to warn the knights when two of them suddenly charged but they were pinned in place due to the gravity being manipulated.

"Who gave you the authority to do arrests at my own territory without even informing me?" The demon stated which almost made heart drop as I immediately knew who he was.

I was about to kneel down and apologize while asking the knights the same, but this idiotic knight leader spat unnecessary words. The Lord of Avalon is an Arch Demon that can destroy the merchant guild in any city if he so chooses. I had to become incredibly physical with the dumb knights that came with me and beg for forgiveness.

Begging for forgiveness is the only way out of this because all I felt was death when I looked straight into the eyes of the Lord of Avalon. Those eyes are eyes of someone that can easily delete you in existence.

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I hit the damned Knight Leader, but this fool suddenly drew his blade. As soon as the hilt of his sword was drawn, I felt the energy of darkness surge in the room as our shadows suddenly became alive. Numerous beings that looked like pink skinned elves with dark eyes came out of the shadows pointing their weapons at us. "You fool! Do you know that the Shades protect this place and its lord!? Sheathe your blade at once or you will not leave here alive!"

I could only berate the idiotic knight leader and slapped him with my cane. Fortunately, he was not a total idiot as he realized that death awaited him if he pulled his sword more. The Shades that are said to be beings of the shadow that even assassins fear is now in my sight. The fact that they live in Avalon makes this place incredibly secure as they seem to be a security force.

When the knight leader let go of his sword, all the Shades have retreated back to the shadows. When all of their bloodlust suddenly vanished, I can finally breathe as I am no longer suffocated. The only problem is the fact that the Lord of Avalon is now in full rage demon mode as I can feel his suffocating pressure.

The Lord of Avalon might look like he is smiling but the mere presence that he exuded can make anyone choke. The fact that Piggy Bank that is behind him is not getting affected meant that we are the likely targets of this oppressive force. The two knights immediately fainted while the knight leader that came with me is now petrified. I am the only one barely holding on and I need to say something or else we might get sent back in body bags.

"Please quell your anger, Lord of Avalon. I am incredibly sorry for what has transpired. This should not be what the merchant guild be showing to you. As an honorary elder of the merchant guild, please accept my deepest apologies for this transgression."

As soon as told that sentence, the Lord of Avalon looked at me directly and we met eye to eye. The flames in that stare were like he is peeking directly at my soul. They did say that the eyes were the window to the soul, but this is the first time I actually believed that nonsense. I wanted to avert his gaze, but it was full of gravitas and splendor that I am unable to.

"I think you should not pressure them as much, Equinox. The two already fainted to the point that they might choke in their sleep. Also, High Wizard Dore already apologized sincerely." Piggy Bank stated.

"Well, if you say so then I shall forgive your very disrespectful tone earlier but remember that I will not forget. So, tell me High Wizard Dore, what are your plans for my chunky friend here?" The Lord of Avalon Equinox stated as he retracted his aura.

"Unfortunately, Lord of Avalon... I still need to escort Branch Leader Piggy Bank to the main guild. He must go into trial and be proven innocent in order to clear him of his accusations. I

tried my best to help him avoid suspicion, but a lot of the high officials want him to go there. I can only promise that I will even use my life to protect him."

I noticed that the brows of the Lord of Avalon rose when I declared such a bold statement. He then looked at Piggy Bank to check his opinion of the matter. Piggy Bank could be seen thinking deeply which made me understand that the Lord of Avalon is not a brute as they say he is.

He might be a demon, but he has both prestige and respect for those who respect him back. He also seems to be the person to give someone a base level of respect in their first encounter. The fact that these three knights were not dead yet means he also knows his limitations. Still, I know that he might have killed these three if he was really offended by what they said. Discover hidden content at My Virtual Library Empire

"Are you sure about this decision?" The Lord of Avalon Equinox asked Piggy Bank one last time.

"Yes. I am needed in the main guild, but I am also afraid since they just accused me falsely." Piggy Bank stated.

"Do you want a demon to escort you there?" The Lord of Avalon asked Piggy Bank to which I am surprised.

The fact that the Lord of Avalon would even attach a demon bodyguard for Piggy Bank means that they are not just business partners. They are true friends that will help one another in a time of need. This is very refreshing to see when it comes to merchants as some of their relationships are just superficial, but it seems that Piggy Bank is just like the Merchant Leader.

"I do not think that they will be pleased with such a bodyguard, and they might even become more suspicious." I told the Lord of Avalon, and he did not seem too pleased with my comment.

"I am not asking for your opinion nor the opinion the merchant guild as I do not care about your comfort. I care more about the comfort of my friend knowing that he will not get suddenly thrown in jail if he arrives there." The Lord of Avalon stated which made me almost faint as he released a powerful aura that made my knees weak. The knight leader beside me that was petrified finally fainted when he got hit by the aura earlier as well. I am suddenly the only one that can answer the wishes of the Lord of Avalon. No wonder this place is very secure as the lord of this territory itself has a presence that can make anyone faint.

"If Piggy Bank wishes to have a bodyguard, then maybe one will not hurt." I stated as I almost swallowed my own words.

Chapter 2310: Bringing the Accused III

I already sensed the three knights coming towards the door plus there is a hidden old man in the mix. I am really curious how they are going to approach Piggy Bank which is why I made sure to minimize my presence. Just as I thought, the knights barely recognize me which is why they became haughty in capturing Piggy Bank.

Seeing Piggy Bank panicked, I had no other choice but to protect him. I released some of my own aura towards them and two of the knights could barely stand up. I did mix some gravity manipulation with the aura, but it seems those two are weak. They could barely stand up when I only increased their gravity by a value of one while the rest are all my aura.

I tried talking some sense into these three knights but it they did not listen. I also felt this uncomfortable feeling when looking at them and sensing the area around them. It felt like their own aura of greed is being worn like a coat around them. This feeling is not something that I like sensing as this is the downside of such powerful senses.

I was about to punish them for their insolence but the old dude that was hiding showed himself. He introduced himself as the High Wizard Dore and it seems Piggy Bank knew him as well. Unlike the other three, High Wizard Dore felt like talking to a functional human being. He does not have the same aura as those three knights that I really want to crush.

I would have killed them, but I knew that this would lead to even more trouble. The last thing that I want now is dealing with headaches which is why I spared them. Even if I do spare them, any hostile intent will prompt the Shades hidden in the shadows around us to spring up and eliminate the threat. They always tail me when I am in the territory, but they do back off when I am inside the guild house.

At first, the Shades wanted to stick onto my shadow, but they all backed off when they saw who was occupying it. Instead, the Shades made sure to follow me in Avalon by jumping from

shadow to shadow. I was jus thinking on what I will say when the knight leader suddenly drew or rather tried to draw his sword.

About half of the Shades hidden in the shadows suddenly sprang up and pointed all their weapons at the visitor that we have. They only retreated when the knight leader dropped his sword. It seems that the knight leader's perception of the world shattered as I can already feel his disarrayed thoughts. He might be thinking of a way to salvage this situation.

I released my aura again about 40% of it to test how powerful they really are but all three knights fainted. The only one that can stand up was High Wizard Dore but even I can see his knees are already giving out. I heard from him that Piggy Bank needed to really attend the hearing in person. I turned to ask Piggy Bank but even he is not sure if he should go.

Seeing that Piggy Bank was indecisive, I immediately told him that I could send some bodyguards with him if he wanted to. There was a side comment from the old wizard, but he backed down after a meaningful stare from me. Piggy Bank finally agreed with going back to the main merchant guild. He was suddenly enthusiastic about the bodyguard, but I suddenly thought of something fun.

"How about I accompany you since I am not busy now?"

"Eh?!" Both Piggy Bank and High Wizard Dore exclaimed as they seem to not expect my suggestion.

"I believe that the Lord of Avalon must have more pressing matters to attest to." High Wizard Dore stated but I just ignored what he said and looked at Piggy Bank for a reply.

"Is that fine with you? I could take any of the Daemos Corps member that you assign to me. If it is too much trouble, then you could just delegate someone else." Piggy Bank stated which somehow made the High Wizard Dore sigh with relief.

"It is not a problem for me since I have nothing better to do. Also, I want to see the main merchant guild as well."

"What if they find Branch Leader Piggy Bank hostile because you came with him, Lord of Avalon? It would be a poor reception if they think that Branch Leader Piggy Bank came to fight as you are very powerful and well known." The High Wizard Dore stated but this time I did not ignore it.

"Will that be case if I came with you?"

"That will be the case even if another demon comes with me. Any external force that is not of the merchant guild will be seen as a threat if they enter the main guild. The High Wizard Dore is correct in assuming that I brought a tactical nuke to a normal hearing." Piggy Bank stated but I suddenly smiled as I saw a very interesting subskill on one of my skills.

"What if I do not walk with you inside of the main guild?" I told them with a smile which made them look bewildered as they did not expect such a question from me.

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"Will this really work?" Piggy Bank suddenly asked as he is stroking a small tiger cat.

"I do not know but I will make sure to just protect you as I promised. Thankfully, these three idiots did not wake up when we were in a discussion." The High Wizard Dore stated as he looked at the small cat that looked like a white tiger on the arms of Piggy Bank with great

nervousness.

"Just go in and make sure that you act normal." Adrian, who is the small cat that looks like a white tiger, stated via the messenger to Piggy Bank.