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Chapter 301 - The Arch Lich Pushes Back

Now that Valar is pinned down by the five named death knights, the Ghoul Asura could not unleash his full might in the war between two undead factions. Although the side of the Undead King is winning in a sense due to the buff that Valar gave all his allies once he stepped onto the battlefield. The Doom Knight that is once a great hero had to personally enter the battlefield to even the odds.

[The Doom Knight Mateo has entered the battlefield. All the allies of the doom knight will get a 20% increase in damage and a 50% chance to score additional damage from a critical hit when hitting a weak spot.]

The increase in attack power of the undead in the Arch Lich' faction might not be equal to what Valar gave when he went into combat but the 5% chance to get a critical hit more than made up for it. Normal players could only describe this as a lucky hit but it is a godsend for professional players.

The utilization of the critical hit chance additional damage is fatal to anyone when you have an in depth knowledge of the undead. Skeletons have a critical weak point beneath the jawline or the joins where the bones connect. The wraiths have a critical weak point in what some call their heart or the glowing ball of light that can be seen from their incorporeal body. The ghouls have a weak point located at their spine.

The Doom Knight Mateo did not join the five named death knights in pinning down Valar but opted to lead his battalion of death knights to charge towards the location of the Undead King. The Doom Knight Mateo and his battalion of death knights got up on their skeleton horses and charged towards the battlefield swatting both friend and foe alike that is in their way.

The undead players on the Arch Lich' side could only curse their faction leader once more as they are treated less than pawns but mere garbage. The undead knights are not the only ones that are having an ongoing battle as the liches of each faction are having an all-out magic war that also leads to catastrophic losses in fighting forces.

The liches of the Undead King's faction try their best to protect their troops with defensive magic spells but it is not the same concern for the Arch Lich' faction. Defensive magic spells are trickier and take much longer time to create than offensive magic spells. This is one of the reasons why the liches in the Undead King's faction is having a much more difficult time compared to the other faction.

Seeing the doom knight of the other faction finally moving, the doom knight of the Undead King has chosen to initiate combat as well. The Doom Knight Cruz summoned his trusty Nightmare Steed which is much different to the other skeletal horses that the death knights summoned.

The Nightmare Steed is unlike skeletal horses because its body is made up of some sort of dark fog. The eyes of the Nightmare Steed is glowing red and the same is true for its ghostly mane. The hooves of the Nightmare Steed even produces red flames just by stepping on the ground.

[The Doom Knight Cruz has entered the battle. All his allies will receive a 20% increase in defense and a 1% chance to completely ignore the damage done by an enemy.]

[The Nightmare Steed of a Doom Knight has entered the battlefield. All his allies will receive a 10% chance to inflict terror upon their opponent with a 0.1% chance to release Purgatory Flames from an attack.]

The effect that the Doom Knight Cruz gave to the Undead King's faction became very valuable due to them being pushed back due to the quantity of the opponents attacking them. Though the 1% chance might be minimal, it is still quite effective as many of the undead players in the Undead King's faction escaped death due to it.

The terror effect might not be effective against other undead but the Purgatory Flames is very effective. The Purgatory Flames is a type of flame that can only be seen in Tartarus which is the birth place of the Nightmare Steeds as they are made from the smoke and soot of Tartarus. One of the lucky undead players managed to activate it in his next hit and the enemy disintegrated to ashes upon being engulfed in the Purgatory Flames.

The undead knight battalion of both factions finally clashed and a shockwave once again spread out when the two doom knights crossed weapons. The intensity of that attack alone could easily kill a player below level 100 due to the force of the shockwave. The low leveled undead around them immediately became vaporized as a result.

The people watching the live stream of the battle could only stand up from their seats because of the new things unfolding on the battlefield. The battle has already been going on for about six hours in game but the battle has yet to form a conclusion. Even the Arch Lich who knows the attitude of the Undead King could not believe that the latter is this patient.

The Arch Lich suddenly thought of something as he extended his mana to have a grasp of his surroundings. The Arch Lich' mana sensor reached the side of the Undead King for a split second before the latter canceled it with an equal force but a split second was enough time. The Arch Lich did not sense two of the Undead King's subordinate famed for espionage and most importantly the child that the Undead King claimed as his son.

The Arch Lich suddenly felt an ache that spread out from his chest all throughout his body. The Arch Lich went ballistic and fired off wide range attack spells to indiscriminately attack anyone. When the Arch Lich finally regained his composure, a system notification appeared for the undead players belonging to the Arch Lich' faction.

[One of the life vessels of the Arch Lich has been destroyed. The Arch Lich Malus will have a 5% drop in stats until another life vessel is made.]

A news that shocked everyone to the core and which made the Arch Lich hasten his plans.

"Bring out the coffin! I will unleash the reaper now before all my spare life vessels are destroyed. Some of you return to the Necropolis and find the intruders or else I will torment your souls for eternity!" The Arch Lich Malus commanded in cold and loud voice.

"But master, the spell of Perfect Servitude has yet to be engrave on the bones of this dead man." One of the Liches stated as the spell to perfectly control this dead man should he rise is only halfway done.

The Arch Lich Malus did not debate but instead took the soul of the lich that dared to raise his voice against him. The Arch Lich Malus looked at the other liches if there is still someone foolish enough

to question him. The Arch Lich is now regretting lowering the domination effect on the liches so that they could cast spells faster.

Nevertheless, the Arch Lich Malus did not ponder it too much as he still needs some useful pawns to conquer the continent. Some of the liches and death knights left in order to return to the Necropolis while the others assisted the Arch Lich in resurrecting this particular person from the grave.

The Undead King Arthur thought that the Arch Lich Malus is acting rather strangely after the latter's outburst. The Undead King could more or less figure out the source of the outburst of the Arch Lich and that is the destruction of one of his life vessels.

The Undead king thought that the Arch Lich would have rampaged more and destroyed more of the latter's forces but a coffin bound in numerous runic chains is tossed out of the palanquin where the Arch Lich resides. The Undead King did not know why but he felt something ominous from the coffin.

Layers upon layers of magic circles suddenly surrounded the coffin as the Arch Lich with his liches chanted something. The Undead King did not take himself from a fool as he himself stood up from his throne inside the carriage and suddenly reappeared near the battlefield which made all the undead back away from him.

The Undead King Arthur brandished his sword and decided to destroy whatever was in the coffin before the Arch Lich revived it but it is too late. A burst of energy emanated from the coffin which made even the Undead King take a few steps back. The huge burst of energy made everyone halt fighting as an invisible pressure descended upon them.

A hellish scream is suddenly heard from the coffin. The higher rank undead all knew what this scream is and it is the Scream of Damnation. The Scream of Damnation only occurs when one's soul is forcibly returned to the mortal plane.

[A demigod has been returned to the world of mortals forcibly using forbidden magic.]

Chapter 302 - Demigod Undead

When the Arch Lich Malus is recuperating which is about a few weeks before the war, he decided to find a new trump card in order to conquer the continent. After a few days of collecting information about the history of the world, the Arch Lich Malus found a very crucial information near the land where he was sealed.

In one of the forgotten books that they collected is tale of a forgotten demigod who was not recorded in history using his name but an alias. The alias that they recorded him was a rather simple but ominous name which is 'The Pale Hand'. It is said that every battle that he entered is a massacre for his enemies as he always has a high body count for every war he participated.

Another alias that the demigod is famous for is 'Reaper'. He got that alias due to his favorite weapon being a large scythe much bigger than his body like an actual Grim Reaper. It is said that one swing of his scythe could decimate a hundred thousand troops.

The tales that was written on the forgotten book made the Arch Lich Malus desire this demigod but it is quite difficult for him to raise a demigod. If the Arch Lich still had the finger then he might be

capable of raising a demigod but it was stolen by the accursed Envoy of the Dark Gods. The Arch Lich had to find another solution so he told his servants to prepare for an early invasion.

The reason that the war became much earlier than expected is because the Arch Lich needed about half a million souls as a resource to pull back the soul of a dead demigod. The Arch Lich thinks that it would be enough to use that much souls to raise someone powerful. The search for the tomb of the Reaper became the priority for the Arch Lich.

All the liches in his servitude used all of their collective intellects to triangulate the possible area of the tomb. Due to the unrelenting nature of the undead, they managed to find possible locations in under a week. The undead then secured those areas and secured some souls along the way. They dug the earth using shovels and by turning the earth itself into golems.

In about a week, the constant digging finally bore fruit as the undead managed to unearth two tombs. One was the tomb of the great hero that killed off several monster species while the other is a tomb that looked normal but is deadlier than the other. If the undead would easily perish from deadly traps then they might not have retrieve the coffin of a demigod.

The undead even felt fear once they went near the coffin of a demigod because they could still feel the thick aura of bloodshed from it. The aura made the undead that know no fear tremble just by being near the coffin. It took a group of named liches to even contain that much deadly killing intent from affecting the surroundings.

The Arch Lich is so pleased with the finding that he himself used his powers to raise the Necropolis from beneath the ground. It was then that the start of the siege of kingdoms started in order to gather half a million souls while the other liches engraved the spell of Perfect Servitude on the demigod's body.

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Once the Arch Lich Malus heard the Scream of Damnation, he immediately took out a bead that is filled with smoke. The bead looked like smoke is encased inside of it but if one look closely then they would notice that it is filled with crying souls. This bead contained the half a million souls needed to properly raise the demigod.

The Arch Lich saw that the Undead King Arthur made his move but it was far too late. The Arch Lich already broke the bead and offered up the souls. An intense amount of energy descended upon the coffin which made the Undead King take a few steps back.

[A demigod has been returned to the world of mortals forcibly using forbidden magic.]

[The soul of the demigod is forcibly trying to dispel the magic that summoned his soul from the afterlife.]

Everyone at the battlefield could only gasp at the sight of infernal chains dragging a soul down towards the ground. The soul did not look entirely human as it lost its form and could only be described as a cloaked figure with glowing red eyes. This cloaked figure kept uttering screeches until his soul is finally pulled inside of the coffin.

The coffin then pulsated in a strange red energy that smelled of blood. All the undead took a step back as they feared for what is to come. This was the first for a race that did not know fear to feel

fear. For the first time, the undead players knew that some things cannot be overcome just because of racial characteristics.

[The forgotten demigod has risen from his eternal rest. The Reaper has finally descended once more on a battlefield and he demands souls for his nourishment.]

Another system notification popped up for the Undead King's faction.

[The God of Death is enraged by the blasphemy that the Arch Lich Malus committed. Whoever kills the Arch Lich and delivers his soul to the Champion of the Twin Gods will be blessed by the God of Death.]

[All of the Reaper's attacks will ignore 80% of the target's defense and its attacks will deal 50% more damaged on shields or barriers.]

The coffin finally opened with a loud thump as the stone cover fell to the ground. A figure dressed in tattered gray robes rose from the coffin. The undead demigod looked at the world before him and looked at his form but his head is filled with gaps in memory.

"Where...am....I? Whoo...am....I?" A cold and airy voice came out of the demigod.

A group of liches then greeted the undead demigod as per orders of the Arch Lich. The Arch Lich himself did not greet the undead demigod as he returned to his Necropolis to deal with the roaches infesting it. It seems that the ones that sneaked inside the Necropolis are much more difficult to deal with than the Arch Lich imagined.

The group of liches were about to instruct the undead demigod on what to do per orders of the Arch Lich but their bodies are suddenly sliced into two halves. The named liches did not even saw the attack that hit them as their bodies disintegrated into ash the moment they were struck. It was then that the undead demigod focused its eyes on the battlefield which sent a chill on the spine of every undead located there.

Chapter 303 - Inside The Necropolis Part 1

While the Undead King makes his presence known through the battlefield, Creepysoo devised a plan to infiltrate the Necropolis to destroy the life vessels that the Arch Lich hidden inside of it. Accompanying the prince of the undead are the two sister undead. Blanche and Noir are much more perfect for espionage and sneaking inside structures.

The Necropolis of the Arch Lich stood tall and had an air of dread wrapping around it. The Necropolis has four big spires made of the bones of creatures of varying structures. The undead like death knights and skeletons are all scattered across its dirt ridden bony walls. There are also wraiths scouring its dark clouded skies that even a bird would immediately die upon traversing it.

"We are here your majesty. We will enter the Necropolis but it is a stretch if I say that it would be easy." Noir stated.

"It is fine. I do not believe that it would be that easy anyway. Anyway, thanks for coming to answer my call for help." Creepysoo stated to the two who answered his call.

"Well, Papa and I have nothing better to do. The others became so busy with their own things since the whole world came up in flames." Soleil stated while her father flicked her forehead for speaking so brazenly. "Where did you learn those words, my little angel? I should probably restrict the videos that you can watch online since you have learned those awful phrases." Vayu stated but he knew that his daughter made light jokes because of nervousness.

Even Creepysoo has the face of being overcome with nervousness despite the aspects of undead to be unable to show great emotion. The only one who could join him in this sneak attack were the half elemental father and daughter.

Kabrakan is currently trapped in another realm where the other beastkins were. Peridot is still trapped at the east continent learning all she needs to know from her master. Solstice became much busy again as the Faceless Ones also intruded on the ranks of the vampires and werewolves. Equinox and Levin Cloud are missing in action and cannot be contacted.

"It would have been easier if Big Bro Equinox were here and he could have teleported us inside of the compound." Creepysoo said with a deep sigh.

"I believe that even that will be difficult for the Champion to do that as a magic spell that shifts the space slightly has been placed in this very area. If he were to teleport you then a black hole might result. Do not worry you majesty. My sister will be able to safely escort us inside." Blanche stated as she nodded to her sister.

"I just hope that the item that Du'an made with Elder Koronn would be effective in searching for the life vessels. I mean we had to sacrifice a few life vessels of our liches to make this thing." Creepysoo stated as he held up a compass made of a strange metal with bones as the pins.

"You do not have to worry about them your majesty. We did use their spare life vessels and they graciously offered it without being forced." Blanche stated as all of them are finally covered by a black smoke.

The black smoke came from Noir's black Victorian dress that seemed to be made of this black hazy smoke. The black hazy smoke just covered their bodies but those inside who have yet to see the effects were not convinced.

"This black smoke will hinder anyone from seeing us or even catching a whip of our existence despite it not looking very effective. Please be careful to not stray far away from me or else you will not be shrouded by my Black Dress." Noir stated clearly so that no one would stray from their path.

"This is so cool. It is like we will just strut towards the gates of the Necropolis in style like a graceful lady." Soleil commented which made Noir smile.

They entered the wide gates of the Necropolis without much difficulty as only unnamed death knights and skeleton archers to guard it. The Necropolis is true to its name as a city made of bones but another thing should be added to that definition as miasma fills the entirety of the place.

The miasma made anyone who is in the area lose health but it did not affect them since Creepysoo and the others are protected by Noir. The miasma could be seen poisoning the black smoke and eating it from the outside but Noir kept producing it in order to protect the others.

Creepysoo looked at the compass to see if it would point to the location where the Arch Lich would hide one of his life vessels. The compass' pin immediately moved to a location to the middle castle like structure. The compass is made to detect the most powerful life vessel in the location so it would not be confused with the life vessels of other liches. "It is not telling us to go inside the door of the palace but to that small door there at the side. We need to open it but that would make our position known to everyone." Creepysoo stated.

"My daughter and I will create a distraction while you three will go inside. Just hurry up and destroy the life vessel because I am pretty sure that we will not survive here if you take about half an hour." Vayu stated as a whirlwind covered his katana.

Soleil's stuffed animal started pulsating in a fiery energy. Vayu swung his katana and generated a tornado about thirty meters tall that swept the skeletons and even some of the death knights. Soleil unleashed Regulus and the fiery maned lion is now twenty meters tall. It seems that each of their friends have become quite strong since their last team up.

Creepysoo, Blanche and Noir did not waste this opportunity as they rushed towards the door where the compass points them to. All the focus of the undead at the Necropolis all gathered towards the two people who suddenly materialized into thin air.

Chapter 304 - Inside The Necropolis Part 2

Upon entering the small door, the three undead were surprised to see a pitch black room that even they could not see through despite the unique characteristics of the undead. The undead are born with Dark Vision which is a superior version of Night Vision. They should be fine seeing the inside of this room but for some reason they cannot.

"The darkness here is not natural but artificial. It seems that the Arch Lich made it so that even other undead would be lost here. Luckily, we have Blanche here with us or else we would be lost upon this darkness." Noir stated.

Even though Creepysoo knows all of the vassals of his father which is the Undead King, he rarely knows about Blanche's abilities because she usually does secretarial work. All that Creepysoo knows is that Blanche is called a White Lady which is a type of undead that is said to look like a lady wearing a pure white dress that is said to be one of the benevolent type of undead.

Blanche's pure white dress then shone in bright light while Noir receded here black smoke as she knew that her powers will clash with her sister's. The light that Blanche's white dress slowly glowed brighter until an area of about four meters could be lit up.

The surroundings can finally be seen and the inside of the room is more of a crypt. The walls are made of skulls while the floor is made of bricks that crumble a little upon stepping on them. Creepysoo looked at the compass to see if it can point towards the location of the life vessel of the Arch Lich.

The bony pin pointed north so they headed that direction with Blanche leading them. As they headed north, Noir tried to familiarize herself with the darkness covering the room as she wants to learn its composition. This is one of the perks being a named NPC which is that they can learn as long as they are in the environment well suited for it. There has been some players being rewarded due to helping named NPCs grow.

Creepysoo then suddenly stopped in his tracks. The bone pin on the compass suddenly started to go crazy as it spun in a circle. He did not know why it was reacting that way but Noir suddenly became alert.

Blanche seeing her sister's reaction suddenly illuminated the whole room for a brief moment. When the whole room became illuminated, they were shocked to see not one but numerous life vessels on the shelves of the walls but that was not the most shocking of all. A grotesque being that even the undead gets nauseated just thinking about is present in the room.

"A Corpse Eater!" Creepysoo suddenly shouted while reinforcing himself and the sisters with defensive magic.

The corpse eater is considered an undead that is the bane of all undead. Even the undead that does not show strong emotions will show intense hate towards a corpse eater. Even for undead corpse eaters are the revolting bunch as it not only eats the undead body but also the soul accompanying that body. Due to this, the corpse eater has no sense of self but only a sense of hunger.

Monster: Balbal (Corpse Eater)

Type: Named Undead Monster

Level: 180

HP: 100,000,000 / 100,000,000

MP: 10,000 / 10,000

Description: Corpse Eaters are said to be the most elusive of the undead as they secretly dig up the graves of the departed in order to eat them as its nourishment. Using its sensitive nose, it could sniff out corpses even if it is miles away. Upon digging up the corpse, it uses its magic to replace it with a tree log that is imbued with Glamour magic to disguise the corpse.

It sometimes does not even wait for a burial and just steals the corpse during the burial rites when the people are asleep. A certain forgotten church used to be in charge of burial ceremonies thereby eluding the Corpse Eater's sensitive noses.

"It is even a named one. What does the Arch Lich hoped to achieve by keeping one of this things?!" Noir stated as she grasped that the corpse eater in front of them is much different from regular ones.

The corpse eater in front of them is actually fifteen feet in height compared to the normal nine feet high ones. It also has long sharp claws that are about one ruler in length while its long tongue is like a whip that is one meter long.

Its eyes are just like the ordinary corpse eaters as it is pure white and sunken. Its body might be bigger but it still looks like other corpse eaters. The corpse eater is like a cross between a gremlin and a hobgoblin but thinner and looks bruised all over. Its mouth can open up to a meter wide so that it can swallow a corpse whole.

When the corpse eater in front of them no longer ran around the large room, the bone pin on the compass also stopped going crazy. Creepysoo observed the corpse eater better and something hanging by its neck. The corpse eater has a necklace with a skull burning in blue flames as a centerpiece.

"That is the life vessel!" Creepysoo pointed at the burning skull as he moved the compass side to side to be sure of his assumption.

The corpse eater then shrieked towards Creepysoo as if by instinct or its limited intelligence to not do what the latter is planning. The darkness then once again covered some parts of the room that is

not illuminated by Blanche. The corpse eater used the cover of darkness to move as the compass bone pin once again moved.

"Everyone huddle up and cover each other. It is using the cover of darkness to move. We are basically an easy target due to the light but we would be in a more difficult position without it. It could still smell us even if it could not see us." Creepysoo commanded.

Chapter 305 - Inside The Necropolis Part 3

The tongue of the corpse eater then lunged its way towards Creepysoo. The corpse eater attempted to entangle the undead prince in order eat him as it recognized that Creepysoo being the only one with a physical body. A dagger made of shadows is then hurled towards the tongue thereby cutting it.

The corpse eater emitted a screech of pain as its tongue is one of the sensitive parts of its body despite it being one of the most durable. It just goes to show that the shadow dagger that cut it is not trivial. Creepysoo sighed with relief and his buffs proved to be effective for Noir.

NPC: Noir (Black Lady)

Status: [Increased Strength] [Increased Agility]

Creepysoo used the spells Giant's Strength and Death is Swift. Giant's Strength increased the Strength stat of the party by 10% while Death is Swift increased the Agility stat by 15%. These buffs made the deadly level 200 named NPCs even more powerful.

Blanche did not idle despite being a portable light bulb as she made spheres of light and fired it to the known position of the corpse eater but it already moved. Given that the room is quite large, it is quite difficult to hit the corpse eater despite its huge size.

Creepysoo knew that they could kill the corpse eater but they would need to pin it down first. He asked Noir if she could just use her powers to fire shadow daggers all over the room. Noir answered that each shadow dagger would have lesser power if she makes more of it since it required concentration.

Creepysoo then noticed that the compass pin moved as the corpse eater also moved. He thought of it but laughed at himself for not immediately thinking of it. The compass might be accurate but they need to be fast if they were to catch the corpse eater that is moving fast.

"Twenty minutes left." Creepysoo stated as he was only given about half an hour to destroy the life vessel as Vayu and Soleil will not be able to hold off those hordes of undead after that time.

Blanche and Noir were busy deflecting the attacks of the corpse eater since it is now using its sharp claws but that would make the fight into a stalemate. Creepysoo could only think of one thing in order to succeed given the time limit. He needed to make himself get caught but the two sisters will surely not be okay with his plan.

"Authority over the Undead." Creepysoo stated as his voice now carried power.

Skill: Authority over the Undead

Tier: Royalty

Type: Vocal Control

Effect: Be able to forcibly control undead that are lower in ranking than you. The mana consumed will be proportional to the difficulty of the task and type of undead you order. Higher tier undead will be less likely to be compelled to do your bidding.

Mana Consumption: Varies

Cooldown: 24 hours

Duration: 1 minute

"Blanche and Noir, I will keep the corpse eater pinned down while you destroy the life vessel immediately. The destruction of the life vessel will be our priority." Creepysoo commanded resolutely.

"We live to serve your majesty." The two sisters replied willingly and stopped deflecting the attacks of the corpse eater.

Creepysoo then walked forwards but the two sisters still worried that the corpse eater might immediately kill the prince. The corpse eater then saw his next meal being unguarded but it was still not convince that the two sisters will give up that easily.

Creepysoo saw that the corpse eater is about ten meters away from him but it was being wary. It seems that this particular one has some intelligence left or it gained it back when it was named. Named monsters are something like pets that would grow found of you since you showed it affection.

Not only does the naming of a monster show it affection but it also somehow imprints itself onto the person that named it. The person that names a monster also expends some of his strength to pass onto the named monster to make it become stronger. It is more like a familiar that you raise and it will also die when it really dies which is why they are different from soulbounds.

The Arch Lich probably found this corpse eater and named it for its amusement to keep just like a dog. Creepysoo is convinced that this corpse eater is trained as a pet because it moves more like a guard dog rather than the feral corpse eaters of the wild that just indiscriminately attacks undead like a hungry animal.

Seeing as the two sister are not moving, the corpse eater moved far too quickly that even Creepysoo became surprised. The two sisters could only wait for the orders of their prince. The corpse eater grasped Creepysoo with its long and lanky fingers with its mouth wide open.

"Stop!" Creepysoo stated and his voiced echoed all throughout the room.

His voice carried both strength and dignity which the little boy rarely uses as he usually speaks casually with others. The corpse eater stopped its movement and just held Creepysoo in the air. The corpse eater is still an undead so Creepysoo's words are like the law under the influence of Authority over the Undead.

"One word made my mana pool decrease by 30%." Creepysoo shockingly thought to himself.

His mana is still being depleted as long as he held his command. The two sisters did not stay idle as they headed for the neck of the corpse eater to try and take off the life vessel of the Arch Lich. The corpse eater wanted to dodge but Creepysoo uttered another command.

"Freeze!" Creepysoo commanded which made him lost 25% of his total mana pool.

Blanche made a sword of light while Noir held shadow dagger on her hands as they jumped towards the neck of the corpse eater and slashed the string that makes up the necklace. The corpse eater then forced itself to move its body despite the focus that Creepysoo is maintaining. The life vessel fell on the floor just below the head of the corpse eater.

"Destroy it quickly! I cannot hold on much longer!" Creepysoo shouted as his mana started being depleted rapidly due to the corpse eater wanting to free itself from the former's influence.

Blanche and Noir then held hands and simultaneously chanted some words for five seconds. The two sisters then fused together creating a beautiful maiden that is still dressed in a Victorian era dress but the clothes became half of the dress of the two sisters. The left side has the white dress while the right side has the black dress. The name of the two rather the fused entity also changed.

NPC: Contraste

Level: 250

Status: [The Two in One]

Contraste then held her hands out and swords materialized in both hands. The left sword is one that is pitch black while the right is a sword of pure white.

"Monochrome." Contraste uttered as she did an X-shape using the two swords as she slashed down.

The slash produced an X-shaped sword wave that headed towards the life vessel and decimating everything in its wake. Creepysoo became flabbergasted as he sensed terrifying power from the attack. He could only hope that it will not hurt him terribly.

The X-shaped sword wave clashed with the life vessel and a hum of different energies clashed. It seems that the life vessel is much sturdier than they thought. Whatever materials that the Arch Lich used must be extremely durable that the most powerful attack of the two sisters cannot easily destroy it.

Creepysoo lost focus for a split second which made his hold on the corpse eater loosen. He was then tossed away like a piece of rock as the corpse eater used its body to shield the life vessel from being broken as cracks can be seen forming from it.

Contraste then caught Creepysoo and placed the undead prince down as she charged towards the corpse eater. Creepysoo then started mumbling words as his staff started glowing in runic symbols. Contraste then plunged both her swords on the forehead of the corpse eater and it stepped back due to the immense force.

The sword wave was still clashing with the life vessel but it seems that it was still not enough to completely break it because the corpse eater socked some of the damage. It lost one of its arms but it still ran towards the life vessel despite Contraste's attacks.

"Death's Touch!" Creepysoo stated as a portal manifested itself from behind Creepysoo.

The figure of the aspect of death then manifested from the portal but it was not solid like when Adrian summoned the aspect of death out of pure luck. The aspect of death then swung its scythe not at the corpse eater but towards the life vessel. The life vessel is then cut in half then it shattered while the sword wave continued on its path and hit the corpse eater.

[You have destroyed one of the Arch Lich Malus' life vessels.]

Contraste did not bother killing off the corpse eater as she picked Creepysoo up and bolted to the exit. The aspect of death that was summoned could be seen smiling before dissipating.

Chapter 306 - Undead King Versus Demigod Undead

The Undead King Arthur did not beat around the bush when he saw the five liches immediately being killed by the demigod undead which is dubbed 'The Reaper'. The Undead King immediately summoned his great sword that is almost as long as his body.

The pommel of the great sword is made of a silver skull with its eyes glowing in a blue eerie light. The grip of the great sword is made of some sort of crimson metal that shines when light is reflected from it. The cross guard is an intermingled design of dragon horns that made it look imposing.

The rain-guard or chappe has the motif of crowned skull. The most defining feature of the great sword is the black blade that shimmers in a pale gray light. The great sword held by the Undead King Arthur made him look much more imposing than he already was.

The Undead King Arthur emanated an aura of dignity that made even enemy undead unconsciously bow towards him. The Reaper did not immediately move from its position after instantly deleting five liches but it surveyed its surroundings once again.

The Reaper's vision then landed towards the Undead King as the latter held the most power that could rival him in the current battlefield. If the demigod undead was not revived against its will then it might have held some form of conversation but it did not.

The first thing that the demigod undead had was instinct and it was to kill the living. The demigod undead blamed the living that it was not able to have its peaceful rest. This instinct is what made undead become the bane of all the living beings because of their inherent hate upon the living.

The Undead King Arthur seeing that the newly revived demigod undead in front of him has that thirst to kill the living. The demigod undead was not revived in a proper manner so its memories should be muddled and treat everyone as an enemy. The Undead King Arthur might think that it is waste to kill this demigod undead but he does not want others to become an undead against their will.

Once the Undead King Arthur took a step forward, the demigod undead fixed its gaze towards the King of the Undead. With just one step, the Undead King Arthur immediately noted that this battle will not be easy. The Undead King Arthur could feel that the enemy in front of him is equal or even much greater than him.

The Undead King Arthur could only curse upon the Arch Lich for releasing a monster into the world. It was foolish for a mere Arch Lich to try and control a demigod level undead. Demigods are already the hardest individuals to kill then it must be almost impossible to raise them back as an undead. The mere number of souls shattered just to bring back one demigod must be enormous.

The Reaper is currently wearing a ragged cloak but it is emanating an aura of bloodlust. The demigod undead does not look like it has feet as it is floating about six inches above the ground. The only visible body part from it is the pale purple hand that shows signs of necrosis.

The most notable thing that the demigod undead is holding is a scythe. The bottom of the scythe is a crescent blade that is about one feet with it being connected in the middle. The long shaft that is about seven feet in length is made of a platinum colored metal that shines in a pale red light.

The ring of the scythe looks like a spine of a monster. The heel of the scythe is designed with a screaming with the blade of the scythe coming out of the mouth. The screaming skull is made of a red metal while its eye sockets glowed in an eerie green light.

The blade of the scythe is about one meter long and is made of a black metal with silver runes engraved on it. The blade of the scythe emitted an orange glow with a silver lining due to the runes engraved on it.

The Undead King and the Reaper did not immediately attack one another as they had a stare down. It was currently a battle of the wills but no other undead were not foolish enough to stand next to them. After about a minute of silence as the undead all cleared away from the two powerful entities, the Reaper made the first move.

The Reaper disappeared from its location in a puff of smoke. The Undead King Arthur extended his senses and immediately swung his great sword backwards. A clash of metal ringed all throughout the battlefield making everyone know how much power the clash of strength between to two really is.

The Undead King pushed the Reaper away using tremendous force but it cleverly slid the blade of the scythe to the blade of the great sword. The Reaper is not pushed back but it anchored itself to the Undead King. Using his right fist, the Undead King tried to hit the Reaper using compressed death energy but it dissolved to smoke once more.

The Reaper appeared behind the Undead King once more and swiped its scythe below to hit the latter's legs. The Undead King jumped to avoid the strike and moved his great sword to his left hand to retaliate against the Reaper. The Reaper then repositioned the lower shaft of the scythe to block the attack.

The ringing of clashing metals once again assaulted the battlefield. The shockwave produced even reached the undead troops that backed away to about fifty meters. Numerous exchanges happened in a brief second and the undead players could not even keep up with the battle.

This was the first time that some of them to witness a fight between powerful entities. To those who were watching the battle from afar using Farsight Orbs, they could only open their mouths in disbelief as the movements were still quick even with the battle slowed down.

The intense stalemate became broken when one world message reached the ears of everyone.

[The Prophet of Death has finally been awakened. All units belonging to the faith of the God of Death has increased their damage by 20% as long as they show devotion to the God of Death Abaddon.]

With just one world message, a surge of power is seen from the Undead King that made him swat the Reaper easily and send it back flying to about ten meters. The current stalemate has been broken but the Reaper did not back down as its scythe suddenly glowed in an intense crimson aura.

Chapter 307 - The Reaper

The boost in the power of the undead that are revering the God of Death came at a great time. The Undead King echoed a war cry that made all the other undead get the greatest boost that no other player has ever before seen.

[The Undead King Arthur is now at the battlefield leading his troops.]

[All the troops of the Undead King Arthur will receive a 20% boost in stats.]

[All the troops of the Undead King Arthur will deal 50% additional damage towards enemies.]

[All the troops of the Undead King Arthur will have a 100% chance to revive on the spot on the first death and succeeding revives will have a chance of 20%.]

[You are in the presence of the Undying Monarch. You will receive 50% more experience points.]

[All the buffs and blessings will be valid as long as the Undead King Arthur remains on the battlefield.]

This would be the most jaw dropping moment that any player could see ever since Pandemonium started. Some players have experienced war but it is a first that an actual king would go out in the battlefield and fight. The Undead King Arthur is a warrior first before a king which is why it is understandable that he would fight.

The effect of the Undying Monarch not only have a buff effect but also a visual effect. The undead under the banner of the Undead King became different. The skeletons had their bones become sharper and their armors turned into a pitch black color.

The wraiths now emitted smoke that is pitch black and their claws became sharper. The zombies increased in muscle mass while their claws became sharper. Not only that, poison started to ooze from their claws and mouth.

The patron god of the Undead King did not disappoint as the God of Death gave them another blessing. The blessing that shook the world of Pandemonium because of its effect that could only be describe as game breaking.

[The God of Death Abaddon has blessed this war and recognized it as a crusade against a defiler of the dead.]

[All the individuals fighting for the God of Death has been given a blessing until the Arch Lich Malus has been taken down.]

[All individuals fighting for the God of Death will have a 10% chance of instantly killing enemies below their level and a 1% chance if enemies are above their level.]

The players became ecstatic due to the system prompt as this was the first time an instant death blessing has been given. If those players knew that there was actually a player (Adrian) that has a permanent instant delete buff then they would be vomiting blood due to jealousy.

The blessing also manifested not only as a buff but also in a physical sense. The undead of the Undead King's army now had a black aura emanating from them. This was the indication that the blessing of the God of Death is upon them.

The army of the Undead King did not waste this chance as their will became solid. They all charge towards the army of the Arch Lich without fear. The Undead King also did not waste this chance as he charged towards the Reaper.

The Reaper was not idle while its enemies all became empowered. The scythe it is holding started to emit a crimson glow. The Reaper then made a circular swing using his scythe which then sent out wave of intense bloodlust that immediately decimated the undead near it.

A thousand troops of the Arch Lich became dust with one strike. The Undead King used all his might to block this strike so that his army will not be affected. The Undead King countered the scythe wave with a sword wave of his own. A black crescent sword is released from the Undead King's great sword.

The war once again became intense but this time it was the Undead King's army that is pushing back. The undead that became dust due to the Reaper's attack did not turn into particles of light. The dust suddenly started swirling towards the Reaper.

The Reaper's body then floated mid-air much higher than before and a mouth is formed from its hood. The dust then formed into streams of smoke like lines that is then inhaled by the Reaper. For every second that the Reaper is inhaling the dust, its strength increases even more.

The Undead King noticed this and used one of his most powerful attacks. The great sword of the Undead King suddenly vibrated fiercely to the point that the vibrations could be seen. The Undead King then jumped from the ground with great force that it produced a crater. His aim was striking down the demigod undead that was not supposed to have been revived.

The great sword of the Undead King cut even the very air as the air became silent as the sword passed through it. The Reaper then shifted its gaze to the Undead King rapidly closing on its location mid-air. Its lunch time was cut short as it felt the immense power that the sword carried.

The dust that swirled in streams stopped and scattered in the wind. The Reaper used its scythe to greet the Undead King but its accumulated strength was not enough for the latter that is buffed. The Undead King is basically on steroids while the Reaper just chugged an energy drink.

The great sword of the Undead King was too heavy for the Reaper that the latter was sent crashing towards the ground. The scythe of the Reaper also has signs of breaking as a small part of it is chipped. The Undead King did not relent on his attacks and kept his momentum.

The Undead King adjusted the area that he will fall to where the Reaper fell. The Reaper seeing its enemy chaining his attacks could only activate another skill that will possibly turn the tides of its current battle.

"Reaper's Domain." A dark and heavy voice came from the demigod Undead.

Chapter 308 - Reaper's Domain

The demigod undead that was revived and dubbed as The Reaper finally activated one of its more powerful skills. A domain skill is considered one of the peak skills not because it is difficult to get but rather its effect. The ability to change the terrain is something only those who have godlike blood possess.

Individuals who are said to have domain skills are often called as one who is closer to becoming a god. They are said to be closer to a god because they can change the very area that they walk upon which is described in the legends as blessed land.

Those who have domains are only called closer to a god because they can only change it for a moment unlike when a real god descends then the land itself will be transformed. The best example for this is what happened with the Silver Moore as it became a different area entirely. The whole terrain changed just because the twin gods descended even if the duration of their stay is short.

Another reason for people to say that those with domain skills are said to be closer to god because it is a requirement for one to become a demigod. All the demigods written in the history of Pandemonium are said to have a domain skill that is very much unique to them and no two domains are the same despite some sharing the same name.

A demigod's domain is also no laughing matter because it is so expansive unlike a normal domain that could only cover about fifty to a hundred meters. A demigod's domain extends to about a kilometer at least if they have yet to grasp the fundamental effect of their domain. The Reaper that activated its domain stretched to about ten kilometers which almost covered the entire battlefield.

The whole terrain changed into something so ominous that the undead actually felt fear and this time it was not ordinary fear but terror. The undead that is said to be completely immune to terror became afflicted by it due to one domain skill.

[A demigod has summoned his domain in an area.]

[The fundamental laws of the area will change to better suit the demigod that summoned it.]

[All enemies of the demigod will be afflicted with Terror regardless of the immunities.]

[All attacks made by the demigod will be afflicted with bleed if they are living.]

[Enemies that can bleed will receive double damage upon when damaged by the Reaper.]

[Enemies that cannot bleed will receive the shattered status ailment. Enemies with shattered status ailment has a higher chance of bone breakage.]

[The Reaper will have a higher chance of executing enemies when it hits them in a weak spot.]

[The Reaper will harvest the soul of those it kills. The souls will serve as nourishment to the Reaper thereby restoring its health. If the Reaper has full health then for every ten souls that it harvests will increase its stats by 0.1%.]

A flurry of system notifications are received by all those in the battlefield. This was a momentous occasion for the Pandemonium community because a demigod's power will finally be revealed but it was also disastrous. The players who are now present in the battlefield could only blame their luck and the Arch Lich for putting them in a difficult spot. Some will even develop a trauma towards demigods but that is a story for later.

The surroundings changed as an area of about ten kilometers changed so abruptly that the others inside could not even react. The clouds became orange with an outline of red and a storm could be heard forming. The hue of the surroundings became an ominous red that made the already sinister looking demigod undead even more frightening.

The aura that the Reaper emitted also changed from heavy bloodlust to maniacal slaughter. The Reaper even changed form as it finally has its hood off and some of its body parts were showing but some had the opinion that it was cooler when its face is hidden. The Reaper now showed its grotesque undead appearance that would shock even an undead.

The Reaper has half of its face rotting while the other half is still in a good condition. The most noticeable feature of its face was the small smooth horns it had on top of its head. Some of the live commentators speculated that the demigod undead is of the same race as that famous anonymous player that has risen in popularity lately due to the emergence of spatial magic spells.

The players that speculate might get it wrong but the Undead King knows what type of enemy he is now facing and it is one of the powerful ones that even dragons do not like to face. The Reaper is actually of the devil race which is said to be a race gifted with illusion magic.

The reason that the angel race have difficulty in capturing devils in the real world is due to their illusion magic that can fool even the eyes of demigods. Though the Undead King also noticed that the horns of the Reaper are not as big like that of a real devil as he already seen devils when he was still alive as a human.

"I see. The demigod undead is actually a Cambion. An individual that is half devil and half human. He is much more dangerous than a full devil if he has mastered both his devil and human side." The Undead King thought to himself as he gripped his great sword tighter.

A Cambion is a special type of offspring of the devil race and the human race. It is as rare as that of a half demon or Daemonio because they are rarely born into the world. An offspring that can maximize the potentials of both its heritage is said to both a blessing and a threat which is why some races explicitly prohibit these so called miracle babies.

A typical appearance of a Cambion is that of a human but it has the tail of a devil and half the size of a devil's horns. They cannot have bat wings because it is only a privilege for pure blooded devils. The wings for devils is a sign of reverence and authority.

This privilege is also a reason why the Cambion are hated by devil society. Even humans do not like Cambions because for the reason that they are different and it is taught to them that devils and their offspring are to purged from the world.

The liches that are in servitude to the Arch Lich all banded together in order to bring the demigod undead to heel. The liches combined all their magic to strengthen the spell of Perfect Servitude but they only brought the anger of the Reaper unto them. The Reaper disappeared from its position and appeared behind the chanting liches.

Though the liches have already cast a shield unto themselves, it was not enough for them to suffer the fate of death. The liches turned to dust and became nourishment for the demigod undead to restore the health it lost from the fight with the Undead King.

The Undead King could only scrunch his face because even he was not able to completely track the Reaper when it moved to kill the liches. The Undead King has no choice but to ask Du'an to cast buffs to not just him but also to everyone in his undead army.

The most breathtaking battle of the Undead will finally start while the army of the living is now marching near the battlefield to add chaos unto the battlefield. The spectators of the war between the undead are at an all-time high while another peculiar group will join in the war as it has now evolved into something that the army of the Undead King can handle.

Chapter 309 - The Imperial Army Enters

The Undead King Arthur thought to activate his domain skill but he does not want to risk the terrain even more. The Undead King Arthur might not be a full fledge demigod as of now but his domain is still from one of the highest gods.

The terrain will absolutely be affected once the Undead King uses his domain which is why the God of Death explicitly told him to use it only when he is backed into a corner. The Undead King still know that he can win even with the Reaper's Domain active.

"Release the first seal from the Death God's Sword of Devotion." The Undead King Arthur stated and the black blade on his sword suddenly emitted smoke.

The sword that the Undead King is currently wielding has been given to him by the God of Death Abaddon when the covenant was successfully performed. The sword is a divine weapon that the God of Death sent to the Undead King as a token of faith to signify that the latter could be seen as his representative on the mortal plane.

The sword then changed from its pitch black blade to something with a golden outline. The aura that the sword changed entirely as it even made the Reaper take notice. The Reaper then moved from his current location and aimed its scythe towards the Undead King.

Du'an already applied a few buffs on the army and the best buffs towards the Undead King. When the Reaper moved to kill the liches that tried to control it, the Undead King did not even see its movement clearly. Now with Du'an's buffs, the Undead King could easily follow the Reaper's movement.

The Undead King did not sit idly by and wait for the scythe of the Reaper to reach him. He met the Reaper mid-air and both their weapons clashed against one another. The golden outline of the Undead King's sword is not just for show as a wave of sword energy is released with each swing.

The sword energy even passed towards the Reaper which damaged it. The sword of the Undead King became more powerful than its previous iteration. The Reaper did not take getting damaged lightly as it would reappear to a group of undead (mainly the Arch Lich' army) and reap their souls to restore its health.

The Undead King would always follow it but he just added to the trail of destruction as each step he took will make craters. The Reaper wanted to become more powerful than the Undead King using the individuals it kills but the latter would always damage it to point where it needs a lot of souls just to heal.

The game of cat and mouse between the Reaper and the Undead King became so chaotic that they created distance from the center of the battlefield. The Undead King is keeping pace with the Reaper when the scythe wielding undead demigod suddenly made a sharp left turn and increased its speed to the limit.

The Undead King thought that it was off because the Reaper would use long range attacks to at least try and deter him from chasing but the latter just sped through. The Undead King finally knew why the Reaper suddenly sped up because he sensed it using a skill that he obtained when he was the God of Death's Champion.

The skill that the Undead King possessed is called Detect Life (Omni). This is one of the prized skills that the God of Death gifts upon his champions in order to serve him better. This skill allows the Undead King to detect all life forms in a radius of three miles from his location. The opposite of this skill is what the Champion of the Goddess of Life possess which is Detect Death (Omni) which detects life forms that are close to death or dying.

The skill of the Undead King picked up a large moving group of humans, elves, gnomes, dwarves, orcs and even dragonkin. If the Reaper kills this living beings then it might have much more potent energy to harvest which will make destroying it even more difficult. The Undead King could not hesitate anymore and had to release another seal.

"Release the second seal from the Death God's Sword of Devotion." The Undead King Arthur stated and the black blade on his sword suddenly emitted smoke once more.

The sword which has a black blade with a golden outline now has an added silver runes on its black blade. The Undead King then pointed the great sword towards the Reaper and the silver runes on it activated which released a mist. The mist that the silver runes released then latched onto the Reaper's body.

The Reaper was not able to dodge the mist that attached itself to its body but it did not bother as it continued its direction towards the living. The Undead King thought as much but he did not have to worry as the mist is already attached to the Reaper.

"Realm of the Dread Mist." The Undead King uttered and the silver runes shone much brighter than before.

The form of the Undead King and the Reaper suddenly vanished from the mortal realm and travelled to another dimension. The Undead King managed to avert the catastrophe that was about to happen if the Reaper reached the living army. With the Reaper no longer on the mortal plane, its domain also left but there are still some lingering effects from it.

The dark orange clouds on the sky did not disappear and the red storm still showed no signs of dispersing. The imperial army still continued their march unknown to the major catastrophe that they avoided thanks to the effort of their supposed enemy.

The imperial army continued to pass through as they destroyed any undead that strayed from the path which was mostly players belonging to the Arch Lich' faction. With the liches no longer having absolute control over them as they became dust, the undead players of the Arch Lich' faction could only flee when they had the chance.

The liches might have become ashes but the death knight and the doom knight was still in commission. They undead players could only play it smart and try to retreat to an area where they cannot be seen. It did not take long for the imperial army to reach the location of the battle and welcome the Undead with a full blast of holy blessings with priests from all of the holy churches or what is left of it.

Chapter 310 - Escaping The Pocket Dimension

Adrian suddenly realized that the expressions of the Twin Gods changed. He did not know why that happened as he did not receive the world message that an undead demigod was revived.

"The twin gods seemed to have frowned slightly before smiling back again. Has the war not been in the favor of the Undead King?" Adrian thought to himself as his mind wandered off.

"Champion Equinox...?" The God of Death stated as he waved his hands in front of Adrian's face.

"Yes!" Adrian answered startled because he was snapped out of his daydream.

"As I was saying, Mortem needs to have protection as the elves did not a good job raising him. I am aware that you know where you need to take him?" The God of Death Abaddon stated as he gave Adrian a look of assurance.

"He would be safer with the Undead King but he would be safest in a church that venerates you. The remnants of the Church of Death must gather. The perfect place would be a region where the Undead King rules over. Well, the promising Envoy of the Twin Gods will handle that while I will just be the muscle as the Champion of the Twin Gods." Adrian stated as he bowed to the twin gods.

"Mortem, my dear sweet innocent child. Remember that with your powers now normalized, you can now be apart from your sister but that does not mean your connection will be cut. Both of you are still kindred souls. Never one without the other." The Goddess of Life Gaea stated as she gently caressed Mortem.

"You have to be strong brother! I will always communicate with you. When the Envoy of the Twin Gods and the Champion of the Twin Gods are strong enough to unite the Church of Life and the Church of Death, we will finally be together then so we must be strong." Vitae stated with teary eyes as she proceeded to hug her brother.

"Wait! Did I just hear correctly about the fact that of uniting the church?" Adrian asked but he was cut off immediately by the Goddess of Life.

"Okay! The time you spent here I our divine realm has been more than enough and your bodies must already be straining. Off you go my children and have fun with life." The Goddess of Life Gaea stated as she waved the three goodbye.

"Death is always near which means that I am always watching." The God of Death Abaddon stated as he waved them back goodbye.

"That was a bit ominous." Adrian stated as his vision blacked out.

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Adrian's consciousness finally returned to his body and the light coming out from his eyes and mouth is no more. Adrian gasped for air as he was unconscious for a good amount of time. His health was now half because no soul should be allowed to easily enter a divine realm for a long time.

"Finally! Help me out here! We are in a bit of a pinch." Levin Cloud shouted as he looked like a wreck from continuously using his skills.

"Mortem, are you fine now? Can you move by yourself or do you need someone to assist you?" Adrian asked the little kid.

"I think I can manage." Mortem answered as he wobbled standing up.

"Uhmm...Less talking and more helping!" Levin Cloud shouted once more.

They were currently being attacked by fifteen elven sentinels and bombarded with elemental spells. Adrian seeing that they could not win with his current condition could only use Dimensional Teleportation to force themselves out of the pocket dimension.

"What are you doing? Anytime of the day would be nice." Levin Cloud shouted.

"I am doing something for our escape. I need you to buy me some time." Adrian shouted back but Levin Cloud only glared back.

Adrian started chanting his spell but this time he was feeling a resistance from the dimension itself. It seems that this pocket dimension is somewhat special despite being small in size. Sweat could be seen dripping from Adrian's forehead as he tried to focus on breaching the pocket dimension's space.

When Adrian could somehow feel that he can open a hole in the space, the hole suddenly shrank back to an inch despite trying to force his way out. Adrian might be an amateur but his control of the spatial forces is nothing to scoff at since he has been trained by Ascalor who is the best demon when it comes to space magic.

The barrage of attacks from the elven sentinels are now being tanked by Kanlaon as he is the sturdiest one of Adrian's soulbounds. But being sturdy was not enough as even Saena and Levin Cloud were having difficulties healing him from the barrage of attacks.

Sirius tried to attack some of the elven sentinels but he is currently being surrounded by three of them. Sirius could not escape to the shadows because one of the elven sentinels is proficient with light magic. Sirius' shadow magic is a subset of darkness magic which is why light attribute magic could oppose it. He had to rely on his physical abilities to evade and deal damage towards the elven sentinels.

Charon who was seeing this happen looked at itself and started to realize how useless he was at times like this. Since Charon was the recent addition to the family, the other soulbounds treated it as a younger sibling. It was always spoiled by the others as Sirius and the others would play with it every time they were summoned in a non-hostile environment.

The usual playful Charon who always exhibited a cheeky and mischievous attitude is finally selfreflecting. If Adrian knew of this then he would have congratulated Charon for this achievement of gaining more intelligence as it is a step towards evolution. Adrian read up on the forums that when common soulbounds gain intelligence then they will open a path towards evolution but it was no easy feat to pull off.

[Your soulbound Charon has gained the ability to think for itself in a deeper level.]

Adrian did not even notice the system notification as he was having a difficult time creating the portal they are going to escape to. Adrian then tried to sense all the energies that is trying to prevent him from ripping the space apart. He focused intensely and closed his eyes as he maximized his senses.

"Space...Time...Life...and Death energies!" Adrian stated as he suddenly opened his eyes from the realization.

The energy of life and death was so strong in this pocket dimension that it even overpowered the space and time element. Adrian just needed to tip the balance a little bit or use similar energies to force through his problem.

Adrian decided to use all his nether energy to rip the dimension apart as he enlarged his demigauntlets. Adrian poured all his nether energy towards his hands. Little by little, the small portal started becoming larger and larger until the size of a person could fit. "Finally!" Adrian shouted as he cast another spell but this time on the side of the attacking elven sentinels.

"Quantum Repulsion!" Adrian stated and the steady elven sentinels shooting spells at them suddenly got pushed away from their positions.

This moment of reprieve was what those holding the fort needed as Adrian shouted for them to retreat as they are going out of this pocket dimension. Levin Cloud who was looking haggard did not stand on ceremony as he grabbed Mortem and went inside the portal. He did glare at Adrian before entering the portal to tell his best friend that he seriously owe him for this.

The other soulbounds followed but the elven sentinels started running towards their location as no one is keeping them at bay anymore. Adrian could not wait so he sealed his soulbounds quickly once they were near him. The elven sentinels saw their enemies become particles of light and just outside the prison is a demon.

"Halt Demon!" one of the elven sentinels stated but Adrian did not listen of course.

"I am out of here! Peace out!" Adrian stated as he made a funny face and flashed his middle finger towards the elven sentinels before diving back first towards the portal. The elven sentinels tried to give chase but the portal closed as soon as Adrian entered it.