

## Shadow 1111

### [Chapter 1111: The appointed day \(1\)](#)

Tomorrow would be the sixth day. It is also the day that Jean the Time Monarch no longer be able to suppress the time differences between the Seresian world and Earth Prime

Some people did not know the true matter of this. But for most of the military and the ruling forces of the other world power, they all knew about Jean task on that hill.

As such for the past couple of days, there were many that wanted to meet Death Monarch or schedule a meeting.

The content of the meeting could be guessed. For many people, they wanted Death Monarch to reconsider.

The fight between Death Monarch and the Demon King from another dimension had shown something to the people of Earth

That they are still far away from truly being safe. Without Death Monarch on Earth, some people feared that if any intruder with the same kind of level of the Demon King appears, what would happen is a desperate fight for Earth survival

Of course, they believe that even if the Demon King is here again, they could defeat him. After all, it has been almost a decade since the Fall.

But.... the price would be too steep for humanity to pay. And that is only one Demon King. What if there are two or more beings of the same level with the Demon King descend down to Earth?

Could they still survive? Humanity had been hit with extinction level event time after time that it is almost a miracle, that humanity still survive.

Of course, some people don't know that even in the Universe, Essence Creation leveler is not as numerous as they thought.

Disk Formation leveler itself while not entirely rare it is not entirely common either

The fact that Earth, a world which only come into contact with magic for only a decade to birth so many levelers in the Disk Formation level is already frightening enough for the Universe to comprehend.

Not all alien life possesses the strength like the Seresian demon. But since not everyone knows of this fact, many people felt insecure.

They felt that if Death Monarch leaves intruders from other worlds would descend to Earth and wreak havoc.

As such, the Central Court for the first four days had been rejecting the request to meet Death Monarch.

Milos also did not entirely agree with Death Monarch decision to go to the Seresian world. It is a trap. Everyone believe it to be so.

That is the reason why the Demon King left a rip open.

And the Orvanians is already gone.

But even if they are not gone, Death Monarch would never let the Orvanian bomb the entrance to the Seresian world.

Milos doesn't understand much about the love affair of Death Monarch and the Ice Queen. What he knew is what most people knew.

Death Monarch, Divine Archer and the Ice Queen. These three people is involved in a complicated relationship.

If these three people are just normal people maybe it would not be such an exaggerated problem.

But because none of these three people are simple people, each action they take could affect the lives of many

But Milos is just one small officer in the army. His position in the army might be high in the eyes of the normal people of the world

But to those bigshots where every moves of theirs could create tremor all over the world, he is simply a small character.

Even though when he wakes up this morning and intend to enjoy his day off with Euris and his old friends, he could not help but thinking about what is going to happen tomorrow

Everyone knows that Death Monarch is a sentimental person. Touching the people, he loves is basically waging war against him

Even before he forms Pandemonium and have an army, Death Monarch, when he was still called Lord Shadow fought against the World Government by his lonesome because the World Government took his people.

So, Milos, even a small character like him knew that Death Monarch, regardless of the world persuasion would probably ignore all of those people and still went for the Ice Queen.

In the history of the world after the Fall and since the rise of Death Monarch, there was only one instance where Death Monarch listen to the persuasion of other people.

And that is the unofficial hero of the World Government, Pandikar. That is the man who persuade Death Monarch to pacify the world.

And the price for that?

Pandikar sacrifice his life for that. That is not a price that many people wanted to pay.

Inwardly Milos is sighing

The sixth day.

It is a day that some people are waiting for with anticipation and some others are in anxiousness.

Crime Alliance had hidden themselves in one of the many continents that has been popping up all over the world.

Milos had read the report that he got from the intelligence agency. The Crime Alliance had disappeared.

No one knows where they are now.

And they are being low profile right now. Milos bet that they are waiting for Death Monarch to go.

The moment Death Monarch goes away; some things are easier to do. Jean.... while powerful is not powerful enough to monitor every part of the world

And with many more paths available and all kinds of weird magical phenomenon that is happening all over the world, Divine Sense is no longer a viable option of monitoring the world like before

And the Crime Alliance is not the only organization that would be very happy for Death Monarch to go.

There is the Dark Syndicate which was badly beaten in the past by the forces of Pandemonium and many others crime organization that is very much excited at the prospect of Death Monarch going away.

They even hope that Death Monarch would die in the Seresian world. Not everyone could see the big picture.

If Death Monarch dies, then Earth would lose one of its most powerful protector. Death Monarch might appear callous but he is not entirely heartless.

And it is precisely because everyone knows that the Crime Alliance is waiting for the departure of Death Monarch that other organization is anxious and hoping Death Monarch to cancel his decision to go to Katarina

the whole world waited with bated breath, hoping that Death Monarch would change his mind.

And he sighed again. It is hard serving the strongest man in the world, he thought to himself.

Milos look at Eurus but Eurus seems to be thinking of something himself. He is drinking the wine but his eyes seem to be looking at nothing.

Eurus seems like he is thinking of nothing but he had been friend for quite some time. He knows Eurus also had his own thoughts.

Eurus is one of the kindest soldier that Milos had known. To him, Eurus is more than just a friend. He is someone who Milos considered as his own true brother

He is stern and strict but there is love and affection in his sternness

Milos could not share about what he knew with Eurus and he felt that to be a pity. The things he knew is not something he could say publicly.

It is military secrets.

He had known some unsettling moves by the world powers.

Yesterday, Time Monarch Jean could be seen in the Republic Senate Hall talking with the members of the Senate.

Then he went to see his family and in the evening went to meet the Right Chancellor before going back to the island.

That shock certain world powers.

Jean left the Hill? Everyone knows that because of the consumption of the portal, Jean did not have any spare power to even create a Time Avatar to go around the world

If not, he would have uses his Time Avatar to coordinate the forces of the Republic to quickly pacify the people.

As long as one has the help of a Divine Comprehension leveler, everything would become very fast.

But then there was no subsequent action from Pandemonium.

Everyone knows that Pandemonium would surely do something if Jean suddenly left the Hill.

Even though it is a voluntary action by Jean to maintain the portal, it does not mean that Pandemonium did not pay attention to that place

After all it is a place that Death Monarch surely wanted to protect.

And what Death Monarch wanted to protect is also the thing that Pandemonium would try to protect

It is just that unlike certain world powers, the soldiers and officers of Pandemonium settled on the surrounding small island to repel any people trying to destroy that portal

Some people wanted to destroy that portal so that Death Monarch would change his thoughts.

After all some people believed that if they destroy that portal Death Monarch has to stay on Earth

These people are all people that cares about the world. they do not mind dying.

But just because they do not mind dying did not mean that they would succeed.

Most of them were intercepted by the special forces that pandemonium stationed around the island

Jean already ordered that those people should not be killed and only captured.

After a few failed attempts people has started to stop trying to attack the portal. Regardless of that, for Pandemonium not to act there must be something else that happened

Since the news took a little time to arrive, the world powers was quite puzzled.

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It is only after a few hours after that, they got the news that Death Monarch has returned and went to the island to have a talk with Jean before Jean suddenly appears in Moscow.

From then everyone finally knows that Death Monarch is back

He could only wonder what Jean was talking about in the Senate.

Outside the room, outside the tavern, most people in Pandemonium slowly get the news what happened and the event leading to Death Monarch returns to Pandemonium

The whole world knows it now.

After his return, it is said that he went to the hill to meet with Time Monarch Jean and the Divine Archer.

The Divine Archer is no longer there and Time Monarch Jean also had taken a day off from maintaining the portal.

It is clear that Death Monarch had spoken some things with Time Monarch Jean and Divine Archer Sofia.

Some had speculated that Death Monarch and Divine Archer Sofia had broken up.

But nothing is confirmed and nobody dares to ask the question to Death Monarch

At the same time the world is waiting if Death Monarch would do something else.

After all, everyone thought that he is going to be in seclusion until the sixth day but on the fourth day he is already out

One thing is certain.

That the moment he returns, Pandemonium forces began moving actively.

And as it has been five days since the Multiversal Convergence there were certain things that the world powers had discovers.

In the days after the Multiversal Convergence all the world powers has been hard at work trying to investigate this new world that they are now living.

What they had found out was that there were some other Otherworlders that is stuck on Earth and had begun creating their own villages and cities.

Some of the world powers had even make contact with these people

It turns out these are the people that accidentally enters into this world when the Multiversal Convergence was happening.

Some of these Otherworlders were researching the theory of multiverse in their lab when the Multiversal Convergence pull them into this world

Amazingly, not all the Otherworlders that have seen this world wanted to go back to their world.

Some were quite happy to want to live in this world.

While some of them wanted to go back, it is also not something that the world powers could entertain and help them right now.

the reason is simply because the Orvanians had bombard the reality and the barrier between worlds on Earth Prime to cut off all the possible point of another Multiversal Convergence.

The World Power also had decided do discuss the regulation of travels between worlds in the next World Council.

Of course, the consensus of the common people was that it was Loki that was responsible. But the higher ups of the world know they could not simply blame Loki for what happened.

The barriers between worlds was weakened to the point it breaks is because all of the great powers had haphazardly travels though parallel words without thinking of the consequences.

To them Loki is the unlucky one.

But still, they do not know what Loki had done that causes the entire space and time to almost collapse and causes the barrier between world to completely break.

Other than the few people in the Three Great Powers, not many people know that the true culprit of the matter is Death Monarch

But the issue right now is not that

It is the problem of the Otherworlders who wanted to leave and those Otherworlders that wanted to stay

For those who wanted to leave, the only solution for now is for them to wait.

Until the great powers make sure that everything is safe and it would not lead to the instability of time space and distortion of reality, any travel to another world (except the open portal leading to the Seresian world) would be prohibited.

Even some of the factions that manages to get away from the original seven continents, whose power and influence of the seven great powers held no sway, would honor this prohibition

Nobody wanted to be the one starting another war with another world. That is a huge sin that they would not be able to bear.

Once they do that, the whole world would be after them. That is not something anyone wanted

That is the solution for those Otherworlders that wanted to leave.

As for those Otherworlders that wanted to stay, most of the world powers did not mind them and instead think this is good for the development of Earth.

Their reason is simply because these people ae also humans, only they are humans from another Universe.

Some of the Otherworlders that came here by accidents also held some interesting knowledge

Some of them came from a world of magic and some of them come from a world of advanced technology

Their brand of magic is different and their technology is also different. In other words, these people could give great insight to many new knowledge

The rationale and benefit of accepting these people to Earth is that they could contribute to the Earth prime development.

Most of the high tech technology of the world power right now is a mix of magic and machinery.

Some of them is derived from the creation of the Inventor and others by the research department of the world powers.

There is also the technology that is developed by reverse engineering certain technology that the world powers get from the Orvians the last time they come visiting

But other than that, it could not be said that the world truly had entered into a new technology boom.

With these Otherworlders that have different kind of technology method, humans could grow even more.

Of course, to those who rejected to accept these Otherworlders is because these people are not the true inhabitant of Earth Prime

the problem was it is more beneficial to accept the Otherworlders into the fold rather than excluding them.

because if the world powers reject these Otherworlders, what should they do then?

Kill all of them? Not all of the Otherworlders that cross the barrier line between worlds had come here to Earth Prime with evil intention.

Some of them thought that they have accessed the Multiverse from their labs. These are the scientist of the advanced technology world.

Some of them are being hosted in the Island of Peace right now

Some were sucked into it and brought to this world.

There is even an entire village reported to be sucked into the portals and falls down into one of the empty continent of the world

There is even a group of people that seems to come from some other world version of a medieval world

The reason why nobody wanted to kill them all other than these reason is because nobody wanted to be labeled as the devil, killing so many people.

Human population is at an all-time low.

If another event like this happened again humanity could be counted by millions. That is a low number

Before the Fall, human population is around seven billion people.

By now, that is only around 2 or 3 billion people.

There is no way to get accurate reading since they are also some people that have left Earth when they reached Disk Formation not to mention those who hides themselves from the world or any other kinds of reason.

That is not to mention some people who have the ability to build their own Battlestar to go outside Earth and seek a different planet to live

But one thing is clear.

Humanity is getting smaller.

But the world is getting bigger. Even if the world did not get big, with only 32 or 3 billion people in the world, there is enough space for everyone with a lot of resources to use.

But now, not only humanity population is getting smaller, the world itself is getting bigger that there is too much land and too much resources.

With an Earth is almost the size of the Sun, one could only imagine the many resources that exist and would exist in this new world

And they are new continent everywhere right now.

Accepting the Otherworlders seems to be a good thing

the world powers would give one or two continents for them to stay in

Many believe that after a few decade humans from Earth and the Otherworlders would integrate with each other.

But there are many points of contention for this matter.

Some wanted to separate the Otherworlders from the true inhabitants of Earth Prime while some others argue doing such thing would instead make the work of integrating them to the life on Earth Prime become harder.

If this were to be implemented, it would sow a seed for conflict between the people of Earth Prime and the Otherworlders.

Hence, some people argue that the Otherworlders must choose the seven great powers and stay there to learn about Earth Prime as fast as possible.

The reason that the world powers is not afraid of the Otherworlders learning about them is because most of the world powers had found out that these Otherworlders came from a world unlike Earth Prime.

And while they do have powerful advanced technology and some of the Otherworlders are also a spacefaring race, none of them, live in a world quite like Earth Prime.

Their people could not fly to space without wearing spacesuit. None of their people could level an entire mountain range with a fist.

In other words, what they find was that the world of Earth Prime to them is like the world of the Gods.

#### [Chapter 1113: The successor](#)

But the Otherworlders is not the only problem that the world powers now had to face. There is now all kinds of beast and new monsters.

This is unlike the monsters created by the World Orb.

The World Orb or to some understanding, the system created the monsters that is usually at one place and could be respawn.

The respawn time is dependent on the energy around that area.



All of these places when one looks at it looks like dungeons in video games. As such some people began calling it dungeon

Most of these dungeon is in caves, in dark deep abyss, around certain caverns or isolated places from human settlement.

And most of the military under the world powers usually uses these dungeons to train their soldiers

Some dungeons are public use and some dungeons are reserved for the world powers that ruled the dominion of that place.

The advantage of the system, ready-made monsters is that there is a pattern to it.

As such most of the world powers usually could save the people under their influence as they could predict a monster wave or a monster attack that is incoming.

Other than some few unique monsters that seems to have their own thought and their own objectives, most of the low level monsters had patterns that could be predicted.

But now with the addition of new monsters and beast that have crawled out from the dimensional tear during the Multiversal Convergence, the world powers had discovered something very alarming.

The monsters from that other worlds are now making contact with the monsters of the systems and as such, there is now changes happening to the monsters that is borne by the system.

It is like they are being injected with some kind of new power.

While the original monster that is created by the system would usually dissipate into colorful motes of light when they die and leave loot, the same could not be said for the monsters that come from the Otherworlds.

And now some of the monster that is created by the system is mating with the monster that come from the Otherworlds.

And what they discovered was that the offspring of such union, created a more powerful and more intelligent monsters

Some of these monster could even talk and have their own practice. Maybe some of them come from some kind of Beast World

That is the problem of the beast and monsters that is now roaming all over the world.

Some of them are small like mosquitos but some of them is as large as a mountain.

Some of them are deep in the sea and some of them is flying up there in the sky.

the other problem is the Crime Alliance.

Most of the places of the Crime Alliance, at least before the Multiversal Convergences was watched by the world powers.

But during the chaos of the Multiversal Convergence, the Crime Alliance seems to have found the opportunity to slip under the radar.

Right now, nobody knows where they are right now in the world. Even using Divine Sense of a Divine Comprehension leveler, it is hard to find them.

Time Monarch Jean had reportedly tried to search them using his Divine Sense without no result.

In the world right now, other than a Divine Comprehension leveler, no one Divine Sense could envelop the whole world.

And even then, there is differences, Jean Divine Sense could only cover half the world. Hikigaya could only cover one third.

And Death Monarch because of his connection with the Heaven Will could cover the whole world.

But even so, there are some places in the world right now, that is shielded from their Divine Sense.

Of course, the terrifying thing about this shielded place is that if they scan the world, they would not notice this shielded place because it is like a chameleon hiding

It blends with the environment so unless Death Monarch scour the whole world, looking at every nook and cranny of the world, only then he could determine where is shielded area and where is not.

Many of the world powers predict now that the Crime Alliance had shaken off the surveillance of the great powers, they would once again be active

After what happens in Socotra, most of the members of the Crime Alliance were laying low.

But now, the times are different.

All of this matter needs to be discussed in the World Council. But right now, no representatives of the world powers had mentioned to hold another World Council

Usually the World Council would happen once a year. If one wanted to bring that event faster, one had to gather all the world powers to agree to the meeting.

Of course, in times of emergency, the world council could easily be called.

The Multiversal Convergence and its impact to the world is without a doubt requires all the seven great powers to work together to quickly reconstruct back the world

But no one is mentioning to call the World Council

And some people think the reason is because of the current situation of Death Monarch

This is because unlike before, this time, the changes of the world are too big and it needed their big gun.

And their big gun is Death Monarch.

But who in the world right now, does not know that Death Monarch is intending to go to the Seresian world to save Katarina.

In the past they could hold the World council without Death Monarch participation is because the trickster Loki is there as Regent.

But now if Death Monarch goes to the Seresian world who is going to be Regent? Who have enough influence and clout to control the forces in Pandemonium

A lion would not have born a dog. Because of the influence of Death Monarch, most of the forces in Pandemonium are all lions.

They are powerful and the force they controlled is also enormous. There are only a few people that could control these forces to be tame.

Death Monarch is one. Loki is another. Death Monarch could make them putty in his hand is because of his strength and the loyalty of the high leaders of these factions.

As for Loki, he might not be as powerful as Death Monarch but whoever dares to underestimate Loki ability to scheme against you, truly does not know the immensity of heaven and Earth.

Other than these two, there is not many other candidates.

To enforce change the world now need an authoritative figure.

Because right now, the borders of the world are chaotic.

No one knows which jurisdiction they fall under. The Seven World Powers was created by Death Monarch in the World Distribution Event.

As such, now that borders of the great powers seem to change, there is now a need to redraw the lines of border between the great powers again.

And no one would accept the other definition and their judgment of their border unless that decision comes from Death Monarch.

But the question of the candidate for the throne of Pandemonium is what causing the world powers hesitate.

Other than Death Monarch, or Loki taking back the helm of the Regency, any other person sitting in that throne, it would not gain the confidence of the representative of the world power when pandemonium once again redraws the world borders

Everyone knows that Death Monarch is not interested in ruling the world.

He is not interested in expanding the land that he has and is comfortable staying in Pandemonium.

But the same could not be said for the other great powers and this is why they couldn't trust each other.

The whole world waited for the sixth day to come. It is the same in Pandemonium and it is the same in the capital of the other world

If not for the fact that pandemonium and the other world powers is now so far from each other, there would be many people coming to Pandemonium center palace trying to guess the thoughts of Death Monarch

In one of the tavern in Adern, Milos sat back down on his chair. Eurus look at him and said to him

'You don't think it is a waste?'

Milos smiles.

He looks at the thing on top of his palm. it is the diamond like objects. He bought it

Smiling, he shakes his head.

‘Who knows? Maybe there is some good information in here. And it is not like I lack the money’

Eurus only chuckles at this

‘Don’t squander it. We are not like those bigshots who have unlimited wealth’ Milos only smiles at this

They have enough rest for today. Today is still their day off. They need to meet a few old friends and drink with them too.

Since Milos is promoted to the same rank as Eurus, he need to also celebrate with his other friends. And Eurus his closest friend and might be his future brother in law also wanted to celebrate his promotion today

Even though the current situation of the world is quite chaotic, Eurus insisted that they celebrate.

If they were to wait until the world is peaceful, then they might have to wait forever. That is what Eurus said to him. And Milos himself is not a gloomy guy.

He likes celebration but he only fears that people might say that he is tone deaf with the current situation. The higher you climb, the more eyes that look at you.

It turns out that he is thinking too much about this. He closes his eyes and smile. A peaceful day.... when was the last time, there is a peaceful day in this world?

#### [Chapter 1114: Emergency](#)

Milos opens his eyes and shake his head. He sighed in his heart

Eurus is Vice General and they usually serve beside the General of the Army.

Wang Jian is the Great General, a title which is the same as the Supreme Commander of the Army for the World Government

The title of the Supreme Commander belongs to Raymond. He has a seal which enables him to override any order of any of the Quorum Council member in the military.

In other words, in World Government the supreme power of the military rested in Raymond. Of course, there is one other person that have such authority in the World Government and that is the President.

But in Pandemonium there is Three Great General who control three great armies. But even in these three armies, there is subdivision of it.

In other words, each of the great general could launch a military expedition as long as they could bear the price.

It is one of the privileges of being the Great General, having the power to unilaterally start wars.

Of course, there is some restriction on this and the Three Armies itself is not warmongering army

Below him there is five generals who control five armies. Great General have his own private army but the five general under him follows the orders of the Great General

In some weird way, the Great General is like an enfeoffed King. Wang Jian controls the south. Athena controls the West and Freya is a Wandering Queen.

And they are merely Vice General under the General of these Great Generals

Milos still have a long way to go to rise to the top

Eurus is one of the Vice General of the five armies. And it is also Milos new job. He still did not get assigned to any of the five armies but it would not be long before the letter of assignment would reach him

Milos would not have been promoted this fast if not for the extraordinary thing that is happening in the world right now

There are many vacancies in the army right now. many were injured during the war between Earth Prime and the Seresian demon.

Some also die in the war.

Fortunately, it is not because of the death of a vice general that he is appointed to the position. It is because of his contribution in saving one of the cities of Pandemonium during the war that the higher ups felt that he should be rewarded to raise the morale.

But because of the reconstruction after the war, he is still not yet assigned. He is given a few days off to prepare himself.

So, today, he wanted to meet old friends, talk about old memoires, maybe brag about their military exploits and just reminiscing on all of these old memories.

Of course, he did not expect that someone is selling information in the tavern.

Some of the information that he got from the object is information that he already knows. But there is some information in there that belong to the category of things he doesn't know

He pours down the last few drops of the wine into his cup and drink it all in one shot. Then he got up and slap Eurus back.

'Eurus, let's go' Eurus nodded. There is still some wine left in the bottle but he did not care about it that much as they walk outside the private room.

The tavern seems even more crowded as they could see more people is here.

Some of them are drinking merrily, some of them is trading information on the corner. Milos recognized some of them.

They are the members of the Mercenary Association and there is even some of the Rats. The Rats is another information gathering organization.

Milos thinks of the reports he read a few days ago and he could not help but think that the moment he went to work tomorrow; things would be very chaotic.

Milos position in the army is quite special. Even though he himself was said to have gain the favor of the Trickster, nobody doubts his loyalty

That is because the Trickster suggested many people and out of the many people he suggested, one could see that Loki suggested people based on abilities

It almost looks like Loki could see the future. All the people that was commended by the Trickster all had gone on to make great contribution to the safety of Pandemonium.

Milos special position in the army, a special position that some people did not even knows make Milos have certain access to certain information

He got a heads up from one of the people in the Shadow Guards that something big was happening right after the Multiversal Convergence happens.

Five days ago, as the army was still in rescue and safe operations, in one of the safe houses of the Protection Program of the Shadow Guards, someone was killed

And that person, whoever she or he is, this person must be important enough for the Trickster to kill

This alone made Milos understood the severity of this matter. And how important this matter must be for the Trickster.

Milos knows that the position of the other world power is to hunt and capture Loki and brought him top trial upon the World Security Council

He would be tried and punished. But that is the position of the other world powers. It is not the position of Pandemonium.

The ruler of Pandemonium had declared to the world that he would shield Loki. This action of Death Monarch gains universal condemnation...but that is all normal people could do.

Condemn. It is not like it harms Pandemonium or Death Monarch.

It is not like the whole world power would risk having a war with Pandemonium. Loki position and Loki safety then is something that is guaranteed in Pandemonium.

But that did not mean the people inside Pandemonium have to be happy about it.

Of course, some people do not understand why Loki did not return to Pandemonium even after being given such an amnesty card by Death Monarch

But Milos could understand Loki intention.

However, what he doesn't understand is why, amidst the threat that he would surely encounter in pandemonium, eh still after the Multiversal Convergence just ended, return back to Pandemonium to kill someone

And right after that, there is report that he got two days ago, that Loki had joined the Crime Alliance.

And suddenly, word on the street was some sources of information in the world was cut off all of a sudden.

Milos had quite a good idea who were killed and who the leader of the Shadow Guards is trying to protect.

When he put together some news he heard six years ago and combined with the facts of today, he couldn't help but think of one person in the criminal underworld that has been missing.

If it is as he thought, then that explains certain things about Shadow Guards source of information that always seems to be one step ahead of the other world power.

He couldn't help but think that these past few days is simply days for dark clouds to gather, for winds to congregate, all to create the biggest storm this world has ever seen

He shakes his head and reminded himself

'Today, let's forget about all of these secrets and conspiracies and enjoy a few days off without these secret bearing won on me' he thought to himself.

He thought of Monika who said to him that he needs to know to relax and he is going to take her advice

Milos who was about to go to those people in the corner change his intention and decided to let them off for today

He then looks down from the balcony, looking at the first floor.

He could see that some people that enters the taverns look at the quest holographic board on the center of the tavern first floor and some are making out in the dark places before being scolded by the tavern keeper.

One could only see such situation in Pandemonium, Milos thought to himself.

The reason he thinks like this is because Pandemonium is the least affected world power during the Multiversal Convergence.

Death Monarch at that time had attacked from afar and destroy many powerful threats to Pandemonium which makes the casualty of people in Pandemonium is not as high.

He then walks down to the floor and pay for the drinks and snacks on the counter. The counter had no one manning it. Milos just need to swipe his card onto the counter and the amount of money that he had used would be deducted

They both then went out from the tavern. Just as they went out of the tavern suddenly the communication device that is in his pocket seems to vibrate.

Milos immediately tenses up.

Eurus communication device also vibrates in his pocket. They both look at each other and they probably thinking the same thing

Something big must have happened.

### [Chapter 1115: The action of the mind monarch \(1\)](#)

As Vice General, when they take a few days off nobody would call them and disturb them unless it was truly necessary.

Milos and Eurus quickly brought the communication device out of their pocket. The communication device looks very much like smartphone before the Fall

What separates the smartphone and the communication device on Milos hand is that there are only a few buttons on the communication device and the keypad is full of runes and there is shining lines that connected each keypad.

Because it is the same as a smartphone, one might think that the way of using it is the same. But as they look at their smartphone they press a few buttons and then information streams into their mind.

They both then stand transfixed there for a second before looking at each other with solemn faces.

'Shit' Milos curses. He then looks toward the Centre Palace in the distance. He shakes his head and said to Eurus

'We have to hurry up.' Eurus just nodded as they run toward the temporary city lines. Milos is a Seed Forming leveler and Eurus is an Energy Disperse Stage leveler.

Even though Milos is only running his speed rivals that of a Formula One car. They chose the less crowded roads.

Amazingly enough that they both did not hit anyone.

When one reaches Seed Forming, they have full control of their body.

Unless they are distracted or there is an external force that broke their control, they would never crash to another person unless they wanted to.

If not considering how deadly and lethal the speed of the Golden Speedster, many people would have die each time he sprints all over the world

The reason they are running and not flying in the sky right now is because they do not have the authorization to fly in the Capital.

It is a no fly zone. And it did not only mean no fly zone for spaceship, it is also a no fly zone for any person.

This kind of law is new in itself because before the Fall, humans couldn't just simply fly to the sky.

However, after the Fall, as long as you have the corresponding attributes or having some artifact even low level person could fly to the sky like birds.

In Pandemonium, there is only a few people that is allowed to fly in the Capital airspace. The only time that this restriction is lifted is during the Multiversal Convergence.

There are not many laws in Pandemonium but this did not mean there is no law at all.

In just a couple of minutes, Milos and Eurus arrived out of the city lines.



Then they immediately jump into their own personal spaceship and both of them start the engine and fly to the sky. In just a few second, they turn into a dot in the sky and disappears a second later.

The reason why both of them is so anxious is because when they got the message from their communication device, it tells them something that is out of their expectation

Death Monarch had gone to the Seresian world!

An hour after that, the whole world was shocked to know that Death Monarch had gone to the Seresian world, ahead of schedule.

In the World Government Island of Peace, Hirate is walking back and forth in his office. He is thinking of something, his eyebrows creased and one could easily see that he is disturbed.

He seems to be mumbling something under his breath

Outside, his secretary is busy fielding the question of the Quorum Council member from the phone.

As for outside the Cloud Tower, there is the military guarding the tower. The Cloud Tower is a new addition in the Island of Peace and had just been completed yesterday.

In the morning, all of the belongings of the officials was transported here.

Because of the massive size of the tower and its heights, even though almost all officials have been assigned to their office, there is still a lot of empty offices and spaces

Inside the office as he is pacing back and forth, Hirate trying to clear his mind and organize his thoughts

He expected that there is a lot of cleanup job that needed to be done but he did not expect that all of these problems to hit him at the same day.

He didn't even have the chance to enjoy his new office before being plagued by problems one after another

He has many problems nowadays. And today, is probably the breaking point. Everyone is now anxious

An hour ago, he suddenly got communication from Pandemonium saying that Death Monarch had gone to the Seresian world

While he expected that Death Monarch would go to the Seresian world, he expected it to be tomorrow and not today.

Today was supposed to be the day that he and Death Monarch would have a discussion.

Death Monarch agreed to talk to him and discuss some things with him.

And the content of this talk is none other than the matter of the redrawing back the border of the world

Imagine his surprise when he heard that Death Monarch had gone to the Hill and step into the portal and went directly to the Seresian world

He still doesn't know the reason why Death Monarch suddenly changes the date of his departure.

Information is not as fast as before with the distance and the particles that hinder certain methods of communication

And Jean also did not use his Time Avatar to inform everyone. Hirate believe that Jean might also be in some kind of difficulties

If not, Jean would surely inform the whole world of this matter. At least, he would inform the seven great powers

He and Jean had an understanding.

And it is not in his habit to rely on another world power. After all, regardless of Jean goodwill, in the end Jean also has his own interest

His pacing become faster. Fortunately, he had muted the phone in his office.

If not, it would ring endlessly right now. He clicks his tongue.

What happened that Death Monarch changes his schedule? And how should one handle the matter of redrawing the border?

Did Death Monarch leave some methods? Or did he simply go up and away? Who is his successor?

Who would be the regent in his absence?

That is what in his mind right now. With Death Monarch victory over the Essence Creation Demon King, Death Monarch prestige was elevated to the highest possible level since the Weronian War.

Any action he takes could create large changes in the world. Hirate of course did not like it when his rivals become even more powerful.

But that did not mean he would do something to sabotage it. Hirate knows to see the big picture.

Right now, what the world needed is unity. The Seven Great Powers, regardless of the differences with each other must stand together.

World Government right now is very fragile.

Hirate sighed as he walks to his chair. This chair did not have any feet. Instead it is floating in the air.

It resembles the floating machinery throne in that secret room. The chair is a more enhanced version of the Cerebral Enhancement Device.

He sat on it and he frowned. He rubs his hand together and thought for a moment.

‘Sofia is a good target’ he said.

Of course, Hirate did not mean to treat Sofia as some kind of target to capture. The World Government had learned the lesson of trying to use Death Monarch loved ones as bait.

And Sofia the Divine Archer is no longer an easy target.

Even though she herself is not a Divine Comprehension leveler and just a Disk Formation leveler, no one forgets that she has Houyi Bow.

After the first appearance of Disk Formation leveler, almost all the world power research on how to defeat a Disk Formation leveler.

And since then, a lot of progress has been made. Other than throwing their own Disk Formation combatant into the battle to overwhelm the enemy Disk Formation leveler, there are also other methods.

For example, army formation. The one most famous using this is of course the Great General of Pandemonium Wang Jian.

But by now, most army belonging to the world power had already knows how to use army formation.

Then there is method of defeating Disk Formation leveler using technology.

There are some weapons especially the ones that is created by the Order of Thinkers that could deal a lot of damage to a Disk Formation leveler.

In other words, most Disk Formation leveler is no longer as invincible as when they first appeared

It took humanity six years to find a way to handle a Disk Formation leveler but even then they did not dare to attack Pandemonium.

There is something about Death Monarch that separates him from other Disk Formation leveler. And not to mention that Death Monarch is now a Divine Comprehension leveler.

But as for Sofia, even though, she herself is a Disk Formation leveler, her threat level to the world power was never that high

But the reason why no one tries to capture her again and using her as bait is because while she is just a Disk Formation leveler, she had the bow.

#### [Chapter 1116: The action of the mind monarch \(2\)](#)

The last time she plucks her bow, her arrows sails through the world like it had no concept of distance.

From what the research had shown, the Houyi Bow that Sofia possess had never been pulled and used to its full potential.

One could say the reason why Sofia is called the Divine Archer is not exactly because she herself is divine in her archery instead it is because she had a divine item

The artifact itself is an overpowered artifact.

The only reason why no one had ever been able to see its full power is because Sofia herself did not reach the requirement to use the full power of the bow

She is no longer a target that could easily be taken.

One had to think if they want to provoke a woman who could shoot a bow from the other side of the world and kill you

Hirate is sure if he tried to do the same thing he did with her like the last time, she would point her bow toward his direction and the arrow would fly toward him no matter how far he is in the world

Hirate position about Sofia is merely to target her for recruitment.

He doesn't know much about what happen between Sofia and Death Monarch, but he speculates that it must have something to do with their relationship

Maybe they have broken up. Maybe this is just another lover spat. Whatever it is, it seems that the Divine Archer is distancing herself from Pandemonium

Sofia herself is never that involved in Pandemonium internal working. When one asks any citizens of Pandemonium of their founder, most would say Death Monarch and Loki

Death Monarch might not be interested in where Sofia is right now but he is.

'I don't think that this will make him angry, right?' Hirate made his decision. He still has a lot of things to deal with today.

And he already delays the matter for quite some time. Since Sofia could now be considered an unaffiliated person in Pandemonium, why would the World Government not try to recruit her?

And it is not like he is going to force her. He is going to persuade her to join the World Government.

Even if she did not accept to be fully integrated into the World Government, she could also join in some other capacity.

World Government needed to forge some connection right now.

He sat down on his chair and push the button below the chair handle.

A compartment open from behind the chair as a metallic shiny helmet seems to float out and then a few nodes on the helmet seems to detect movement.

It flew a few meters higher and positioned itself above Hirate head.

The helmet is also upgraded.

It is no longer connected with wires.

But instead, one uses the energy around the surrounding to create an invisible line that connected the helmet with the internal working of the chair.

Hirate closes his eyes as his body seems to emanate a powerful psionic force. But this psionic force is contained around him.

Like a layer of membrane, one-inch-thick covering his body. And this energy became like a tentacle as it connected with the helmet

The Auto-Sensing capabilities of the helmet were turned off the moment that he took control of the helmet.

Slowly the helmet floated down to the top of his head. The helmet adjusted itself as it tries to adjust the size to fit Hirate head perfectly

Click!

The sound of a click could be heard as the helmet is fastened on top of his head. Hirate could sense everything in the room to its smallest details.

At the same time his eyes could see in a wide scope like he is an observer, could zoom in and out as he wishes like he is looking at some kind of recordings.

Powerful fluctuation of energy burst out from him and a shockwave exploded from his body. The wave like shockwave slammed to the wall like a rushing tsunami

Yet the secretary outside his office did not felt that there is anything wrong. The wall did not even budge

The walls of this office is created from Eluvian stone. It absorbs all kind of energy. It is the rarest stone in the world.

The only one that is known to have a large supply of it is Sina and Pandemonium. But because of its limited nature, it is something that is hard to find.

Eluvian Stone is hard to craft and hard to shape. Just to create the walls of this office using Eluvian stone takes years.

And it is not like all parts of the walls are made from Eluvian stone since that would take a lot of the already scarce resources.

Some of them is added with other stones that have some energy absorbing properties.

Hirate did not know this but Eluvian stone could be enhanced. It is the one thing that could withstand a Sovereign attack

This is the reason that in the future most Eluvian stone would fetch an astronomical price in the black market

Of course, no one knows about this ability of the Eluvian stone right now. If they knew about it, probably all of the world power would scramble to hoard as much Eluvian stone as possible

Of course, the prerequisite of it able to withstand a Sovereign attack is that it had to be enhanced beforehand

Hirate would probably cry if he knew that the stone he used to make the walls of his office could actually be enhanced and used to withstand an attack of such a supreme being.

Loki was even imprisoned in a prison of Eluvian Stone in the other timeline. Eluvian Stone is also not foreign to the Orvanians who uses it to write some prophecy onto it.

It is because of the Eluvian Stone that the walls and the entire office did not immediately explode into thousand pieces when energy bursted out from Hirate body

Hirate chair floats even higher into the air. Fortunately, Hirate had considered this before and design the ceiling of the office to be higher than usual

Right now, he is using the Cerebral Enhancement Device to amplify his psionic and psychic powers to go past the limit.

he had been resting for the past five days since his use of Cerebral Enhancement Device.

And he now had reached the Pinnacle realm of Disk Formation.

This sudden promotion to a higher level is connected to his action during the Multiversal Convergence.

He had gone past his limit, using his Psionic power to the peak and go beyond it. He had over drafted himself.

And he never over drafted himself since he became the President of the World Government.

And in that moment, in that moment where he was most vulnerable, it was like he push a door open.

And opening that door, his psionic power suddenly has some qualitative change and he is now at the pinnacle realm of Disk Formation.

His Disk Formation method is different than others.

As the higher he goes, the more different his way of advancing become.

It is not enough for him to have enough energy to break through.

His Disk is many in the beginning and have many variety of law but it had to be changed by the Psionic force.

So, right now, he only has one Disk, a purple Disk that represent Psionic Force.

Each Disk merged with the Psionic Force disk increases his psionic power and his mind power.

But as a person dealing with power that involve the mind and the psyche, what Hirate had to be careful about is to not let the power takes over him. He must control the power and not the other way around.

Hirate knows the risk of letting the power control him. He is careful not to use it to listen to every thought around him

Because, it could make him go crazy or lost his own sense of self. If you keep listening to other people thoughts, you began to think that you yourself are them

That is why he always needs to do it in moderation. In the Multiversal Convergence, he heard the silent scream of the dead, the howling and felt the despair of the people

The emotion itself threatened to make him break down. And in only in that condition, that certain requirement has been fulfilled and he increase his power.

But, he did not like to do that again, the only reason he did that at the time is because it was really desperate.

All of the surveillance program of the World Government shut down because of the Multiversal Convergence.

Radars, GPS system, the satellite in space all of them were affected. None of the conventional weapons of the world government could be used against the invading army

He had to step up at that time. He did not expect that in doing so, he breaks his limit. Right now, Hirate think is one of the good news that the World Government had.

#### [Chapter 1117: The action of the mind monarch \(3\)](#)

Hirate even though he is the President of the World Government, everyone knows his attainment in power is not the same as Raymond.

While that did not sour the relationship between the two, some people are worried that if Raymond ever had the thought of rebelling he could organize a coup and no one could stop him.

At least with him reaching the same level as Raymond, some people would ease a bit. But Hirate knows this is temporary.

Raymond...needs to go. Only if he let go, he could reach a high level. Death Monarch had even give him an advice.

He and Death Monarch while at times, they were enemies, right now they are allies.

And the world needs more Divine Comprehension leveler if they were to be safe from outside interference.

The normal people in the world do not know the immensity of heaven.

They do not know that out there, the moment that humanity could simply fly out to the sky and traverse outer space, manipulating the laws of the world around them, that they began attracting the gaze of powerful beings in that darkness of space

They need more champion.

The reason why he always kept Raymond by his side is simply because of his selfishness.

Hirate doesn't have many friends. And Raymond is one of his friend. He himself could not believe that there is someone in this world that he could call a friend.

For someone like him that treated relationship as nothing but give and take, to acknowledge that he regarded someone as a friend is a shocking thing itself.

Hirate focused his mind as the shockwave in the room seems to stabilized a bit. Instead of slamming the walls of the office, the shockwave coming from his body right now is like a calm wave that waves back and forth, following a certain pattern.

His Divine Sense slowly spread out.

What is impressive about this feat is that Hirate Divine Sense seems to possess some kind of gentle properties.

Nobody notices this Divine Sense passing through them like it is as natural as the wind blowing from the windows, like the air that is around everything and the particles that fills each space.

It is approaching the barrier of Law manipulation like those of the Divine Comprehension leveler.

Because of his promotion to the pinnacle realm, his psychic power and his psionic force had improved and become even more powerful

Even compared to other Disk Formation leveler, Hirate Divine Sense is ten times wider and more powerful.

If Azief is still in Disk Formation, even his Divine Sense width would not be able to compare with Hirate.

The distance that Hirate could cover with his Divine Sense is incredible. Even in this new world where Divine Sense is blocked by the interference of magic (magic particle), his Divine Sense seems to blend in with it, creating some kind of resonance of synchronicity

This enables him to use his Divine Sense almost like the world had never changed.

This is what happens when one specializes.

In all other categories, Azief could defeat Hirate. But in the use of Divine Sense, Hirate is clearly superior.

It is not a matter of realm of power. It is a matter of inherent ability.

It is fortunate then that Azief had maintained that advantage by breaking through to Divine Comprehension realm

And that he controls one third of the Heavenly Will. If not, his Divine Sense dominance over the world, would be in the hands of Hirate.

In some ways, the Divine Sense is like the satellite device that could see everything from outer space. Anyone who have powerful Divine Sense could know a lot of information.

Hirate could not do the full scan of the world like Death Monarch. But unlike other people it is not the magic that preventing him from scanning the whole world

It is the Will of the Heavens that pressure his Divine Sense causing him unable to scan the entire world

And even the other two Divine Comprehension leveler could not scan the world without exerting themselves.

But that is if he uses his Disk Formation level powers. If he added some auxiliary help, then he has enough power to scan one third of the world

And that is what he is doing right now. His Divine Sense is amplified by thousands of times. If he uses it to attack people, he could break one mind even without being there.

Of course, the moment he did that he would drain some force of the Divine Sense. Since he is not using it attack people and scanning the world, he need every bit of his energy

As his Divine Sense range become wider and larger, his energy drains even faster.

He felt resistance from the Heavenly Will but his Divine Sense keep spreading. It enveloped all over then island and he could see everything. He could see the construction project that is ongoing, seeing his officials and his subordinate.



And there are some places that he could not see. The places he could not see is the secret places that he himself had created

He created many methods to avoid the monitoring of other people Divine Sense. He is glad to know it does work.

Then his Divine Sense extended beyond the island. The vast world is now in his eyes. He could not believe how vast the world had become.

Even though he had seen some of the photos taken by their Battlestar showing the size of Earth, he still could not imagine the immense size of it in his mind

It is only now that he is using his Divine Sense he could see how large every tract of land and how vast the ocean is. It almost felt like the sea is an endless sea that no matter how long you swim trying to find land you would never find it

It is hard to describe such feeling of seeing such large sizes. It is like you are a person from a primitive world seeing a 100 story building.

Such immense size and height would make you in awe. His Divine Sense keep spreading and it spread like the speed of light

Divine Sense quality is not only determined by the size and width it could cover but also by the speed that it could travel per second.

And Hirate Divine Sense is now approaching the speed of light and the scene in his mind is like a blurry background.

If he has to take in every existence into account, his mind would not be able to take it and he would drain his energy.

His target is Sofia. He must not be distracted by anything else.

Chatters of people sounds like static noise in his mind.

The waves of the ocean, the blowing wind of the prairie, the heat of the sun, all of it is converted into mass of feeling that bombarded his mind.

Divine Sense is a method to see things, felt things and experience things.

When it is used the way that Hirate used it right now, all of this input turns into other types of information

If he took his time, even though he was not there in the prairie, he could feel like the wind is blowing on his face. He could feel the sun shining down on his face.

He could feel the waves of the ocean, the scent of the flowers even though he is at his office in the Island of Peace.

But when he speeds it up, passing by through all these places, it did not mean he did not feel all of this input. Instead the information bombarded his mind. And this is a crucial thing. He must not be distracted by it.

It is like someone crammed a lot of information into his mind.

And it is not only information that is being forced onto him. It is also the feeling; the senses being overloaded with so many so many sensations

But if there is something that the Mind Monarch is good at, it is focusing his mind.

And then he finally found her.

It took him only ten seconds. But his body in the chair is already panting and out of breath. His energy is almost drained but he saw where she is.

She is somewhere around the area of former Malaysia. Hirate knows the place because from the reports that is where Azief and Sofia are from.

She seems to be under a certain peach tree, leaning her body on the tree, sleeping under the shade.

'Ah, there she is'

#### [Chapter 1118 - The Arrow Of The Divine Archer](#)

Hirate using his Divine Sense is looking at the figure of Sofia the Divine Archer. Sofia did not yet notice someone is using Divine Sense to look at her

Maybe she is distracted. There are many thoughts in her mind right now. In the end, after breaking up with Azief....in the end she came here.

Where it all began.

Sofia had closed her eyes as she felt the wind breezing past her. The petals of the peach tree fall gently to her shoulders

That place where she was with him and made that promise. With her eyes closed, with the wind blowing, she let her hair follows the wind

The pain has been too much for her. She could not and would not be the second one again. She fears that if she keeps staying beside him.... she would hate him

And she hated if the feeling she felt for him...become hate. He had done so much for her. It is unfair if she hated him

But that is what she thinks would happen if she keeps staying beside him.

As she leans her back on that tree, her mind remembers the good memories. She still could feel his lips on hers.

She could still feel the heat of his body wrapped around her. She still remembers how it feels like when they hold hands.

She remembers his smile that is like the spring breeze.

The image of him remaining in her memory...how could it so easily be erased? And because it is not being erased, she is here.

Because memories are always beautiful. She let him go.... because she could not handle the pain. And he let her go because that is what she wants.

They both understand this. They both accepted this. Yet.... why does it hurt so much? Sofia knows that Azief did not search for her.

He could have. But he respected her enough to listen to her wishes. Maybe, as time passes this hurt would lessen.

But, she is still thinking about him. Azief ways of trying to lessen the hurt is to make himself busy.

As for her?

She was lost. Sina was right about him and her. They both consume each other like fire. Sina once said that she should not love a ghost.

And even though Azief is alive and well, now that she had broken up with him, what she sees is the ghost of their past in her mind.

She is not a weak woman. But when it is about him, she always feels weak. And it is the same for Azief.

She pours out tears where he could not see. Her heart is bruised. It is hard trying to forget someone you love.

So she cried. And she felt hurt. And then she became tired. And after all of that, tiredness drove her here.

If only she knew that Azief wanted to bring her here if she had said yes, what would her feeling right now would be?

And if Azief knew how hurt Sofia was in rejecting him.... what would he feel right now? She was about to fall to sleep.

And after she wake up, she would be determined. Hirate who was seeing this scene could feel the stormy fluctuation of the mind waves of Sofia

'It seems that she still doesn't know that Death Monarch had left Earth'

As he was about to attempt contact, Sofia who were just about to fall into a slumber suddenly opens her eyes.

And shooting out from her eyes is an invisible force that is shaped like an arrow. This force could not be seen by naked eyes as it uses the energy that is around her in an ingenious way.

The arrow is an arrow that has the trace of the world law. It cut the psionic force around the area. Sofia eyes is hostile. She still did not get up from where she sits.

But around her, sharp energy rises. Her bow that was placed beside her vibrates. Sofia held out her hand and the bow flew to her hand

When she was about to fall asleep, she scans the area around her with her Divine Sense. It is a habit that she had developed when she is outside a safe area.

When she scans the area, she found nothing wrong. There was nothing. And that is the suspicious part. That the area seems like it was too silent.

And so she shoots arrows from her eyes. And the moment that force cut the energy around her, she senses the psionic force.

And she immediately felt like she was being watched. Still in the sitting position, she aims her arrow to the sky.

The moment she aims at the sky; the clouds above seems to split apart.

She did not yet shoot anything but the force is enough to split the clouds.

And right now that is quite incredible especially when one considered that the distance between the ground and the sky is not like before

But it is not the sky she is targeting. This kind of psionic force is not in the heavens. It is everywhere around her.

If she had to describe it, it is like a tentacle that is connected with each other, entangling particles all over.

'Hirate is that you?' she said

Hirate was about to say something but she pulls her bowstring. She pulls it gently but Hirate could hear the roars of the force filling his mind

And the power and energy all around that mountain full of peach tree gathers around that bowstring in just a second.

One could see that the wind seems to collide with each other, creating gullies of gust near her.

A few thousand peach tree wither in almost a nanosecond. The grass wilted and the space around her distorted.

The ground beneath her feet depressed one foot deeper. The petals that was falling down flew to the other side like there is a repelling force around her

'Wait!' he roars and the wind around him seems to form.

The wind itself is about to shout that word toward Sofia. But, she had released the bowstring. There doesn't seem to be an arrow on her bowstring.

But only he who is seeing the world in terms of energy and particles could see that as she releases that bowstring, a million arrows the size of a needle flew toward everywhere.

It pierces the intangible and almost in a second all of his psionic force was diminished to nothingness

Sofia narrowed her eyes. Seeing and trying to sense if she failed. Then she smirks. There is no longer that psionic force around her.

She had managed to drive him back

'It seems something must have happened if even Hirate is coming' She only knows one person in this whole wide world that have such potent psionic force.

She knows after all of the secret Cerebral device that the World Government had developed. That is the only way to explain how Hirate could have seek her position.

She knows that Hirate is still in the Island of Peace. And the fact that he could seek him from such a million-mile distance prove that he is using the Cerebral device.

She did not mind Hirate seeking for her. But he had sought her at the wrong time.

Sofia herself doesn't know it but after being with Azief for all of those years, she also picks up certain habits of his ex-boyfriend.

She is quite domineering now. She didn't even let Hirate finish his word before she shot him down with her arrows

She got up and sling the bow behind her back. the peach tree behind her was unaffected. But the other peach tree around her are all wilting like their life force was drained

'I need information' With what happened just now, Sofia had a premonition something big must have happened to Death Monarch.

It is easy to guess. Most people would not dare approach her because of her connection with Death Monarch

But now, Hirate himself had seek for her. There are a few possibilities. Pandemonium is in trouble. Azief is in trouble. Or.... Azief had gone to the Seresian world.

Sofia then brought something from her storage bag. It is a card. And on that card is a painting of a cat. A grinning cat.

'I hope Loki is not lying to me' she said.

Yesterday, Loki contacted her.

She doesn't know how Loki find her but she was used to Loki mysterious ability to know things. She sent Trisha to give her a card.

And Trisha said to her that if she ever needs information of any kind, she could use the card to meet someone that would probably be able to give her what she needs.

Of course, there is price to be paid. But usually the first request is free. Unless the request is too hard

The card had a built in magic circuit build underneath the thin surface of the card. She swipes the card with her fingers and the picture of the card changes.

Looking at it Sofia thought to herself

'Ingenious' Then without waiting to see if more people would track her, she covers herself with the energy of the world.

While this would not help escape from the eyes of Divine Comprehension leveler, at least Disk Formation leveler would also find it hard to detect her.

Not to mention, she still has her bows.

Then she flew toward the sky, to search for the grinning cat

#### [Chapter 1119 - The Problems Of World Government I](#)

In the Island of Peace however, Hirate just got his backlash. The moment that arrow sever his psionic force, like someone pull him back, he was back on his chair.

He coughed up golden blood from his mouth and his face turns sickly pale. The veins on his head suddenly throbbed

Hirate quickly remove the helmet from his head and jump down from his chair. The chair is floating high, nearly reaching the ceiling.

'Deactivate Cerebral mode'

The chair suddenly floats down back to the ground and floats a few inches from the ground.

Hirate heave a sigh of relief.

'She is more and more like Death Monarch. Still, if she thinks I am just going to give up, she is mistaken'

Hirate knew that he had picked the wrong time. He should have guessed by the fluctuation of her mind wave that she is not in a stable emotion then.

He just had to wait until she calms down before he tried again.

Hirate then walk to the phone on the wall and call someone. He gives some order to the other end of the phone. Finished giving the order, he sat back on his chair

The chair is now back at its original position. He leaned back on his chair as the chair follow his movement.

He closes his eyes and rubs his forehead.

Doing such a thing is strenuous. His temple is pulsing and there is a sense of weakness that is rushing over his head.

It took him a few seconds of closing his eyes before his mind is calm enough. Then he pushes another button on his table.

A clicking sound could be heard from the oak table.

A holographic interface appears.

If anyone enters the room right now and look at the interface, they would see only an empty holographic interface.

Only Hirate could see the content of this holographic screen. It is encrypted only to show itself to the person who have the authorization.

This kind of technology is among many new technologies that could be used to guard information against Divine Sense

Of course, this did not mean that it is truly safe.

After all people adapt.

There is someone in the crime underworld called The Cheshire Cat. He is a hacker. Only what he hacks is not only programs but also technology

He is a bane to many technopath.

No one knows who this Cheshire Cat is.

Some people said that the Cheshire Cat is actually the operative of Pandemonium. Some said the Cheshire Cat is a hacker before the Fall

Some said he is a middle age man.

Others said that the Cheshire Cat is a twelve-year-old girl. There are many urban legends about this persona among the intelligence community

The reason he is called the Cheshire Cat is because of his calling card which is the picture of the Cheshire Cat from Alice in the Wonderland.

And that is why he never use the World Government server when it is about the confidential files of the World Government

In the holographic projection right now is the location of Japan.

Japan is still an island nation.

Only this island is too big now and it could even fit tens of Europe landmass inside it and still have a lot of space.

The problem with humanity right now is that they have a lot of space, numerous and abundance of natural resources yet the population when compared to the numerous resources is dwindling.

And the reason why he is looking at Japan right now is none other than to monitor Hikigaya and Oreki.

He sighed.

Even though his satellite on the sky had malfunctioned and some of them damaged, there is still some new tech satellite that had just been launched a few days ago that could monitor the area

Of course, because of the magic particle, there is some obstruction and it was like humanity is back during those early era of satellites.

Hikigaya and Oreki.

These two men were never that close in the beginning.

During the Warlord period they even almost clashed with each other, to lay claim to be the hegemon of Japan.

But as years go by, these two people, known as the Two Great Heroes of Japan has become close.

They are not brothers like Death Monarch and Will. But they could be considered bosom friends.

When Hikigaya back out of the World Government, Oreki followed and right now there is a vacuum of power in the high seat of the Quorum Council.

Not only Hikigaya departure is a big blow to the morale of the people of the World Government, with the sudden vacuum of power, those people in the dark would once again fight for power.

Hirate might have a lot of power in the World Government but he himself could not manage this large organization by his lonesome.

By now, the World Government is more than just an organization. They are like a large empire ruling an entire continent.

But because of that, there is also problem.

Hirate while he himself is cunning and adept in the ways of politics, he did not possess the deterrence power and that mysterious image like of Death Monarch

If Death Monarch is the transcendent being standing atop on some divine clouds, where none of his subjects dares to entertain the thought of treason, he, Hirate is the mortal monarch, always having to use his wits and ingenuity to keep the World Government strong.

'Hikigaya, Oreki. Old friends. It is sad that we have become like this.' Hirate still remembers the early days of the formation of the World Government.

Those night where they would drink sake and talk about the world while laughing. How valiant they were back then!

How carefree and fearless they were!

Sometimes, Hirate miss those days.

Even though almost a decade had passed, it felt a little bit longer than that. It is sad that now, not only he had to consider his old friends as rivals but also as enemies

Hirate did not have many people he considers friend.

While his relationship with Oreki and Hikigaya were complicated because of their ideals, it is without a doubt that they all consider each other more than just an acquaintance.

Hirate don't have many friend to lose anymore. If he loses more, than he would truly be alone.

He sighed.

In the past he and Hikigaya shares the same dream.

At least he thought so.

But it is clear Hikigaya had never share the same dream as his. Hirate could not help but sigh thinking of the twist and turns of the relationship between him and Hikigaya



Hikigaya had just announced his withdrawal from the World Government.

It is not like Hirate did not persuade him to stay. He offers more than what he should have offered.

He didn't mind crossing some of the Quorum council member interest this time.

And it did appear like Hikigaya would stay inside the World Government influence. He seems to agree at first.

But then suddenly a day ago, he changes his mind. Actually Hirate was not the only one that was shocked with Hikigaya action.

Azief himself thought that Hikigaya would just force the World Government to acknowledge the contribution of the Empire of Japan to the formation of the World Government

Even though it is called the Empire of Japan, the Emperor of Japan himself did not possess the power. Instead it is the two warlords and the Shogun

After all, Hirate had revived the Shogunate.

But for Hikigaya to suddenly change his mind and go independent was something that none of the world powers and the factions could have expected.

If Hikigaya was just one of the nobles and kings of the World Government, he would surely not be let off.

But in the world right now, other than Death Monarch Azief and Time Monarch Jean, the Illusion Archmage is on the list of people one should not offend.

And instead they should please him. Because these three people is a Divine Comprehension leveler.

Many people know, past the Energy Disperse Stage, each realm after that the gap become bigger

It took six years to truly understand the strength and limitations of Disk Formation leveler and only then the world power could create weapons and defensive fortification that could neutralize the threat of Disk Formation leveler.

Now, most people in the world did not yet know how powerful a Divine Comprehension leveler could be.

Nobody knows the limit of a Divine Comprehension leveler and there is too little information about them

One thing is clear. A Divine Comprehension leveler is probably one hundred times stronger than a Disk Formation leveler and the methods they could use is varied.

After all everyone could see how Death Monarch kills tens of thousands of living being from tens of thousands of miles away

This is the current top of personal power in the world right now. Once again, the balance of power is broken

At least when Death Monarch was in the Disk Formation level, there is still a chance of defending against him.

And Death Monarch also had to use his army to launch an attack

In other words, when he was a Disk Formation leveler, there was still room to resist.

Right now, however, it is like the early days when Death Monarch become Disk Formation leveler and everyone is still in Seed Forming level.

And that is why Hirate offers a lot of stuff to Hikigaya. It is regrettable that Hikigaya seems to have other plans.

The World Government right now did not have any Divine Comprehension leveler to guard it. And that is a serious security concern

Hirate is putting his hope on Raymond. Out of everyone in the World Government, Raymond is the closest to breaking through.

And with the massive influx of energy that is covering the world, Raymond problem of lack of energy is solved.

Though, he still needs to take the step by himself. Hirate rubs his temple again. His head is still pulsing

But like Death Monarch, he has a lot of things to settle. But unlike Death Monarch, he has time.

'I don't know if the Multiversal Convergence is a calamity or a blessing' he thought to himself.

'At least right now the Republic is not doing anything dangerous.'

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If the Republic and the World Government is still an enemy like in the past, he would not be surprised that the Republic with Jean prowess would lay waste upon his sphere of influence

In the past this would not have been surprising because to them the world is very small and some resources is not in their continent

However, things have changed now.

Right now, internal security is valued more.

Because right now, each continent is so big that even if all landmasses of Earth was put in the current Earth, it would fit hundreds of Earth

It is even hard for one to imagine such vast landscape.

Hirate is quite sure another Age of Exploration would sweep across the world.

There is new sea to sail through, new continent to explore, all kinds of space void that probably could lead to some kind of pocket space that contain opportunity

Still, with the rise of Jean in the Republic, now, there is a change in the power structure between the world power.

The World Government used to be in equal position with the Republic.

And people of the world believes that the second world power is the World Government just below Pandemonium

Raymond could constrain Katarina. As for Death Monarch, he is in a class of his own.

The reason why Katarina could be constrained is because her leveling become slow after she started pursuing the Perfection Path like Death Monarch

So, to many people, the World Government could stay on the number two spot.

But now, everyone is clear. The number one power of the world is still Pandemonium with hidden dragons and crouching tigers all around in that continent

But....as for number two, everyone looks toward the Senate of the Republic.

The Republic have a Divine Comprehension leveler. Pandemonium has one. And for a while the World Government had one which is Hikigaya

But now Hikigaya had calls it quit and the World Government is now almost the same with the other four world power.

Somehow the status of being equal with the Republic is now being thrown to the side.

Hirate knows that to stabilize the World Government right now is not easy

And that is why he had been busy for the past couple of days.

And then there is Raymond who has come back and is now supervising the army of the World Government.

But Hirate did not feel at ease. Because right now, the World Government effectively have no way to defend against a Divine Comprehension leveler.

If Hikigaya had some murderous intention, the damage he could do to the World Government is incalculable. The same could be said for Jean and Death Monarch

Hirate hated feeling like this. Like he is a fish on a chopping block.

Raymond did not yet hear the news of what had happened. He doesn't want to spread it too much.

Death Monarch departure from the world would set off ripples across the world. And when these ripples spread, waves would rise, storms would descend and the world would be in chaos.

It is not like before where the World Powers could easily calm down this storm.

In the past, they simply just have to send a unit with a Disk Formation leveler to calm down a region or a country.

But now, with the distance so vast and the resistance of the magic particle have upon the Disk Formation leveler, fast response is not like before.

Some places couldn't even support a teleportation channel because of the weird space-time phenomenon around the area.

Some are blocked and interfered by invisible force.

Ironically, these places that could not accommodate a teleportation channel is also some of the places with the densest energy

Sometimes, I hope that Death Monarch is a bit more heartless. He is too emotional. 'Then he chuckles

'But if he is heartless, then I don't think I could keep my head' Hirate always had a complicated feeling about Death Monarch.

If only he had taken all of the World Government power and make sure that Death Monarch, Lord Shadow at that time die, then it is possible that the ruling power of the world is not Pandemonium but the World Government.

The only reason why the Republic could rise so uninterrupted is because of the relationship between Death Monarch and Katarina.

to some people even though the Republic and Pandemonium did not sign any alliance agreement, many people believe that if Katarina was harmed by any world power, Death Monarch would come knocking.

Unlike Katarina whose will is separate from the Republic, Death Monarch will is Pandemonium will.

But at the same time, Hirate thought that if Death Monarch had been killed that day, would humanity had reached here?

It was Death Monarch that spark the offensive against the Weronian. It is also him that is able to fight the Heavens and controls one third of the Heavenly Will

At that time time Hirate did not know the significance of this. It isn't until a few years later that he understood the significance of having control of the Heavenly Will

He had felt the heavenly Will getting stronger and having its own thoughts and desire. When one reached Disk Formation they could feel that subtle feeling

They could sense a bit of the Heavenly Will.

But Hirate who has probably one of the keenest Divine Sense in the world other than Death Monarch felt more than just a subtle feeling

He felt that the Heavenly Will wanted to slow down human development. Wanting to control. Wanting to not simply survive but dominate.

But it could not because one third of it is controlled by "that person"

Hirate could only sighed at all of this. It is useless reminiscing about the past. What is important right now is what he should do.

To the world and to the world power, losing Death Monarch right now is like losing a pillar. And that is why the reason Hirate agreed with Loki proposition.

Because whether they like it or not, right now, at least in this moment, Death Monarch is the only thing that could deter powerful enemies

The world fears that another enemy like the Demon King would appear again.

If such a powerful being set foot onto Earth again and they do not have Death Monarch with them to fight such being, Earth would suffer even more.

They could win if they throw everything they had to this being.

World Government had created a different kind of nuclear bomb.

There is even a space station on the Moon that could use magnetic force to throw meteorites from outer space with one hundred percent precision to the surface of Earth

The only reason why they could not do it when the Multiversal Convergence was happening is because those Otherworlders that come from advanced technology civilization disable it.

And the massive waves of energy knock most of the space station. Some were pushed tens of thousands of light years away while some exploded

Regardless of all of these weapons, such fight between Earth and such a powerful being, relying only on the tech, the casualties and the damage of such battle would inflict to the world is not something any world power wanted

They would probably rule a desolate land.

That is not the only thing he reads in the report.

At least this is something he could be proud of when he reads report that have all kinds of information in it

Pandemonium is not the only world power that have a powerful intelligence agency.

The World Government have their own intelligence agency and not to mention they also cooperated with some other information broker.

He knew more than some other world leaders.

Something happened in Pandemonium five days ago. In the past anything that happens in Pandemonium that is newsworthy would arrive on his desk before the day ended

Because at that time communication is fast.

And any moves of Pandemonium could change the situation of the world hence the World Government is not the only world power that pays attention to Pandemonium every move

But this time, something that happened five days ago, only a few hours ago, the news had been received by him and verified by his people.

This is the trouble of having no eye in the sky.

The distance between the continent had also widened and takes a few hundred thousand of kilometers even among the closest continent border.

The news he had received is about a fight.

And the findings of his people shocked him.

He reads the report two times to make sure he is not reading it wrong.

He frowned.

Most people put information in information cube so that it could easily be transferred into one mind. But such information node could be hacked.

Hirate would not let such thing happen to him.

After the last massive leak of information a few years ago, he had created a few measures. That is why he is right now reading report manually.

'Sasha is cooperating with the Broker. And judging from the investigation and the World Government spies in the Crime Alliance, the Broker is dead.'

Hirate shakes his head with an admiring smile on his face

'Loki, Loki. You really have a big gut. I didn't think that when almost all of the world power is hunting you, you still have time to return to Pandemonium and kill someone. And you did not even want to accept Death Monarch asylum'

Hirate never understood why the relationship between Death Monarch and Loki is so complicated.

How could he describe Loki action? Is it not because his relationship with Death Monarch is complicated?

He could clearly remain safe as long as he stays in Pandemonium. Instead he would rather be hunted by the world

But that is not his place to comment

Instead, he is thinking about something else when reading this report. Death Monarch is known to hate the Crime Alliance.

Yes, hate. Usually the transaction of a leader of such organization would speak about interest.

That is how it usually goes. Hirate had seen such thing when he was working with influential man before the Fall.

A plane is shot down. Hundreds of people die. But the leader of that country could forgive the country that shot down the plane if the interest is high enough

But that is not how Death Monarch rolls.

This is a man who could impose his will upon the world. he makes his likes and dislike clear. He does not speak reason if he doesn't want to.

This temperamental god that seems to make unpredictable moves, unswayed by benefits is one of the reason why so many people is afraid of him

Maybe if there is a silver lining to this, it is that Death Monarch rarely impose his will upon the world

It is not that he never did it. After all, he once forces the whole world to let go of all conflict for a year.

Everyone listens to him at that time and nobody wanted to stick out like a sore thumb. But most of the time he imposes his will upon the world it is based on collective benefit and welfare.

As such, right now, Hirate is worried about Sasha. He is not close with Sasha. But he knows right now the world do not need pandemonium in an internal war.

If Pandemonium is busy fighting an internal war, then some dark forces in the world is going to speed up their development.

And the Shadow Guards should not have a new leader right now. Better the devil he knows.

'Hmm... Will this lead to some conflict between Death Monarch and her?' He thoughts for a moment. He read a few more report and then he got up.

He closes the holographic projection and takes a deep breath. Outside his office the phone calls still did not stop

It seems he have to go to the Quorum Council to plan their next move. Pandemonium right now have no leader.

He then walks outside his office and look to his secretary.

'Mr. President' the secretary greeted the moment she saw Hirate. She was holding the phone. The phone keeps ringing.

Most of the communication device of the secretary seems so analog. That is because this kind of communication device is harder to hack.

It just looks like analog but the concept behind it is not so antiquated.

'There is some problem in the Moon. And.....the news is verified.' The secretary gives a folder of paper to Hirate. Hirate opens the folder and scan it with his Divine Sense The moment he did that he frowned.

'Loki is trying to increase his influence in the criminal underworld. How would Pandemonium respond to this?'

But the folder did not only have information about Loki. There is many other information inside it.

Then the secretary said with a timid voice and said

'And the Quorum members is saying that there is many countries and kingdoms that are- ' and the secretary try to choose the right words here as she said 'anxious'

Smiling bitterly, he told his secretary

'Tell them I would address them in the Quorum Council' Saying this he went away.

