

## Shadow 991

### [Chapter 991: The world below and the heavens above \(1\)](#)

Schemes are forming, plot are moving forward, the world is in a great period of chaos. The Seven Great Power is also trying to adapt with the changes of the time

But out of the Seven Great Power, Pandemonium is the one that was least affected from the aftermath of the battle between the Demon King and Death Monarch.

and they were even the least affected from the Multiversal Convergence effect while reaping the biggest benefits in terms of energy that is pouring down and filling each part of Pandemonium territory.

This is why in this brand new world; the strength of the leader weighs heavily.

It is the same reason why the World Government which actually were formed with the intention to be democratic is actually autocratic.

And why even though the Republic that delegate its power in theory, but actually in reality centralizes it to the Three Chancellors.

The same for the other Great Powers, whether it be the Order of Thinkers who listen to the words of the Grand Researcher, the League of Freedom which stresses freedom but listen to the leader of the League which is Narleod and so on and so forth

They know that they had to centralize power to foster unity.

Because if everyone does what they want, then Earth would have long been destroyed. Unity had preserved humanity since the Stone Age.

When they are together, they are strong.

People gravitate to people of power.

That is the case in the past and even more in the current time where people of power is more than just power of money or wealth

People of power in the time after the Fall, is people who is basically godlike.

In this world, those who were unlucky, those who were not brave, those who were weak had died off.

Those that survived either by luck, by strength, by bravery, were all people who have seen the limitation of their power.

It is the reason why the common people tolerate the tyranny of the powerful. As long as the ruler did not push them too much, they could sacrifice some liberty for security.

What good is liberty if they could not enjoy it? Of course, it is not that these rulers did not have common sense.

They know why people follow them

The threat that is descending upon them is not a threat to one singular nation, to one singular continent or to one singular individual.

It is a calamity to all humanity.

One had to have one mind at this time, one had to learn to sacrifice if they were to see the continuation of the human species.

The ruler has as much incentive to rule efficiently and to strengthen the people under him. because if humanity falls, they too would fall

And the Seven great powers each have individuals that have great power.

And as this disaster is about to calm down, one could see the impact of having high level powerful people as the divine protector of their Great Power

Pandemonium, the home of the strongest person in the world was the least affected. It is orderly.

There is broken buildings, cracked earth and large disaster all around

There is elemental storms and hurricanes and tornadoes, not to add the earthquakes and the roiling sea waves that crash upon the shore like a hammer smashing toward a piece of metal, battering it with each hit.

But with one wave of Death Monarch hand, golden light swept away all of this disasters

The elemental storms were extinguished, the hurricanes and tornadoes were swept away, the Earthquakes and the sea was pacified.

And he did it with him not even being inside Pandemonium at that time. The territory of Pandemonium suffered damages

But most people die of the initial invasion of the Seresian demons and the humans from the Otherworlds instead of dying from the disaster of the world expansion.

The same thing could not be said for the other great powers.

Even though everything in Pandemonium look orderly, there is a lot of chaos hiding underneath the stability of the palace and the throne

Those who lives nearby the palace, near the capital cities is lucky in that they were the first being rescued.

Those who live on the farther side however had to contend with much more problems. The Shadow Guards does send some of their people to help

But there is one thing that all the officials and all of the people living in Pandemonium knows

Shadow Guards are not the military and they are not some peacekeeping agency.

They are operatives, agents and their task is sometimes protecting Pandemonium, and mostly they are protecting the interest of Death Monarch

And not the people itself. Now, that is a job of the Central Court and the Peacekeeping force that they created.

And the military also lend its aid

And even though the military did not have its general right now, most of the other high ranking members of the military is heading back to Pandemonium.

Those reservist soldiers who were already in the base had come out even without the orders of the generals

Most of communication devices were affected by the severe storms energy all around the world right now.

But, this is special times and Pandemonium is not like the other great powers like the World Government which strictly forbade the mobilization of any army unit without authorization from the President or the Supreme Commander.

The military in Pandemonium is quite flexible. Death Monarch need no protection from the army.

Probably that is why the control on military power in Pandemonium were not put under the power of Death Monarch.

After all, as long as the Three Great generals follow Death Monarch words, there is nothing to worry about

And even if the Three Great generals did not follow Death monarch, it is not like Death Monarch would be afraid of losing the army.

Most of the things that the army could do, Death Monarch could do it, and could do it even better than them.

As such the army of Pandemonium saw itself as the protector of the People and the protector of Pandemonium from foreign forces.

They went out from their base and lend aid in coordinated manner.

While they could not contact some of the other high level officials they could contact the other reservist forces inside of Pandemonium

And the people of Pandemonium itself help their neighbors and the closest village that they could reached.

Most of the people of Pandemonium is hardy and strong in nature

Compared to other continent that also had expanded during the Multiversal Convergence, Pandemonium is not highly chaotic but there are also things that Pandemonium suffer more than the other

Pandemonium seems to be affected by highly condensed energy storm that surpassed the other Great Power

This might have to do with the already high concentration of worldly energy in Pandemonium even before the World Expansion.

The world of course did not know this yet, but for people like Death Monarch, Jean and Hikigaya, they have seen the world with their Divine Sense and they could deduce why

the places that used to have more than average world energy would explode with more energy as it seems that the All Source seems to absorb the energy from the Multiversal Convergence and spread it out according to the concentration of worldly energy

And Pandemonium is the most affected with this because of its status as one of the forbidden zone in the world before the formation of Pandemonium

So much so, that the high ranking members of the military could not easily teleport.

But most of them is Disk Formation leveler. Even though the world had reached a point of vastness that is hard to wrap their heads around, they are still Disk Formation levelers

This means while they could not be as fast as they did before, they still arrived just in time before Death Monarch remove himself from the palace.

Chaos still reigns in Pandemonium and people are rebuilding.

But Death Monarch is no longer inside Pandemonium.

Sasha sends her orders, the military responded to the crisis, the central court officers also began supervising the work

Since Death Monarch had told them not to go to the Centre Palace and instead work on the problem, they did not go.

And when Sasha relayed the fact that Death Monarch is about to enter seclusion, they all understood.

Some that did not the news were briefed about the matter by those who knows the inside story

Not everyone was visited by Jean Time Avatar. Those who were, get all the information in real time.

And now since Jean had to focus on the matter of the portal on the hill, he had retracted all of his Time Avatar.

But, the help he had given to the world is not something that could be quantified.

If not for Jean time Avatar multiplying by the millions and relayed all kinds of news, the world would surely fall into chaos without any news of what is happening and whether they were winning or losing

The officers of Pandemonium did not become shocked or become unmoving after hearing that Death Monarch enter seclusion.

They were used to it.

knowing that Death Monarch had returned is enough for them

This divine protector god of Pandemonium did not need to do much.

Just by existing, he would give them a peace of mind.

Instead of complaining, all of the officers are hard at work.

Some of them of course had some dark past and some of them have selfish intention to join the court but when this is related to the safety of Pandemonium, none of the officers would slack off.

After all, they are also humans.

Even the most corrupt politicians in the seven great powers acknowledge this fact. You could be selfish. But you could not be excessively selfish.

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War after war, suppression after suppression, how could people not get it yet? In the face of the extinction of humankind, no selfishness is allowed.

The technological advancement of Pandemonium that had been kept years in wrap is now revealed to the world.

Nanobots by the trillions swarmed the land and reconstructed large building in seconds, the soils and the material for the construction taken from the debris and damaged and recycled into building material

A self-artificial intelligence that knows what it should do

The task of the controller of these swarm of nanobots that is flying around all over Pandemonium is a technopath.

This class could not be called a special class. One could say that is a mutation of the Builder class.

There is not a lot of technopath but they are quite useful in mechanical and technological matters.

There is also an army of robots that is send to various part of Pandemonium to eradicate low level monsters.

They located these monster by using all kinds of detection technology that has not been revealed before.

One could see that Pandemonium rarely shows its trump card and today most of its trump card was revealed.

One could only wonder what else is Pandemonium hiding

Recovering is going good.

Everyone did not feel scared as long as Death Monarch is here in Pandemonium.

Even if Death Monarch did not meet them, as long as they know he is here, that alone is a great boost to morale.

Even when he was in Pandemonium, rarely he meets the officials other than when he summons them or when there is a matter of great urgency that needs to be addressed

Other than that, they rarely meet with Death Monarch.

They all believed that Death Monarch went back to the old caves where he used to breakthrough to enter seclusion.

They did not mind it and they did not blame him. Today Pandemonium depends heavily on the deterrence power of Death Monarch

The stronger Death Monarch is; the stronger Pandemonium became. Since that is the case, why would they blame Death Monarch to want to become stronger.

The cave area is also guarded by some of the units of the Shadow Guard which makes people believe that Death Monarch is really is still in Pandemonium

They could not be further than the truth.

Because Azief did not go there.

Instead, he went somewhere else

In the darkness of space, outside of Earth, Azief is there floating with thirteen auras intertwining and swirling around his body

It distorted the space around him as the space around him bends and cracks, and the space dust around him was repelled.

Azief opens his eyes, his eyes shining with a blue light glinting with gold.

'Hmm' he mutters to himself

When he closes his eyes just a moment ago, his Divine Sense was concentrated on Earth, looking over at Pandemonium.

Seeing that it is quickly recovering with the proper measure being taken, he felt satisfied and at ease.

He retracted back his Divine Sense and like lightning that flashed by, his Divine Sense flew back into his mind.

His control over his Divine Sense had rose up again.

This time, probably no one realizes that he had covered the entire earth with his Divine Sense.

It is easier to cover it when looking at it from the outside, he thought to himself.

Though, he recognizes that not everything was revealed under the surveillance of the Divine Sense

There were many things and places that comes from the Otherworlds and it would take time before they could truly be assimilated with Earth Prime.

So, some of these places could not be seen clearly by his Divine Sense.

If he had a lot of time in his hand he would not mind swooping back down and check these places one by one to know what makes them so mysterious

But as you would have it, he did not have much time.

To people six days is a lot of time.

Even more so for someone like Death Monarch who could dapper whenever he wanted even on this new Earth, unconstrained by such thing called distance.

Ironically, only Azief himself knows that he did not have much time.

Six days is a short time for anyone wanting to attempt a breakthrough.

That is not to mention, the breakthrough that Azief wanted to try is not the lower level breakthrough which did not have that much of an effect but instead trying to breakthrough to the higher level

Even though Azief feel that he was prepared, he knows the only way to know for sure is to attempt it. Then, he would truly know whether he was ready or not

He sighed when thinking of this.

The day has not yet ended.

But it felt like years. Everything today happens in a fast pace. Who knows how many things happened today that he did not know?

He looked again at Earth below him. It is hard to determine direction on space. So, he could only determine the direction by making him as the marker.

The blue planet seems to be more mysterious than ever and even more mystical than ever. Azief did not know whether that is a good thing or not.

Below, how many schemes were hatched, how many plots are being planned right now?

He is not at Earth right now.

He bets some of those people are having a field day.

Some of them would be sad and some of them probably maintaining their wait and see approach if they knew about it

But for all intent and purposes, all of the people in the world seems to think he is in Pandemonium.

Sasha cooperated with him and she even set some guards around the cave to make it seems like he is in Pandemonium.

She always knows what to do.

A really competent helper. There is probably no higher compliment that Azief would give to people in his court

As for the only other two people that could see him in space right now, Hikigaya owe him big and Jean is someone that would not want more chaos to happen.

So, those two would not say anything

He calms himself down and thought about the reaction of the people.

'And Loki' He mutters silently in his heart

How would he forget Loki?

Even now, he is still thinking about what Loki had done.

Azief is adept at political intrigue. But he rarely uses it on Earth prime. Because he had never needed to use it.

Now, he had uses it. And he is now using his mind to derive some understanding of Loki next move.

He wonders what Loki would do right now.

It is clear that Loki probably had been planning this for a long time.

That is why there were so many foreshadowing about it like him leaving Pandemonium, cutting off his relationship with Pandemonium and so on and so forth. Azief was sure that if he pays more attention, he could probably see it.

But alas, it is not easy when your opponent is someone that comes from the future.

'Fighting against a time traveler' he thought to himself and he almost chuckles thinking of the absurdity of it all

It seems since the Fall, absurd thing keeps happening that normal just take a whole other meaning

Azief wonders what would have happened if Loki did not take the blame for him?

What would happen in that scenario? Since he could foresee this, Loki probably knows the answers to this

Maybe that is why he had taken the blame. And Loki even made the plan almost foolproof. If there is one thing that Azief had done to disrupt the matter was that he announced joint responsibility with Loki.

Still, the brunt of this matter would still fall on Loki shoulders.

After all, he had been the one that announces the matter and he even had the cooperation with Mind Master.

Probably if Azief take the blame what happens would be the same as Loki timeline.

And what happens in Loki timeline must have been bad enough to force Loki to bear this blame

That is the conclusion that Azief arrived at

Yes, Azief himself began trying to research what happens in Loki timeline. The vision he saw when he was with the Oracle makes him very curious.

He had confirmed Loki words and he had confirmed his worry about the future when he was with Erika.

Loki did not lie to him about the part where he destroys the Universe.

Looking at him in the future, he is not only capable of it, he seems to be very eager in destroying it.



Of course he did not see it happen, but looking at that battle, he was pretty sure what that battle would cause to the Universe

As for the betrayal of Sofia, he sees that there might be an extenuating circumstances.

However, the last reminder that the Oracle had left him when he was about to leave still echoes in his ears.

Sofia would be his downfall.

That is one of the reminder of the Oracle towards him

That is not the reason he cares that much about that sentence. It is the other part of the word

She said that he would be her downfall.

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Of course, he had a rough idea what that could mean and how it could translate to the future but the thing about prophecies is, as Alsurt had so kindly teaches him in the past, never look at it simply

Took it to literally, you might miss the truth.

Took it too figuratively and you would end up falling into the trap of destiny and fate

And trying to prevent it sometimes brings about that future.

Whatever the case, Azief had a lot of worries and it all strikes him at the same time.

There is Sofia waiting for him on the hill. There is Loki doing God knows what. And there are his enemies that would just love to see him fall.

They wanted him to bleed. And like sharks, they are circling the water, waiting for that blood to be shed.

It is fortunate that most of the top leader of the great power knows that this is not the time to break relations with him

And he had secured the support of Hikigaya and Jean, the only two other people that matters right now to determine the direction of the world

Since Hirate and Jean had reached the same step as him, he knows there is also a qualitative change in their thoughts and desires.

Not to mention, that those two had also seen their path. Since that is the case, worldly matters would not affect them that much.

Of course, his path is not necessarily their path and vice versa.

But, Azief is quite sure that peace is the more preferable options for those two.

Jean was warlike in the past but the horrors of war, and the people he lost along the way had changed him

While he is not exactly a pacifist, he is also no longer a warmonger and war is always discouraged by him even though it is still on the table.

What Jean wanted was stability. As for Hikigaya, he is quite content on his secluded kingdom sharing it with Oreki

He did not require more and he did not have the aspiration to conquer the world.

This could be seen in the way he handles his relations with World Government.

He simply wants a carefree life.

But the way he is going about it is different from the Immortal Couple in pandemonium.

Unlike the Couple, Hikigaya wanted the carefree life but he also wanted to dip his feet and toes in the mortal world once in a while.

He did not want to seclude himself from people yet at the same time when he is tired he wants a place where he could rest.

Carefree to many people have many different meanings.

And for Hikigaya, he believes that he must have enough power to protect his carefree life and he is very vigilant.

His idea of strengthening Japan and supporting its independence from the World Government system while at the same time still benefiting from the status of the World Government founders shows that Hikigaya wanted safety for him and for the people he wanted to protect.

It is not quite like the Immortal Couple and since it is earned, this carefree life could be more permanent and more solid than the one that the Immortal Couple had.

And then there is Hirate

In many things, Azief would find it hard to trust Hirate. But on this matter, he would find not better ally Hirate like the status quo. He did not want it to change.

And the Hirate that he knew now, is different from the Hirate he knew in the past

This Hirate look at the stars and worried that something would come down.

He truly wanted to protect the world, wanted to create a unified government to rule the people of the Earth, for prosperity for all and for the advancement of humanity so that they would not be on the mercy of some other intergalactic civilizations

Never again, that is one of his motto when dealing with otherworldly alien civilization.

Hirate will probably use all of his influence and power he could muster to maintain the current status quo of the Seven Great Power.

He is in favor of maintaining it and the price of maintaining it is none other than to make sure that Pandemonium still remains the great power

Pandemonium has become the one holding the leash to all the beasts and monsters of the world. And who is these beast and monsters?

It is none other than the other four great powers, the loose organizations and the other dark forces hidden in the dark

If Pandemonium fall, especially at this moment during one of the most chaotic moment of the world since the Fall, one could only imagine the chaos and the damage it would inflict upon the world

Humanity need more time to grow, and to populate the world.

With the death of so many people humanity has been dwindling. The quality of humans is getting better as most people that survived, did not only survived because of luck.

They become stronger but humanity is in a downward course of population.

Sooner or later if this is not addressed, humanity would dwindle back to only millions.

And if calamity after calamity struck Earth, then before long, in this wide vast world, there would only be tens of thousands of humans.

Such number is a number that is close to extinction. How could then humanity survive and keep existing then?

Pandemonium as the strongest force had halted this destructive force as it holds the leash of monsters and forces of evil

When they wanted to do something, they still had to think of that man sitting on the dark black onyx throne in the highest tower of Pandemonium.

They have to think whether his sword strike could encompass the world or not. They had to think whiter a red thunderbolt would strike them down from the Heavens.

These thoughts and this fear that people have on Pandemonium had restrained these beast and monsters.

Even the World Government who in their most powerful state, that their military could rival of that Pandemonium did not have such deterrence effect

Because unlike the World Government, the fear toward pandemonium had a face. And that face is Death Monarch face.

If the World Government really bring out all of their methods and they were determined to die together with Death Monarch, even though the chance is minuscule now, there is still a chance that the World Government could fight with Death Monarch and kill him

But that would take the entirety of the World Government to kill Death Monarch.

Even if they succeed, pandemonium would still stand for a while enough for the remnant forces of Pandemonium to wipe out every single members and citizens of the World Government.

Doing such thing would ensure mutual destruction. It is like United States and the Soviet Union all over again

Both of them would not fight to the death because it would then devolve into a mutual destruction.

Of course, this is the situation before Death Monarch broke through to Divine Comprehension.

But the score still did not change.

True, for now, if World Government really does this and send all of their methods they would not be able to kill Death Monarch

But since there is now Azief who had break the ceiling of power again, the development of weapons will once again race each other.

A new arms race would begin again after the world calms down

Since now there is Divine Comprehension levelers, the great power would surely try to create weapons that could restrain such leveler even if they could not kill them

And it is not like the World Government did not have candidates that could breakthrough to Divine Comprehension.

They still have Raymond, Arno and a few other candidates that could really breakthrough to Divine Comprehension level

When any of them able to break through, then the score would once again be the same

But, there is no worry about the World Government and Pandemonium falling out to such extent.

A mutual destruction is not what they both want.

Azief deemed the World Government is necessary for the world development and the World Government did not want to fight a meaningless battle.

However, the fact that the World Government could really fought against Death Monarch and even kill him, theoretically, does demonstrate that the World Government does have the power to cow the whole world

But then, the world did not fear World Government as they fear Pandemonium. Azief had created an image that is very strong in the minds of the people

In the past, Hirate would wanted to tear down this reputation and this image. But, now he is probably grateful that Azief had such a n image.

It could restrain the monsters of the world

Though, it also has its cons., The moment Death Monarch dies or the moment Pandemonium is crushed, then the least upon these monsters would be released and chaos would reign.

The Four Great Powers would probably instantly disband with League of Freedom probably leading the charge.

The other four great powers were influences that Death Monarch had elevated so that the world could be governed and serve as a shelter for the people of the world

He would protect Pandemonium even if he didn't want to. Hirate is like that

Azief smiles a bit

'It seems I am still good at playing this game. Though, I do not like it'

#### [Chapter 994: Seeking for a black hole](#)

Azief on Earth Prime is more straightforward and he did not like relying on this kind of tricks. But since he would not be here later, he had to employ some tricks and schemes.

He did not like it.

But that did not mean he is not good at it. Instead he is very good at it. People rarely see that side of him

Most of them when they think of Death Monarch, there is this image of an undefeatable being. A protector of Pandemonium and the title of the strongest person on Earth.

None of them would ever think of Death Monarch as a cunning strategist and a scheming person.

There is a reason of course why he never shows that side. Other than not needing to, it serves as his trump card.

A trump card must be something that nobody should know you have. Only you should know it. Only then could it be a trump card.

One would only take it out when one is in a desperate strait.

His journey and his experience had molded him into who he is.

He is more mature.

Some people only fight the fight where they could win.

While most of Death Monarch fight is also like that, there were also times where he defied this rule and fight people who he had no confidence of beating.

But, there must at least be a chance of winning.

Why then?

Because what most people do not understand, why most people were not as invincible as Death Monarch is because they do not understand one simple truth.

And that truth was that if you fight only the fight you could win, then you could not break through your limit.

This did not mean however that Azief is a reckless idiot. The Demon King was a being that Azief had no confidence of killing entirely.

If the situation and the place was different, how could it be that easy for Azief to win and even kill the Demon King.

He had calculated it before he pours out all of his effort.

Once he enters the battle, there is no time for him to regret.

Hence, it is very important for him to at least a chance of winning for him to enter into battle

If there is not even one percent chance for him to win, then what he would do was to bide his time and survive.

When the time comes, then he would emerge.

Of course, sometimes there is an exception to this rule.

If the fight is disadvantageous to you, that fighting would not even yield one percent chance of winning, Azief mostly would surrender.

The only reason why he would not surrender would be if the reason is compelling enough that he would not care that his life is sacrificed.

Katarina is one of that reason. He is the reason why he is trying to break his limit. He is the reason why he is risking his life.

He knows that the journey ahead would not be easy. Not easy is an under exaggeration. It would be hard.

The Seresian world would be hostile to him and he would not enjoy the advantage he has here on Earth Prime

He shakes his head while sighing.

‘Tonight, I am being sentimental’ he thought to himself

He could think about all of this later. But even as he is thinking about not thinking about it, his mind would not calm itself.

Like a stormy sea, the waves are wild and unrestrained.

There is an urgency in Azief heart right now.

But urgency is not good. Being hasty is also not good. He had to maintain a calm heart and be stable.

‘Whether I could break through or not, I have to first calm down my own heart’ he thought to himself.

But that is easier said than done.

He knew what he would probably faced if he went into the portal.

The Seresian world is not like Earth prime. There is no All Source there to restrain the cultivation base of the Demon King Balfor.

He would be a true Essence Creation leveler.

Azief might have weakened him in Earth prime but Azief dare not say that Balfor would not have methods to quickly reach back his level.

He might even have weapons that surpassed Azief imagination. He would have soldiers and backers and supporters.

And the Will of the Seresian world would surely saw him as an intruder.

While some world did not have their own Will and spirituality, Azief is quite sure a world of the Seresian would have the Will

The Will of the world is not easy to be born and it is even harder to cultivate. It had something to do with things that even Azief in his level did not understand

The thing that Azief did not understand is none other than soul. The soul of the world birthed the Will.

Earth, if not for the power and ability of the All Source, would probably have no Will at all. But there is magic and now faith could fuel power.

Soul Law is something that Azief also cultivates.

But among the many other Laws he cultivated, the Soul Law is the hardest to comprehend.

Without the Thirteen Supremacy Stairway, that Law would be even harder to comprehend.

So, Azief had already painted a picture in his mind of how arduous the task would be for him the moment he goes to the Seresian world

There is Balfor with his cultivation base restored and with a cultivation base higher than him, an Essence Creation leveler beings.

How could then it be easy for Azief then?

While most of the Demon King methods of power would not be the same as the Essence Creation leveler of the other world and of them and Earth because of the differences of methods of refining energy between humanity and the Seresian demons, it is still a living being comparable to Essence Creation being.

And such beings are rare in the universe and very powerful.

In the more warring area of the star system such a being could establish great space empire without worrying being killed.

Of course, the Seresian world is hidden from the Omniverse because they are sanctioned and being hunted by the Intergalactic power because of their excessive cruelty toward the living beings of the Omniverse.

Then there is also the fact that Azief would not have an army with him.

before, when he fights with Balfor, he had all the advantage of the home ground.

The Heavenly Will suppresses Balfor cultivation base, the Will of the World rejects him, and the weapons of the Great Power aided him

That is not to mention the help rendered by the Orvanians who help him in the crucial moment.

There is also Jean and Hikigaya helping.

That battle is brief and did not take days. But the effort used to fight Balfor should never be underestimated.

Almost all the power that this world could offer was thrown toward him and only then Balfor could be killed.

And even then, he still has a way of surviving.

In the Seresian world Azief would not have all of these advantages and instead the home ground advantage would all be held in the hands of Balfor.

And Balfor would be ready for him.

He sighed again. He closes his eyes and for a few second he emptied his mind. He slowly inhales and exhale.

But it is not the normal oxygen that he breathed in and it is not carbon dioxide that he exhale

After all, he is now floating in space.

What he inhales is not space dust either.

Instead, it is the Universal energy.

With one whiff, he felt energized.

But he could feel that there is a difference between the energy of the space and the energy of the world below

‘It is not as pure’ he thought to himself. he then clearing most his mind, slowly open his eyes.

He looks around him and his eyes narrowed.

‘How times have changed’ he thought to himself up in the starry skies

in the past the only thing he could see is darkness. But now after breaking through the Divine Comprehension level he could see more

And he could see what he wanted to see in the distance. His eyes no longer be obstructed by some limitation. And that limitation is reflection.

Light relected and we could see. And when there is no light there is darkness. But now, things are different

Everything could be seen by him if he really concentrated.

If he really concentrated, he could even see the space dust particles around him as clearly as he looks upon them with the help of some vision enhancement devices.

His eyes look further and further.



Azief is searching for a black hole.

When the world expanded, of course there are positive changes. But there is also a lot of changes that is negative.

Volcanoes exploded, buildings crumbled, weather changes and many more.

Azief wanted to break through to Essence Creation leveler. He only need to take one step. But that one step forward itself is very hard to take

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In Essence Creation one would feel the Laws and control truly the Laws under their rule. With their Will they could perform miraculous feat.

As the name of the level suggested, Essence Creation is creating essence. Essence of Laws is different than just controlling the Laws.

The Essence is the Law.

To break through to Essence Creation, it would require a massive energy for him to condense the Laws and refine it to an avatar that then could be condensed into an essence

In this state, he could only fail or succeed. Once failed, he might even have to be reduced back to Disk Formation

If he succeeds, then there is no problem

Entering level 90, at each level an essence will create a clone of the user endowed with the laws that the user has comprehended.

Azief have skipped this with his avatar that he had created in the Supremacy Stairway.

This is why he said he is only step away. And this is the reason why he did not regret taking the burden of the Ethernas

At this level, one achievement and path would be decided by the number of laws that they had control during their level up to Divine Comprehension level.

The ultimate form of Divine Comprehension leveler is called the Heavenly Realm which means someone had been able to comprehend around Nine Laws

Anyone that could comprehend Nine Laws would fall under this category.

Of course there are other exception where one could still be considered a Heavenly realm expert even with one Law, if that Law is trained to almost perfection

And to advance to the next stage, one of the requirements is to fuse all the avatars inside their consciousness and create their Soul.

One would then be free from many limitations. There is many path to take. There is Immortal Soul, Divine Soul, Devil Soul and many others, depending on one path.

To reach Essence Creation is hard as one must have quite the understanding of one own great path and also a sturdy foundation on the other level.

If one like to take shortcut in the lower level when one reach Disk Formation or Divine Comprehension, they would find that their way forward is even harder if not impossible.

Azief is now trying to fuse all of his thirteen avatars and create his soul. This soul would weaken the power of fate and destiny that he has before.

When one creates their own soul, they are slowly breaking out of the chains of entropy that envelops all living beings, all thing and atoms in existence.

Entropy is the rule. But by creating one own soul, then the chains of intangible concept that controls one life is slowly weakened

Not destroyed but weakened.

And that is only one of the benefits.

Azief waves his hand and then he felt it.

Energies all around.

When he looks at the size of the Earth, Earth itself look so much bigger.

The Sun is also bigger.

The Sun before the expansion of Earth is already so huge that it could already fit 1.3 million planets the size of Earth.

And now Earth itself is even larger than the Sun. It was already amazing that it did not collapse into itself and exploded into bits of energy.

The All Source is the reason why Earth did not disintegrate and instead seems to affect the planets around it.

The effect of the Multiversal Convergence did not only happen toward Earth.

If Earth is the only thing that became bigger, then it would create an instability to the orbit and the gravitational pulling and pushing between planets.

It would not be surprising if it creates a cataclysmic event. The Sun is now bigger, gaining more than 20 time more mass.

The Sun could have a chance to become a supernova with its current size.

But Azief could see that there is an energy that is covering all of the planets, all of these stars and even the meteorites that is inside the Milky Way galaxy.

Of course, Azief did not use his Divine Sense to track all of the stars inside the Milky Way galaxy. He could do that but it would surely strain him.

Everything look stable like nothing had ever changed. It only looks like it did not change when in fact so many things had changed.

Each planet seems to have been covered by life and energy. The already gigantic planets become even more gigantic like it keeps up with Earth expansion.

He sighed.

The galaxy is way bigger than anyone thought it is.

There is a feeling of excitement and also a bit of fear when he thought of exploring the open starry skies in front of him.

There is no road and nothing could inform him.

Most of the star system he had been to before is orderly. Dangerous, yes, but still it was orderly

Before, Azief had travelled the stars.

But he was not as strong as this.

And at that time, he mostly uses some methods to transport himself from planets and other star system.

For example, when he was at the edges of the world that is under the controls of Asgard, most of these planets and star system could easily be travelled by using the Bifrost technology.

Like a rainbow path that strewn all over the galaxy, one could easily travel back and forth among all the worlds under the rule of Asgard and the Eight Realms.

He retracts back his Divine Sense and then he looks toward the Moon in the distance.

Azief flew toward the Moon. He then saw the structures on it that was covered up before.

He slowly floats down toward the Moon.

His pressure seems to contract and condense the space around him. When his feet landed on the Moon, the dust around his feet seems to disintegrate.

The ground seems to be stepped upon by titans as powerful force condense below Azief feet and the ground depressed ten feet deep.

‘What have you been doing on the Moon?’ He thought about World Government and the Republic.

Right now, the great powers would find it hard to travel to space.

If they use their cultivation base right now, it would still not be easy unless they are of the level of Death Monarch

Gravitational energy is in chaos right now not to mention the distortion of space and time and the energy that flows like a river that keeps flowing through the stars.

As he closes his eyes, his Divine Sense envelop the entire moon.

And as his Divine Sense spreads, it breaks all the concealing formation that is covering the secrets of the great powers

Azief saw sci-fi buildings, created by metals he did not know. He saw destruction and prisons. He saw deep underground base on the underground surface of the moon.

On the dark side of the moon inside of the largest crater in the solar system, The South-Pole Aitken Basin there is a large dome covering it.

The Dome itself is covered by all kinds of formation and arrays matrixes.

All of this is magical means to prevent anyone from looking in.

But as his Divine Sense swipes through that magical means, the array exploded into modes of light and the formation disintegrated like it was slammed down by a powerful force that render them useless.

A base and a colony could be seen inside with base stations and tents that look like pop up tents inflatable and easily created.

There is also a lot of supercomputers running calculations. Most of them is now destroyed and there is a fire inside that dome.

There are even robots that is still doing their job even as the dome itself is on a state of disrepair.

And that is not the only thing he saw on the dark side of the moon.

There are all kinds of rovers around the dark side of the moon and there is a large rectangular box that seems to interfere with the flow of energy.

The Moon also have some energy veins that is used to supply the base.

And another batch of prisons could be seen. And like Earth, there is even more structures crumbling

'Secret prisons, reconnaissance technology research and secret weapon construction. It seems that The World Government, the League of Freedom and the Order of Thinker did not tell all of the things they did in the moon'

He thought to himself.

Of course, some of the prison constructed on the moon is a public project between all of the great powers as they would imprison Disk Formation levelers that went rogue and created massive destruction to the world

But some of the prisons he saw is one that is not reported and probably is used to imprison the dissident or the enemies of the World Government, the League of Freedom and the League of Thinkers.

League of Thinkers as Azief had discovered is also engaging in many human experimentations.

The cybernetic organism that they created falls under the category of human experimentation.

They have agreed on this during the World Meet that human experimentation is not allowed unless publically announced and there is volunteer to it.

'Hmm' he seems to mutter.

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There is still of course people inside the Moon. They still did not realize that Azief is here even with the powerful energy from where he is standing.

It is because they are on the other side of the moon.

'I already got it' he thought to himself.

He seems to have understood the matter of the Moon and the secret lies inside it. With his eyes, it is hard to hide from his gaze.

Since there is no formation powerful enough to withstand the power of a Divine Comprehension leveler, how could any formation that did not exceed Divine Comprehension able to stop him?

The Moon is only one of Azief stop.

After all, since he is already there on space, he would use the time to see what is the secret these great power is trying to do in the Moon

And like he had expected it is nothing good.

He then floated back up into space.

Though it is quite hard to differentiate between up and down in space.

Azief had to concentrate. He flies like light and in a few second he was already far away from the Moon.

He once again spread out his Divine Sense.

He had to find a black hole. No one would understand why Azief would want to find a black hole all of a sudden

It is a gamble. At this point, this gamble is the only gamble good enough for him to have a chance of quickly breaking through

Right now, the energy of the Multiversal Convergence is filling up the entire Universe.

It created expansion and contraction when it necessary making changes to the particles and the size of the planets.

Azief also wanted to confirm something.

If his assumption is correct, then there is a chance that he could fuse all of his avatars while taking advantage of the energy that is now filling the Universe

He wanted to find a black hole to confirm his thoughts. The moon while is seems far is not that far.

The other stars and planets on the other hand is very far.

If it was before he would use the gravitational highway to quickly travel through planets and stars.

Earth itself has this gravitational highway.

The orbits of millions asteroids moon and planets created this highway

These orbits interacted with each other by using this gravitational super highway system that allowed them to move through space than possible

The discovery is made by looking at space manifolds, an invisible structures consisting of series of connected arches that is generated by gravitational interaction in the solar system

It is like a gravity channels. This space manifolds acts as boundaries of dynamical channels or connection between gravitation interaction

This celestial highway could move objects over several decades as opposed to millions of years in the open space.

Such route could drive the asteroid near Jupiter to Neptune under a decade and to one hundred astronomical units (93 million miles or 150 million kilometers) in less than a century.

But now Azief could easily travel through stars and planet with his powerful body. His physical body is so powerful that if he wanted to, he could ram his body to a small planet and crushed it

This is the terrifying power of his body that is now strengthened by the power of the Laws of the world.

His speed itself had surpassed the speed of light, almost an instantaneous speed. At Earth Prime, he controls his speed in order not to create chaos.

Before Earth expanded, if he uses his full speed using his body, the trails which he would pass by would create powerful storm that would ravage all in its path.

Each step could pulverize a large swath of land and the kinetic energy that would be unleashed if he uses his speed the way Will uses his speed, the world would probably tear apart at the seams

Heat waves would spread out and kill all the things that did not have enough energy to withstand such waves of energy.

But, in the starry skies, in this dark and cold universe where intelligent life, while numerous, is far and separated by trillions of light years, Azief did not have to worry about all of that.

He could move with a speed that created all kinds of cosmic phenomenon

His body was not pressured by the lack of oxygen or by the pressure of all kinds of gravitational pull that wrapped each and every part of the Universe.

He was also not affected by the space dust or the radiation of stars and planets. His speed is also getting faster and faster.

At times, he could teleport forward like he warps himself and appear at the other side, akin of a faster than light travel.

One would only see a flash of light and space distorts, contract and expand around some part of the Universe before that area suddenly seems like it was pulled before it releases itself and the distortion, the warping of the area of that space return to normal

This kind of thing could not be seen clearly unless one is in the vicinity or using some kind of powerful sight enhancement device to see such thing on space.

It affected the meteoroids belts around the area, affected the gravitational pull and the stars and the planets around that area

One could only imagine the mass of energy needed to do such a thing

That is the sign that he warped himself around the area and travel in a speed faster than light.

Each time he does this a powerful explosion of energy would occur in space that would affect the area of around ten thousand kilometers.

His body keep absorbing the energy of the Universe and even absorbing the impurities of the energy of the Universe.

Azief did not think many things during his flight.

He had to do it because he is pressed for time. If nothing had happened, he could easily slowly and calmly break through.

It would be more perfect. But, sometimes plans did not go the way he wanted. He could only adapt to it

Azief would be propelled into some kind of tunnel of star and all kinds of space matters when he uses the laws to quickly go from one point of the Universe to the other

It reminds him when he was travelling across the Eight World of the Asgardians using the Bifrost.

Each time he did that, he travels hundreds or even tens of thousands of light years away from Earth.

That is the same feeling he is feeling right now as he uses his Law to quickly find that black hole

Right now, Azief could no longer uses his Divine Sense to accurately see the things that happen on Earth

The fact that he still could see some vague images of Earth is not because of his powerful Divine Sense.

But instead it is because a part of him is inside the Heavenly Will and the Will of the World.

As such, even though, he was this far from Earth and in travelling in a speed that would break all the fastest record of speed achieved by some spacecraft built on Earth since the Fall, he could still have some kind of feeling and premonition if anything happens on Earth

It is unlike the time where he was transported to the Supremacy Stairway where none of his Divine Sense could sense anything on Earth.

Because of his advancement to the Divine Comprehension level, his Divine Sense had also expanded.

But no matter how large his Divine Sense could expand, it still could not pass the Universal barrier.

At this time Azief was reminded that Alsurt once told him, that Odin Allfather could see through all kinds of Universe as he sits on his throne.

His Divine Sense could envelop an entire universe and he could travel through Universes with one step forward.

If it is Odin, he would have reached that black hole in a second. Azief knows it would take a few days back to back to go to the black hole and return.

But while it is not like Odin that could travel such distance in the span it took to blink an eye, Azief could still be considered fast even among those who had reached Divine Comprehension.

Azief sailing the stars like some kind of fast moving meteor. He crashed against some nebulous colorful dark matter.

The Laws around him seems to protect him.

His skin become golden, and nothing could cut him. If it is in the past, just by relying on his Undying Physique, there would still be cut by the things that floats in space.

While some of this floating matter did not move from the area where they were suspended from, Azief is the one moving.

And as it took too much time for him to dodge each and every single thing in space, he just rammed his body to these matters.

In such cases, it would make him to have a few scratch. But because of his Undying Physique, it would be healed almost instantly.

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While some of this floating matter did not move from the area where they were suspended from, Azief is the one moving.

And as it took too much time for him to dodge each and every single thing in space, he just rammed his body to these matters.

The sound of explosion is muffled but the effect of the explosion was not spread out. He is still quite close to Earth.

He did not want the effect of him clashing with celestial objects to cause some changes on Earth

One must not underestimate the power of some celestial object veering off course. Earth now could probably survive large meteorites falling down from the sky

It is hard to believe, absurd even but as Azief had learn from his many journey in the Universe, when some mystical artifact is involved, absurdity is par for the course.

Azief was quite sure, if Earth prime did not have the All Source, this magical and an impossibility where not only Earth had expanded but also the planets and stars around it would not have happened.

But Azief would prefer not to add up more destruction toward Earth on his conscience.

The fact that Earth would become a place that is more accessible for meteors to fall is inevitable.

Since Earth had now grown probably a hundred times larger than before the area where space matter would collide increased exponentially

And Earth had quite a few missed calls in the past.



But knowing this, the Seven great powers would probably bring out some satellite that have the capability to destroy and neutralize any danger from space like that NUKE

NUKE is Nuclear Universal Killer Energy

It is a high tech satellite outfitted with nuclear capabilities to shoot down any meteorites or unidentified spacecraft that tries to come in into Earth airspace without identification

Well, humanity had learned the hard way what would happen when they did not guard the outer space

Of course NUKE is not the only line of defense.

There are others.

Most of it is sponsored by the World Government. From what he knows, Pandemonium also funnel many resources to this

The Seven Great powers might not agree on everything but if there is one thing that would gain universal approval from the World Security Council it would be any proposal toward the security of outer space especially on the Milky Way galaxy and the planets surrounding it.

Most of it was destroyed during the Multiversal Convergence. There were the fights that happens on the ground. But there were also fight that happens in space.

Some of the Otherworlders had technological advances that did not lose out to Earth and they seem to have targeted the line of defense on space the moment they arrived.

And then there is the Seresian demon.

Add with the burst of energy from the Multiversal Convergence that opens up portals and rift toward other worlds, it neutralized and break almost all of the surveillance systems on the Moon and the nearby stars

It was like a cosmic blast that just destroyed everything.

Azief thought of Hirate and know that he must be feeling quite the heartache.

Whatever his fault, Hirate is a man that truly wanted to protect the world. Azief did not have this vibe form him in the past.

But he is slowly becoming like that. Surviving a war does changes one perspective. Though, he is still cunning as ever.

To forget that is very dangerous. Hirate did not always goes with the right kind of method to do the things he wanted to do. Sometimes, the end does not justify the mean.

As such, when Azief rammed his body to it, he destroyed these matters inwardly, causing any matter to collapse inwardly.

In such cases, when his body rammed with some powerful and dense matter it would make him to have a few scratch.

But because of his Undying Physique, it would be healed almost instantly.

But now, it did not even leave him a scratch. Because as he become faster and faster, his body began unleashing all the abilities he had.

Kinetic energy gathers around it to name a few energies that seems to shrouded his body like some kind of protective power.

His aura also exploded out, pushing small matter outside the way and his power seems to cause some changes on space around him

Of course, it is unlike him to manifests his aura and power outside of his body.

On Earth, it serves as intimidation and cow his opponent into submission even before meeting them.

It is one of his theatrics that he likes to employ against his rivals and enemies.

Rarely that Azief had to manifest the power inside him other than today when he uses all of his power to fight against Balfor.

But this time, there is a practical reason for doing so.

it protected Azief body from many unknown elements of space.

‘I kinda miss travelling with Will’ he thought to himself.

With Will, it was different.

The Speed Source that is used by Will, morphed and transformed all energy around them as a fuel for the Speed Source.

As long as he is inside and being shrouded by the Speed Source, he did not need to do anything other than n supply some energy to help him go faster

Hence, when he was travelling the many dimension with Will in the past, he did not have to worry about his body protection against the elements of the Universe as Will would envelop him with the Speed Source.

There are too many unknown elements about space and the element they contained for him to just fly around it without protection

While he did not have the Speed source, he does have many other methods that he could use

Some of these elements that exist in the outer space have been identified by humans but some of it is unknown just like the unknown abyss of the darkest space.

Although, physics have given a rough idea what the Universe is, in the end, there is still a lot that humans don’t know about the Universe

Even the advanced civilization still looks up upon the stars above the sky of their planets and still seeking answer to some of the greatest question that the Universe had posed upon all living beings that lives inside this Universe

Although there are some very appealing, very promising theoretical frameworks that could answer many question about the Universe, the simple truth was that most of this theoretical framework might not be right.

One of such question is why the Universe exist and how does it continue existing. And like many other question, this too did not have a true answer

The more people research space the more they come to the conclusion that they are woefully ignorant about many things.

It may be that the Universe springs from an inherently unstable nothingness.

The most void-like void, prone to spontaneous generation of matter and energy in properties that always balance out to zero

Maybe there are galaxies like that and Earth is also like that.

Or there might be a Universe somewhere in the expansive vast of space that is created in a different way, in a way that it became hard to wrapped your mind to conceive of its creation, that there is a Universe that was not born this way.

Maybe some of them is a rectangle planet or an oblong shaped universe or even a planet with hollow space or a planet that possess all kinds of different plane that connected them with some dimension

And many more of such thing.

In the vast Universe, Azief had saw countless of possibilities.

Everything is quite possible and each time he saw such an impossibility become possible, his mind horizon expanded.

And since Azief had found out about the existence of the Multiverse, his thought had also veered to the thought of all kinds of Universes that probably were born in different ways, possessing different matters, some of which would be harmful to some and beneficial to others.

Orvanians for example possess jelly-like physique.

From what he knows about the Orvanians they were not always like this.

The changes around their physique is to adapt to the harsh primordial universe.

They were among the first living beings, a being that existed only second to the Eterna

The other alien civilization that live around their time had already been wiped out by the passing of time but the Orvanians still existed and they were like the Scholars of the Universe, remaining in isolation, guardians of the Multiverse.

Of course, they had to adapt to live this long.

The Universe is vast. But just saying it is vast, it is still hard for human mind to wrap round the idea of this vastness.

When one looks at an expansive plain, like those green plains in the wilderness of Mongolia, a flat ground that one could see as far as the eye could see and one would already feel that it is already vast enough

When one looks at the blue sky and white clouds and saw how vast the sky was, one would feel it is already vast enough

So, when one said the Universe is vast, the idea of the vastness of it, is hard to hammer down into one mind.

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Because human mind concept of vastness is limited by the senses and the things that they could see, hear, smell, touch or to be more accurate, the things that their senses could detect.

Like one could not understand the concept of a planet that is one hundred times larger than Earth with their minds.

Of course, when one gives a visual representation, there is a concept of this vastness. But one still could not truly understand it because it is hard to imagine such largeness.

As such, the largeness of the Multiverse is even harder for a human mind to wrap around unless one reach a certain level.

There is vast array of Universes

There are universes, part of a multiverse, of more than ten to the power of ten to the power of sixteen distinguishable realities.

That is the most conservative estimate of all kinds of Universe that existed in the Multiverse by scientist before.

But since he had seen it and had travel in it, he knew that conservative estimate is really small.

Think of a choice.

And think of the choice that you did not choose. Now think that a world had been borne because of that one choice.

Now, multiply that with all moments of your life and think of all the choices you could have made in each second of your life.

Imagine that in each seconds, you have created worlds by choosing.

This is not to say that each particular choice created a world. this is just to illustrate the idea of the infinite worlds.

Think of it like that and you would reach to the conclusion that there is infinite worlds and infinite universes and that it is vast

Like a firework that exploded in the night sky, each branches off to a different direction. But each branch is a world, with its own set of laws.

Because of this, Azief had to manifest his power. Because even with his knowledge he did not know the kind of matter that exist in the Universe.

Who knows? There might be some matter that could make him sick or elicit negative effect for him.

He could not really fall sick at this moment right now.

He already is pressing for time.

If he let some unknown matter enter into his body and he fell sick, how then he could answer to Boris?

How could he answer to Katarina? And how could he answer to himself. Thinking of all of this, he becomes even faster.

And he became more anxious. In outer space, where no one could see him, he could be a bit more honest with his feeling

And surrounded by darkness of space and its empty scenery, he could think a lot of things. Sometimes, his thought wander

But there is an odd feeling of calmness.

It was like when he is at sea,

Tranquility.

That is what he is feeling. It is quite contradictory.

He felt anxious about Katarina safety, about what Sofia would say to him if he went to the Hill, about the feeling that he felt seeing the result of his action to the world.

And that is not even adding to the fact that what he saw in the future shakes him more than he had let on.

All of this thoughts swirl in his mind even when he was in the throne room and speaking with Sasha. It occupied most of his thought even as he was flying toward space.

Yet, regardless of all of this, at times, he found himself...empty of such thought.

Like doodling some drawing in class.

This anxiousness, this worries stays with him, but.....at the same time, flying through this silent space and seeing the emptiness and barrenness of it all, like his thought were affected by it, it also became silent.

And that is a blessing.

It is not that he wanted to forget or to escape from his life.

He just wanted one moment, one second of absolute nothingness

To have for himself one moment where he had no need to worry about anything.

Oddly enough, in space, in this vast area of barrenness and no-life zone that he found himself...tranquil.

Quite an odd feeling. He bet that there is a word for this feeling. It is just at this current moment; he could not care about what that word was.

Then the moment pass. And the worries come again like a floodgate being opened. It did not overwhelm him as he takes on it again.

He kicks his foot forward and colorful colors emitted from beneath his feet

This colors are none other than his aura.

His entire body is now shining like some kind of golden lantern streaming across the dark space.

With each light years he passes the golden light did not dim instead it become even brighter, that it seems to affect the surrounding of the dark space.

Elemental energy that passes by him had no way of harming him. the Golden Vein inside his body is nourishing him at every second.

His pressure increase as the space around him not only distort, contract and expands, it even seems on the verge of breaking down.

Even though Azief was in a particular area of space in the span of a nanosecond, that fraction of a moment had causes the area of space around him to be on the verge of breaking down.

With Celestial Bones, his body could endure the pressure of space and the gravitational pull of planets, stars and even some unknown element that even have its own gravity field that seems to have been birthed because of the Multiversal Convergence that did not comply to any known laws of physics

With the Celestial Meridian, the energy of the Universe was absorbed into his body without him being tainted too much by the unfiltered energy of the Universe.

It is unlike the energy on Earth Prime.

It is hard to see with the naked eyes but if one could see the flow of energy with their eyes, Azief is now like some kind of a black hole himself, sucking the energy around him with such a fast speed that if the flow of this energy could be turned into a solid form, the vortex of energy that he is absorbing would look like a swirling wild tornado.

With Nine Forbidden Opening released, his speed grows faster each time it was used.

With the Violet palace, an enormous pool of vitality, of life energy keep producing inside his body

Just because he had Laws body did not mean that he could not use the ability of his Undying Body.

He had rarely used it after reaching Disk Formation. But now, Azief is going all out to quickly reach the black hole

And as he had familiarized itself with the outer space, slowly a trace of Law swirls around him. He is now beginning to use his Law.

And the first Law that manifested is none other than his Worldly Law

The energy of Worldly law had long been accumulated when he was on Earth. But Law is unlike energy but one could not easily separate the other.

Since the former is a bit like fuel but the latter is like a program. A terrible analogy but since he did not have too much time to bounce off the idea, that is the best he could do

Life seems to sprout in this lifeless and cold dark Universe as his Worldly Law affect the properties of matters around him

Like lines of program, Azief see the world in a different way other people did.

He saw the elements. And because of his power over the Law, these elements protected him, and strengthen him

Some things freeze when they are near him. Other things burst into flame, like a combustion process suddenly was activated.

More and more elements seem to be birthed when in fact it is the manipulation of certain matter that was turned into the elements that Azief was familiar with on Earth

It is unfortunate that Worldly Law is scarce on space.

It thrives in a world like the Earth prime where there are all kinds of life

And of course, a magical world where the Worldly Law is like the system that govern the world operation of day to day

A world or a universe where the law of the world is a bit more complete

But even though it is scarce, the space is vast. Even a small droplet if one seeks it in the large dead forest, at least one would find more than just a bucketful.

Each time he inhales and exhales, this worldly energy that contains enormous life force would be released to the surrounding.

If Azief had stop at any of the planets and just inhale and exhale, life might even sprout in the most barren planets.

Small vortexes also appeared as the spirals of energy become denser and denser.

These vortexes are the manifestation of the Universal Law body.

Azief did not bring out his thirteen Law avatars but that did not mean he could not use the Laws.

After all the avatar is simply the physical manifestation of the Laws that he was cultivating.

Now, that he is in the open Universe, his body is absorbing Universal energy like crazy.

The only flaw for it was that the energy of the universe is very chaotic, mixed with so many matters that is not entirely beneficial for one body.

But Azief still absorbs it to make sure that his speed could be maintained.

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Other than that, his entire body is also glowing with bluish color, illuminating the runes that he carved inside of his skin.

The bluish color meld with the golden color of his body creating a very mystical and mystifying sight.

And some of these rune fly out from his skin. But it did not give any pain to Azief. It is like the runes manifested outside while still remaining inside his skin

Azief right now look like some tribal warrior as he is full with tattoo-like inscription all over his body. No one on Earth had ever seen Death Monarch Azief like this before.

This is the Ancient Rune Law manifested. The runes have power from the meaning of each rune.

The pressure around him grew twofold.

Azief sighed.

Even though his speed is getting even more faster, because of the bombardment by the Orvanians closing the portals around the Milky Way galaxy, all kinds of energy intermixed and overlap with each other, making it very chaotic and created unnecessary matters that causes friction with his speed.

Conclusion, this speed is not enough for him if he wanted to meet the deadline that he had set for himself.

On normal days, this would not be something that he would complain about. But, today, is not exactly a normal day.

Multiversal Convergence, Otherworlders attack, invasion by demonic creatures, Demon King from another Universe, kidnapping of Katarina, Loki taking blame for him...yes, today had quite stressed him.

He sighed inwardly

If not because of the bombardment of the Orvanians, it would not be this hard for him to travel across the stars.

The weapons of Orvanians is very weird as most of it deals with Multiverses and guarding it against branching off too much or created a singularity such as the Multiversal Convergence.

It is a simple way of saying that most of the weapon of the Orvanians deals with the abstract concept of space and time, sometimes exclusively, sometimes interdependently.

And Azief could sense a bit of Time Lords appearances.

He is quite familiar with those.....beings.

Considering that Will teacher is an ancient Speedster, Azief would think that the Time Lords would be very interested in that.

Speedster could create quite the nexus event especially for a being of immense power and speed like Will teacher.

With the inclusion of the Time Lords and their weapons and the radiation of their items it made the energy of the Milky Way even more unstable and even more bizarre than usual



Orvanians and Time Lords.

That is not a good combination in any worlds

Because of the items and things that those two race had done there is something fundamentally different about the space of the Milky Way galaxy right now

Like some kind of madness was injected into the matters and properties of the Milky Way galaxy

Azief shakes his thought from that as he focusses on using another one of his Law.

His Celestial law also manifested as all kinds of heavenly phenomenon happened all over the area of space that he passes by

Some of this even overturned the laws of physic around that area, creating an illogical scene of clouds appearing in the vacuum of space before disappearing a second later

There is mountains and seas, appearing floating on space. These mountain is not a real mountain and the rivers are not real rivers.

It is the symbols for some kind of enlightenment or some kind of understanding of some Laws. Celestial energy seems to create this mountain and rivers, golden in color like some kind of blessed lands.

Celestial energy appeared and mix with the Universal energy.

The Celestial energy has a lot of similarity with the Universal energy but they also have its differences.

One of its most stark difference was that celestial energy possess spirit in it, different from the Universal energy that did not possess any spirit at all.

A white aura rises up and swirls around Azief, adding even more depth to the bluish golden aura that is spreading from Azief entire body

There is a reason that Azief could absorb all this kind of energy and could disregard the chaotic elements of Universal energy outside of Earth Prime.

The reason is simply because of his All Source Law. It is in his Inner Universe. And right now, of all the Laws that he had cultivated, it is being used the most

It converted and refine all of the chaotic elements that exist in the energy that is channeling itself toward him

Azief also is getting bigger and bigger as he become further away from Earth.

Morphing body is easy for him. But the reason why his size suddenly expand is not because he morphs his body.

But because of his Law Body.

If this was on Earth his size would reach the Heavens and each movement from his body would create shockwaves and vibration energy enough to incite earthquakes and causes the seas to become wild

As his body become larger and larger, and his Laws is being used, it affects space and time around him

Space-time on space is quite peculiar. It depends on the area of the Universe and what particles existed there

On some places, it was not affected.

On others, if there is some kind of elements that is bizarre in nature and properties, it distorts the very definition of space time.

And because of the Multiversal Convergence, magic is thrown into the mix.

That is never good. Magic complicates things

Well, it is quite unfair to say that it is not good

The more accurate wording was that it would become unpredictable and even more dangerous.

The vast space is dangerous not only because of the already dangerous elements that the Universe had, it is also because of all the unknown elements that also existed.

Maybe in the beginning there is the normal element of space.

But when it had reached certain points, melded with some others element, driven by the variety of particles and things and elements of space, some of it evolved and created new things and sprouted out new elements, elements that is more bizarre, strange and more dangerous

An infinite possibilities of things could happen in space.

Time dilation is only one of the common one

And as for the uncommon one, one had to be quick in one feet to survive in such in an uncertain environment that warps time, space and probably everything else.

There are now probably more matters and weirder particle in the Milky Way galaxy than ever before

Why?

Because now, magic enters the mix.... among other things. Azief could only ignore this as more and more of his Law power is manifesting.

As Azief Law body is now manifesting, the rate of energy coming to enter his body increased tenfold

His Law Body began to changes the properties around him and even affected the Laws.

'Heh' he chuckles.

Even though his speed had now reached faster than light speed, and even though, the time he spent in one particular area of space is but a fraction of even a second, even in that almost minutiae second, his very existence affected the Laws

Like a stone thrown into a calm lake, its ripple spread. An infinite cycle of destruction and creation seems to appear around him

Particles and atoms break down and created back almost in an instant.

The space around him is shaking and vibrates and the energy causes the entire area of space seems to be condensed and repressed.

It is like something elastic is clashing with a powerful force that causes it to spring back and stay that way, unable to return back to its original form

That is what happens to space beneath his feet or behind him back. Space seems to be stretched.

The star trembles wherever he passes and affect the radiation and gravitational pull around it.

If he was there even a few more second in one area, the stars might even crack and exploded because of the massive surge of energy that Azief body is now emanating.

Chaotic energy is one of the destructive energy in the Universe.

And that energy is now swirling all around him like some kind of wild cyclones

But there is also a benefit to all of this.

Wherever he passes, the area around it disintegrates.

Whether it be some trail of meteoroid belts or some space clouds, all of it were pressured by the force of his power

When these particles exploded, their energy, their essence turns into potent energy that feed Azief mass use of energy.

His Law Body also possess the All Source Law Body so like a thirsty man founding a water in the middle of the desert, his body greedily devours all of it in a span that is faster than it takes for someone to blink.

And with that, he become even more faster.

The Laws that he cultivated all become active.

The Law body of the Ancient Demons activated and his killing intents weep all the obstacles in front of him.

His killing intent seems to morph into a sharp destruction aura that sweeps out the four direction from his body.

It also cut all elements that Azief did not recognize.

At the same time, it did not clash with the life force of the Worldly energy.

It is quite amazing that two contradictory forces did not only coexisted harmoniously, it even seems to complement each other

However, there is no murderous glint in his eyes.

Azief after the battle with the Demon King seems to have a deeper understanding of his Law.

He is no longer too affected by the Laws and even could control it to such a degree that even when he is activating a certain law, he would not be swept away by it.

But the red aura around him did not become dull. Instead, it become even sharper. Wherever he passes, thing was cut at the atomic level.

its entire molecular structure diminishes into nothingness. There is no sound of explosion or any sign of destruction.

The obstacle simply turns into nothingness.

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His Celestial Law power also complement the Ancient Asura Law.

At times, he exploded out with killing intent, and in a second alter, divine mountains and holy rivers would appear.

With one intention becoming a Celestial! With one intention becoming an Asura!

Like a fusion between a divine Celestial Emperor and a Great Empyrean Demon, Holiness and majesty in one moment, sea of blood with red mist in another moment.

Flower petals appears.

This used to come from the sword waved by the Ancient Asura Law Body when he first condenses the Law Body.

But this time, there is no sword being waved. But the flower petals appear

It is very beautiful and very enchanting

It was like there was a tree, and this tree sprouted on the dark space and on its branches is trees and flowers.

But it did not come from the dark space. Instead, trees sprouted on the divine mountain. A peach-like tree.

And the holy wind on that divine mountain blows and the petals flew. A powerful aura seems to be contained in each petal.

Golden white color petals flew out from the mountain tree that is created because of the Celestial Law body and cut down the stars.

The flower petals seem to possess a speed faster than light as it cut down stars like it was nothing.

Stars that is thousand light years away was cut, leaving the area around Azief to be empty. Devious killing intent but layered up with divine majestic aura.

That is the feeling one would feel when one is able to look at the flower petal.

The stars disintegrated and the energy that is contained in that star were quickly absorbed by Azief body in that span of a time that did not exceed even one second.

It is unlike the explosion of star that is about to reach its expiration date.

It was like the flower petals destroy it to its origin. It became nothingness, leaving only the energy that is contained inside them

If not, Azief action would create a lot of supernova blast all over the Milky Way galaxy.

that would only create more uncertain factors in space.

Aether Law Body appears, emanating the energy the energy that flow through nearly all existence.

Life Force that is different from the Life Force of the Worldly Law nourishes him. A divine power that could remade the Life Force of the Omniverse.

That is Aether Law

Elemental, Cosmic, spiritual and many others energies seems to appear in tandem as this Law manifest itself.

And the moment that Aether Law body appears, Azief speed increases even more that it would not take long before he could reach the black hole

Azief eyes seems to be full of colors and sights. Each one of these sights is more fantastical than the other. Azief could not help but feeling the Universe is very beautiful

It is a pity that only when one reaches a certain level of power, only then one could see such beautiful scenery.

All the while, the aura around him become even stronger and solidified itself. Laws of the world being solidified.

Laws itself is intangible in nature. Like some programming code embedded in the fabric of reality and could not be seen by those inside the program

But now, Laws are manifesting outside of this programming. Azief himself is fascinated by such phenomenon when he first become a Divine Comprehension leveler.

Azief still had many thoughts even as he was travelling in a speed that is faster than light, cutting away a lot of the time needed to reach the destination he wanted to go

A journey that would take millions of light years away, Azief is about to make that same journey in just a few minutes

It is even hard for human mind to understand the distance between Earth and that black hole. To wrap the distance of tens of thousands of light years away is already a chore

But a distance that takes millions of light years away...that is even harder for one mind to wrap itself onto.

Azief in his journey to the black hole also could see the effect of the Multiversal Convergence toward the Milky Way galaxy. He could see the effect on Earth.

It was obvious.

But as for the galaxy, it is subtler. There are all kinds of energy that is present in space right now that did not exist before.

And that is not the only thing that Azief had noticed.

He notices that since the Sun and the Earth expanded in tandem with each other, to keep a perfect equilibrium between each other, the other planets also expanded to keep up with the change.

Neptune, Uranus and the other planets also rises up in size.

They rise up in size so much that they now had the qualification to become planet that could explode and become a black hole.

And that effect is not limited to the closest planet around Earth. It spread out even further as it affects the other stars all over in the Milky Way galaxy.

Azief also believe since that is the case, then the distance of the black hole might even double, tripled or become tenfold more far than the initial estimation.

It is only now that Azief could see the far reaching consequences of the Multiversal Convergence and why the Orvanians was so adamant on not allowing any worlds to create a Multiversal Convergence on purpose.

It created too much chaos.

On one hand it looks like it could increase the supply of energy that would flow across the world

But it also made the space around that particular planet become even more dangerous, and even more unpredictable.

Azief appears at another area. And this time, he stops for more than one second. He saw a Battlestar.

He was shocked seeing it. Because he recognizes it

'It is still here in the Milky Way?' he thought to himself the moment he saw it.

For a moment, he did not immediately jump light years away.

In that moment, he observes it.

The Battlestar did not belong to Pandemonium but Azief recognize it anyway. He once read the report about this particular Battlestar.

Carved on the outside surface of the titanic Battlestar, is Genesis. Since Azief is fast, he doubts that the radar on the Battlestar could detect him

And while he appears to stop, not even one second had passed. This is because his perception and his speed is synchronized.

It was like time had stopped when in truth, it is because he is moving so fast that space-time is disturbed.

Battlestar Genesis is one of the Battlestar that Hirate had send to outer space to preserve humanity, in the case that Earth Prime were to be destroyed.

That is why he recognize it with apparent ease

The crew of this Battlestar and the civilians inside it were to seek another planet that could contain life and spread the seed of life into these planets

But right now it seems the Battlestar seems to be suspended in air without energy.

It seems that they have encountered some problem. Azief could hear the prayers from inside the Battlestar.

'One second is enough' he thought to himself as he steps forward, appears in front of that unmoving Battlestar.

No one seems to realize it and he taps his finger on the outside surface of the Battlestar.

The Genesis Battlestar also had some hybrid technology installed as it has organic matter embedded in the hull of the metal surfaces of the Battlestar.

As such Azief could inject his life force into it. In that one moment, he also sends some encrypted message in the private channels of the Battlestar.

This kind of thing might be hard for him to do in the past but right now he is more than able to do it.

His tap of the finger changes the properties of the metal of the ship, as jolt of electricity coming from his finger powered up the entire Battlestar.

All the outside light was activated.

Like a flower blooming, the Battlestar hummed into life.

Hirate probably could not calculate all the probabilities of things that could happened wrong in space Azief thought to himself.

With that one taps he could immediately see the problem of the Battlestar.

With the radiation off the charts radiating from every surface of the Battlestar, Azief made an educated guess that the Battlestar had just pass through a Cosmic Storm.

He notices a Cosmic Strom a few million light years behind when he was travelling before.

There was a sign that the Cosmic Storm seems to have an external force passing through it.

And the Cosmic cloud itself was quite weird in that it seems to have a large amount of dark matter and unknown elements that seems to possess some kind of sentience and power

Regardless of the truth, Azief did not stay long as he taps his finger, leave a message and then kick his feet forward and disappeared from that area in a speed that even would leave that Battlestar in the dust

To Azief, he only takes one second of his time to save this Battlestar from having the fate of dying in space because of the lack of supplies.

But to those people inside it, it is a lifesaving grace. Azief did not know that he had just saved a very important Battlestar.

But to say he is completely unaware is also false.

In that moment when he stopped, in that moment when he was drawn to that Battlestar, there is a trace of fate and destiny about all of it.

Azief had already noticed that this is the effect of the Eye of the Oracle.

And then when he taps his finger, he could see visions, glimpses of the possible future for that Battlestar.

And because he saw it, he left a gift, a message to the people inside that Battlestar.

Then he immediately continues his journey.

[Maybe, a pilot story for another novel, huh? A Battlestar that is searching for another Earth, like some kind of Battlestar Galactica story? Who knows? Maybe, I will write that story later']