

## Supremacy 1501

Chapter 1501 The First Ruler.

"To be sent off as the only spy and kickstart an entire invasion, it's obvious he is a big shot up there." Felix nodded with a serious expression.

Since the spirit realm was sealed for the eternal kingdom's spirits, it meant that Duke Humphrey was sent off to the living world and allowed himself to die or turn into a spirit somehow.

Felix didn't know how exactly Duke Humphrey pulled off the infiltration without losing his memories, but to reach this far, he was a true mastermind.

"Who is this strongest being exactly?" Felix narrowed his eyes. "Is he one of the beings who imprisoned you?"

Asna felt a profound weight in her heart...The thought of that being brought her bad memories and if it was up to her, she would never speak about him.

"You don't need to tell me if you..."

"No, you have to learn those things." Asna shook her head and steeled her heart. "You have been interacting way too often with them and if fate has it that you enter the eternal kingdom, it's best to know what you will be dealing with."

"You see, the universe is believed to be created out of five pillars. The three celestial languages, the laws, and the elements." Asna shared, "Just like elements could gain consciousness with enough energy and time, what do you think will happen when laws and..."

Her words, tinged with determination, were about to unveil the secrets of the cosmos when, suddenly, the very sky above the city rumbled with an awe-inspiring presence.

A deep, resonating voice, like the very voice of the universe itself, echoed from the heavens.

Its authority was unquestionable, sending shivers down the spines of all who heard it even when they were frozen in time!

"Child," the voice intoned, its power palpable, "You have fooled enough. It is time for you to return home."

"You..."

Asna's eyes widened in dread and alarm, for she recognized the voice as that of the being she hated—the strongest, the most ancient, and the most revered in the universe!

It was a voice that transcended the boundaries of mortal comprehension, a voice that commanded respect and obedience from all who heard it!

'Godfather, You really managed to involve the First Ruler in our plan...What the,' Duke Humphrey thought with a look of utter reverence.

The only reason he hadn't freed himself from the time freeze through his divinity was because of his confidence in his godfather.

Since he uttered he took care of Asna, he trusted him and waited for the reinforcement to arrive and handle her without needing to waste what was left of his precious divinity.

Yet, not in his wildest dreams did he expect the reinforcement to be the First Ruler...The most revered and powerful being across all realms!

Meanwhile, Felix couldn't understand the language spoken, but Asna's fearful reaction made him understand immediately who he was dealing with.

Felix fought against the fear crawling on his spine and stood in front of Asna, his gaze cold and resolved as he stared into the portal.

"Lower your gaze."

With an authoritative order, Felix found himself hurtling through the air at supersonic speed!

Without warning or apparent physical force, he crashed into the ground below, his impact creating a deep crater amidst the rubble!

'Huh?'

Felix lay within the crater, momentarily dazed, having absolutely no idea what happened to him. If it wasn't for the numbing pain coursing through his flesh, he would have thought that it was a dream.

"Felix!"

Worried and angered, Asna tried to rush toward Felix but found herself suffering from a powerful spiritual pressure that made her incapable of moving a single inch!!

This was Asna, who possessed one of the highest spiritual pressures in the universe, yet, she could do nothing against it!

"Don't make this harder than it is...Either come up voluntarily or your little lover will come up with you." The voice thundered across the entire heavenly realm even though he was addressing Asna alone.

"Don't you dare!" Asna felt shivers course down her soul after hearing the last statement. She knew that if he brought Felix up, it would be the end of him.

He could be turned into a toy and get passed between unigins or worse, has his soul trapped in a divine item.

Whatever it was, his life would be hell and she wouldn't be able to save him even if she wanted.

Suddenly, Felix burst through the rubble with blood covering his entire body as he bellowed furiously, "Asna! Don't you dare think about it!"

Alas, before he could even cross half the distance, he got smacked yet again into the rubble against his control.

"I won't show mercy a third time."

The voice addressed Asna again like the only reason he wasn't finishing off Felix in one move was because of her.

"Fine, I will come! Just don't touch him again, please, don't touch him again..." Asna begged, her voice quivering in despair.

She knew that being was more than capable of erasing Felix's existence with a mere thought now that the eternal kingdom was connected to the spirit realm.

He might not show himself, but his presence was covering the entire heavenly plane and if he wanted, he could turn it into a wasteland in a split second...

"Can I at least talk to him one last time?"

"..."

Nothing was said, but the spiritual pressure on her was released, making her understand that she was given permission.

Without any thought of foul play, Asna rushed to Felix's side and pushed him down, forcing him to stay on the ground.

"You can't..."

"Shut up!" Asna yelled with tears glistening in her eyes. She embraced him tightly, her voice trembling but filled with love and resolve. "Felix, from the moment our paths

crossed, you became the light in my universe, the one who showed me the true depth of love and courage."

She held him even closer as if fearing that the universe might tear him away before she had uttered everything she needed to. "You've faced the darkest forces the cosmos could muster, and you've done it all with strength and determination that astounds me every time. You've shown me what it means to fight for what you believe in, to never give up, no matter the odds."

"If so..."

"Let me finish!" She shushed him with a finger and continued with her voice quivering, and her grip on Felix tightened. "Our love has been a force greater than anything, and it will remain unbroken, even across the boundaries of realms. Remember, no matter where you are, my heart will always be yours."

With tears streaming down her face, Asna leaned in and pressed her lips to Felix's in a passionate and lingering kiss, pouring all her love and longing into that final connection.

When their lips parted, she whispered, "You are my eternal flame, Felix, and nothing in this universe can extinguish my love for you."

Before Felix could speak a single word, Asna froze him in time as well with a smile filled with sorrow and helplessness.

Felix's heart broke to pieces the moment he saw that smile as it made him feel like a useless wrench, a useless weakling, whose all talk, no actions.

His woman was being forced against her will to return to the side of her mortal enemies and as her man, instead of protecting her, she was the one doing the protection.

As he watched her fly into the eternal kingdom's portal with bloodshot frozen eyes, Asna whispered a wishing in his mind, 'As you journey through the realms, remember that you carry my heart within you, a beacon of hope and resilience.'

The moment she finished, a radiant light pillar emerged and connected their souls together. Felix felt his soul getting strengthened twofold, threefolds, and even reached tenfolds!

Yet, he didn't show an ounce of reaction to it...His eyes never left Asna and only after she disappeared through the eternal portal did he finally manage to speak his first sentence with a single tear affixed on the right side of his eye.

'I am sorry for being weak...I am so sorry...I am so sorry...'

Chapter 1502 The Arrival of The Reinforcement.

Soon, Asna disappeared through the portal without looking back another time, knowing that her lover's defeated appearance would break her even more...

'Finish the job.'

Immediately after, the First Ruler's voice resounded deeply in the minds of Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham.

Before they could react, brilliant tendrils of radiant energy descended from the heavens, enveloping Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham in a shimmering embrace!

'Radiant Codex Divinity!'

'Hahaha!! At last! At last.'

Commander Nottingham was left slightly surprised while Duke Humphrey laughed in utter euphoria and excitement as it had been eons since he experienced another divine bestowment.

His reaction was understandable as with each passing moment, they could feel the power of creation and cosmic wisdom coursing through them, a transformation that left them humbled and exalted.

And then, just as swiftly as it had begun, the bestowal of divinity was complete.

Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham resembled two awakened gods with their bodies releasing intense divine light, making it almost impossible to see visage!

"All hail The First Ruler whose cosmic wisdom spans the ages."

Both of them kneeled towards the portal in worship and reverence after breaking out of the time freeze automatically through his divinity.

While this was happening, Felix found himself with a turbulent storm of emotions raging within him...It was mostly self-loathing and a torrent of anguish at his weakness.

He sat amidst the ruins of their last encounter, frozen in time, but his heart was heavy with a crushing sense of helplessness.

'Why am I so useless? What's the point of working so hard to get stronger, if I can't even protect the ones I love...What's the point,'

He despised his perceived weakness, his inability to protect the one he loved most from the cosmic machinations that had torn her away.

The feeling of inadequacy weighed on him like an anchor, dragging him into a sea of despair.

He had already failed to protect his grandfather, his family, his friends, his home, and his people, over and over again...

Even when his personality was emotionless and ruthless, he didn't have the heart to ask about them, postponing it over and over again.

Now, even his woman was taken right in front of him and the only thing he could do about it was lower his head and stay on the ground like a mere insect.

'Felix...' Elder Kraken sighed in dejection as he watched Felix from the sky.

Even with the divinity bestowal on the duke and the commander, Felix still stood out like a sore thumb as his entire body was illuminated with divine white brilliance.

Yet, Elder Kraken could still see an aura of darkness surrounding him, knowing that Felix's inner thoughts and emotions were not in the best place at the moment.

Whoosh!

Elder Kraken appeared next to Felix and patted him on the shoulder in silence.

He neither comforted him nor lied to him and uttered that things would get better.

The sudden emergence of the First Ruler made even him, a primogenitor, keep his pride and ego to himself and bow his head in silence, understanding that a single out-of-

line word would get him erased.

Felix was shown mercy because of Asna, but he wouldn't be as lucky.

Elder Kraken wasn't an idiot who let his emotions get the best of him and put himself in an envious position.

Rumble! Whoosh!

Suddenly, a golden light illuminated the entire city akin to a rising sun, causing Elder Kraken to lift his head and stare at the sky.

'Are they?'

What came into his vision were Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham raising their hands, fingers glowing with the cosmic energy bestowed upon them.



When he least expected, the divine energies surged outward, rippling through the city like a cosmic wave!

Within moments, time's hold on the capital city commenced to unravel. Angels and spirits stirred back to life.

Their movements were hesitant at first as if awakening from a deep slumber, but soon they regained their bearings and clarity of purpose.

"Traveler!"

Miss Sanae, Sekiro, and Karra all rushed immediately to Felix's side as they had witnessed the entire kidnapping situation happen in front of them.

Meanwhile, the governmental elders and officials had their eyes affixed on the awakening angelic armies.

"This is bad..." Elder Sheol uttered with a grim tone.

"We lost our last true pillar of defense." Elder Elysium nodded, his expression didn't look too good.

All of the ethereal elders had their hopes placed on Asna after realizing that their lord was nowhere to be found.

Now, even Asna was taken away and to make matters worse, the duke and the commander had their strength boosted to an unfathomable level.

"Don't give up just yet." Inspector Charleson placed his hand on his chest and shouted, "The Lord won't forsake us! Trust in him and we shall prevail!"

"Prevail?" Duke Humphrey chuckled from a distance after hearing him.

"I know that laugh, don't have any thoughts about fooling around with them." Commander Nottingham uttered with a serious tone, "Godfather has given us a maximum of thirty minutes to kill as many spirits as possible. We are still too far behind in the schedule."

Twenty minutes from the start of the invasion and at this moment, more than ten minutes already passed by and they were still stuck in the capital.

"You're right, let's get this over with and move on to other cities." Duke Humphrey nodded with a sinister smile. "Order your armies to clean up the city and leave the government to me."

Just as Commander Nottingham was about to give out the order, he felt his danger senses tingling.

He narrowed his eyes and looked into the horizons. Right there, from the shimmering horizons of the heavenly plane, reinforcements from other cities began to appear, like a radiant tide of hope surging forth!!

These law enforcers, clad in shimmering armor adorned with symbols of justice, descended from the heavens with a grace and purpose that echoed their commitment to maintaining celestial order!

"Reinforcement! They are finally here!" Hazel yelled in excitement.

"About damn time." Nidam sighed in relief as he reached out in his pocket, wanting to light up another cigarette.

The ethereal elders and the rest of the alive citizens seemed to have all had a bit of hope restored within them.

The law enforcers, led by their distinguished captains, inspectors, and arbiters, formed an unbroken ring of spectral might that encircled the turmoil below!

They entered the city from all corners and their numbers seemed to be close to matching the angelic armies.

After all, each city had hundreds of law enforcers, and even if those reinforcements were from merely a couple of cities, their numbers should be significant.

"Our apologies for being late, we have been held back a bit by the shockwave storm." The Aribars left their armies and united under Chief Alaric.

"I thought so." Chief Alaric nodded and said, "Don't worry, you have arrived at the perfect time."

"There is more reinforcement on the way, so we just need to hold up until all of our forces gather up and outnumber them." One of the arbiters informed.

"My thoughts exactly." Chief Alaric agreed with the rest of the ethereal elders.

"As long as we protect ourselves from their divine lights and hold strong, Lord Hades will return and put an end to this once and for all!"

With the reinforcement backing them up, the morales were on a new-time high, and many law enforcers were ready to take revenge on their city.

Everyone was just awaiting the order and a full-out war would be launched.

"Enforcers, Char..."

Just as Chief Alaric was about to do the honor, he was forced to swallow the rest of the words after Duke Humphrey appeared as a luminous figure of divine authority amidst their gathering.

No one managed to see his movement at all, leaving all of them with startled widened eyes affixed on him.

"I am thankful for saving us the trouble and bringing more spirits to us."

Before Inspector Charleson and others could react to his bold statement, Duke Humphrey invoked his immense divine power with an unwavering gaze.

"Divine Eruption."

The intense golden divine energy around him swelled and intensified, forming a radiant and blinding sphere of light.

The governmental officials, their faces twisted by malevolence, had no time to react.

They were caught within the searing brilliance of Duke Humphrey's divine explosion, a force of cosmic retribution that brooked no resistance!

In an instant, their forms dissolved into countless shimmering motes of light, like fallen stars extinguished by the dawn.

Their presence was obliterated without mercy or hesitation, leaving no trace of their existence behind.

Inspector Charleson, Nidam, Hazel, the elders, and even the Arbiters were caught in this mind-blowing display of absolute strength.

After the intense golden light faded away, the only thing left in that area was Duke Humphrey.

"..."

"..."

"..."

A hushed reverence fell upon all who beheld it...Even the angels showed timid and respectful looks at the duke, don't even mention the armies of law enforcers.

Just a second ago, morales were at an all-time high and victory seemed over the horizon...A instant later, almost all of the upper echelons of the government were sent to the ether.

"Kill them all first." Commander Nottingham ordered calmly as he pointed at the stunned and frightened law enforcers' armies, seemingly unaffected by his ally's display of strength.

It was expected as he was also a high-ranked worthy official to accept the First Ruler's blessings and this was nothing but an everyday sight to him!

Chapter 1503 Blockhole's Intense Gravitational Pull!

With battle cries that resounded across the capital, the angelic armies surged forward with an ominous determination.

"PREPARE TO ENGAGE!"

"HOLD STRONG!"

"ACTIVATE YOUR BARRIERS!"

The High inspectors within the law enforcers' armies took command after seeing that law enforcers were like headless chickens, looking back and forth with anxious and fearful expressions.

The High Inspectors' loud and commanding voices brought some order to the brigades as those law enforcers were trained to adhere to any order from a higher enforcer.

So, they stood resolute with their defensive abilities activated.

"KILL!!"

"BANISH THE INVADORS!"

"FOR THE LORD!"

Boom!! Boom!! Boom!!

As the two factions clashed at last, the skies above the capital city erupted into a cataclysmic symphony of divine beams and elemental abilities, shattering the peace at once!

Warriors on both sides unleashed their powers with a ferocity that shook the heavens. Beams of divine energy clashed with radiant spears of justice, creating dazzling displays of cosmic fury.

Argh!! Ugh!!!...

Thunderous roars and pained groans of law enforcers echoed through the capital city nonstop.

The numbers might be equal, but the strength difference was incomparable due to the angels' divinity being able to break through the telekinesis barriers reliably.

Since the divine beams were able to kill the spirits for real, many law enforcers were left terrified about this grim ending after witnessing their own companions get scorched to death.

"DO NOT FALTER! HAVE NO FEAR! FOR OUR LORD WILL REVIVE US ALL!"  
The High inspectors shouted lies, knowing that if their armies were to feel scared of death, it would be over for them.

"FOR THE HEAVENLY PLANE!"

"AAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!!! DIE!!!"

Most of the law enforcers bought the lie and had new crazed zeal in their eyes as they fought like there was a light at the end of the tunnel.

In their minds, Lord Hades was capable of everything, and reviving them should be a piece of cake for him.

Alas, they had no idea that the moment a soul gets erased from the universe, not even Lord Hades could do anything about it...Complete erasure implied leaving the universe and Lord Hades' powers didn't outstretch outside of the universe.

"Tsk, ignorance is really a blessing." Duke Humphrey clicked his tongue in irritation, not too pleased with the law enforcers' nonsurrendering stance.

He was certain that his troops would emerge victorious at the end of the story, but time wasn't their ally.

"Commander, I think you should join the conflict personally to end it swiftly." Duke Humphrey suggested.

"What will you be doing?" Commander Nottingham frowned.

"I have some unfinished business to handle." Duke Humphrey smiled coldly as he eyed the small gathering on the ground, consisting of Miss Sanae, Sekiro, Karra, and Elder Kraken.

"Get it done quickly and come help out." Commander Nottingham permitted while taking off towards the biggest cluster of law enforcers and angels.

"Don't worry, this time I will make sure I end him with my own hands." Duke Humphrey muttered to himself, his tone dripping with venom.

He had seen how Asna interacted with Felix and the way she decided to sacrifice herself for the sake of his safety.

This made him realize that Felix might turn out to be a danger in the future and as much as ridiculous it sounded, he wasn't planning to take any guarantees.

'It's best to nip it in the bud.'

With a sudden wave of a hand, Duke Humphrey appeared right above the gathering akin to a deity blessing his presence to his worshipers.

Without wasting a single ounce of energy in empty talks, he released the same divine eruption at them!

However, the scene he expected didn't happen.

"Hmmm?"

He canceled his divine eruption and through the faded light, he looked at the far distance, where Elder Kraken stood above a mountain of ruins.

He had eight tentacles behind him and six of them held a person.

In a gentle manner, he placed them all on the ground and uttered without looking at them, "Leave the city at once. I will buy you time."

"Right away!"

Without a skip of heart, Miss Sanae picked Felix using her telekinesis and fled away with little Timmy behind her.

When Karra and Sekiro saw this, they could only show a look of appreciation at Elder Kraken's wide back and chase after them.

They knew that Felix's head wasn't in reality at the moment as he didn't bother to speak to them once after grouping with him.

Even during Duke Humphrey's attack, he was still unreactive...Only Elder Kraken knew that Felix's trauma of when his planet got blown up and everyone he cared about died, was awakened.



While he didn't fall into a coma from mere shock, his mind was too engulfed with bad thoughts and feelings to care about anything happening in the real world.

"Kraken, why are you doing this?" Duke Humphrey asked with a curious tone as he approached him slowly. "Why are you going this far for him? If it was to earn favor from the exiled celestial, she has already been taken away and her fate would be imprisonment again. So, why are you specifically helping him when hundreds of law enforcers are dying by the second?"

Duke Humphrey started to catch on that there was more to Felix's relationship with Elder Kraken.

In his eyes, there was no way they would be close enough to fight one's own battles without a deeper relationship.

"Because he is my little prodigy and soon enough, there will come a day, when the entire universal order gets reshuffled by him." Elder Kraken shared with a faint kind smile.

"..."

Duke Humphrey looked at him for a few moments in utter silence and when he realized that Elder Kraken was serious, he couldn't help but break out in thunderous laughter.

"I would have never taken you for a comedian...Hahaha, reshuffle the universe's order? Dear lord, even the unigins and rulers can only abide by it against their will." Duke Humphrey wiped the tears from his eyes from laughing so hard.

Elder Kraken glanced backward and saw from a distance that Felix's eyes were starting to regain clarity slowly.

"He might be too naive, too kind, and too weak at the moment, but I fully believe that day will come..." He chuckled a bit before proclaiming with a confident tone. "The day when the universe shall bow under his command."

Elder Kraken wasn't saying all of this as a joke or to make Duke Humphrey drop his guard...As one of the greatest soul masters in the universe, he had the ability to sense someone's greatness and potential from merely his soul.

Before, Elder Kraken sensed only a great possibility in Felix's soul, but after what Asna did to him? His pupils reflected an extraordinary destiny, a fate, he didn't even sense in Asna's soul!

It was like it was missing the final piece of the puzzle and whatever Asna did to him had finally unlocked its full potential!

"I don't know what were you smoking before the invasion, but I guess its effect is kicking in at last." Duke Humphrey sneered, "I am done wasting time chatting with a disappointment."

"We finally have something in common."

The moment he said this, Elder Kraken enshrouded himself in a watery essence of the deep and then summoned thousands of tendrils of water that covered the entire sky akin to an marine monster!

Whoosh! Whoosh! Whoosh!!....

With a commanding gesture, he sent these water appendages hurtling toward Duke Humphrey, aiming to ensnare and drown him in the marine depths of his power.

"Begone!"

Duke Humphrey, resolute and unwavering, swung his hand to the side, and a radiant aura of divine energy merged as a massive palm and smashed the water tendrils into nothingness, evaporating upon contact instantly!

With a determined stride, Duke Humphrey advanced, his gaze unwavering.

He summoned a brilliant burst of divine energy that arced toward Elder Kraken, a force of divine retribution aimed at purifying the watery shroud that surrounded the guardian!

"Great Tide!"

Elder Kraken responded swiftly, summoning a torrent of raging water to block the celestial onslaught.

The celestial energy engaged with the surging waves, creating a dazzling sight of cosmic power against the elemental might of the sea.

Alas, the end result wasn't as glorious as the clash...The water tide evaporated immediately upon contact, not damaging the divide attack for even a little!

"What an irritating power." Irked, Elder Kraken clicked his tongue while evading the divine attack, knowing that a single touch would be the end of him.

"You aren't too bad yourself, I have no clue where you got this battle experience from and how you managed to hide it from us for so long..." Duke Humphrey remarked with an icy tone as he manifested a massive golden sword made out of pure divine energy. "But, it doesn't matter. Nothing can stop my divi..."

RUMMBLE!!!

Before he could finish his sentence, a sudden and overwhelming tremor swept through the entire plane.

It was as if the very foundations of the heavenly plane were being shaken by a cataclysmic earthquake of cosmic proportions!

Angels, law enforcers, and spirits, caught in the midst of their struggle, looked at the ground in confusion as the capital city and the heavenly plane itself quaked with unprecedented force.

"What's going on?" Duke Humphrey frowned, pausing his attack midway.

Unbeknownst to them, the distant black hole had finally exerted its formidable gravitational pull upon the heavenly plane!

The heavenly plane, once a bastion of order and haven to spirits, was now caught in the inexorable grasp of cosmic forces beyond imagination.

"Is it just me or the ground is moving?"

"The sky! Look at the clouds!"

"Why do I feel like I have gained weight?"

Everyone on the heavenly plane was put under the new gravitational force.

Some noticed the sudden increase in weight, making them feel like it was harder to move, while some were too captivated by the stretching clouds and sky, bending akin to a rubber!

'Blackhole! It's the godfather!' Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham were the first to figure out the cause.

It was because Godfather Hephaestus had told him that there was a high chance he would be creating a black hole to pull the plane into its stomach as a last resort if they failed to slay enough spirits in time.

'The entire plane is moving at an insane speed.' Elder Kraken knitted his eyebrows after sensing the sudden shift in wind and gravity.

It might not seem noticeable, but he knew that the entire heavenly plane was on the move.

He was right in his assumption. If one saw the heavenly plane from high, high above, it would resemble a supermassive piece of land flying at a crazy speed towards nothingness!

"This isn't good...at all."

Elder Kraken was the first to know that this wasn't a good sign as it meant that Lord Hades was struggling against Godfather Hephaestus, something he never considered a possibility before!

Chapter 1504 Land of Gods?!

"Damn it, I have been wasting too much time on this bullsh\*t, godfather must be pissed." Duke Humphrey's expression didn't look too good even though the blackhole's existence was in his favor.

It was to be expected as it meant that he failed his duties and this would harm his end credits greatly at the end of the war.

"I am done messing about."

Duke Humphrey tightened his grip on his golden sword and rushed at Elder Kraken with an intense murderous intent!

Elder Kraken didn't shy away from the confrontation and charged right at him with his supermassive water tentacles flailing in the air.

The moment they engaged in their titanic battle, the skies trembled as their clash sent shockwaves echoing through the city, and the ground quivered beneath their might!

"You can't stop me!"

With each swing, the massive golden sword carved through the air like a comet's tail, leaving trails of golden light in its wake!

Elder Kraken used a multitude of powerful serpentine tentacles to block the sword, but the result was the same as ever.

His water abilities were countered too easily and he knew that even using other elemental abilities would be for naught.

Still, Elder Kraken was doing this to buy time for Felix's escape and to slow down the slaughter of the spirits by keeping the duke on him.

Unfortunately, Duke Humphrey had no intentions to enter a battle of attrition with him.

The instant he slashed through a number of water tentacles and had Elder Kraken fully exposed to him, he swung his sword at full force while shouting, "CELESTIAL SLASH!"

The sword was far away from Elder Kraken, however, the moment it finished half of a spin, the blade released a sharp divine projectile in the shape of a wave!

The attack was so close and fast, that even Elder Kraken realized that it would be difficult to avoid it!

Still...Elder Kraken was a bona fide primogenitor who lived for billions of years, even if he wasn't a great fighter as Thor and the others, it was just as difficult to kill him if not harder!

"Water transmutation!"

Elder Kraken transformed his body into water and moved across his tentacles, appearing hundreds of meters away from the initial attack.

Meanwhile, the divine slash continued on its path until it landed on a mountain of ruined buildings, cutting them in half like they were made out of butter.

This sight left Duke Humphrey startled.

"You...Are you the water primogenitor? Have you retained your memories?!"

He knew that such advanced abilities were impossible to be learned by spirits unless they invested an unfathomable amount of time into them.

Elder Kraken wasn't known to even harm a fly, don't even mention mastering water transmutation as a spirit!

"My name is literally Kraken...Wasn't it obvious?" Elder Kraken chuckled, making Duke Humphrey feel infuriated.

While Elder Kraken made it sound like it was easy to guess his identity, it really wasn't...Kraken was a well-known name used for many species in the universe and even used as a normal name for some marine intelligent people.

Since not many people really realized how the water primogenitor looked in his humanoid form, it was too farfetched to assume that he was the water primogenitor's soul.

But now? It had never been more obvious with this fine control of water element.

"It all makes sense now, your connection with that little prick, how you managed to become an ethereal elder so fast, and how that bastard maintained his memories!" Duke Humphrey proclaimed coldly, "It was you, it was you all along."

Duke Humphrey realized that if Elder Kraken managed to maintain his memories after death, it would explain all the abnormal things that had happened.

The evidence against Elder Kraken was enough to make him reach such an assumption.

At first, he thought that Asna was the one helping Felix keep his memories, but he doubted it immensely since he knew that Lord Hades' eyes would be on her.

He would never allow such a thing to happen, otherwise, he wouldn't have treated Felix in that manner during the council.

'With Hades' eyes focused on the exiled, Kraken had the chance and right equipment to transfer memories if they had really met outside of the spirit realm.' Duke Humphrey frowned, 'But how would that be possible?'

His theory was correct in all realms until he remembered that Elder Kraken had died and shouldn't have left any wisp behind or such.

"I don't know how you manage to pull it off, but I know I am right." Duke Humphrey uttered.

"What does it matter?" Elder Kraken chuckled, "Are you going to snitch to Lord Hades? Or better yet, take such information to your godfather?"

"..."

Duke Humphrey knew that he was right...Figuring out their secret right now was absolutely useless to him and wouldn't help him with anything. In fact, he had wasted half a minute already on it, precious time he wouldn't get back.

And so, even when he was provoked to talk back, Duke Humphrey narrowed his eyes coldly and straightaway restarted his assault on Elder Kraken.

Alas, with water transmutation in play, it was nearly impossible to land a hit on Elder Kraken.

He had flooded the ground beneath with water and the moment Duke Humphrey focused on a specific area, Elder Kraken transmuted himself to the other!

While it sounded like he had caught Duke Humphrey by the balls as long as he kept being this slippery, Elder Kraken realized that his energy consumption could never maintain this.

Water transmutation was an advanced ability and even here, the spiritual energy it needed to work wasn't cheap in the slightest.



'I can only transmute twice or three more times before I run out.' Elder Kraken glanced behind him and sighed in relief after not spotting Felix and his companions. 'Good, they must have gotten out to safety. I can leave this place too.'

Alas, his relief was short-lived...

"You keep looking back, worried that your little prodigy hasn't made it to safety?" Duke Humphrey suddenly showed a wicked grin.

Elder Kraken realized that something wasn't right just from his grin.

"What have you done?"

"Why do you think I didn't bother to chase after him?" Duke Humphrey snickered, "I have already delegated it to my people...Those weakling servants won't be able to stop even one of them."

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Just like Duke Humphrey said, the moment Miss Sanae, Sekiro, Karra, and little Timmy reached the gate of the capital city, their hopes of escape were suddenly dashed.

Standing before them were Orellana, Marcel, Boss Alves, and two angelic divine squads, a formidable blockade that left them with nowhere to run.

Judge Marcel, his gaze cold and unwavering, stepped forward, blocking any path that led back into the city.

He didn't possess any divine energy or actually any powerful aura of that sense, Yet still, he alone was enough to deal with this group.

Miss Sanae and the others realized it too well, which explained the hint of despair and helplessness in the depth of their eyes.

"Stand behind me!"

Still, Sekiro unsheathed his katana and held it with both hands as he stood resolute in front of the encirclement, his voice unwavering despite the dire situation.

"What a cute little loyal servant." Orellana giggled as she pointed a finger at Sekiro's chest. Then, without an ounce of hesitation, she fired a metallic bullet at his chest!

Cling!!

Sekiro, eyes like an eagle, swung his sword at the bullet and cut it in half with a single motion before retreating into his defensive position.

"How annoying." Orellana's eyes turned cold after seeing the mocking looks from the angels.

Not leaving them a chance to comment and make fun of her, she extended her arm forward, turning it into a cannon launcher, and uttered, "Cut this."

Unfazed, Sekiro swung his sword at the cannonball, but alas...His katana was the one breaking apart this time.

BOOOOOM!!

The cannonball landed straight on his telekinesis's barrier and shattered it immediately, causing him to feel more than 80% of the force.

With blood coming out of his mouth and nose, Sekiro was launched into the city's wall, getting planted in it akin to a decoration...

"Brother Sekiro!"

Karra's tears threatened to fall at the sight of one of the two closest people in her life getting harmed like this.

"Little Karra, you have given our master a difficult time in the past decades after everything he has done for you." Orellana remarked with an evil tone, "I believe he will reward me well if I bring you back to him in one piece to vent some of his anger on you like in the old times."

"No...No...Please...No."

The moment Karra heard this, she collapsed immediately on the ground and held her head in crippling fear, shaking and quivering like a lost lamb.

Memories of her torture under Duke Humphrey began to burst out of her sealed mind, threatening to consume her entire soul...Her heartbeats kept increasing and increasing until they resembled drumbeats.

"You monster, even hell won't accept the likes of you." Miss Sanae gave a nasty glare at Orellana as she placed Felix down and tried to comfort Karra.

Alas, Karra was too far deep in her nightmarish memories to react to her touch.

"Hell? Heheh, soon enough, I will be joining the real paradise, the real land of the gods, and leave this wretched place." Orellana sneered, "This is the real hell, and a lowlife like you should understand it more than anyone."

"Land of gods?"

Just as Miss Sanae wanted to retort, a sudden soft voice resounded akin to a grim reaper's whisper in everyone's ears.

Everyone without exception felt a shiver course down their spine as they gazed around them like they were touched by a ghost, trying to find the source.

"Land of gods?!"

The voice appeared again, but this time, it sounded more intense and its source was trackable.

When everyone gazed at it, they noticed a figure standing with a hunched back, engulfed in half white flames and the other half was black, making him resemble a nightmarish monster.

"Traveler?" Miss Sanae gulped a mouthful in fear after turning around and seeing Felix slowly raising his head.

What scared her wasn't his aura or even his weird posture, but his eyes, his cold-blooded dark and white eyes, which seemed to harbor a grudge against the heavens themselves.

The moment his head was lifted fully, Felix stared at Orellana and bellowed with a questioning tone, "LAND OF GODS?!"

This shout, yell, or whatever it was, the moment it reached Orellana's ears, her entire being was set in white and black flames, causing her to release the most wretched high-pitched pain scream anyone had ever heard.

AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAaaa...aaa!!!!

The scream barely lasted for a moment before it faded away into the background, just like the flying ashes of Orellana...She had been burned out of existence without her realization.

"Who else wants to visit the Land of Gods?"

Felix asked, his voice was nowhere near his familiar one, and his roaming eyes resembled that of a vengeful spirit more than a human...

Chapter 1505 White Flames, Black Flames.

No one answered Felix's question as everyone's widened eyes were still affixed on the spot where Orellana was standing.

She was removed out of existence so abruptly, that none of them even managed to see it happen fully.

"You...What did you do..."

Marcel stuttered with sweat dripping down his forehead as he took a couple of steps back from Felix.

Unresponsive, Felix merely extended his hand in Marcel's direction, and before he could even turn around and escape, his entire being was ignited in the same white and black flames.

"NOOOOOOOOOOOO!!!"

He cried at the top of his lungs in agony as he fell on his stomach and attempted to crawl away from pain...Alas, the moment he raised his hand, it was turned into ash and the wind carried it away just like the rest of his body.

Now, everyone saw what happened from the start to the finish and this set their hearts beating rapidly in terror.

"Cel...Celestial Flames...How...How can he wield them..."

One of the angelic squad captain's lips quivered in a mixture of fear and disbelief, feeling like the sight before was nothing but a mirage.

The other angels shared the same reaction the moment they recognized the origin of the white flames. They had no clue what the other black flames were, but the white one could never be mistaken by them.

That's because it was glorified as one of the most powerful weapons for the celestials, a power far more extraordinary than even the divine energies!

"It can't be! It can't be it! Only ones blessed by Celestials can use such flames!"

The other squad captain denied the reality before him, but no matter how hard he tried, he just couldn't come up with another similar type of flame.

'RETREAT!'

Without an ounce of hesitation, the angelic squad's captain ordered telepathically while being the first to fly back to his army at the top of his speed!

The angels looked at each other for less than a split second before giving a chase, aborting the mission of killing Felix instantly.

'BASTARDS! TAKE ME WITH YOU!' Boss Alves screamed in fear and anger as he flew behind them, but his speed was nowhere near them.

This caused him to be left too far behind.

However, as he kept looking behind him and saw that Felix wasn't giving chase, he couldn't help but sigh in relief.

'When will this sh\*t end, I just want to live, god damn it!'

He was really forced to play a game in impossible mode when he was a mere businessman.

Meanwhile, Felix didn't give chase, at least, not right away. He removed the white flames from his right hand and patted Karra on the head, which stopped her from quivering almost instantly after recognizing his touch.

"Master..." She broke out of her traumatized daze and looked up with tears filling her eyes, resembling a bullied child seeking justice from their parents.

"Don't let such thoughts consume you, for I will make sure that everyone who harmed you perish today," Felix promised, his tone was as bone-chilling as ever, but it soothed Karra immediately.

"Help Sekiro recover." Felix ordered before taking off into the sky.

As Miss Sanae watched his inflamed back, she felt sympathetic toward anyone who would block his path.

'Controlled anger outburst...He is going to show them hell.'

She thought at the start that Felix had lost control over his emotions and was about to enter Rage mode.

But now? She realized that the situation was far more deadly for the invaders as Felix's heart was consumed with hatred and fury, but he didn't let them influence him.

Still, while he seemed in control, it didn't mean that he was going to be merciful or soft.

'I just need to regroup with the angelic army and all of this will be over.' Boss Alves thought to himself with a hopeful look, 'The duke won't sign me a task anymore with all of his five heads peris...'

Before he could finish his thought, a sudden chill coursed down his spine as if an icy hand had caressed his very soul.

With an unsettling certainty, Boss Alves turned around and immediately after, his heart dropped to the bottom of his stomach.

"No.."

His fearful gaze met Felix, who had appeared behind him with two mesmerizing wings, one crafted from white flames, radiant and celestial in nature, and the other composed of dark flames, an embodiment of cosmic mysteries.

Without so much as a glance in Boss Alves's direction, Felix soared past him with an effortless grace that defied description, heading towards the main warzone.

"?????" Boss Alves' lips parted in bewilderment, too shocked to believe that Felix had actually spared his life after everything he did to him.

'Does he see me as a worthless bug undeserving of being killed?'

Boss Alves' pride was slightly wounded by the thought, however, soon, he slapped himself for having such suicidal thoughts.

'All it matters is that I am alive.'

Just as Boss Alves was about to sigh in relief at this rekindled hope in life, a single spark of the celestial dark flame, like a falling star, landed upon his head.

'Hmm?'

Before he could even react, the spark ignited a relentless, searing fire within Boss Alves's spirit, causing him to feel an unbearable sensation that seeped into the very core of his being!

AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!!

Boss Alves let out a howl of anguish as the celestial dark flame consumed him from within. His once-confident demeanor shattered, and he descended into a torment unlike any he had ever known.

He fell to the rubble with a massive thud and started rolling on the ground, trying his best to turn off the flames...Alas, no matter what he did, the dark flames remained consistent in burning his soul.

The worst part? It didn't seem like his flesh was melting off or disappearing like with the white flame.

It was like the dark flames' job was to burn one's soul for eternity without any swift release.

As Felix listened to Boss Alves' fading agonizing cries, his expression didn't change for even a moment.



He was cold, unreactive, and just absolutely cold-

hearted...

"Everyone, everyone who participated in this invasion and the kidnapping of my woman shall know pain," Felix uttered, each word filled with an inexplicable level of hatred and venom.

Felix blamed himself before everyone else for being weak and failing to protect his woman, but this didn't mean that he was going to take full responsibility for it.

Duke Humphrey, the fallen organization, the angels, and anyone who had a hand in making this invasion come to light were about to pay the price as well.

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Meanwhile, the battle between the angels and the law enforcers had come to an early closure with the addition of Commander Nottingham.

With his overpowered and invincible divine prowess, he was able to erase hundreds of law enforcers in less than a couple of attacks.

This drastic difference in strength couldn't be overcome even with numbers.

Thus, the law enforcers' armies were torn apart, and the smell of death ran a rampage among their ranks until it consumed the surviving members and made them fall into utter despair.

The moment despair spread among the brigades, there was nothing the high inspectors could do to raise the morale again...Even lies failed to do the job.

Ultimately, the surviving High Inspectors ordered a large-

scale retreat to gather with the upcoming reinforcement from further away cities.

Commander Nottingham let them be, not wanting to waste his or his army's time chasing a couple of hundred spirits.

Instead, he issued a decisive order. "Start purging the city of the spirits and wisps! Finish it in less than five minutes!"

"Yes, Commander!"

The angelic armies replied simultaneously, causing the sky to shudder at their glorious bearing.

"None of you are going anywhere..."

The moment the last echo of their shout died out, Felix's voice resounded in their ears akin to the grim reaper.

Startled and confused, the angels searched around them for the source of the voice...Soon, they located Felix at the very center of their thousand-men formation.

The very air around him seemed to glow with celestial energy as he suddenly unleashed the full might of his celestial flames!

Whoosh! Whoosh!!

Felix's wings, transformed into supermassive appendages that spanned hundreds of meters, unfurled with an magnificent demonstration of celestial authority...They radiated with a marvelous glow, casting a luminous aura that engulfed the battlefield!

A split second later, Felix closed his eyes and listened to the harmony of cries and screams in blissful enjoyment...

Chapter 1506 A Rematch With The Duke!

AAAAAAA!!! ARGH!!!...

The celestial fires danced and spiraled, their heat and intensity searing through the ranks of angelic armies with unmatched ferocity.

Close to a thousand angels found themselves caught within the all-encompassing celestial conflagration, their radiant forms unable to withstand the overwhelming power of Felix's celestial flames.

They cried out in agony as their bodies were consumed by the unrelenting fire.

"How..." Commander Nottingham watched this scene unfold before him with a stunned look, incapable of believing his eyes.

He thought that with Asna gone, they had gotten rid of the celestial flames at last, but it had emerged, and more furious than ever.

"What's going on there?" Duke Humphrey narrowed his eyes in focus after spotting the cataclysmic event ongoing high above.

"Haha, looks like your luck has run out after all." Elder Kraken chuckled.

With a mere glance, he was able to sense Felix's soul within the whirlpool of celestial might, realizing that his prejudgement from before wasn't wrong and that Asna had truly done something remarkable to Felix.

"You are the one in luck. Don't let me catch you again."

Duke Humphrey clicked his tongue in irritation as he flew away, not wanting to waste his time on him when their angelic armies were receiving a beating from a stranger.

After he arrived, the sight that greeted him caused his forehead to have black lines etched in it.

More than 40% of the angelic army was gone and the rest were escaping with terrified expressions from the massive celestial wings, fearing a small particle would land on them and erase them too.

Duke Humphrey grouped up with Commander Nottingham and both of them shared solemn expressions.

"That b\*tch didn't leave without making it harder for us." Commander Nottingham exposed, "She has blessed her plaything with her celestial energy."

"I can understand that, but what's the deal with the dark flames?" Duke Humphrey frowned, "Have you ever seen such a thing before?"

"No." Commander Nottingham shook his head, "It might be something special related to her. After all, we have never seen her in action before after she got exiled."

Duke Humphrey agreed with his assumption and then said. "We are running out of time and we can't have this prick ruin our efforts at the last lap. Order the angels to focus on the spirits on the city and let's get rid of him."

"My thoughts exactly." Commander Nottingham nodded while extending his hand forward, manifesting a magnificent gigantic lance of divine light.

Then, he narrowed his eyes at Felix who was barely noticeable through the raging celestial flames.

The moment he locked on him, he tightened his grip on the divine lance and hurled it with a thunderous roar. "HAAA!!"

Whoosh!

The lance streaked through the tumultuous celestial flames with great difficulty, the divine energy crackling and sizzling as it fought against the searing inferno!

"It's the commander's infamous lance's strike!"

"He is doomed!"

"KILL HIM!! HE KILLED MY ANGELICA!"

The escaping angels couldn't help but turn around and watch this spectacular scene of their commander's golden lance going against their celestial flames!

Alas, the situation didn't seem too much in their favor as the divine lance looked like it was about to be consumed by the celestial flames, its holy power extinguishing visibly...But, it pressed on, inching closer to its target.

As the lance neared Felix, the celestial flames intensified, their fury reaching a crescendo.

Meanwhile, Commander Nottingham's divine lance was already on its dying breath.

With an unbothered and unfazed look, Felix raised his glowing hand and met the divine lance head-on!

BOOOM!!

There was a brilliant explosion of light, a cataclysmic clash of powers that sent shockwaves reverberating through the celestial battlefield.

The divine lance, drained of much of its divinity during its arduous journey, could not withstand Felix's sheer celestial might.

In the end, Felix merely slapped the divine lance to the side, sending it spinning away like a falling star.

The golden lance, now a mere shell of its former glory, exploded into a blinding burst of radiant light.

"..."

"..."

"..."

The watching angels remained affixed on their places with stunned expressions.

They knew that celestial flames were powerful and they had heard many legends about them in the eternal kingdom, but none of them knew the difference would be this massive even between the Radiant Codex Divinity!

Meanwhile, Commander Nottingham and Duke Humphrey didn't look too surprised, but their expressions weren't any better.

"As expected, our divinities can't match up to it." Duke Humphrey uttered coldly.

"It's normal, radiant codex divinity is made out of 80% of celestial energy while celestial flames consist of 99.99% of celestial energy." Commander Nottingham expressed with a tone of admiration, not to Felix, but to the celestial flames, "It's the purest form of power."

"I doubt she has bestowed upon him much of it." Duke Humphrey snickered, "He doesn't know that its consumption rate is crazier than ours and using it this freely."

It seemed like Felix had agreed with him as he gradually retracted the otherworldly wings of celestial flames that had extended from his form.

With a simple thought, he canceled the incredible power that had once engulfed the sky, leaving behind only the fading embers of their celestial brilliance.

The capital city's skies gradually cleared as the fiery wings disappeared, revealing Felix standing tall, and ever-

burning, akin to a living torch...Though, the celestial flames on him seemed to have gone a little softer.

Unbothered by this, Felix floated slowly towards Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham.

The angels around him didn't dare get close or attack him even when he looked like a free target.

The commander and the duke remained in their positions too, maintaining eye contact with Felix while he neared them.

When there were barely a couple of hundred meters between them, Felix stopped.

"It was you, it was you who orchestrated this whole invasion and resulted in Asna's capture..."

Felix's voice was calm and steady, but the tremor of his anger and hatred hadn't gone unnoticed by these two.

"Her capture was nothing but a side bonus." Duke Humphrey sneered, wanting to provoke Felix so he would lose his cool. "Plus, I believe that she went away to keep her distance from you. After all, she might be exiled, but she is still a celestial being whose grandeur remains untouched by mortals like you."

"I honestly do wonder how did you manage to make her fall in love with you." Commander Nottingham joined in, but his tone sounded sincere, "To make a celestial be your woman, you must have some godly pickup lines."

When Felix heard what they said, he neither acted out in rage nor showed an infuriated expression...Instead, he smiled.

"What are you smiling for?" Duke Humphrey knitted his eyebrows in displeasure.

"You will find out soon."

The moment Felix finished, he triggered his teleportation ability and materialized behind them at an unfathomable speed!

The celestial flames weren't just capable of destruction but also empowering his abilities' strength, casting speed, reaction speed, force, speed, and the list goes on!

It was like the best all-rounded powerful enhancement he ever experienced before.

Without an ounce of hesitation, Felix tightened his fist until the blood was threatening to escape.

"Spacetime Vibration Punch."

Then, he uttered with a bone-chilling tone, wanting them to know exactly what he would be hitting them with!

Chapter 1507 Divine Archons!

His glowing inflamed fist crackled with vibrational energy, and as it made contact with the space behind his adversaries, the heavens themselves seemed to quake!!

SHAAAATTTER!!!!

A deafening, ear-splitting noise, akin to a mirror shattering into countless shards, echoed through the skies.

The capital city's denizens, angelic and ethereal beings alike, turned their eyes skyward in astonishment and horror as they witnessed this unholy display of destruction!

The sky around Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham fractured and splintered as if the very fabric of reality had been torn asunder!

It created an otherworldly spectacle of cosmic energy, with fractured rifts and rifts of celestial light spreading outwards in a dazzling display.

'What the hell!'

'So powerful!'



Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham, caught within the epicenter of this cataclysmic event, could only watch in stunned disbelief as the vibrational spacetime punch sent shockwaves through their bodies, threatening to blow them apart akin to the sky!

If it wasn't for the divine energy shielding them and canceling those shockwaves as they came, their souls would be swimming in the ether by now!

Argh!!!! Save me!! Nooo!!!

Alas, the shattering sky's influence had reached even the far-away angels as those spatial cracks kept pulling them into their rigid jaws, wanting to devour them whole!

The angels cried and screamed in fear while flapping their wings as fast as they could, resisting the pulling force.

Unfortunately, the heavenly plane itself was being pulled against its will to the black hole, which created an opposite attraction force to the spatial cracks.

It was like each was pulling in different directions and that angels were caught in the middle of it!

"NOOOOOO!!!"

Whoosh! Whoosh!!...

With one final scream of despair, many angels ended up consumed within those cracks, disappearing into the backstage of the universe.

Commander Nottingham's and Duke Humphrey's expressions turned ugly at this disheartening scene.

While those angels seemed easy to kill, it was only because Felix was making them seem like that.

In reality, they were elite troops in the eternal kingdom and a mere thousand of them should have been enough to take down the entire heavenly plane if it wasn't for Felix's constant intervention.

Godfather Hephaestus took extra measures and brought a couple of thousands of them, paying an insane price for them since they were part of the celestial army and he couldn't use his people for the job.

Yet, here they were, dropping left and right akin to flies without even completing a third of their mission...

"Why aren't you making jokes anymore?"

Felix manifested in front of Duke Humphrey, his expression seemed confused, but his mocking tone couldn't fool anyone.

"ENOUGH IS ENOUGH! I WILL END YOU EVEN IF IT'S THE LAST THING I DO HERE!"

Duke Humphrey didn't take Felix's jab too lightly as he immediately decided to unleash his full power and end this battle right away, not caring about saving any of his divinity!

"Commander!"

"I know."

Commander Nottingham understood that it was time to wrap this up to avoid losing any more of his troops in the aftermath.

Both of them extended their hands into the sky and allowed the divine energy to surge through their beings without any interruptions, causing an eruption of potent shockwaves to be released and hurl Felix away against his will.

'Hmmm?' Felix narrowed his eyes coldly as he watched the divine light around those two turn into a massive golden humanoid armor that radiated with celestial brilliance.

They were floating in the middle of this giant creation, resembling mecha operators.

Yet, the transformation wasn't done as those two massive divine beings each held their respective weapon.

The golden sword of Duke Humphrey and the divine lance of Commander Nottingham.

After the transformation was over, their celestial forms became awe-inspiring, their presence commanding respect and fear.

"It's the glorious Solar Archon of the commander!"

"Even the duke can manifest one?! His control over the divine energy is extraordinary!"

Those two beings were referred to as the Divine Archons and they were one of the most formidable utilization of the divine energy.

For both of them to bring them on, they were indeed done messing about.

Felix had no clue how powerful the Divine Archons were, but he could sense that the atmosphere had completely changed around his enemies.

"Be grateful, for you have the honor to face against two Divine Archons." Commander Nottingham expressed coldly as he pointed his lance in Felix's direction.

"Face? It will be over before it starts."

Duke Humphrey sneered as he controlled the archon to swing his sword around. Meanwhile, his arms were crossed above his chest, using only his mind to control his archon.

Without giving Felix too much time to think, Commander Nottingham was the first to make a move as he launched his glorious lance in Felix's direction yet again.

Knowing that his fate would be sealed if he got touched by the divine energy, Felix swiftly attempted to avoid the divine lance by teleporting away.

However, before his runic spell could manifest in his eyes, it shattered immediately to his shock and he couldn't activate it again!

"The Divine Archons' existence nullifies the creation of any elemental or law-based ability in its range." Duke Humphrey ridiculed as he watched Felix get forced to evade the lance through normal means with great difficulty.

When Felix heard him, he tried to check his statement's validity by using another ability...But soon, he was forced to accept the reality before him as nothing he tried to activate worked!

When Duke Humphrey joined the confrontation too, Felix understood that only his celestial flames could get him out of this.

So, he allowed it to blaze brightly, forming an impenetrable barrier of luminous energy that surrounded him, acting as both a shield and a weapon.

Unfazed, Humphrey and Nottingham charged with unwavering resolve and engaged with Felix in a battle of flurry of celestial strikes and counterattacks!

With each clash between them, both the divine energies and celestial flames seemed to fade a little.

Boom! Boom! Thud!...

Yet, neither side had any thoughts of backing off.

"This will be the end of you!"

"How long will your celestial flames last? Haha! We were bestowed upon by the first ruler himself!"

Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham, operating their divine archons, countered Felix's attacks with formidable prowess.

Their celestial weapons clashed with Felix's inflamed fists and legs, creating shockwaves that echoed through the skies!

"You got this, little one." Elder Kraken muttered as he sat above a rock and watched the unfolding battle, having no intentions of offering assistance.

His energy was already on rock bottom and even if he wanted to help, he would be nothing more but a reliability in this celestial dance.

"I can't believe he is going tow to tow with the commander and the duke without even a weapon..."

"Were lesser mortals always this powerful?"

Most of the angels went down to the city to start hunting down the spirits again...But the battle above them was too enchanting to not steal a couple of glances.

It was too intense and luminous even Miss Sanae and many other spirits far away from the city were still able to see three dots of light connecting with each other before separating again.

"Traveler...Don't you dare lose." Miss Sanae wished with a hopeful tone, "The entire plane's fate relies on you."

It was obvious to everyone by now that the last line of defense for the city or even the entire heavenly plane was Felix.

If he fell here, those two would go on a onslaught unchecked and massacre every spirit in sight without anyone having the ability to stop them...Not even Elder Kraken.

"Starting to feel the heat?" Duke Humphrey smiled coldly as he swung his sword from high above and landed it straight on Felix's crossed-out arms, blocking it with his bare flesh.

The celestial flames blocked most of the force, but Felix already started to sense that it was getting closer to exhaustion.

'I can't carry on like this...I have to find a way to finish them off before I get exposed to their divine attacks.' Felix thought with a deep frown.

Chapter 1508 Words More Harmful Than Strikes.

The problem with the divine archon was its ability to cancel the activation of abilities in a large area around it and these two were stuck to Felix akin to glue, making it impossible for him to get away from said range.

'With such ferociousness, they must be pushing to end the fight even faster than me.' Felix noticed, 'Such powerful ability can't possibly operate on a low fuel.'

Felix wasn't fooled by Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham's assured front...He could see the tint of agitation in their eyes, making him understand that the archons were taking a massive toll on their beings.

'As long as they run out of divine energies to sustain the archons, it will be my time to strike.' Felix narrowed his eyes dangerously and continued staying on the defensive side, receiving blow after another while making sure to minimize the damage to his body.

He planned before on rushing things out, but he understood that was his enemies' plan all along, to bait him into panicking and charging a powerful attack with his celestial flames, which would end up bringing it into complete exhaustion.

Since they were baiting him to go for it, it implied that they were confident in their archons' strength to block it successfully!

'This prick isn't taking the bait!' Duke Humphrey cursed in his mind, not liking Felix's cool-headed look.

'Just keep pressing him, he is bound to crack and go all out.' Commander Nottingham said.

Duke Humphrey went the extra mile and started provoking Felix with each blow he landed on him.

"What a weakling...Your inability to protect your beloved wh\*re is a testament to your feeble nature!"

Felix's expression turned icier and his murderous intent tripled at least the instant he heard his taunt.

When Duke Humphrey noticed the change in his expression, he smiled coldly and continued, "You must be having retarded thoughts of rescuing her from her imprisonment. How can you even have the nerve to think like this when you can't even defeat us?"

The moment he finished, Commander Nottingham took advantage of an opening and thrust his lance into Felix's waist!

BOOOOOOM!!

The lance made contact and Felix got hurled far away against his will with blood dripping down his mouth, receiving a decent amount of damage!

In an effort to save up his celestial flames, he concentrated them into his arms and left the rest of his body with a weak version.

Now, he paid the price the instant he allowed Duke Humphrey's venomous words to touch his being.

Usually, this kind of provocation fell on deaf ears when it came to Felix, but, the whole capturing situation happened just a few minutes ago and the wound was still a wide hole.

Felix was barely coping with accepting that it even happened, and if it wasn't for his rage and hatred, he would have already let the negative thoughts consume him.

Whoosh!

Duke Humphrey appeared next to Felix yet again and showed him a venomous grin before uttering word by word, "Why are you even trying? Why are you even existing? Haven't you already died and if it wasn't for that b\*tch's grace, you wouldn't even be in the heavenly realm...You are a nobody! You always were and will always be!"

BOOOOOM!!!

Duke Humphrey's sword struck Felix's arms and this time, the result was far more promising as Felix's body got thrown away yet again, losing the confrontation.

It was clear, that his mind was out of the game as with each sentence, Felix felt like a dagger stabbed into his soul, more painful and agonizing than those strikes...

"Just give up...Just give up and embrace the peacefulness of the ether. You won't disappoint anyone anymore and your beloved won't be in constant worry about your safety...Just give up and free yourself and everyone from the trouble of associating with a failure like you."

Duke Humphrey's words were targeted at Felix's self-

hatred like a poisonous arrow...Felix already was struggling to accept his failures to protect the ones he loved and barely had his head above the water.

Duke Humphrey was now drowning him and telling him to stop struggling and let himself drown, which was the answer to all of his current negative thoughts and problems.



While doing this, he wasn't forgetting to put him in physical pain as his sword and commander's lance kept finding more and more holes in Felix's defense, giving him a beatdown even those far away were about to see it.

"Master!!"

Karra yelled with tears dripping down her cheeks as she watched the two golden dots smacking the small white dot around like it was a ping-pong ball.

Miss Sanae covered Karra's eyes and murmured, "He will be fine, let's get away from this place first."

"No! I am not leaving without him!" Karra refused to budge from her place...As for Sekiro? He was still passed out on the ground next to them, having no idea what was going on.

Miss Sanae could only sigh and remain in her place, not wanting to drag Karra against her will or ditch them behind.

As a rational person, she could see that Felix's situation wasn't going to get better anytime soon and instead of betting on some miracle, it was better to put as much distance as possible from the capital.

Alas, Karra wasn't of the rational type and she could only stay with them at her own risk.

BOOOM!! BOOM!! BOOOM!!...

Meanwhile, the celestial battle was shaping up in favor of the invaders as Felix kept being thrown back and forth between the commander and the Duke like a dirty rug.

Duke Humphrey didn't even need to continue his provocation as his widened pleased smile showed his confidence in winning the battle at last.

'His body is all shattered and his celestial flames are giving in, it's time to finish him off once and for all with a combined powerful strike.' Commander Nottingham said.

'Agreed, we barely have less than ten minutes before the deadline, we can't drag this for another second.' Duke Humphrey nodded.

Felix's celestial flames were indeed beginning to dim, signaling a moment of vulnerability.

Unwilling to drag this any longer, Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham channeled their divine powers, gathering an immense amount of celestial energy into their respective weapons—the golden divine lance and the radiant sword!

Their celestial authority surged, and the heavens themselves seemed to tremble in anticipation after pointing their weapons in Felix's direction.

Felix seemed like a floating ruined corpse, barely able to stand up straight no matter how much he struggled.

"I can't believe I will be wasting all my divinity on a vermin."

Duke Humphrey spat in disgust one last time before he ironed his will and unleashed their combined attack, a blinding, awe-inspiring beacon of divine energy erupted from the tip of their weapons!

The heavens were set ablaze with their divine beams, a force of pure destruction aimed at erasing Felix from existence!

"MAAAAAASTER!!"

"Don't look!"

Karra, Miss Sanae, Elder Kraken, and all watching spirits seemed to have been frozen in despair at the sight of the divine beams rushing at Felix.

However, just as the combined divine beams neared their target, something unexpected occurred.

Felix, who had appeared vulnerable moments before, opened his eyes with a cold, sinister smile spreading across his face.

It was a smile that held the promise of retribution.

'Release!'

In that critical moment, Felix summoned the last reserves of his celestial flames, erupting them in facade of him like an impervious shield!

The celestial flames blazed with newfound intensity, forming an invincible barrier of radiant energy that stood firm against the onslaught of the combined divine beams!!

BOOOOOOOOOOOM!!!

The clash of celestial forces created a stunning spectacle, with blinding light and cosmic energy colliding in a cataclysmic explosion!!

"This..."

"Huh?"

Duke Humphrey and Commander Nottingham were left with widened eyes at this marvelous scene, not bothering to appreciate its beauty.

How could they appreciate it when their most powerful attack faded away into the sky without burning a single strand of Felix's hair?

When the light fully disappeared and exposed the battlefield again, there were no more three bright dots...Only three humanoid figures in their flesh and blood.

No more divine archons, no more celestial flames...Just unblessed mortals facing each other.

"You sure spew plenty of crap in my ears earlier."

With a bone-chilling smile, Felix cracked his neck as he covered himself in healing water, recovering all of his wounds almost instantly.

Then, he uttered, "I sincerely hope you can back them up."

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"We've been played,"

Duke Humphrey clenched his fists, his anger mounting. Commander Nottingham shared the same attitude as him.

"He baited us into unleashing everything we had," He hissed with an irked tone.

They quickly figured out that the veneer of vulnerability that Felix had displayed was nothing more than a ruse, a cunning facade that had lured them into committing their full power!

Felix had outwitted them and this notion didn't sit well in their stomachs, making them furious beyond measure.

It wasn't like Duke Humphrey's words didn't affect Felix's mentality...Everything that was said had indeed cut Felix's soul, but he wasn't born yesterday to let words affect his focus in a life-and-death battle.

Instead of retaliating, he took advantage of the opportunity to set up a trap for them and they fell for it head first!

"Now that we got those irritating divinities out of the way, let's see what you got,"

Felix uttered coldly as he manifested two long crimson swords made out of destruction energy.

Not giving them the chance to figure things out, Felix covered himself in sizzling electrical discharges and dashed through five emerging electrical rings in front of him, which were boosted by a time acceleration spell!

Whoosh!!

He instantly disappeared from his place, leaving behind him a mirage like he hadn't even moved from his place!

The instant the mirage faded away, Felix was already past Commander Nottingham.

"You!"

Commander Nottingham, caught off guard by Felix's incredible speed, turned around just in time to meet his adversary's gaze.

However, it was too late to react...

In an instant, Felix's crimson swords had already sliced through his celestial armor and body as though they were made of mere paper.

A shocked gasp escaped Commander Nottingham's lips as the devastating impact of the attack hit him.

Slice!

His celestial form seemed to momentarily hang in the air, suspended in disbelief, before his body began to split into two distinct halves.

The severed halves of Commander Nottingham's form fell to the ground, their radiant light dimming, akin to a broken fallen star...

Duke Humphrey, the angels, and the spirits alike stared at the falling corpse with stunned expressions, finding it hard to accept this extraordinary outcome.

Just now, Felix was being beaten senseless left and right. A split second later, Commander Nottingham was killed and disposed of akin to trash in a single strike.

"As expected, you have been relying on your divinities far too much, your battle experience is almost null," Felix remarked calmly as he stared at his crimson swords.

This wasn't even his most powerful attack and yet, a brigade commander of the celestial army couldn't block it without relying on his divinity.

"Looks like the eternal kingdom's mortals are much weaker than I anticipated," Felix uttered as he approached Duke Humphrey.

Duke Humphrey turned to face Felix, his heartbeats started to accelerate in agitation and fear the instant his eyes made contact with Felix's.

He could feel Felix's hatred and murderous intent from here even when Felix's visage remained indifferent.

His guts screamed at him that if he landed in his hands, his fate would be much worse than Commander Nottingham's!

As for fighting Felix? He had already failed to win against him and even got almost killed during their first battle. If it wasn't for his divinity saving his ass, he wouldn't have been here to have a rematch.

Now, that he had exhausted it thoroughly, he was smart enough to recognize that his life wasn't in his hands anymore.

"Fine, you have won! I surrender." Duke Humphrey raised his hands into the air as he relied on his talk no Jutsu to get him out of this mess in one piece. "You don't have to take your anger on me, I can help you with information about the eternal kingdom and even give you the exact location of your beloved."

Realizing that Felix's weakness was Asna, he placed a bet that Felix might consider capturing him alive to extract information instead of killing him.

This was all Duke Humphrey wanted, to buy time, until his Godfather could save him.

Alas...His persuasion technique was about to fail him again.

Whoosh!

In the blink of an eye, Felix manifested in front of Duke Humphrey's face until they were mere inches from each other.

They were so close that Duke Humphrey was able to read the exact runic details in the hexagon within Felix's pupils.

Before he could break out of his daze, he realized that he couldn't move a single finger anymore.

His entire body was frozen in time and the only thing he was able to control was to show how much despair and terror was reflected in his pupils...

"I saved a fraction of my celestial flames just for you."

Felix whispered in the duke's ears softly, but his voice was so sinister, that Duke Humphrey would have lost complete control over his bowls if it wasn't for the time freeze.

'What will he do to me...'

Duke Humphrey's thoughts and emotions were in complete disarray after noticing a tiny candle-like black flame ignite on top of Felix's finger.

It was burning softly and dimly, appearing like it couldn't even burn a fly...Yet, the closer Felix's finger got to Duke Humphrey, the more intense the dread he felt.

"You have spoken one hundred and forty-four words during your taunting barrage. That's the number of millennia you will be sentenced for." Felix uttered icily as he touched Duke Humphrey's forehead with the celestial black flames.

In an instant, a profound transformation took place.

Duke Humphrey's body, once resplendent in its golden divine armor, was suddenly engulfed in eerie black flames!

The infernal fires danced and crackled, consuming his celestial form with an intensity that defied the natural order!

Felix snapped his finger and released Duke Humphrey from time constraints.

AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!

The moment he did so, Duke Humphrey, his voice filled with agonized disbelief, cried out as the black flames consumed him!

"PLEASE! PLEASE!! MAKE IT STOP!! I BEG YOU!! PLEASE!!"

Duke Humphrey implored with a high-pitched voice as he kept beating himself up and trying to remove his clothes, to kill off the flames.

Alas, no matter what he did, the black flames kept burning at the same intensity...The worst part? It could neither turn off nor burn off its target completely.

Ignoring his heartbreaking screams, Felix manifested two massive white crystallized pillars with chains dangling from their sides.

Then, he controlled the chains to lock them around Duke Humphrey's waist and feet, before spreading him apart in the shape of a star.

This made the pain even worse for the duke as he couldn't move even if he wanted, leaving him with only one outlet to ease the pain if not by a 1%.

"PLEAAAAEEEEEESE!! PLEAAAAAASEE!! SAVE ME!! GODFATHER!!!  
SAVEE MEE!!"



His screams echoed throughout the capital sky and reached the ears of the angels and spirits below.

It was a music to the spirits' ears, but a terrifying sound to the angels, who had yet to recover from the shock of their commander's corpse lying on the rubble near them.

When the angels looked at Felix and saw that he was looking at the ground, their legs almost gave out from dread.

"I do...don't want to do this anymore!"

"Monster...He is a monster! Run while you still can!"

"Hold your positions!! Anyone who deserted won't return to the kingdom!"

Just one look was all it took for most of the angels to ditch their duties and fly off into the distance at the top of their speed, knowing that Felix's next targets were them!

If even their commander and the duke failed to take him down with divine archons, how could one expect to stay behind and deal with his wrath?

The next in command in the army tried his best to restore order.

Alas, Duke Humphrey's heartbreaking screams were like a constant reminder of the angels' fate if Felix caught them, making it impossible for them to not run away!

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While the angels were either running away or regrouping under the second in command to seek a way out of this doomed situation, the spirits and law enforcers outside of the city were seen cheering at the top of their lungs.

A wave of jubilation swept through their ranks as the capital city's skies were filled with cheers and an overwhelming sense of relief and triumph.

Law enforcers and spirits who had fought tirelessly to protect their city and its inhabitants rejoiced in the knowledge that their unwavering efforts had not been in vain.

Even though no one knew Felix's identity due to the far distance between them and the battle, he was hailed as their hero and savior.

Meanwhile, Karra, who had endured the torment of Duke Humphrey's cruelty in the past, watched with a mixture of emotions as the once-

mighty ethereal elder was consumed by black flames.

His agonized screams echoed through the skies, a stark contrast to the arrogance and cruelty he had shown before.

"Sob...Sob..."

Tears flooded down her cheeks uncontrollably the more she listened to his agonized screams.

For Karra, this moment was a well-needed vindication, a form of poetic justice that brought a semblance of closure to her own painful experiences.

Felix had promised her that everyone who harmed her was going to pay a grave price and he delivered his promise.

Meanwhile, uncaring about Duke Humphrey's constant b\*tchy screams and the cheering noise below, Felix lifted his head and stared deeply into the eternal kingdom portal.

'Asna...' Felix tightened his fists until white showed and lowered his head in disappointment.

He was disappointed in himself for not having the courage to go through the portal and seek out his woman. His emotional side wanted him to do it, but his rational side stopped him from committing such foolishness.

'Be patient Felix, be patient, Asna isn't going anywhere and I doubt anyone will dare harm her.' Felix exhaled deeply, 'You are nothing but a hindrance to her at the moment and if you want to save her for real, you need a real plan and the strength to back it up.'

Felix would never forget how he was a boy handled by the first ruler without even seeing his face.

It was a humiliating experience and it angered him beyond measure, but it made him understand at least the level of strength difference between him and his mortal enemy.

As much as he hated to say it. 'I don't see a way for me to obtain that kind of strength...At least, not without help.'

Felix understood that it would be nearly impossible to match up with the first ruler or even a unigin if he wasn't blessed by a miracle.

At this moment, he knew only one person capable of showing him at least the way to obtain this miracle.

'If I am going to ask for his help, I better make sure he owes me the biggest favor possible.'

Felix lifted his head up again, and this time a cold gaze was etched on his face...Then, he took off towards the eternal kingdom's portal.

'Felix...'

'Don't worry elder, I haven't lost it yet.' Felix replied with a faint smile after hearing Elder Kraken's slightly worried voice in his mind.

He knew that his elder must have thought that he was going to enter the portal.

'That's all I wanted to hear.' Elder Kraken smiled kindly and didn't bother Felix with any more questions.

Felix's movement hadn't gone unnoticed by the others...Even the

escaping angels were forced to halt and look up when they realized that Felix wasn't targeting them.

"What is he planning to do?"

"Oh no! Don't tell me he is going to guard the portal to make sure none of us leave!"

"Sh\*t! He is even more devious than I thought!"

The angels' faces went as pale as a paper at such a awful realization. Before, they thought if they escaped and hid somewhere, they could switch their direction to the portal when Felix put some distance from it.

But now? They knew that it was doomed for them.

Meanwhile, Felix never had such a thought in mind...But, if the angels knew what he was planning to do, they be even more mortified.

The moment there were a couple of kilometers or less between Felix and the supermassive portal, he came to a halt.

'I tried this only once and the results were far from promising...I don't know if it will work or not, but it's the only way to achieve my goal.' Felix thought to himself while staring at his right fist.

He closed his eyes and resonated his mind with the spacetime frequency almost instantly.

The instant his mind was locked with it, he tightened his fist and drew it backward. Then, he took a deep breath and punched forward into the air.

BOOOOOOOOOOOOM!!

The first punch sent shockwaves echoing through the skies, cracking the space in the area again. However, just as the frequency shockwave was about to reach its peak, Felix threw another punch in the same position!

BOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOM!!

A much more thunderous noise resounded this time and the spatial cracks seemed to have at least tripled in size and spread!

It was like the second punch built upon the frequency of the first, enhancing its strength.

BOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOM!!

Yet, Felix didn't seem to have any thoughts of stopping as he punched another time and used the built-in momentum to empower the third punch!

This was much harder than it looked since Felix had to find the right timing to release his punch or the shockwaves would end up conflicting with each other instead of building upon the other.

He continued doing so under the watchful gazes of the angels and spirits, staring at the shattering sky with a dumbfounded look.

None of them knew what he was doing, but the notion of a person capable of breaking such a large area of the sky was enough to chill their blood.

BOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOOM!!!

After the seventh punch, Felix's fist and entire body seemed to be vibrating at a rapid speed like he was put in a mixer.

Felix knew this was the result of his punches' recoil as his body also took a little of the damage each time he forcefully built on the spacetime shockwave.

'This is the last one, either the portal gets destroyed or my body will be shattered apart, leaving me as a wisp.'

With a defying resolute glare, Felix committed to the last punch, pulling it with great difficulty behind his waist, and then without an ounce of hesitation or fear, he unleashed the culmination of all the built-in momentum, smashing the frequency with the most powerful strike he could muster!

The instant his fist reached the end of the line, a sudden deafening silence seemed to have fallen around the entire heavenly plane.

Then...

"Shatter..." Felix murmured, his soft voice amplified by the vibrational energy in the air, causing a weird phenomenon for everyone in the city to hear it crystal clear in their ears.

Before they could react to his voice, an explosion of energy erupted outward like a celestial supernova.

The force of the impact was so dominating that it seemed to distort reality itself!

The spectral skies fractured and shattered, resembling a vast, fragile glass sphere struck by an unstoppable force!

The shards of the spectral sky scattered in all directions, revealing a pitch-black void beyond...

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The capital city's inhabitants stared in awe and disbelief at the gaping hole in their once-vibrant realm, their expressions a mix of humiliation and bewilderment.

It was like their brains were incapable of processing the kind of information their eyes were feeding it!

As for the eternal kingdom portal? It suffered a fate worse than destruction...It was as if it had never existed at all, erased from the fabric of reality!

The portal's grandeur, and its towering presence, all faded into oblivion, leaving only an empty void in its place.

Amidst the splintered skies and the void beyond, a sole human stood, his presence barely noticeable against this unholy background.

'I guess I overdid it a bit...'

A moment later, the figure's body disintegrated into nothingness, leaving behind him a mere floating spirit flame, heading towards its gaping void...