

Supremacy 1521

Chapter 1521 Getting Disciplined!

The first thing Felix did after teleporting to Elder Kraken's mansion was place a handwritten lengthy letter for each of his companions on the living room table.

Then, he patted them with a soft smile and teleported to the council, not planning to stay behind and say his goodbyes face to face.

He was never great with goodbyes and the fact that he would most likely never return to the heavenly plane made it even harder for him to speak with Karra, Sekiro, and Miss Sanae.

Plus, he was banned by Lord Hades for exposing his leaving with his memories intact.

So, instead of lying to their faces, it was best to write down that he would be taking the reincarnation opportunity.

"I hope you live a prosperous life..." Felix uttered one last time and then he took off the moment he heard footsteps near the door.

After he reappeared, he noticed that Lord Hades was already seated on his throne all by himself.

"Are you ready?" He asked emotionlessly.

"Yes." Felix nodded.

"I will transport you to the area near your corpse, so it will be easier for that irritating menace to pick you up." Lord Hades stated.

"I understand." Felix's eyelids twitched, knowing that Lord Hades wasn't a fan of the life primogenitor.

It was expected as he had bragged to his peers that he was reviving wandering spirits for fun against Lord Hades' wishes.

Soon, Elder Kraken finished with whatever business he had on and joined them.

With him on board, the connection with Felix's masters was established and they began their preparation from the other side.

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"Lord Quetzalcoatl, it's time to cash in that favor please." Lady Sphinx requested through her AP bracelet.

Lord Quetzalcoatl appeared on the screen with the same friendly and upbeat expression.

"With pleasure."

"We have received news that Felix's soul will appear straight near his corpse, so you don't need to travel far distances in the spirit realm." Lady Sphinx shared.

"Really? Interesting, may I ask how did you manage to pull it off?" Lord Quetzalcoatl raised an eyebrow in surprise, "I doubt Lord Hades will watch you do this without interfering."

"Don't worry about that, Elder Kraken said that he has taken care of it." Lady Sphinx hid the truth expertly.

She knew that if Lord Quetzalcoatl ever heard that Lord Hades was in this, he would get cold feet and wouldn't dare help them out.

'Damn, I am kinda feeling bad for him.' Thor said with a not-so-

sympathetic chuckle, 'He will receive the beating of a lifetime.'

'He deserves it for his obnoxious happy-go-lucky personality.' Lord Shiva snickered from a distance while holding onto a manga book.

'You just hate him for being more loved and respected than you in our circle.' Lord Loki fired back while playing chess with J?rmungandr.

'Who wants your trash love and respect anyways, you can't even commit to a plan.' Lord Shiva retorted calmly, clearly still irked at them for ditching him.

'Whatever you say...Suicidal maniac.' Lord Loki muttered the last part.

Still, Lord Shiva gave him a cold glare for a moment before returning to reading his manga in peace.

It had been a century since Felix's death and it looked like everyone's interests were slowly getting more 'modern'.

Meanwhile, Lady Sphinx disregarded their entire annoying conversation in her head and concluded the deal with Lord Quetzalcoatl.

Elder Kraken saw this and sent the information to his main consciousness.

Because there was somewhat of a big time difference between the two realms, Elder Kraken received the information less than a split millisecond after requesting it.

"It's done, she will inform us when Lord Quetzalcoatl arrives at her location." Elder Kraken shared.

Before Felix could speak a single word, Elder Kraken spoke again, "He has arrived."

"..." Felix didn't know what to do but smile speechlessly at such a peculiar experience.

Without wasting anyone's time, Lord Hades pointed his finger at Felix and uttered. "I will be watching over you."

Before Felix could bow his head in appreciation or show his gratitude for everything Lord Hades had done for him and Asna, he found himself in the middle of nowhere...Literally.

Not even wandering spirits were seen floating in the area, making him feel like he was thrown inside the core of a black hole.

Fortunately, Lord Quetzalcoatl made an appearance in less than a few seconds, showing in front of Felix in his spiritual form.

'He....'

Before Felix could greet him, his lips twitched at the sight of Lord Quetzalcoatl riding on the back of a wandering spirit akin to a horse.

'Well, hello there!' Lord Quetzalcoatl laughed as he jumped from the wandering spirit and gave Felix a quick hug, 'It's been a while, little one!'

'It sure been, elder.' Felix showed a fake smile while hugging him back.

'Who would have thought that even death can't kill you, and even the big boss can't contain you.' Lord Quetzalcoatl kept laughing and patting Felix's back, 'I can't wait for all the trouble and chaos you will be sewing on your return...The universe has been way too peaceful after your death.'

'Elder, you think too high...lowly? Whatever, I am eternally grateful for your help.' Felix bowed his head in appreciation.

'Don't mention it, a favor is a favor, now let's get out of here before we attract that old monster's atten...'

Before he could finish his sentence, his friendly smile suddenly froze on his face after feeling a powerful spiritual pressure land on him out of nowhere, making it impossible for him to move an inch.

With Felix's enhanced spiritual prowess, he felt the pressure before it even befell Lord Quetzalcoatl.

Knowing its owner, Felix could only give Lord Quetzalcoatl an apologetic look.

'Vermin, this is your last revival in my territory. If you dare step in it ever again, I will break my own rule and eliminate you without hesitation.'

'Big boss! I am just...'

before he could finish, a sudden eathreal palm appeared in front of Lord Quetzalcoatl and landed with a resounding slap across his face!

The echo of the slap reverberated through the spirit realm, a punishment delivered with a weighty gravity that only a being of Lord Hades' caliber could wield.

Quetzalcoatl winced, both from the sting and the humiliation of being chastised before Felix.

'Zip it, you have been running amok and thinking I can't deal with you because you enter using your wisps?' Lord Hades threatened emotionlessly, 'I can erase your soul through your wisp just as easily.'

Slap!

Another smack resounded in Felix's ears, making him look to the other side to save a bit of Lord Quetzalcoatl's dignity.

He was literally treated as a child by Lord Hades while being an elemental lord, one of the strongest beings in the universe.

While Lord Quetzalcoatl had no clue what was going on with Lord Hades' aggression, Felix understood that the guardian of souls and spirits was in a weakened state, and he didn't want anyone trespassing on his territory ever again.

For all he knows, Lord Quetzalcoatl could be used by the eternal kingdom to invade again.

So, this lesson was bound to happen either now or in the future when Lord Quetzalcoatl entered the spirit realm to fool around.

'Now, get lost and take him with you. I don't want to see any of your faces in my territory again.'

With that last overbearing statement, the spiritual pressure was gone and Lord Quetzalcoatl finally was given a breather.

He sharply turned to look at Felix and found him staring at the wandering spirit, appearing like he was appreciating his 'spiritedness'.

'Kid...'

'Cough, yes, elder?'

'Did you know about any of this?'

'I have no idea what you are talking about.' Felix replied innocently, feigning speak ignorance, 'It was just us and this mindless spirit the entire time.'

'...' Elder Quetzalcoatl rubbed his reddened cheeks as he narrowed his eyes at Felix, who was avoiding them at all costs.

He wasn't stupid, he knew that this entire operation was weird and felt like a setup. But, he had no evidence of anything and at this moment, he didn't want to stay another second in the spirit realm.

'Let's get you revived.' Lord Quetzalcoatl swore in his mind, 'Little f*cker hasn't even been revived and already started troubles with me, god knows what will happen to the others.'

If it wasn't for Lord Hades' order to take Felix with him, he would have departed him here and left alone!

Chapter 1522 The Universal Announcement!

Amidst the humming machinery and the ethereal glow of mystical equipment in Lady Sphinx's lab, a momentous event unfolded.

Felix's lifeless body lay on a sterile table, finally released from absolute zero's effect.

If it weren't for Fenrir keeping his ability active for the past century, Felix's body would have deteriorated a little.

Just a little since his corpse was considered a treasure on its own.

"Give me space. I am about to begin." Lord Quetzalcoatl requested.

He was sitting in a meditation position near Felix's corpse while Lady Sphinx and Fenrir were on the other side.

"Alright."

Both of them walked away from the table with looks of intrigue and anticipation as this was the first time they were about to witness The Life Domain in action.

It seemed like Lord Quetzalcoatl had no idea about what happened on the other side. Otherwise, he wouldn't be this polite.

It was expected since not everyone was a great soul user like Elder Kraken to link their main consciousness with their wisps in the spirit realm.

So, he would find out about the punishment only after his wisp merged back with him.

Soon, Lord Quetzalcoatl raised his hands, and a surge of vital energy emanated from his body, causing his green feathers to turn pure white.

The released energy manifested as a milky white mist, filling the room with a vibrant and life-affirming aura.

The atmosphere crackled with the power of his life domain, and the very air seemed to come alive!

"I feel like I am gaining centuries in my longevity with each breath." Fenrir commentated with a wonderous look.

It wasn't like he needed it, but he could imagine how mortals would literally worship Lord Quetzalcoatl as their god if he shared some of his blessings with them and made their short lives a bit longer.

Whoosh!!

As Lord Quetzalcoatl channeled his life energy, the milky white mist coalesced into a swirling vortex of vitality around Felix's lifeless body.

It danced and twirled with an otherworldly grace, its luminous tendrils reaching out like ethereal fingers.

The lab equipment kept shaking and falling down the stronger the vortex got, forcing Lady Sphinx to use her sand manipulation to affix everything in its place.

The instant the vortex reached its peak, Lord Quetzalcoatl bellowed, "Connect!"

Meanwhile, on the other side, Lord Quetzalcoatl had manifested the same vortex around Felix's spirit and told him to not move an inch and simply surrender to the call.

Those two radiant vortexes served as a bridge between the mortal realm and the spirit realm, connecting Felix's body to his soul.

It became a conduit for his wandering spirit, drawing it back with a magnetic force that transcended mere physical laws.

Slowly, but with unwavering purpose, Felix's spirit began to respond. It emerged from the depths of the spirit realm, drawn inexorably toward the swirling vortex of life energy.

With each passing moment, the connection grew stronger, until at last, the spirit rejoined its rightful vessel.

The room was suffused with an overwhelming sense of renewal and vitality as the milky white vortex completed its task.

'No wonder the soul has to be close to the body to make the revival work.' Lady Sphinx commentated.

The process was deemed much more complex and difficult to perform, which explained why not many people got revived after they landed on the other side.

The return policy was simply too strict and only an ability at the level of Life Domain could pull it off.

Whoosh!

Soon, The vortex grew weaker and before long, it faded away and the lab's equipment stopped making noise.

"It's done."

Lord Quetzalcoatl remarked as he canceled his life domain, returning the lab back to its cold and lifeless state.

"You sure? I don't hear a heartbeat." Fenrir questioned while approaching Felix and checking on his vitals.

"It's not my job to resuscitate him." Lord Quetzalcoatl chuckled, "You wanted his soul, his soul is in his body, and if you don't act quick, it might leave again."

"..."

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Both Fenrir and Lady Sphinx gave him annoyed looks and swiftly went to help Felix kickstart his heart.

Lady Sphinx focused on the main heart, which was the human one, and began performing chest compressions on him.

If his body wasn't immune to electricity, she would have much preferred shocking his heart into beating again.

Fortunately, Felix's body was an absolute machine and with a mere few hard presses, His heart began beating again.

Ka-thumb!

The first heart thumped with a resounding beat, like a sports car engine roaring to life after a prolonged slumber!

It sent a surge of energy coursing through Felix's veins, filling him with newfound vitality.

Then, the devourer's heart joined the symphony of beats, its rhythm harmonizing with the first.

Ka-thumb!!

The Dragon's heart came next roaring to life like the ancestral dragon himself was awakened!

KAA-THUMB!!

With the addition of Kraken's vigorous heartbeat, the room seemed to resonate with the powerful cadence of life as if an orchestra of powerful engines revved to life!

As the blood streamed through runic seed, it seemed like it bloomed into a beautiful flower with all of the vein-like roots, lightning up across Felix's entire skin.

"Are we reviving a human or hearts collector, the hell is wrong with him?" Lord Quetzalcoatl was left speechless as he listened to Felix's hearts singing a song of their return.

If only he knew that Felix possessed two more small dormant hearts for emergencies.

Lady Sphinx ignored him and started carrying her examinations on Felix, knowing that his hearts beating again didn't imply that he would wake up immediately.

Her assumption was reasonable, but not for Felix any more.

Without any warning, Felix's eyes snapped wide open and released two beams of golden light into the ceiling for a few moments before it faded away!

A sudden silence befell the lab as neither Felix's heartbeats were heard nor the primogenitors' breaths.

It was vacuum-like silence where one couldn't even hear his own thoughts.

Before any of them could react, the light in Felix's eyes disappeared and he took his first breath, filling his lungs with the sweet air of the living.

The instant the breath settled in Felix's lungs, the universe released a thunderous booming clap across the minds of all living beings in its territory.

RUMMMMMMMBLE!!!

The thunderous clap reverberated through every mind, from the humblest spirit in the spirit realm to the mightiest divine beings in the eternal kingdom!

Not even Nimo's birth caused such an overbearing reaction from the universe!

It was like the universe was announcing his return with a resounding acknowledgment.

Wendigo and Saurous, who had been standing nearby, couldn't help but react with astonishment...Their eyes widened in shared surprise, and they exchanged a quick, unbelieving glance.

Noah, Olivia, Bodidi, Candace, Empress Emily, Empress Scarlet, Werewolves King Treznor, and many of SGAlliance's leaders dropped whatever they were doing and looked into the sky in the same direction like their souls recognized the source of the thunderous clap.

Lady Yggdrasil, Erebus, Elder Aspidochelone, Siren, Kumiho, Jorōgumo, Cyclope, and the rest of the primogenitors all seemed to share a similar reaction to the darkins, astounded, stunned, and most importantly, intrigued.

The rest of the citizens and people were simply terrified out of their wits and went straight to the UVR's network to discuss this déjà vu phenomenon.

Across the entire universe, only two people seemed to have a different reaction to the universal clap.

Selphie and Lucifer.

Both of them felt their hearts tingle like their souls were touched on a deep personal level. In this universe, they knew, no they were certain that only one person could make them feel this type of way.

Selphie sat in the room, her heart heavy with emotions that had never truly dissipated.

As she linked the cosmic event to Felix's return, her eyes began to well up with tears, and her voice quivered with a mixture of sadness and lingering sorrow.

"Felix..." she whispered softly, as she hugged her knees, rolling up into a small fragile ball.

The pain of losing him had never truly gone away; instead, it lay dormant, ready to resurface at any reminder of his absence.

High Elves lived for a very, very long time and the fact that their love could be directed at one person alone throughout their entire life was a blessing and a curse.

In the case of Selphie, it was far worse than just a curse.

One century had gone by and her love and desire for him had only grown stronger and stronger...

On the other side of the universe, Lucifer couldn't contain his elation.

"Hahaha! I knew it! I knew that his life wouldn't end like that!"

His laughter erupted like a thunderstorm, reverberating through the very fabric of existence.

It was a laugh that echoed with a hint of madness and unbridled ambition.

"Felix!" he exclaimed, his voice tinged with both triumph and manic glee.

His eyes gleamed with an unholy light as he stared at faraway stars, and his expression twisted into a wicked grin.

"The path to godhood," he declared, his laughter still resounding in the air, "has been rebuilt, and I shall ascend once more!"

His fixation with attaining divine power and universal domination was unquestionably fervent, and the return of Felix had revived the fires of his ambition.

He wasn't even sure if this was related to Felix or not, but the copium of his destined rise was strong in him and he could never accept its failure.

Unbeknownst to him, Felix was also seeking an rise and he was his first ingredient.

Just like a crab jumping into a pool of boiling oil on its own, Lucifer took off into the sky, restarting his search for Felix...

Chapter 1523 When The Sword Comes Forward, The Pen Falls Down.

Back in the lab...

Felix was the only one who didn't hear the thunderous clap. He stood up from the table and sat on its edge with a disoriented look, having a peculiar undescrivable feeling he never experienced before.

"Is this what it feels like to return for death?" He muttered in a daze and lifted his head to look around him.

The moment his eyes landed on Lady Sphinx, he couldn't take them off from her anymore.

"Master..."

Felix rarely got emotional, but the sight of his master after losing his life made him unable to remain seated anymore.

Before Lady Sphinx could speak, she found herself enveloped in a deep, heartfelt hug. She gasped softly at first, her surprise giving way to warmth as his arms encircled her.

Her guard dropped completely, and a gentle, genuine smile graced her lips. She leaned into the hug, her fingers softly caressing his hair.

"Welcome back." She murmured.

Although Lady Sphinx was strict, stern, and always hard on Felix...She really cared about him just like a son and whether she could admit it out loud or not, she missed him dearly in the past century.

"Sphinx, what's the meaning of this?"

Unfortunately, their heartfelt hug was interrupted by Lord Quetzalcoatl after his wisp merged with him and he witnessed what happened to him on the other side.

His friendly tone was nowhere to be seen.

"What are you on about?" Lady Sphinx frowned.

"Don't act dumb with me now, we are both above it." Lord Quetzalcoatl remarked with a disgruntled expression, "What's your boy's relation to Lord Hades? And did you guys ask for my help while knowing that Lord Hades will be on me? I came to do you a favor and you set me up like this?"

It was within his right to be mad as no one would accept such a scenario.

"I..."

"Master, let me handle it."

Felix interrupted Lady Sphinx, not wanting to put her in a position to be scolded for something related to him.

Lady Sphinx smiled and remained silent, letting him take care of it.

"Kid, I wasn't addressing you." Lord Quetzalcoatl eyed Felix coldly.

Lord Quetzalcoatl might be playful, friendly, and upbeat, but it didn't mean that he would let anyone ride on his back and disrespect him like this.

"This is my matter and you will talk to me." Felix replied collectedly.

"Is that so?"

Lord Quetzalcoatl applied his formidable spiritual pressure on Felix, expecting him to yield, and to bow to his authority as an Elemental Lord.

But Felix, resolute and unfazed, refused to back down. Instead, he summoned his own spiritual pressure, matching Quetzalcoatl's with unwavering resolve.

"Kid, just because you can handle primogi..."

Before Lord Quetzalcoatl could finish his sentence, he started to sense Felix's spiritual pressure growing in intensity and force with each passing moment!

"Huh?"

Just as he was processing this inconceivable situation, Felix's spiritual pressure surged forth like a tidal wave, overwhelming Quetzalcoatl's own!

The ancient deity's resistance crumbled under the sheer power of Felix's spirit, and his spiritual pressure was forcibly taken down!

"..."

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The shock that coursed through the primogenitors was palpable at such an unbelievable sight...Even the elemental lords in Lady Sphinx's mind were left utterly stunned.

All of them heard from Elder Kraken that Felix's spiritual pressure was told to be more advanced than primogenitors after his new empowerment, but hearing about it was one thing, and witnessing it in action was another.

It was a moment that defied their understanding of the natural order, a moment where an indomitable human spirit had bested a deity's might!

'I can't believe this...Felix has really leveled up his social status above primogenitors. No wonder the universe made such a sound, it was the birth of the first human above all mortals and deities.' Thor muttered in a daze.

'This is unreal...' Carbuncle responded, just as taken back as him. 'He can now singlehandedly own the entire universe if he desires as long as the unigins do not interfere.'

'It can be said, that he has really reached the pinnacle.' Lord Shiva snickered, 'Who would have pondered he would pull it off.'

Everyone in Lady Sphinx's mind was working their best to help Felix reach this stage or at least get close to it.

Now, that he had achieved it somewhat overnight, it left them unable to accept it right away.

It might be just spiritual pressure and one's strength depended on many other qualities, but all of them understood that without a spiritual pressure to back them up, they were utterly meaningless.

It was like a mortal standing against a primogenitor. It didn't matter if he spent millions of years mastering his elemental manipulation, one glance from a primogenitor was enough to put him in his place!

Abruptly, the deafening silence was broken by Felix as he articulated with his head bowed in the direction of Lord Quetzalcoatl.

"Elder, I deeply apologize for making you get punished by Lord Hades. It was never our intention to cause you trouble. If you lent us an ear, we can explain the situation and then you can be the judge whether Lord Hades' punishment was a good thing or not."

"Huh? Yes, of course."

Lord Quetzalcoatl woke up from his daze and answered absentmindedly, seemingly still trying his best to process what had just happened.

As they said when the sword comes forward, the pen falls down.

Now, that Felix had displayed that he wasn't to be f*cked with, he had gained Lord Quetzalcoatl's attention forcefully even with the age disparity between them.

It was like Lord Quetzalcoatl had no other choice but to respect having a conversation with Felix since he was considered now as the weaker side!

Soon, Felix began narrating a bit of what happened during the eternal kingdom's invasion and how Lord Hades was on his toes with any foreign entry.

He obviously didn't give him the details and just enough to believe him.

He went this far since Lord Quetzalcoatl had indeed been good to them and it wouldn't be in their best interest to get on his bad side or create a lasting grudge.

After he was done with the narration, Lord Quetzalcoatl turned to Lady Sphinx and she backed him up with a single head nod, making him understand that the situation was far more complex than he anticipated.

"They actually dared to invade the spirit realm and almost won...F*ck, how did I miss such an event!"

Lord Quetzalcoatl held his head in frustration at the thought of not being there to witness such a glorious war.

"We know you have a big mouth, but you must keep this to yourself." Lady Sphinx warned, "Lord Hades wouldn't take it nicely if he knew that the invasion's news is spreading out."

"You don't have to tell me twice." Lord Quetzalcoatl agreed with a faint shiver coursing down his spine after recalling what Lord Hades did to him.

He felt his wrath through and through, making him understand that he was done fooling around and being polite.

He also realized that if it wasn't for Felix's mission, he might have entered the spirit realm at a different time and got caught by him.

Then, he might not even receive a couple of slaps and a warning, but utter erasure right there and then.

Unigins couldn't give a sh*t about the primogenitors' lives as they see them just like any other mortal.

"So, we good?" Felix asked with a faint smile.

Lord Quetzalcoatl stared deeply into Felix's eyes, knowing that there were so many juicy secrets he was hiding.

Like the fact that his relationship with Lord Hades was so good he allowed him to get revived with his memories intact.

Or his spiritual pressure reaching a drastic level even primogenitors had no clue how to achieve.

Still, he nodded. "We good."

Just like Felix didn't want to create a grudge against Lord Quetzalcoatl, he also realized that it was best to be on his side...Especially now more than ever.

"Thank you for everything elder, I am indebtly grateful for your revival and if you require anything from me, please do not hesitate to ask." Felix bowed in appreciation again.

"Haha, I will take you by your word."

Lord Quetzalcoatl chuckled in approval and left them alone, not wanting to overstay his welcome.

He didn't even bother to ask Felix about his spiritual pressure and other details, knowing that if he hadn't mentioned them, then he wasn't interested in sharing their information.

"You see why strength is the most important thing?" Fenrir stepped forward and articulated expressionlessly, "If your spiritual pressure didn't put him in his place, the conversation would have taken a much different turn."

"It's good, but it's not enough," Felix replied calmly, not feeling an ounce of pleasure or happiness at flexing his shoulders on Lord Quetzalcoatl.

He knew what awaited him at the eternal kingdom and this wasn't even enough to get him an entry past its gate.

"Everything will come at its rightful time. I always tell you don't rush your improvement." Lady Sphinx patted him on the head and articulated with an irritated tone, "Now, take those annoying bastards back in your mind. I have had enough of them."

Before Felix could reply, Lady Sphinx had already linked his soul with hers and forcefully kicked everyone into his consciousness space, uncaring about their disgruntled curses.

'Not cool Sphinxxy!'

'My joint is ruined...'

'What a tyrant!'

'Your consciousness sucks anyways!'

'Ahh...Home sweet home.'

A content and peaceful smile slowly spread across Felix's face as he heard the familiar voices of his masters and tenants returning, their presence occupying his consciousness space once more.

These were the voices that had guided him, mentored him, and provided him with the strength and wisdom to overcome countless challenges.

As much as it was annoying to hear them speak in his mind before, it was a million times worse to be left alone with his own thoughts...Just one year in the heavenly plane made him appreciate their company more than anything.

'Welcome back, masters...'

Chapter 1524 A Peaceful Departure.

'Welcome back? You are the one returning from death.' Thor chuckled, 'Get down here and give this elderly man a hug.'

'Right away.'

Felix closed his eyes and immediately manifested in his consciousness space right on the surface, unlike the first time when he was thrown from the sky.

When he opened his eyes, he was left speechless at the sight before him.

It was as if a neighborhood had sprung into existence within the confines of his own mind. The space was bustling with activity as his masters and tenants were busy building their individual massive mansions or tiny cozy houses.

One after another, these spectral abodes took shape, each reflecting the personality and preferences of its occupant.

There was a cozy cottage with a tranquil garden, a grand mansion adorned with regal furnishings, and a quaint cabin nestled beneath the shade of towering trees. Each house was distinct, a reflection of the souls that now resided within them.

In the center of this metaphysical neighborhood, a communal area had been established. Here, a chess table stood ready for intellectual duels, a poker table beckoned for games of chance, a pool table invited friendly competition, a royal board awaited strategists to engage in complex battles of wits, and a mini bar with alcohol and all sorts of substances for the two abusers...Thor and Carbuncle.

At the very heart of it, a circular empty table was situated with many chairs, each having a name and a logo engraved on its back.

As Felix observed this bustling community of minds, he couldn't help but feel a profound sense of nostalgia and happiness like he was truly back at home.

"Master!"

Without an ounce of hesitation, Felix appeared next to Thor and gave him his requested hug.

"Haha! Even death can't keep you down, I sure have taught you well."

"Now, now, what do you mean by teaching him that?" J?rmungandr interjected as he reached out and patted Felix's shoulder. "He had yet to settle and you are already trying to steal credits."

"It's not stealing credits if it's a fact." Thor scoffed.

"Sure, sure, whatever you say to boost your little ego."

'Ah, how I have missed this...'

As his masters' bickering kept getting heated over who was the best master, Felix enjoyed it akin to a classical symphony.

It was like a transfer student returning home after a whole year, just to find out absolute chaos in the family between parents and siblings.

The feeling of home intensifies instead of feeling annoyed like always.

"Enough, you are about to bleed his ears." Carbuncle intervened and pulled Felix from amidst them.

"Elder, how are y..."

Before Felix could his question, Carbuncle placed a joint on his mouth and said, "Smoke one with me."

"Alright." Felix obliged.

As they shared the joint together, passing it from one to another, Carbuncle didn't say much but everything he had in his heart seemed to be conveyed through the joint.

The others didn't ruin their moment as they knew that Carbuncle had been waiting patiently for Felix's arrival.

Felix merely smiled faintly and kept taking puff after another until the joint finished.

Carbuncle flicked the joint away and said to Felix with the most sincere smile. "Meeting you has been one of the greatest moments in my life and I am forever and eternally grateful for what you have done for me...Truly, thank you from the bottom of my heart."

Before Felix could even reply, he was stunned to witness Carbuncle's body slowly turning into a fine, ethereal ash, just like the dissipating smoke of their last puff.

His form seemed to merge with the very air around him, becoming one with the currents of consciousness that flowed through Felix's mind.

It was a peaceful and graceful departure, a choice made by himself as he found the serenity and closure he had long sought...

In the end, Felix relaxed his expressions and watched with a sense of acceptance and gratitude, knowing that Carbuncle had finally found his peace and could let go at last.

"He has lingered for long enough just to express his gratitude towards you." Lady Sphinx remarked peacefully, "Now, whether his wisp merges with his main consciousness in the spirit realm or not, it can be said that he fulfilled everything he wanted in life."

"I know..."

Felix understood that Carbuncle could never remain with them while he knew that his wife was with his main consciousness.

That's because even though both of them were the same person, they were not linked together at all.

This meant, his main consciousness was feeling all the love and living his dream at last while he was still in the agony of loneliness.

If only it was possible to share their memories and experiences, it wouldn't have mattered much to him to stay here.

Alas...

"Don't be feeling sad for him now." J?rmungandr shook his head, "He is more blessed than all of us."

"It's true." Thor agreed with a tint of envy, "He has achieved the true zenith of peace."

While Lord Shiva, Thor, J?rmungandr, and many other primogenitors were still struggling with their identity and refusing to accept their humiliating purpose in life, Carbuncle couldn't care less about any of it.

He just wanted to live with his wife in peace, nothing more, nothing less.

"I sure will miss him." Felix sighed.

Carbuncle was the first primogenitor to leave Felix's consciousness space after his debt was paid.

Felix had a feeling that others would also leave after they reached their goals in life, which didn't make him feel excellent in the slightest.

He had already lost Asna and her missing presence in his mind was vivid in the first minutes. He really didn't want to lose the others too...At least not his masters.

"Rascal, you should remove those thoughts from your mind as none of us are leaving before we see you bring down the eternal kingdom under your feet." Thor disclosed with a faint smirk.

The others nodded in agreement with mixed expressions. It was clear that the moment they found out that they were born by the three rulers for the sake of entertainment, their hatred towards them had reached its peak.

Now, even if Felix killed Suarous and Wendigo or helped Lady Sphinx collect all the monoliths, none of them had any plans of ditching him.

There was no need to mention the three lords.

"You are in it for a show then as I have no plans of leaving the eternal kingdom in peace," Felix said coldly.

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Half an hour later...

Felix was seen sitting on a bed in one of Lady Sphinx's many rooms inside her supermassive pyramid-like research facility.

He had one AP bracelet on his wrist and the others belonging to the dead tenants were turned into small accessories.

He had just exited from his consciousness space after a lengthy conversation about his future with his masters.

Everyone knew that Lucifer was their new target followed by Nimo's alter ego, but Felix decided to log in to the UVR and check on the SGAlliance, his friends, his race, Nimo, and many other matters.

'A century has gone by, that's ten great resets.' Felix smiled wryly, 'With how rapid the development of the alliance, I am sure many things were changed.'

'First, let's reconnect with the Queen.'

Without further ado, Felix brought the bracelet in front of his eyes and called for Queen Ai.

The moment he did so, the bracelet's screen turned on and Felix found himself inside a tiny empty white room.

"Welcome Sir Felix...Welcome back, Sir Felix..."

Queen Ai corrected herself mid-sentence after Felix's consciousness matched with his previous consciousness before his death.

"It sure nice to hear your monotonous voice again, my Queen." Felix chuckled, but Queen Ai paid him no heads.

"Sir Felix, do you want to redecorate your private room to its previous condition?" Queen Ai asked.

"Not now." Felix inquired, "Tell me first about all my voided contracts after my departure and give me a summary of all the major changes occurring in the alliance in the past century."

"As you wish."

Chapter 1525 The New Grand Supreme Leader!

Queen Ai went ahead and mentioned all the voided contracts, which included his subordinates/slaves' contracts, his supremacy games platform contract, his Mariana Federation contract as their leader, and many other individual but nonimportant contracts.

Since Felix made sure that all signed contracts didn't have a death penalty after voiding them, Queen Ai didn't do anything to him after his return.

Honestly, she wouldn't do anything even if he broke such contracts since Lord Loki was her true owner and he had Felix protected.

In fact, before Felix even connected to the UVR, he requested that Queen Ai didn't announce his return to anyone.

At this moment, he had no interest in exposing his return to Lucifer or his enemies...He wanted to have the first jump on them even if he could take them on quite easily.

"What about major events?" Felix moved on, not too bothered by the lost contracts.

"Noah Maxwell has risen to become the new Grand Supreme Leader after dethroning Hive Guardian N0. His ascension marked a shift in the balance of power, giving the human race two votes in the Ten Rulers Council."

"He actually pulled it off and became the number one in less than a century?" Felix was pleasantly surprised.

He was already informed that Noah was giving it his best to challenge the top ten supremes in order to become the new Grand Supreme after his departure.

He believed that he had in it him if he truly worked his ass off, but he also understood that High Chieftain Lokaka's wife and Hive Guardian N0 weren't weaklings...Even the two dragon heads, Bymid and Kyrsum weren't to be messed with.

"Show me a replay of his battles." Felix requested with an intrigued tone.

Queen Ai transformed the private room into a vast desolate desert-

like battlefield with Noah on one side and Red Clad Head Bymid on the other.

Noah's presence, with his pale face, white hair, and piercing blue eyes, stood in stark contrast to the crimson fury of the massive dragon.

Whoooahh!!!

The crowd in the sky cheered at the top of their lungs, causing the sand dunes on the battlefield to move akin to tidal waves.

"It sure been a while." Felix smiled faintly in enjoyment at this heated atmosphere.

Even though he fought in the heavenly plane's tournament, the feeling was nowhere close to the one in the games.

"Snow Prince!" Bymidroared, flames erupting from his maw as he soared into the sky.

'Snow prince? Pfffff! I am sure Noah is dying inside to be called that.' Felix laughed in amusement.

As he expected, Noah's expression turned for the worse the moment he heard his nickname being called.

His supremacy games' name was actually Noah Maxwell...Literally his ID name with nothing too fancy.

Alas, that was the worst mistake he had ever made.

"He really is innocent if he thought the fans would call him by his name instead of giving him a new cool nickname." Felix chuckled.

If it was up to him, he would have also used his first and last name in the games, but he understood that it was best to give himself a decent respectable nickname than allow the fans to do it for him.

Whoosh!!!

Meanwhile, Bymid summoned a blazing orb of condensed fire, launching it with ferocious intent toward Noah!

He wanted to end him right there with a nuke.

The fiery projectile hurtled through the air, a deadly force of destruction...But Noah, the master of ice and cold, remained unfazed.

"Absolute Zero, Projectile."

With a flick of his wrist, Noah summoned a small sphere of icy mist and hurled it at the flaming orb.

The moment the orb went through the sphere of mist, ice crystals formed, encapsulating the orb, and it hung suspended in time!

"Smart." Felix praised with an astounded look.

He understood that what Noah did was no easy task at all. He managed to create a way to manipulate his ultimate ability in a manner that could limit his energy consumption and also give him more leeway in its management!

Normally, he could have only activated and deactivated the supreme ability since he had no clue how it worked.

But, instead of just activating it and freezing time in a large area around him, he targeted a small area of space and activated his absolute zero on it, which allowed him to create that icy small sphere!

With his ice manipulation, he could easily either enhance its size, decrease it, throw it, or keep it on him.

It was truly an ingenious way to walk past the imposed limitation of the ability.

Bymid, undeterred, unleashed more flaming orbs one after another. Each time, Noah repeated his elegant dance, enveloping the fiery missiles in his icy embrace.

"Tsk, this again. Is this the only ability you have?"

Bymid's frustration grew with every attempt, as he watched his attacks turned into frozen relics.

Realizing that his orbs would never reach Noah's danger zone, Bymid released another flaming orb and this time, he blew it up manually before it could get captured by the misty sphere!

BOOOOOOOOOOM!

"Absolute Zero, Barrier." Expressionless, Noah put himself in the same icy sphere and everyone watched how the nuke's explosions halted the moment it touched the barrier.

The rest of the explosion continued expanding and erasing the desert, but it did absolutely nothing to Noah.

After the dust settled, Noah was seen flying through the mushroom cloud with two pairs of snow-white wings, rushing in the direction of Bymid!

Bymid's pride as a clan head dragon forced him to not turn his back and run away with his tail between his legs.

"Bring it on!"

Determined to face Noah up close and personal. He charged at him with incredible speed, his fiery breath billowing forth.

"Pride is really the greatest weakness of the dragons."

Felix shook his head in disappointment after realizing that dragons' pride as the superior race was still running strong in their blood after everything that happened to them.

Now, Bymid fell victim to it again as the moment he tried to turn Noah into ashes, time itself seemed to freeze as his colossal form became encased in the icy grip of Noah's power.

Unable to move, Bymid let out a roar that was now muffled by the glacial time prison that held him...His flickering flames and his once-

fiery demeanor were extinguished.

Felix didn't need to watch the rest of the fight to know how it would end.

He canceled the battle and requested Queen Ai to show him Noah's battle with Guardian N0, believing that it should be one of the hardest battles for Noah.

Even Felix at that time wasn't too keen on duking it out with Guardian N0, understanding that his mental prowess was on another level.

However, the battle went in the opposite direction of what he expected!

Noah defeated Guardian N0 by creating a small barrier of absolute zero around his head, making it impossible for anything to avoid its time-freezing powers!

Not even mental attacks were able to penetrate through it and without them, Guardian N0 was just like any other opponent!

"Damn...Absolute Zero is really something else." Felix was left speechless.

"What did you expect?" Thor remarked, "The ability to freeze time at will always triumph if there is nothing to counter it."

Felix knew that he was right as his lesser time spells were extremely powerful and made most of his recent fights easier.

"Plus, Fenrir has helped the boy bridge closer to the 900K BF mark through many extraordinary means." He added.

"I can tell, he has gotten way stronger than before." Felix nodded in agreement.

"Unfortunately, this seems to be his peak limitation." Fenrir shook his head, "It has gotten close to impossible to enhance his strength by even one hundred BF."

"I see." Felix sighed in frustration.

He understood that the last hundred thousand BF was the true chasm between a mortal and a deity.

Even Elder Dragon struggled to push past it and he had the means to enhance his strength through eating dragons' royal gemstones.

Meanwhile, Noah's werewolf system could take him only to nine hundred thousand BF and the rest was up to him.

Unfortunately, the last hundred thousand BF was harder to pull through than the entire hundred thousand BF combined.

If Fenrir uttered that Noah had reached his limitations, he truly meant it from the depth of his soul.

"Whether he finds a way to become a deity in the future or not, Noah has already achieved what many others could only dream of." Felix soon smiled with a look of pride directed at Noah, "He has become the number one strongest fighter in the SGAlliance."

Even though he pulled it off only because Felix wasn't there and had eliminated the true monsters of the alliance, it was still a mindblowing achievement when considering that he was using a single primogenitor bloodline!

"I guess the mankind race and the alliance are in good hands." Felix stretched with a look of utter relief, "I can now leave my duties to him and focus completely on the eternal kingdom."

Chapter 1526 I am Back.

If it were before, Felix wouldn't have minded being the grand supreme leader since it meant more control for his race and possessing the highest authority level in the alliance.

But now? The responsibilities of the post weren't a good tradeoff when considering his urgent need to get stronger and enter the eternal kingdom.

So, Noah indeed did him a massive favor, and all of his help to push his potential hadn't gone in vain.

"They even helped the human race become a member of the ten rulers...However, it came at the expense of the void nation getting kicked out." Felix reacted after hearing about the rest of the news.

When he checked how they pulled it off, he was pleasantly surprised to see that Noah and Olivia had led the team to the top of the ladder in the racial games platform.

This wasn't all, with their overwhelming strength and authority, they had united the entire Milky Way galaxy under the Mariana Federation and even altered its name to The Galactical Maxwell Federation!

"Hahah, my cute cousins are really popping off."

The more Felix read, the more gleeful he got. All the investments he had put in them were paid off in the best possible manner.

Felix always helped them simply because they were the closest family he had after his grandfather and would have done it without expecting any returns.

But, those two hadn't disappointed him and made him comprehend that he was no longer the sole person responsible for the rise and fall of the human race.

They showed him that even if he was gone for decades or centuries, the human race would continue thriving under their leadership.

This was everything Felix wanted...Someone to take the load off his back while he focused on much bigger matters.

After a couple more minutes of being updated, Felix finally closed the holograms and revamped his entire private room for training.

The rest of the news wasn't that important since the SGAlliance returned to its serene state after the demon race was conquered and the other side got integrated into their forces.

Besides a few demons popping here and there, and some changes to the game platforms, nothing much of importance occurred.

"I wonder how they will react after they receive this." Felix chuckled after sending an email and invitation link to his friends and subordinates.

Then, he started some easy training, wanting to get used to his body again.

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Inside the Wormhole Express company's headquarters, Bodidi was seen staring at an email notification on his holographic display, his heart pounding with a mix of disbelief and shock.

He quickly tapped the message and read it over and over, his antennas leaning close to the hologram as he tried to comprehend the words.

"He's back?" he muttered to himself.

If it wasn't for the invitation link in front of him with Felix's unique ID imprinted on it, he would have thought someone was playing a nasty prank on him.

"If there is one person I am certain can cheat death, it has to be him. Haha!" Soon, Bodidi burst into excited laughter and pressed on the invitation link immediately.

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At the same time, in the great Maxwell federation's council, Noah was seen sitting on the tallest chair with many holograms in front of him, showcasing hundreds of data related to mysterious lost civilizations, unique extinct natural treasures, and more.

He worked his ass off to reach the peak of the alliance for the sake of being the first to obtain any piece of information about new findings related to civilizations, treasures, pocket dimensions, and such.

Obviously, he was looking into them for the sake of finding new ways to increase his strength and push through the last one hundred thousand BF.

Unfortunately, nothing much was found of value and even if new peculiar treasures were found and he obtained them, his strength remained stagnated.

"Nothing...Sigh, is it really over for me?" Noah rubbed his tiresome eyes for a moment.

When he opened them again, a picture of his little sister came before him, forcing him to get rid of those thoughts instantly.

"I can't stop, I won't stop." Noah's visage turned cold and expressionless again, continuing his research.

Vrr Vrr...

Suddenly, his AP bracelet vibrated, catching him off guard as he had put it on silence mode, making it impossible for anyone besides the nine rulers to reach out to him.

When he glanced at the screen and saw an email sent by Felix, his expression, usually so composed, broke into a rare shock.

"It can't be." He muttered as rapidly pressed on the email and read its details, leaving him with various thoughts roaming in his mind.

But as the grand supreme leader, he swiftly took control of his raging emotions and accepted the invitation link, wanting to check with his own eyes the validity of the news.

It was clear that Fenrir hadn't told him anything about Felix's adventure in the spirit realm.

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Meanwhile, Olivia's heart skipped a beat when she saw Felix's email in her inbox. Her emerald eyes welled up with tears as she read the words, her emotions a whirlwind of joy and disbelief.

"Felix...Have you really come back?"

She hugged her holographic display to her chest, remembering their childhood escapades together.

Without an ounce of hesitation, she clicked on the invitation link and got teleported.

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While everyone's reaction was leveled, Selphie almost suffered from a heart attack, her fingertips trembling on her holographic keyboard.

She couldn't believe her eyes, thinking that she had started to hallucinate at last.

When she recalled the cosmic thunderclap and her soul's tingling in familiarity after hearing it, her heartbeats started accelerating rapidly.

"Interesting, the kid has been revived?" Lady Yggdrasil remarked with an intrigued tone as she watched the situation from Selphie's mind.

However, when she saw her daughter's reaction, she started to feel that Felix's return might not be the best thing in the world.

'Sigh, here we go again.' Lady Yggdrasil smiled wryly at the sight of her daughter swiftly accepting the invitation link without uttering a single word.

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Whoosh! Whoosh! Whoosh!...

Noah, Olivia, Bodidi, Selphie, Elder Cyclope, Malak, Queen Allura, and many of Felix's trusted people showed up simultaneously in his private room. However, Candace and all of the void nation's upper echelons were missing.

"Felix?"

"Boss!"

"It's really him!"

"Master!"

"Hoho, have you actually returned from the clutches of death? I was worried for a second that my great masterpiece would not have a master."

When Felix heard their familiar voices, he smiled and halted his training...He turned to face them and uttered with a playful tone, "Did you miss me? I..."

Before he could the rest of his sentence, he found himself jumped at by both Olivia and Selphie, embracing him as tightly as their arms could hold him while sobbing out loud.

"There, there...I am here now, everything will be okay..." Felix softened his tone as he caressed their heads, feeling the pain behind their wails.

His voice seemed to make things even worse as their cries only got louder...Felix raised his hands in defeat as he looked at the others, only to find out Queen Allura, Malak, and even Bodidi had teary eyes.

This made Felix feel appreciative and delighted as nothing beats knowing that there were many people who cherished you with all of their hearts.

"I am back." Felix uttered, his voice as serene as the breeze blowing behind his back.
Chapter 1527 Too Much Love To Handle.

After a couple of minutes, Felix was finally released from Selphie and Olivia's embrace, letting them get out everything in their chest.

Even though they stopped embracing him, they didn't leave his side at all.

Felix wasn't too bothered by it, understanding that anyone would have reacted the same if their loved one came back from the afterlife after an entire century.

It was a dream come true for many and none of them expected it to happen.

After everyone sat down, Elder Cyclope was the first to ask what was in everyone's minds.

"Boy, did you really die and visit the spirit realm?"

While everyone was pretty certain about it, they were still incapable of understanding how it was even possible to go there and return...Especially not after an entire century.

"Yes, and it was quite the experience, to be honest." Felix chuckled.

"Whoaah..." Bodidi exclaimed in wonder, "Can we know how it went?"

"To be honest, I can't share with you much of the details." Felix shook his head.

While Lord Hades didn't tell him to keep his mouth shut about matters related to the spirit realm and heavenly plane, Felix understood he shouldn't do it...Especially, when he told him that he would be watching over him.

"I expected as much." Elder Cyclope nodded.

"You really can't tell us anything?" Olivia asked, her eyes still puffy and red.

"All I can tell you is that your loved ones aren't suffering in the slightest," Felix said as he eyed Noah, knowing that he must be burning to ask him about his sister.

"..."

Noah felt a bit of relief at the sound of that...His sister's fate had always been torturing him as he had no clue what was happening to her there.

'My apologies Noah, but it wasn't possible to have your sister revived with me.' Felix said telepathically.

'You have nothing to be sorry about. Your return is already a blessing.' Noah shook his head, not accepting his apology, 'Plus, if there is someone going to revive her, it will be me.'

'That's the spirit.' Felix smiled, realizing that Noah had grown a lot in his absence.

"Can we know at least how did you come back?" Queen Allura raised an eyebrow, "I can't think of it being easy, otherwise, everyone will be doing it."

"Well, returning isn't the hardest part." Felix smiled wryly, "It's doing it while still maintaining your memories."

Felix went on and explained to them that spirits lose their memories the moment they die, leaving them akin to mindless ghosts.

While this raised plenty of questions in their heads, like how Felix was able to revive when this happened to him, Felix kept his mouth shut throughout the entire conversation.

In the end, everyone dropped the matter against their burning curiosity and Felix changed the subject to the alliance, showing his appreciation to Noah and Olivia.

"You guys have really made me proud," Felix said as he patted Olivia and eyed Noah.

"Hehe, of course, we would have never allowed everything that you have built to end in ruins." Olivia giggled in enjoyment, "We had to maintain your legacy regardless of what."

"I did what I had to." Noah bowed his head a little in Felix's direction and uttered, "I have kept your seat warm for you. You may reclaim it anytime you want."

Noah didn't feel even a little bit saddened or angered that all of his efforts to become the new supreme leader would be in vain.

In his eyes, no one was more deserving of this title than Felix and he would gladly hand it over without an ounce of hesitation.

Luckily for him, Felix had no interest in it any longer.

"Nah, you keep it, I have other matters to handle." Felix informed, "I have no plans to announce my revival to the public, so I wish that this stays between us."

"Are you sure?" Noah asked.

"Yes."

"Well, your secret is fine with me, though I am anticipating your public return." Elder Cyclope chuckled as he stood up, "Round two against the darkins will sure be fun."

Then, he left the gathering, not too interested in staying with the youngsters.

After he took off, Felix and the others stayed together for an hour or less before Felix started sending them off until only Olivia, Malak, and Selphie remained.

Even Noah and Bodidi left as both of them had plenty of responsibilities to deal with.

Bodidi was promoted to a high position in the Wormhole Express company after his contract with Felix was terminated.

Now that he returned, one could only wonder if Bodidi would be Felix's exclusive deliveryworm or remain in his post.

"By the way, where is sister Asna? Didn't you call for her too?" Olivia suddenly asked with a inquisitive tone.

Selphie flinched after hearing Asna's name, but she remained silent.

"Asna...Asna won't be around for a while." Felix replied with a forced smile.

"Ah, I see." Olivia didn't know what happened between Felix and her, but she could see that he wasn't comfortable with the subject, so she dropped it.

'Did they break up?'

Meanwhile, Selphie's eyes brightened up in delight, knowing that it should have been impossible for Asna not to attend such an important moment.

In her eyes, either Felix met with her before them or something happened between them and their relationship wasn't on the right path.

If only she knew what truly happened, one could only wonder if she would still feel joyful at the opportunity or if her kind soul would get in the way.

Whatever it was, she also didn't press on the subject.

"Have you created any other time ability in my absence?" Felix asked Selphie with a curious tone.

Selphie nodded excitedly like a child who wanted to brag to their parents, "I threw myself into my runic studies after you left and I managed to forge one lesser and one greater time spell."

"Two and a greater spell at that?" Felix was startled.

Mastering a pre-existing time spell was already a challenging task, but to forge a greater grade spell and even master it in less than a century?

He always knew that Selphie was a unique breed when it came to a runic understanding, but she still never failed to impress him!

"I can teach them to you anytime." Selphie offered happily.

She used a century for those two abilities and she had absolutely no problem with helping Felix master them in a couple of years.

For his presence, she would literally do anything and Felix began to pick up on her increased attachment to him.

'I have a feeling this isn't going to end well...' Felix smiled wryly, but he could do nothing about this.

If even his death and one century of absence weren't enough to kill her emotions about him, nothing he uttered or did was going to do anything. In fact, it might make things even worse.

'Elves' attachment sure is scary...' Lord Loki suggested causally while chewing bubblegum, 'If you are too annoyed, you can use your illusion domain to erase her intimate emotions towards you.'

He was team Asna from the start and while he was a bit of a playboy, he didn't want Felix to betray Asna's trust after everything she did to him.

Staring into Selphie's gem-like bewitching loving eyes, Felix soon sighed in frustration within his mind.

'I don't know, if I am going to do this, she has to be on board with it. I don't want to hurt her like this right after I returned from death. It's just too brutal...'

Chapter 1528 Spreading A Rumor!

Felix had nothing against Selphie as she was soft, gentle, very nice, and competent. She always treated him right and showed him the respect he deserved from day one, which was everything one could ask for.

She was literally a dream girl for every man in the universe.

Unfortunately, while he wanted their relationship to stay in friendship, she made it obvious that she desired more even when he had already rejected her directly.

'She is the only one hurting from this.' Felix smiled wryly.

In the end, Felix had put Lord Loki's suggestion at the back of his mind, not wanting to start a new problem out of nothing when he had many important matters to handle.

After spending more than a couple of days with his friends, catching up on everything and just enjoying their time together through parties, hangouts, and such, Felix finally sent them back home and had the rest of the week to himself.

Even when was hanging out with them, he didn't get into relaxation mode at all due to Asna's crisis and Nimo's peculiar situation.

His friends had noticed his attitude and questioned him many times about it, but Felix shrugged it off until they gave up on asking him.

"Is there really no way of reaching out to Candace or Nimo?" Felix frowned.

He was sitting on the central table with the majority of the tenants.

"I have tried, but there is no presence of them." Lady Sphinx replied, "Ever since Candace's wisp disappeared from my consciousness space, we heard nothing from Nimo's side."

Felix was informed that two decades ago, Candace and the majority of the void nation citizens had gone missing.

The Ruiner, Meriam, Arthur, and the rest of the councilmen were also gone...They could neither be reached out through the Queen nor found in any territory across the alliance.

It was like they were snatched out of existence.

"I am afraid this has to be related to Nimo as no one has such an overbearing authority on the void creatures besides him and the Paragon."

Felix didn't like this notion in the slightest...He knew that Nimo still possessed the emotional control of a child and ever since he was declared dead, he had completely lost it.

Felix thought that after his return, he could get things corrected easily. But now? He had no clue what to think anymore.

He couldn't even reach out to Nimo and find out what he was doing.

"The void creatures' numbers have been reduced significantly and continuously over the past two decades." Thor narrowed his eyes, "Nimo is up to something and we have no clue if it's good or bad."

Realizing that only one person could help them at the moment, Felix requested out loud. "Lord Khoas, is it possible that you have his location?"

Felix knew that Lord Khaos had a significant interest in Nimo and there was no way he would let him roam free without tracking him.

His assumption was correct, still, the answer he received didn't solve his problem.

"I lost his track a long while ago." Lord Khaos's deep cosmic voice resounded across the consciousness space, "He used his laws to hinder my vision of him."

"He is getting smarter, I don't know if I should feel proud or worried." Felix smiled wryly.

"I think the best way to find him is through announcing your return." Thor suggested, "If we can't locate him, we should make him reach out to us."

Felix and the others agreed. But, Felix didn't want to alert the darkins and Lucifer, knowing that being in the dark gave him a tremendous advantage over them.

"It's best to focus on Lucifer first." Lady Sphinx shared, "As long as we secure the merge, we can then deal with other matters."

"You're right."

As much as Felix wanted to find Nimo, he understood that Lucifer must be his number one priority since if he lost him or such, nothing else would matter.

"Dealing with him is simple, just spread some rumors about you being spotted in some place and if he still desires his ascension, he will definitely come by to take a look." J? rmungandr suggested.

Rumors and Felix coming out publicly were two different things.

No one would believe such rumors since Felix was announced dead longer than a century by now. But for those desperate for him to be alive? They wouldn't hesitate to travel half the universe to check with their own eyes the rumors' legitimacy.

"That sounds like a plan." Felix agreed.

If it was up to him, he would have rather relied on Lord Hades' assistance in locating Lucifer as he made it obvious that he had everything under his vision.

But, Lord Hades hadn't responded to Felix's calls ever since his return, making him understand that this was a one-way connection between them.

He would talk to him only if he had achieved the missions he had given him and needed to move up.

"We at least know that he is on the other side, so we can start the gossip there." Elder Kraken said.

They were certain about this since Lord Khoas also had eyes across the universe and the only blind spot he had was on the other side where the paragon of sins slumbers.

Without further ado, Felix and his masters began putting details on their plan.

On the other side of the universe...

Lucifer could be seen pacing back and forth, his fiery eyes ablaze with determination and a hint of madness as he explained, "I can feel it, my friends. The cosmic clap we experienced was no ordinary event. It was related to him! He has returned."

Wendigo and Saurous glanced at each other for a instant before Wendigo waved his hand at his brother, seemingly telling him to handle this lunatic.

"Lucifer, you've always had a flair for the dramatic. But, this? This is taking it too far."

"Believe me god damn it!" Lucifer grew impatient and angrier, "Both of us share the same destiny! Do you think he will go and die just like that? Don't be foolish! Even if you don't trust my judgment, you should trust my mother's!"

"Why, did she tell you that he has returned?" Wendigo leaned closer with a serious expression.

"No, but do you think she will create me two times and suffer from the universe's punishment for absolutely nothing?" Lucifer's gaze did not waver as he continued to make his case.

While his statements did make some sense, it was not enough to move Saurous and Wendigo.

"That vermin has died. I am not too delighted by not being the one killing him personally, but he is dead." Wendigo disclosed sternly, "End of story."

"You heard him, now scram," Saurous said.

"You..."

Lucifer was livid at their nonchalant treatment, feeling like he was being taken as a lunatic for reaching out to them with such nonsense.

If it wasn't for the fact he needed their help to facilitate the search and battle, he would have never put himself in such a humiliating position.

Not wanting to lower his pride and beg them, Lucifer merely excused himself with a frigid look.

"What an absolute buffoon." Suarous chuckled in ridicule, "I feel it he said, feel what? Does he think he and that brat share the same soul or what?"

"Put it to rest." Wendigo yawned. "We just have to keep our distance from him, he seems to be losing it on a daily basis."

"Couldn't agree more."

A couple of days later, Wendigo and Saurous were forced to eat those words after finding out about a new hot piece of rumor and a short clip spreading in the other side's network.

The short clip showed a similar-looking person to Felix captured while he was walking across a busy market on planet Gorrana, which was still ruled by the Luminaris Race.

The footage was seized from a high angle and lasted for a mere two seconds before it ended.

The title of the footage was: The Previous Grand Supreme Leader is Alive?!!

This footage alone had more than fifty trillion clicks in less than a couple of minutes of it being posted!

Chapter 1529 Looking For Me?

"Is this sh*t real?"

Saurous' eyes widened to the limit while placing them a mere inch away from Felix's foggy face in the clip.

"Stop fooling around, it's clearly fake news to get some attraction." Wendigo didn't seem too interested in the clip. "Anyone can copy that brat's face and create viral news about him to increase their social media's visibility."

"I know that, but this, this boy's face albeit unclear, gives me the urge to punch it..." Saurous muttered, "Only that brat makes me feel this way."

Wendigo rolled his shadowy eyes and ignored him.

"Whatever, I know that lunatic will most definitely check this out even if there was a 0.001% chance of it being more than a rumor."

Saurous dropped the matter for now, knowing that Lucifer would check its legitimacy for them.

'It's him!'

As he anticipated, Lucifer didn't have an ounce of doubt in his mind about Felix's identity in the clip as the moment he looked into his eyes, he sensed the same familiar connection!

He wanted at the start to take this information to the darkins and seek their assistance in taking down Felix, not wanting to take any risks in his second chance.

But, he concluded up rejecting the notion after remembering their previous attitude.

'Evil Manifestation.'

Lucifer used a tiny hidden portion of evil energy, which was stored in Gorrana, and manifested his body through it.

He had placed his evil energy in many areas around the other side to ensure his freedom of movement.

To avoid trouble with the alliance and the primogenitors, he controlled the evil energy to not spread out again.

Even though he had the strength to create massive chaos in the universe in Felix's absence, he decided to remain lowkey.

The ascension was his end goal and if creating chaos wasn't going to fulfill it, there was no point in wasting his time and energy.

After he disguised himself, he took off in the direction of Gorrana's capital city.

In less than a couple minutes, he had invaded it and arrived at the busy marketplace, where the video was taken.

He closed his eyes for a moment and activated his senses to the limit, unbothered by the noise around him.

Unfortunately, his senses failed to pick anything.

'Did he already leave? The clip was taken not long ago, he can't have walked...fa.'

Before Lucifer could finish his thought, a hand was placed on his right shoulder out of nowhere.

"Looking for me?"

A devilish-like whisper followed soon after, sending a cold shiver down Lucifer's spine after recognizing the voice.

'I...'

Whoosh! Whoosh!

Just as he wanted to put some distance, he found himself in a different place. A small dimensional pocket, resembling a pristine, featureless surface floating in the void.

"Isn't this an interesting situation? Two deities who escaped death facing each other again." Felix remarked casually as he eyed the distressed Lucifer.

Lucifer heard him but didn't really register what he said. He was still processing this sudden frightening development.

'Was I baited to make an appearance? Why? He can't have known about my revival beforehand? Who told him? Do I escape and plan for another opportunity?'

Many questions roamed Lucifer's mind. Nothing made sense to him as he knew that Felix should have never known about his revival unless the darkins told him.

It was unimaginable for those two to help out Felix with anything.

"No need to overwork your little brain." Felix mentioned, "I brought you here to give you a chance of ascension and fulfill your destiny."

"..." Lucifer eyed Felix coldly for a few moments before finally breaking his silence, "Are you taking me for a joke?"

"Always have been, but trust me, not this time." Felix smiled sincerely, "I want you to attempt to possess my body and ascend, and if you succeed, you will have a clear path to godhood as you have envisioned."

Felix had absolutely no clue how the ascension process worked and if it was the same as shown in Lucifer's illusion, then he wanted him to kickstart the process again.

Only this time, their souls would clash for real.

"I don't know if you have hit your head, but there is no way I am trusting a single word coming out of your lips." Lucifer sneered, "I am content with knowing you are alive for now. We will meet again in the future."

Lucifer prepared to take his leave, having no contemplated of staying here for another second. He was in a different space and without any preparation, making him on the weaker side.

Now, with an actual confirmation, he could ally with the darkins again and use them to ease the battle if just by a little.

Unfortunately, after he closed his eyes and opened them again, he found himself still in the same position.

"Hmm?"

He knitted his eyebrows in disgruntlement and attempted again to manifest his consciousness in a different evil energy cloud...Alas, he kept opening and closing his eyes until he seemed like he was blinking, but still no results.

"What did you...Am I in an illusion?"

Lucifer dropped the tough act immediately and began looking around him with a distressed look.

His first assumption was an illusion, but he recalled that his mother told him that he was significantly resistant to them after she used a piece of her consciousness to revive him.

"You wish it was an illusion." Felix smiled as he approached him calmly.

"Stay away!"

Lucifer jumped backward and launched two condensed spears of crimson evil energy! As they approached Felix, he didn't bother to use an ability to block them.

He merely kept walking forward and the spears' trajectory was altered against their will, flying past him like he was protected by an invisible untouchable aura!

"You..."

When Lucifer sensed the 'aura', his blood turned cold and his gray face turned as white as a piece of paper.

As Felix got closer to him, the aura became more overpowering and overpowering until it completely encompassed Lucifer.

Thud!

His knees and arms slammed against the ground, leaving him in a dog posture, trying his best to resist the overbearing spiritual pressure!

'It can't be...It can't be...This must be an illusion...Must be!'

Lucifer refused to believe the reality before him no matter what. Who could blame him?

Felix was overpowering him with nothing but spiritual pressure, which shouldn't have been possible when deities' spiritual pressure was considered the peak in the universe!

"I know what you are thinking."

Felix stopped in front of him and sat on the ground. He rested a hand above his knee, taking a comfortable position while Lucifer was fighting for his life to even raise his head.

"You must be thinking that it's impossible for me to possess a higher grade of spiritual pressure than deities and this is purely an illusion."

Felix chuckled as he waved his index finger up, causing Lucifer's head to lift up immediately.

He was sweating all over and his facial structure seemed to be under a million tons of gravity force.

"Unfortunately for you, this is as real as it could get." Felix smiled, "This small dimension is on total spiritual lockdown, making it impossible for any soul or a wisp to enter or leave."

"So, are you going to give yourself a chance and ascend through me, or should I erase your existence again?"

While Felix was finishing the last part of the sentence, a small orb of pitch-black void domain manifested above his palm and hovered there, menacingly.

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He wasn't really going to use it on him since it would do nothing but erase his body and current consciousness, giving him a chance to be revived in a different place where evil energy existed.

But Lucifer didn't know that.

He felt his bones twitch in fear at the sight of the void domain, believing that it was the same ability used to erase him before.

'Mother won't revive me again if I die. I don't know why he wanted me to possess his body, but I have no choice but to accept.'

Lucifer knew that his fate was no longer in his hands...The fact that Felix's spiritual pressure was empowering him was enough to make any action or thought invalid.

'But, how am I supposed to win against him in a spiritual battle?'

Lucifer's expression wasn't so good.

Even if he wanted to fight it off with Felix and possess his body, he wasn't delusional to believe that he would win in a spiritual battle after this display of power difference.

"Chop, Chop, I don't have all day." Felix pressed while bringing the hovering minimized void domain near Lucifer's face, causing him to grimace in utter terror.

'I will do it! I will do it! Just get that thing away from me!' Lucifer replied telepathically with an agitated tone.

"That's more like it."

Felix snapped his finger and the void domain disappeared. Then, he smiled coldly, "I will release you, but don't try anything foolish. My spiritual pressure still has the pocket dimension on lockdown."

"Fine Motherf*cker! You want a spiritual battle! You got it!"

Left with no options, Lucifer transformed himself into a malevolent cloud of dark energy the moment Felix released his pressure on him.

With a sinister purpose, he aimed to invade Felix's body.

As Lucifer descended upon Felix, his dark cloud seeped into every pore, engulfing him in its suffocating embrace until it disappeared completely.

Felix had everything in control as the moment Lucifer attempted to be silly, he could easily freeze him with his spiritual pressure.

Luckily, Lucifer was smarter than that and actually stuck with the plan, having his consciousness manifest in Felix's consciousness space.

"What the f*c..."

However, the moment he opened his eyes, his soul almost escaped from his body in utter fright at the baffling scene before him.

In the center of the consciousness space, there stood Felix, resolute and poised, surrounded by eight powerful and imposing figures.

All of them radiated an aura of a deity, signifying their status as primogenitors – masters of their respective domains.

Lucifer's initial shock and fright were palpable.

He had expected to find a solitary mind to subdue, not a gathering of such formidable entities!

To make matters worse, they were seated in luxurious chairs arranged like spectators at a grand event and held a range of refreshments – from popcorn to glasses of alcohol as if they were here for an evening of entertainment!

Thor regarded Lucifer with a faint grin, his eyes gleaming with anticipation. Meanwhile, Lady Sphinx, reclined comfortably in her chair with a note in hand, seemingly wanting to study the upcoming ascension process.

"Don't pay them any attention and let's begin," Felix said casually.

'Don't pay them attention?'

If looks could kill, Felix would have already dropped dead...How could Lucifer ignore the existence of eight primogenitors staring at him like he was a clown in a freak show?

To make matters worse, he understood that the moment he showed a chance of winning against Felix somehow, they would all collapse on him.

In other words...

'I am done for...'

Despair dominated Lucifer's visage, feeling absolutely hopeless...He didn't even bother to attempt the ascension anymore, knowing that the only reason he was still alive was because of it.

As he expected, Felix got irritated after he noticed that Lucifer wasn't planning to make a move.

"What are you waiting for?"

"I am done playing your game." Lucifer sat down on the ground with a resolved expression. "If you want to kill me, get it over with."

He wanted to maintain the last bit of dignity, not for his sake, but for the sake of his mother.

"Stop being childish and let's do this." Felix remarked.

"Childish? F*ck you!" Lucifer twisted his head to the side, acting like a pouting girlfriend.

Felix twisted to look at his masters for advice and they shrugged their shoulders.

The ascension process wasn't simple in the slightest and Felix didn't dare make a move before fully understanding what he was getting into.

For example, was he required to just merge souls? Or he had to eliminate Lucifer's consciousness and then take over his soul? Or worse, take possession of his evil energy while keeping his consciousness alive within him.

There were so many methods and unless Lucifer made the first move, he wouldn't know which one to choose.

Lord Hades hadn't fully told him the details, which meant this situation was also new to him.

So, Felix decided to switch his way of handling things.

"I have given you a chance to die a graceful death and you spat on my face." Felix narrowed his eyes coldly as he walked in the direction of Lucifer, "I should have gone with violence from the start."

He was no longer willing to wait for cooperation; instead, he intended to extract information by any means necessary.

"Do your best." Lucifer sneered coldly.

He had no clue why Felix was adamant about his ascension and he had no plans of sharing the method with him even if he went through the most gruesome torture.

"Don't worry, I will give you my 'best'."

Felix used his spiritual pressure to lift Lucifer's body into the air and extended his limbs far apart until they were on the verge of being torn.

Still, Lucifer didn't release a single groan...In fact, he was showing a taunting smile like no matter what Felix did to him wouldn't affect him much.

He wasn't acting like this for no reason, as the incarnation of evil energy, pain was nothing more than a normal sensation to him.

"Let's see if you will keep the tough act after this."

Felix showed him a gentle smile while manifesting a pitch-black flame on top of his finger. Lucifer raised an eyebrow in surprise as he had never seen before a black flame.

Not even unigins recognized the black flames, don't even mention him!

That's right, Felix had employed his illusion domain to recreate a similar flame to the black celestial flames with the same effects!

"You have no clue how much effort it took me to recreate this." Felix spoke as he released the tiny black flame at Lucifer, "Be honored, you are the first person to experience a copy of celestial black flames."

The instant the black flame touched Lucifer, it spread out akin to wildfires across his entire body until he mirrored a flaming torch.

AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAA!!!....

Lucifer's anguished cries echoed through the consciousness space, a heart-wrenching symphony of torment that was loud enough it cause small waves to emerge on the consciousness ocean!

Once proud and defiant demeanor had crumbled, replaced by the sheer agony inflicted upon him...The celestial black flames that licked at his form consumed not only his physical essence but also his very soul!

It was potent enough to cause even unigins to feel the pain!

As Felix watched Lucifer wiggle and scream until his vocal cords were about to snap, he rubbed his chin thoughtfully. 'The pain seems similar to that of Duke Humphrey, but it still feels like something crucial is missing.'

Memories of his time spent with Duke Humphrey during his last months in the heavenly plane soon came back to him.

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A month ago in the heavenly plane...

"PLEASE! PLEASE! I WILL DO ANYTHING!! AAAGH!!! PLEASE I BEG YOU!! LET ME DIEEEEE!!"

"Shsss, I am trying to study here."

Above an imposing memorial platform that dominated the city square with its colossal size, Duke Humphrey was seen chained in a star shape to two metallic pillars.

Black flames danced around him, their ethereal tendrils wrapping his form in an unrelenting embrace, despite the agony that coursed through his being, Duke Humphrey's cries and pleas were silenced by a sound cancellation bubble that enveloped the pillars.

This entire sight was Felix's idea to punish Duke Humphrey while also warning everyone else about the consequences of betraying the spirit realm.

"Sob...Sob...Godfather...Save mee, someone save mee..."

Seated nearby, Felix was immersed in his work, appearing unperturbed by the screams and begs of his captive companion.

He had gotten used to it by now as he had been spending almost a couple hours every day around him to study the celestial black flames.

"I have twisted into a wisp, lost my celestial energy, and still, the black flames are burning." Felix muttered, "Lord Hades uttered that it shouldn't be possible with white flames as they need celestial energy to keep burning. So, what's the deal with this?"

"I know! I know the answer!! Just free mee...argh!! and, And, I will tell yo....AAAAAAA!"

Felix rolled his eyes at his inability to finish a single sentence and replied, "Even the black flames don't believe your bullsh*t, just be quiet and let me study."