

THE GOD VIRUS

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"Yes, I shall proceed as ordered then." Nodding his head without any hesitation, police chief agreed. Today, he had to complete whatever he was told to do.

Listening to Mr. chief justice's orders and the police chief's absolute agreement and obedience, both Ella and detective Argent became dumbfounded.

This made detective Argent think in fear, 'No... how can they do this?'

In the meantime, speechless, Ella was pondering to herself confusedly, 'Am I still living in America? All of this will go away just like this?' As she thought to this point, she turned her head as she stared at Virus' face, 'Ai has such deep connections in the government too? Still, it seems to be rather impossible to let a slaughter case go away just like this, no?'

At this time, gnashing her teeth, detective Argent began blurting, "Police chief, this person just confessed to butchering those people in cold blood! How can we just allow a murderer like him to get away with everything just like that? Are you really going to turn a blind eye to all of this and pretend like it never happened? Then... what about justice? What about those people who died?"

"Haha, what are you talking about, detective Argent? What confession? What slaughter? Why don't I understand what you're talking about at all? And by the way, how can this distinguished person possibly kill anyone. I mean... he looks so harmless, I don't believe he can even hurt a fly! So, I'm sorry to say this, but your words sound just hilarious and unbelievable to me." Bursting in laughter as if he had just heard a funny joke, police chief replied.

"What..." She was stunned hearing these words, then, as all strength left her body, she started pondering further, 'For me, it's all over now. How can I be so stupid to offend someone who can easily summon Mr. chief justice, police chief, and the director of the FBI at the same time? How could I offend this man who can easily butcher others and then confess to it like it's nothing? Moreover, all of them will still go away just like this as if it didn't happen in the first place... sigh, I'm truly finished... he'll definitely kill me too.' By the end of her words, she was truly shivering as she trembled in trepidation at the thought of what was going to happen to her next.

If she became aware of the fact that in case the President knew Virus was going to showing up personally, he would've also rushed over, her reaction could only be imagined.

At this point, the director of FBI also started talking, "Hmm, about the fate of this ignorant detective..."

"Yes, yes... if you want her to be fired. I'll make it happen at once." Police chief uttered in a flattering tone.

Nonetheless, not saying anything in response, the director turned toward Virus as he stated, "Sir, please make the decision on what you want to do with her yourself. Whatever you wish for, we'll make it happen. Also, please be rest assured that nothing's off the table. If you want her fired, she'll be fired immediately. If you want her to disappear, we'll make it so she disappears from the face of this Earth. No, if you want to take her with you somewhere to discipline her further... for example, to the island I heard you have, we can happily make that happen either." His last suggestion was, of course, to say that if he needed to relieve some of the steams on her body personally, that could also be accomplished.

Hearing his words, detective Argent's face went as white as paper before she finally fell on her chair, left shivering.

Meanwhile, listening to these suggestions and her reaction, an evil grin found its way on his face before he began articulating his decision at last, "Nah, I don't want any of those. Those slaps were enough of a punishment for her for the moment. Anyway, keep her around and don't fire her. I'll come looking for her in case I want to punish her any further. Also, teach her to be a true detective, not the kind of detective she is right now."

A shimmer of understanding passed through the director's eyes, "Done. From now on, she's yours and her fate is entirely up to you sir. Even if you kill her, I promise there won't be the slightest bit of headache's coming your way."

Then, looking at the police chief's way, he added, "Did you hear his words? Do as he commanded and put your best detective on the task of training her. But don't forget the fact that she belongs to the chairman now, you understand my meaning right?"

"No problem, since I have received orders from the higher-ups to accomplish everything I'm requested here today, I'll make it happen. Everything will proceed per order." Not batting an eye, the police chief nodded his head in agreement.

After that, satisfied with the police chief's response, he turned his head in detective Argent's direction as he directly spoke to her this time around, "And you, your life and death is really up to the chairman now, so do your best to listen and do whatever he orders you to do. Also, you can forget about trying anything funny since there is no one in this country who can do anything to the chairman, not even the President himself."

"Can we go now?" At this time, completely expressionless, Virus questioned in a tone as if he wasn't asking at all, he was just stating a fact. He wanted to leave because he didn't feel like staying in this place any longer, not even for a second more.

"Yes, yes, yes... you both are free to leave whenever you wish to. No one would dare obstruct your path again, sir. Also, please let me give you my number in case you ever need my services. You can directly contact me at any time." Voiced the director of the FBI in the humblest tone he could possibly muster.

"Mr. Chairman, please take my number too, I'll also assist you with whatever I can. Just send me a text and I shall stop doing whatever I'm busy with and promptly rush over." Mr. chief justice also added.

Seeing both of them dying to flatter him so much, the police chief had long since realized that Virus was definitely a man of highest authority or even more shocking than that, so he also offered his phone number.

However, not bothering at all to receive any of the numbers, he just glanced toward the Legal ugly. With that, Legal ugly stepped up as he received all three of the calling cards.

After that, five people began strolling out of a specific precinct. They were Virus, Bella, Ella, the Legal ugly, and the Security ugly who had joined them outside the interrogation room.

Seeing that they were really outside and they were also allowed to leave just like that, Ella had a hard time believing all of these events she had just gone through was real. It was all like a dream to her.

Nevertheless, recalling a specific matter, her face suddenly turned cold as she instantly separated from the group and started walking in a direction, alone.

Seeing this, Virus called her, "Ella."

However, without any kind of reaction whatsoever, she continued walking without stopping at all, "Ella!" He called out again, only to be ignored once more.

This time, he walked over to her as he grabbed her hand, making her stop, "Why are you ignoring me? What's making you so upset?"

Still, as her face remained dark and expressionless, she mumbled suddenly, "Let me go."

"Ella-"

"I said let me go!" Exclaiming in a loud voice, she tossed his hand away as she turned around and left.

Virus didn't move this time as he only watched her back as she walked away. However, if he could see her face right now, he would've been surprised to see her face flooded with tears and snot at this moment.

"Go. Continue keeping her safe." He ordered expressionlessly while watching her figure which was walking away.

"Yes, master." Knowing this order was directed at him, the Security ugly left just like that.

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'He... you really stopped chasing me... you idiot!!!' In the meantime, seeing no one coming after her, more tears began to roll down her red eyes as she left while feeling even more heartbroken.

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Chapter 232: Two Paths

"Are we going back to the atoll, master?" At this time, the golden beauty walked beside him and inquired.

After staying silent for a few moments while staring in a direction, Virus finally replied, "No, we'll go to 4 Times Square for now. I want to see the CEO ugly."

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"Welcome back, master." When they arrived at 4 Times Square, the CEO ugly was already patiently waiting outside as he warmly welcomed him.

"Let's go inside." For some reason, Virus wasn't in the mood to even nod his head as he just passed by the bowing CEO ugly and entered the building behind him.

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"So, do we have enough capital to enter other industries now? Report." The moment they came to the highest floor of 4 Times Square, sitting on the couch, Virus inquired.

"About that matter, master, we've already transported half of the cure to a variety of countries in the world, while the rest are being exported as we speak, though it will take some time for everything to be sent away and delivered. Anyway, in short, half of the capital has already been received." He started his report with the current capital they had at hand.

To be truthful, making so many of 'Ai Virus 001: The Savior' in a short period of time would've been literally impossible. Fortunately though, as Virus had already seen all of this coming, before he left for the Cultivation Multiverse of Qi, at the same time as he transferred the method of creating the Mutated

HIV, he also sent the method and the blueprint of making the 'Ai Virus 001: The Savior' too while ordering the Island ugly to mass-produce it.

"Hmm, I realized you're still not doing anything. So what are you waiting for?" Virus inquired further.

"Actually... I was looking for the right opportunity to converse with master before beginning the process of entering the other industries since there are some necessary points I would like to share with master and ask for his opinion." Said the CEO ugly.

"I'm listening." Looking into his eyes, Virus murmured.

Nodding his head, the CEO ugly began to explain, "Alright, so here is the deal. There are two options by which we can expand our company. The first one is to enter a variety of different industries at the same time, and the second one is to enter them one by one."

Not stopping there at all, he continued, "Now, if we take the first route and enter a lot of industries at the same time, we will be forced to continue buying and purchasing a lot of necessary material in mass from other people and other industries, which means we will be dependent upon them and their goods heavily. For example, right now, in order to make cars, we are thoroughly relying upon the mining industry, since we need minerals like steel, aluminum, iron, titanium, etc. for producing cars."

He added further, "Or another example is that other than some of the futuristic pieces we create in our limited small factories which counts as our secret, we buy the rest of the essential pieces and parts from the Manufacturing Industry, which means we need them too. Now, other than these, there are also glass, plastic, etc. which we also purchase them all from others."

Pausing for a very short moment at this point, he proceeded, "This is only when we talk about our automotive branch. Now, in case we enter a lot of

other industries at the same time, you can imagine and calculate just how much we would need to buy in order to run each of them and keep them running. This scenario, other than being an extremely wasteful way of expending money which will cause us a lot of harm because we are basically unknown in those areas, will also limit our expansion since in that case, we haven't truly used the real worth of our money."

By now, from his tone alone, it was pretty obvious he was against choosing this option, "Moreover, this is only the case if everything progresses smoothly with no kind of obstruction from anyone which I'm sure it's nigh impossible. Because if we enter a lot of different industries and throw out a whole lot of futuristic technologies or things similar at the same time... we will be the enemy of the entire world in a single night! Just like how we became the enemy of all Phone Industries in the past. Like this though, the consequence will be much more severe as we will greatly risk the progress of those new industries we're going to enter along with our current ones."

"Since, for example, the entire mining industry might stop providing us with the material we need for every branch of our company including the Automotive branch and I'm talking only about the mining industry here! Like this, our entire company will be crippled in a matter of days and it will probably lead us to be utterly destroyed and eventually, financially bankrupt!"

"Furthermore, if we take this route, I'm sure master will be pretty busy killing the entire world off and every CEO there is in it." Showing a helpless grin at this point, the CEO ugly stated in a half-joking half-serious manner. However, if one was aware of what was going inside him right now, that person would realize he was dead serious right now!

And then, he would further realize and doubt that the CEO ugly was mostly trying to save the world from this monster called Virus in front of him, rather than the other way around of saving the company from the rest of the world.

At this point, Virus was sharply gazing into the CEO ugly's eyes as if he could clearly see through his thoughts and intentions. However, not saying anything regarding his thoughts, he uttered, "I understand, proceed."

By now, a few beads of sweat had shown up on his forehead, but hearing his master tell him to continue, he let out a breath of relief as he started talking again, "Okay... now we arrive at the latter option, which is to enter different industries one by one in a gradual manner after laying some foundation on each of them."

"What I'm actually suggesting here is for us to start from the very basic industry, which I believe to be the Mining Industry, and after that, the most suitable one for us is the Manufacturing Industry."

"So my plan is to begin with the most basic one and as we progress further, we shall enter other industries one after another by laying an unshakeable foundation for our entire company. Like this, not only will we have our own mineral, but we will also have our own Manufacturing Industry which will constantly produce us the different pieces and parts we require."

"If we take this route, there will be no waste of money, the risk will be also lowered to the bare minimum possible, and more importantly, we won't be so easy to bully! If in the future, the Mining Industry won't provide us with minerals, we will mine our own minerals! If Manufacturing Industry no longer sells us different pieces and parts we need in mass, we will produce our own parts!"

"This will also ultimately lead us to be an independent company from every other company or industry in the whole world as we will be a complete cycle, a gigantic system to be more precise! A system that can sustain itself! A company that can control its own fate without any reliance on others!" With brightly shining eyes, the CEO ugly excitedly articulated his final purpose.

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"Was that everything you wanted to say?" After listening to whatever the CEO ugly had to say, Virus inquired while gazing deep into his eyes.

"Uh... yes, although my personal choice would be the latter, master is still the final decision-maker. So, I'll follow whichever one you pick." Bowing once in respect, the CEO ugly uttered.

"Hmm, the second option was truly a better and more logical choice." Nodding his head, Virus voiced before proceeding with a sharp turn, "However, it takes too much time to accomplish that. For us to enter into one industry and then consolidate our position before jumping into another one and afterward continuing with this process would need at least decades to accomplish! And I don't want to wait for that long to be honest. My goal is to dominate the economic world in a rather quick period of time before jumping into my next purpose and goal."

Pausing for a moment, he gazed toward the CEO ugly's direction before continuing, "So, I'll have to decline on that. However, bear in mind that this is not a complete refusal. I do admit your words truly hold some merit to themselves, so I'll present you with two routes to tread simultaneously. In the first route which I'll temporarily call it the 'Foundational Path', you will start with the basic industries just like how you suggested in your second choice, but, we won't wait until our position is totally consolidated which would take too much time. The point of the 'Foundational Path' is that it will gradually allow us to achieve the perfect cycle you just mentioned."

At this point, the golden beauty who understood Virus' current sunken mood better than anyone else in the world brought a cup of his favorite tea over as she silently placed it in front of him while Virus began talking once again,

"Anyhow, in the 'Foundational Path', the moment the last branch we established is able to function by itself, and it starts to bring us a good percentage of profit, and at last, when it's able to supply the other branches we have with sufficient goods, we will jump over to the next one."

Showing two fingers, Virus went along with his instruction, "Also, because it's the beginning phases of our plan and furthermore, since we have a lot of capital at hand right now, we will jump into two basic industries one after another in a quick manner. First we will establish the Mining branch before jumping on the second one, the Manufacturing Industry. Just like you mentioned previously."

"Nevertheless, this is not the end and other than the 'Foundational Path' you're going to tread, I might also tell you to break into some other industries from time to time which wasn't originally among your list of 'Foundational Industries', but that will remain for another time to talk about." At this time, he picked up the cup as he took a small sip from the hot tea in front of him.

"Anyway, you can start with these general directions I gave you for now, do you understand?" He concluded.

"Yes, master... so for now, we shall set foot into the Mining Industry, I shall promptly begin its paperwork... however..." Talking to this point, he suddenly stopped talking and didn't continue further.

"What is it?" Frowning a bit, Virus asked.

With an awkward tone, the CEO ugly responded, "We have no mines to start mining."

After that, a deep silence began to loom over the room for a few seconds before Virus at last burst into a laughter of amusement. Then, he said, "Haha... mines? That's easy to solve. I know a method of discovering the best mines on this entire earth. It's only that it might take a little while to create this

particular tool I have in mind. No worries though, I'll immediately send the blueprint over to the Island ugly to begin its production process at once."

"Alright, then I'll start doing its paperwork as soon as possible with no worries whatsoever." Nodding his head, the CEO ugly said obediently.

"Good, for now, let's extract every little bit of precious mineral Earth carries on itself. By the time we get them all, we will be already at a stage where we can expand our Mining Industry to space!" Virus proclaimed, bringing a fresh light of motivation to start burning inside the CEO ugly's eyes.

"Yes, I'll definitely do my best, master. Also, we are about to release a new generation of a variety of automotive to the world which I withheld previously due to the world being in chaos. Now that the world order is restored, I believe this is the best timing to do that."

"Do as you wish." Shaking his hand, Virus signaled him to leave as he picked up his cup of tea once more.

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After the short meeting was over, the CEO ugly left to get busy with the matters of the company while the golden beauty and Virus stayed back.

"Call the Island ugly and tell him to send the twenty-eight times gravity tools over every day. For now, I'll proceed with my training here."

"Yes, master."

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JEJU ISLAND, KOREA

"Ajumma, give me another Haemultang!" A young man declared while raising his hand.

Meanwhile, a Korean woman who was sitting together with him on the same table also voiced toward the young man, "Oppa, thanks for bringing me on this amazing short trip... I really needed this to relieve some tension after that FAP thing."

"Haha... A-Yeong, don't say that, as your boyfriend, it's my duty to pay attention to your state of mind. I just knew these past few months were really hard on you, so I decided to bring you over here so you would be able to forget about those horrible events and start afresh with me." Showing her the brightest smile he could possibly present, the young man stated, in the meantime, he thought to himself, 'It's been months since we could do anything... I really need this too, I really need tonight.'

"Oppa... thank you." Replied A-Young, who seemed truly touched by her boyfriend's words.

At this time though, as a beautiful view of the sea was displaying itself right outside the glasses of the restaurant, while the two remained sunk deep into that romantic moment, a shadow passed by from in front of the restaurant in an extremely quick speed.

Soon, another two meters shadow passed from in front of the window of the restaurant.

If the people inside the small restaurant had paid any attention outside, they would've found this odd quietness very strange. Right now, no one passing from in front of the window of the restaurant anymore. It was as if everyone had left the area already.

Vroom~

Bang!

However, at this moment, a car changed directions toward the small restaurant as it charged into this small place.

For a few seconds, it was chaos as the car crashed into the restaurant and ruined its front wall and a lot of furniture within the diner itself. In the process, an old man who was sitting on the chair closest to the door was also flattened by the violent smash of the car.

Soon, utter silence became dominant within the small place before finally, a dazed driver rushed out of the door of the car and began running in a random direction in terror while yelling, "Monsters! Monsters!" From the way he looked, it seemed as if he had just witnessed the scariest and the most horrifying thing in the whole world!

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Experiencing this drastic change from the romantic atmosphere to an extremely horrifying one, A-Yeong and her oppa were stunned silly as they stared at the man who ran away while yelling, "Monsters! Monsters!"

"Is... is he... crazy, oppa?" Shocked silly, A-Yeong inquired, by now, she had jumped over beside her boyfriend who was also feeling terrified.

"I... I don't know! That old man..." Looking at the gory corpse of the old man who was smashed by the car, the young man had this feeling of wanting to throw up.

"Let's... let's leave this place-" Just as he phrased these words, a shadow loomed over him from behind.

Meanwhile, he realized his girlfriend suddenly distanced herself from him as an extremely horrified expression was plastered on her face. She was trembling so badly that she couldn't talk, "A...a...ah... ahhh-"

"What's wrong? A-Yeong!" Seeing his girlfriend act in such a weird way, the young man couldn't help but worriedly look at her girlfriend while thinking, 'This must be too hard on her... to see the corpse of an old man...'

"Be... behind..." This was all she could mutter after mustering every last bit of courage she had.

"Hah?" Barely catching the message, the young man unconsciously looked behind himself, only to freeze completely as a result.

Right now, behind him, a three-meter white tiger was standing looking at him silently while growling.

What made all of this even more startling was that the tiger who was staring at the young man without taking its eye off of him only had a single eye right in the middle of its forehead!

The young man was so terrified that he immediately dropped on the floor on his buttocks while continuously making an effort to retreat in that sitting position, "Ah... ahhh-"

However, at this moment, the three meters one-eyed white tiger finally began to move as its mouth opened widely as its ferocious teeth bit at the young man's head.

Chomp!

The next moment, the young man's body no longer had a head as blood began to spurt from his headless neck like a fountain!

Immediately, A-Yeong's face was showered in her boyfriend's blood as she fixedly stared at his body while her eyes remained wide open.

The one-eyed white tiger was obviously not going to leave the rest of her oppa's body as it munched half of his body in a single bite!

"A... Ahhhh..." Ultimately, seeing half of her oppa's body disappear, A-Yeong began to scream in terror while tears and snot continuously dripped from her face.

Hearing her, the white tiger's attention was fully drawn on the cowering girl in front of itself. Then, it began to come close toward her in a very leisurely manner.

Realizing it was coming toward her and remembering her boyfriend's horrendous fate, unable to control her bladder, her pants began to get wet.

At this time, a two meters coyote who shockingly had six legs was also staring at this scene without making any moves. It seemed the coyote accepted the fact that these two prays were the one-eyed white tiger's food!

In the meantime, A-Yeong was about to be bitten just like the young man when a truck filled with soldiers arrived in the vicinity as they got off of it and started shooting at the six-legged coyote!

"Come on, kill these monsters, kill them all!"

"Yes! There are more in other areas, we need to hurry!"

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Almost ten soldiers began to shoot at the coyote. However, the six-legged coyote seemed to be extremely fast as it began to charge toward the soldiers.

As a result of its very fast speed, only a few bullets actually hit its furry body as blood began to drip from those spots. Nevertheless, it finally reached those soldiers and began to bite at them one after another.

Immediately, a bloodbath was sparked there and one by one, the soldiers began to be butchered horribly. Also, since the coyote didn't remain in the same spot at all, the soldiers could no longer aim at its huge body and could only watch it slaughter them one after another!

"Ahhhhhhh-"

"Ahhh-"

"No... I don't want to die... No-"

As they were being killed off one after another, a new group of soldiers arrived at the vicinity. Every soldier of this group held a grenade in their hands as they throw it toward the bloody coyote!

Bang! Bam! Bang~

Instantly, the coyote was shredded into many pieces as it died right there.

In the meantime, the one-eyed white tiger who was watching everything happen looked at the shivering A-Yeong one more time before it also charged toward the new truck.

Many of the soldiers on the truck began to shoot at the rushing white tiger while trying to delay its charge so another set of grenades would be thrown in its direction. Many of those bullets truly did start to connect to the white tiger's body. However, what they witnessed next shocked all of the soldiers, because... the bullets couldn't harm this white-tiger at all! It couldn't even leave a scratch!

"Oh my god... this monster is bulletproof!" One of the soldiers mumbled in terror.

"Quick... quick... throw the grenades in its direction!" Another one screamed. Unfortunately, the white-tiger was very fast as it jumped on the truck's carrier at this moment as another bloodbath was initiated!

At this time, in the distant sky, the silhouette of a combat Aircraft began to show up. This was an F-4 Phantom II.

"The target has been locked." Inside the Aircraft, a man began speaking in Korean as he pressed a random button inside the aircraft as a rocket was launched toward the white-tiger.

Bang!

Instantly, the white-tiger exploded into many pieces under the destructive power of the rocket.

In the meantime, inside the aircraft, the pilot began to report, "The seventh target has been eliminated, heading toward the eighth one."

"Roger that."

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A few hours ago, everything on this beautiful Jeju island had been very calm as everyone lived their normal island life.

However, all of this began to change when different types of huge and weird-looking monsters began to pop up out of nowhere as they started ripping and devouring thousands of citizens in the span of these few hours.

Fortunately, the police and some citizens had been smart enough to report everything to the government as the startled government promptly began to move in disbelief after making sure everything was true!

At first, they began to dispatch a lot of soldiers to the island. Unfortunately though, they soon learned that bullets were ineffective against many of these creatures. As their soldiers had been eliminated one after another!

Furthermore, they learned even a grenade had been ineffective against one of these monsters so far!

So, left with no other choice, they could only dispatch a few aircraft and jets to solve this crisis they had no understanding about!

Currently, inside the Blue House, everyone, including the President of South Korea itself, was in an extremely alarmed and distressed state as they looked at the videos in front of them in disbelief and even horror!

"Oh my god! What are these monsters popping up on Jeju island? Where are they coming from?" An old man who was a person of great authority in South Korea uttered.

"What's going on with this world? First, we experience FAP... and now this?!?" Another articulated while gritting his teeth.

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Chapter 235: Shut Off From The World

"Could they have mutated from normal kinds of animals? Like that one-eyed white tiger we saw, If that's the case... then..." Someone else in the conference room mumbled in a trembling voice.

"It's too quick to reach a conclusion right now. First, let's exterminate all of those monsters and save the lives of the remaining innocent citizens. After they are saved and the island is clear, we will start searching every corner of that place in order to find what caused this and who's behind it... whether it's some kind of mutation as an after effect of the Mutated HIV or something else entirely, we'll definitely unravel the secrets regarding this matter... since it

involves the security of our nation." At this point, the President finally started talking as he articulated a series of orders and actions.

"Yes, sir." Everyone nodded their heads as they promptly began to act.

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The same day, different kinds of videos went viral from the Jeju island as the whole world became aware of the wonderful and terrible incident that had taken place at the Jeju island of South Korea.

Currently, a News Channel was reporting, "Earlier today, tens of strange and gigantic monsters started to appear on an island called Jeju in South Korea. According to the latest information we received, it's estimated that people have died in thousands with the accurate number of casualties still unavailable at this time."

After the short pause, the report proceeded, "The government of South Korea has announced that at this very moment, they are unaware of the real source of these ferocious monsters. However, our reporter who's present at Jeju island has reported that the government of Korea is doing everything they can to both deal with these horrifying monsters and also to understand where these monsters are coming from."

Listening to this particular news which was being screened in various countries of the world in different versions, people began to reach their own personal conclusions one after another.

"Oh my god! Could it be the arrival of Second Apocalyptic Phenomena? The first one just ended and now the second one has already begun? Could it be that God really won't stop till we're all dead?" This was the most popular

conclusion that the common people of the world had mostly arrived at. Even some news channels were also directly reporting their news by pointing their fingers in this direction.

Furthermore, the very next day, the front page title of most of the newspapers in the world would be 'Second Apocalyptic Phenomena?'

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In another place, two friends were smoking weed as they watched the television, "Ah... dude... these creatures must be some kind of mutated monsters! It just makes perfect sense right? First comes the Mutated HIV, and now here we go facing mutated animals! Everything's gonna mutate now! Even us... and even this weed we're smoking... ah, I wonder, would that make it stronger?"

"Buddy, don't spout nonsense, who knows what this is? Ahh... maybe it's due to the result of some kind of secret lab's hidden experiments the government of Korea was doing and now it's backlashed on them." Just like that, the other friend also shared his thoughts on the topic.

"Ah... who knows... maybe you're right, or maybe we're both wrong it's the aliens! Hmm... this makes me wonder... do these aliens have some weed? Would their weed be stronger than ours?" The first friend who was absolutely high said further.

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In another corner of the world, the conversation ended like this, "I don't care what it is, I just hope that was the end of this all... begone, monsters!"

While the people in the rest of the Earth were just judging the happenings on Jeju Island as a bystander with almost no fear since they were far from Korea, the citizens living inside Korea were dumbfounded as an intense sense of crisis and terror began to bubble up inside them.

Right now, inside a very famous social networking service, it was absolutely chaotic.

"Omo! Unnie, did you see that video? I'm so scared right now! What if those monsters also appear in Seoul? Uwu, I'm really scared..." A user named CrazyFan1 typed in the general chat.

"Don't worry, there is no way it would come anywhere near Seoul since the government is dealing with it as we speak! Didn't you hear the President's speech telling us not to be scared? They won't leave a single one alive." Someone else called CrazyFan2 responded.

"From you two's profile pictures, oppa can see both of you are quite the beauties! Come to oppa and oppa shall protect both of you from those horrible monsters!" Username HandsomeOppa2231 also replied to them.

"Someone needs to protect us from you! You mutated male monster!"

"That's right! You're so shameless, how can you name yourself 'Handsome oppa' with that kind of face!" Both of them began to retort at him in response.

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While the world was confused and deeply worried about the terrifying monsters that had shown up in Korea, Virus was currently sitting in the lowest floor of 4 Times Square without any shirts as he proceeded with his practice.

Before sinking into this session of training, he had also warned the golden beauty to not disturb him unless something absolutely urgent happened. So now, completely shut off from the outside world, once again, he restarted his training under the twenty-seven times gravity that of normal.

He understood that he was almost on the verge of reaching the absolute limit of the Corporeal Tempering Stage by reaching the peak of False Sixth Level, Remoulding The Residual Cells. However, he also knew that taking this single step was easier said than done.

Gradually, one day slipped away. A week also went by. Until finally, three weeks had already elapsed.

In these past three weeks, the government of South Korea was at last successful in exterminating all of those monsters.

Among the monsters they had killed, one of them had proven to be an absolute challenge to exterminate and they had to dispatch a few more aircraft to finish them all off.

After there were no more monsters left anymore, the Korean government began to search every corner of the Jeju island in hopes of being able to discover the true source of these dreadful beasts.

Unfortunately though, even after searching every step of the island, their probe was left totally fruitless and disappointing.

So, giving up on that, the government started researching the corpses of the monsters they were able to recover, although there were only a few that had left behind an intact corpse since most of them had already exploded into many horrendous pieces by the aircraft's rockets.

Among these intact corpses, the most eye-catching one was the body of the monster which had been the hardest to kill, the strongest among all those ferocious beasts. And this corpse was the one that the scientists were mostly focusing on in their studies.

That particular carcass was dissected into many parts by the scientists in their governmental labs as they began an experiment on how they had become like that and also to possibly find an answer to the question of where they had originated from.

However, even after days of constant studies under the microscope, they still couldn't find the true reason as to how their bodies had evolved to that shocking point.

Nevertheless, they were able to discover that those monsters' bodies were absolutely amazing. And seeing many of the startling functions of their bodies and innards, the scientists had been fascinated over and over again in the span of these few days as they felt many new doors open in front of them. However, as to the question of how their bodies had evolved to that point or the key to evolve animals like that, they couldn't find any answers at all, not even a bit.

All they could do was to create a hypothesis that there must be some kind of unknown substance that they should've been in direct contact with that had slowly changed them forever.

Another matter worth mentioning was that inside the carcass of the strongest monster, they were able to discover a hard and solid bead which they couldn't even begin to understand what it was at all. To them, it seemed to be a rock, however, its structure was weird and totally confusing.

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In another corner of New York, currently, Amara Martin had placed her head on the work desk inside her office while continuously staring at a single spot. It was as if she didn't have the energy to do anything any longer.

It's been only a single day since she came back from her own family house. After both their city in England and New York received the cure, their company restarted its functioning once again. So, Amara had to hurry back and manage her own branch here in New York once again.

'So, in the end, his company is the savior of the entire world... and he's the owner of that company, so I might as well say he's the real savior of Earth... just like a hero.' She wondered to herself as she stared into a certain dot on the wall absentmindedly. At this point, having him inside her mind was an unconscious habit that she had developed due to thinking about him too much.

Before the existence of the cure was announced, Amara wanted to confess her feelings to him one last time before leaving this sick world.

So, she hired someone to trail Virus' current location to no avail.

After that, as she sank in despair due to not even being able to find him let alone meet him, the development of cure was announced to the world together with the details about which company had created it. This instantly made her eyes brighten up as she wondered to herself, 'He must be back! I have a chance of confessing my feelings-' Albeit, as she thought to this point, she also remembered, 'But the world's not ending anymore, should I still confess my feeling to him right now just to be rejected?'

And now, she was staring into a single point, while her line of thinking wondered everywhere around him.

She understood that she would be rejected even if she confessed her feelings, so she was extremely reluctant to do that just yet.

Kiss me sayin' goodbye~

I'm over the moon, feeling gloom~

But I won't regret~

For giving you the love, for giving you the love~

Abruptly, her phone began to ring, forcing her to snap out of being absentminded as she looked at the caller ID, 'Why is dad calling me at this time?'

"Hello, dad? What's up?" Picking the phone, she replied in a weak tone.

"Hmm? Are you sick, daughter? Did you travel safe?" Catching her daughter's voice which seemed to lack vitality, Ethan said doubtfully.

"No, just feeling a bit tired... yeah, I'm already at the office. I'm sure you didn't call to just ask me that, dad. So... just spill it out."

Coughing while feeling a bit embarrassed, Ethan proceeded, "Daughter... actually, I know you like that boy who owns the Virus Industries, that's great, since he is even the savior of the whole world now! But... it doesn't seem like he likes you back... and it's really the time for you to get married, you're already at that age. I didn't want to say this initially since the world was ending anyway... but now-"

"Dad! I don't wanna get married to anyone else but Aizen! If you can make that happen, then fine! But if it's someone else you want me to marry... then I don't want to!" Increasing the volume of her voice, she began to utter with some frustration apparent in her tone.

"But, daughter-"

"No buts! Dad, I have important matters to attend to, so let's end the call here." Phrasing this sentence, she hung up the line promptly.

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In the meantime, Ella was also sitting in her class while staring at the whiteboard as the professor wrote different words on it.

Many days had passed since she went over to the police station to confess to the crime of killing someone but then was allowed to leave just like that. Afterward, no one from the police department even came looking for her in order to ask for further details regarding the case. It was as if the case didn't exist anymore, just like how that man chief justice had ordered.

Even the news or the internet itself no longer mentioned this case anymore. Any traces of the existence of that night's slaughter at the Avalon Nightclub had disappeared just like that.

She understood that all of this was because of her boyfriend... or, ex-boyfriend? Even she didn't quite understand their current relationship anymore.

Moreover, for some reason, nearly every single police officer who spotted her or chanced upon her seemed to be respectfully smiling in her direction. Whenever they saw her, they even offered to escort her to her destination with their police car, every time!

One time, a guy was trying to flirt with her when a police officer came running over as he pushed the poor guy away, making him fall on the ground awkwardly as he even rolled a few times there.

And when she asked the police officer why he did that, his response was like this, "No worries miss, it seemed like he was molesting you! So..."

'Are the police officers allowed to just do that without understanding the whole situation first?' Feeling absolutely speechless by the officer's response, this question popped up in her head, however, remembering how she was allowed to leave just like that after killing someone, she didn't continue further with that thought as a sense of guilt hit her again.

Anyway, afterward, that police officer even introduced himself and told her she can look for him at the nth precinct whenever she faced a problem.

After the class, as they were exiting the door, Mary rushed over to her and started talking, "Ella, why were you so absentminded in the class... is it because of...?"

"Did uncle jack tell you about everything?" Hearing Mary's words, Ella queried as she comprehended the meaning behind her words.

"Yeah... dad told me you confessed to murdering someone the other night we went out..." She went quiet at this point, as some mixed emotions started bubbling inside her, nevertheless, she continued soon afterward, "And he also told me some very important people seem to have arrived and made the whole case go away because of a very handsome man... and according to his description of this handsome man, I believe he was Aizen... right?"

Seeing she could already guess everything, Ella nodded her head before starting to explain everything that had taken place that night at the nightclub.

By the time Ella finished explaining, she realized Mary was already weeping. Then, she abruptly plunged toward her as she started hugging her while continuing to cry, "Sob... it... sob, it wasn't your fault Ella... none of it was. If you hadn't tried to defend, both you and Jessica would've been harmed already! So please don't feel guilty."

Listening to these words which tightly gripped at her heart, teardrops began to uncontrollably fall from her face as she eventually started to wail in her arms just like a baby, "Aaaaaahhhh..."

After that, the two sat in a quiet spot as Ella began to describe everything that was going on between her and Virus with wet eyes. She also told her that the reason why she was so absentminded in the class earlier was mostly because of this matter.

"He's an idiot for not following you that day just because you told him to let you go! Do you want me to go after him and yell at him for you?" Putting a wrathful face, Mary tried her best to make her friend feel better.

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Simultaneously, the talk of the town was still sitting in his previous location as he kept sending waves after waves of energy to those residual cells in his body.

For some reason though, it was proving to be extremely difficult to take this final step in order to complete the Corporeal Tempering Stage. He was rotating the Dark Dragon's Metamorphosis Revolution with the fastest speed he could, however, it was as if a barrier was keeping him from taking that last step!

'Hmm... by now, I should've completed this False Sixth Stage... but... why are those remaining cells still resisting the absorption of the STC energy?' He pondered to himself as his eyes stayed closed. He was truly feeling confused because this situation was totally out of his calculations.

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Another week passed by very quickly. By now, almost the whole world had gone back to the way it was before FAP. Common citizens were spending a great deal of effort in order to make a living and moreover, now, with the existence of the dormant Mutated HIV, they had to save some money for their whole family to take 'Ai Virus 001: The Savior' every year without missing a single one until the permanent cure was ultimately created.

The previous outbreak on Jeju island was still the topic of many mouths as a variety of television channels had yet to cease their analysis of this odd and inexplicable incident.

Even the United States of America had requested some of the remains of those savage beasts from the government of South Korea, however, until this very moment, South Korea still hadn't responded to this request.

This was because they felt like with these carcasses, they would be able to make great breakthroughs in many fields of their studies and science. And that meant giving them away would be a great loss.

Anyway, currently, one of the most famous international television channels in the whole world was holding a program regarding both the Mutated HIV and the strange incident on Jeju island. Today, they had invited a rather well-known fortune-teller who claimed she could see a few seconds into the future of certain individuals. And with her power of fortune-telling, she had truly helped a lot of powerful individuals in the economic world in successfully passing through many crises for the right amount of money.

Of course, under normal circumstances, such a famous television channel would not have invited this kind of person who was most likely a fraud. However, this time it was an exception because they were directly requested by the owner of this channel to allow her to be present on this very program. It seemed the owner truly did believe in her power and according to him, she

had helped him a lot in becoming the owner of one of the most famous television channels in the world.

"Good afternoon everyone, today, we are here with you together with one of the rather well-known fortune-tellers of the world called Liliana Tudor. She really wanted to be present at this program because according to her, she has some very vital matters to announce to everyone." The host seemed to be having a hard time taking this whole situation seriously as he thought, 'Is this for real? We are bringing fortune-tellers to our program now?'

"So, before we start, miss Tudor, would you mind introducing yourself a bit to our viewers?" The host added.

At this time, the camera was focused on a beautiful woman who had brownish eyes and a curly golden-red hair, "Sure, hello everyone, I'm Liliana Tudor, I'm 25 years old this year and I'm a fortune-teller. Well, not exactly that... since my power or maybe trait is a bit different than fortune-telling and I actually call it the 'Foreshadow'."

"Now I know many of you won't believe that I actually have this power, but that's okay since I have faith that you'll all soon come to believe my words when the world has more clarity upon the truth that there are many people with special traits living among us. Anyway, I won't elaborate on how exactly my power works and I'll just pass on this one." She voiced showing a beautiful smile at the camera.

Hearing her words, many viewers truly did not believe her words, however, there were also a lot of people who had seen and believed the video of people with traits or even better... some of them had even seen people utilizing their traits in front of their own eyes.

"Miss Tudor-"

"You can call me Lily." Interrupting him, Lily voiced.

"Alright, Lily, could you please tell us why you wanted to be with us here on this stage today?" At this point, a bit frustrated by her words, the host asked.

"Of course... I've come only to pass along some facts regarding my power and what they could actually represent and mean." She said as she stopped talking for the moment.

"Hmm, please continue... we're all listening." The host uttered while wearing a fake smile.

Nodding her head, Lily continued, "Actually... let me begin by starting from an earlier date." Saying this, Lily paused for a moment before she started talking again, "To be honest, before the year of 2000, it was extremely easy for me to see foreshadows of the future."

"However, it all began to change and get blurry when the year hit 2000 for some unknown reasons... after that, it started to get extremely difficult for me to see even very short foreshadows of the future and right now... I only see darkness."

"And that means...?" Filled with doubt, the host questioned while wondering to himself, 'Well, that means one less fraud in the world.'

"This means that I'm either losing my power... or that the future has become too unpredictable to actually foreshadow anymore because some very startling things or crises are approaching us fast. Hmm... of course, there is also the possibility that the future still can be seen, it's just that my power is too weak to actually predict and foreshadow anything." In almost a single breath, Lily elaborated on everything as she analyzed her own power and their possible meanings.

'So what does all of this have to do with us...?' As this line went through the host's head, he started mouthing out loud, "Lily... before coming to be present

on this program, you told us that you wanted to talk about the Mutated HIV and the breakout on Jeju island-

Not allowing him to finish, Lily started articulating "Yes... my power exactly has to do with them. Actually... after 2000, it had become extremely difficult for me to see the foreshadows, but the point was that I could still 'see'!"

"However, this all began to change when the Mutated HIV started to spread to the whole world because after that, I could only foreshadow on very few occasions and even those were extremely limited since almost all of them were mostly useless stuff. Everything else regarding probably important phenomenon was totally dark to me." She explained her views and thoughts to this point before proceeding, "Moreover, now, after the Jeju island breakout happened... everything became entirely dark... I can foreshadow nothing anymore."

'Good, now you can, at last, go back to living like a normal young beautiful woman.' The host deliberated with a smirk.

"I believe this is probably because the world is heading toward a planetary devastating direction... which means... our planet is in grave danger as we all face the risk of total annihilation. Anyhow, from the moment the Jeju island incident took place, everything probably went on motion since it was from that moment onwards that I faced total darkness." She concluded her speech and explanation as she no longer said anything else.

"Lily, was that all?" The host questioned while pondering, 'Fuck, I knew bringing her to the program was a big mistake... he's just trying to scare the world!'

"Yes, I'm done." Lily muttered with another beautiful smile appearing on her face.

"Hmm, good... alright... thanks for being present with us here... the allocated time of our program has also hit the absolute limit. So I shall bid goodbye to all of our viewers and our dear guest, Liliana Tudor. Goodbye, everyone." The host ended the program with those closing words.

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From the moment the creation of 'Ai Virus 001: The Savior' had been announced to the entire world, almost everyone had been in deep admiration of the Virus Industries who now others called the savior of mankind.

However, at the moment the creation of this cure was published to the world by the President of the United States of America himself, many smart people immediately had doubted that maybe it was the Virus Industries itself that had created the Mutated HIV in the first place, since it seemed rather unlikely that in less than a year after the Mutated HIV had spread to the whole world, the cure was already developed. And according to the President, they even had long since created this cure. They've been just hiding it from everyone else.

Of course, hearing the fact that their cure was only permanently effective on the normal type of HIV, many of those doubtful eyes had been instantly withdrawn. Nevertheless, even though almost 99 percent of them no longer believed it was the Virus Industries who had spread the Mutated HIV, one percent still did continue believing they had been the culprit behind all this... or at least, they were highly suspicious of them.

However, at the end of the day, when everything was said and done, they still couldn't do anything about it since they neither had any evidence to back their claims nor would they bother trying to unravel this cloud of mystery which was covering this so-called Virus Company.

Of course, a few exceptions existed among those people, and one of these anomalies was... detective Lock. John Lock!

He was one of the few exceptions in the world who believed that Virus Company was most likely the culprit and the mastermind behind the so-called Mutated HIV.

Right now, detective Lock was in New York as he continued to walk on its streets to a certain direction while contemplating to himself, 'First, they started producing these highly advanced mobile phones which were so technologically advanced that they literally overthrew the other mobile companies at the same time. Now, for everyone else in the world, the mobile business is stagnant. Of course, it's the opposite case when it actually comes to Virus Industries itself since they are flourishing higher than ever, especially when it comes to the business of mobile phones... as they can be considered the sole leading phone company in the world.'

Pausing for a very short moment when he reached this point of his contemplation, he considered some vital factors before proceeding with his special way of thinking, 'Moreover, afterward, they also entered the Automotive Industry too and according to the data I gathered, their cars could be said to be the most advanced ones in the world. Though they still fall short compared to the other luxurious car companies who had been building their brands for decades, it doesn't change the fact that their cars are better... so this means they are the best one in this field too.'

Ultimately, he arrived at the most vital one among everything that had to do with the Virus Company, 'And then comes the matter of Mutated HIV... where did it come from? Why did it's appearance coincide so much with the appearance of the Virus Industries? And how could it still be the Virus Industries that had the cure to it? So does that mean they are far more advanced than the rest of the world when it comes to the pharmaceutical field too?' He proceeded with his line of thinking as he pushed his way through the throng.

'Hmm, also, I heard they are trying to enter the Mining Industry too... but the mining industry needs mines and I don't believe they have mines... it has nothing to do with technology. Um... could it be they're trying to buy some mines? No, no, no... that wouldn't be as profitable as their technologies and other products... hmm... what's going on here?' Placing one hand under his chin, he stopped moving completely.

Soon, he went on motion once again as his casual walk restarted, 'It seems... I gotta wait further in order to make sure about that and many other facts... well, I got nothing but time... I could also visit Amara while I'm at it.' Thinking about Amara, a kind smile filled with love showed up on his face.

However, thinking further on the matter and remembering how she had fallen head over heels for Aizen, his mood promptly turned very sour and downcast as an even stronger determination showed up inside his eyes, the determination to get to the bottom of the matter of Virus Industries and its chairman Aizen Vee. Of course, he also believed that he had to do everything in absolute secrecy especially hidden from the eyes of Amara.

So, while gritting his teeth, he once again picked up his thoughts where he had left it previously, except this time, there was a hint of jealousy apparent in his eyes too, 'But, putting all of these matters together... first comes the technologically advanced phones which shocked the whole world. Then, the advanced cars also popped up which happened to startle the world once again. And at last, comes the Mutated HIV, which is the biggest one among them, and they just happened to have the cure to it. Three of the most shocking incidents of the entire world that happened one after another were all connected to them one way or another. It's as if... it's as if the whole world is moving in the direction that would benefit them the most!'

At this point, his eyes became wide open as a terrifying notion popped into his head, 'Could it be... the world's strange events are totally being controlled by

them? Everything comes back to them? They are changing the world... who are they? Who is behind the Virus Industries? Who is behind Aizen Vee? What's their true goal?' By now, the further he deliberated on the topic, the more alarmed and lost he became.

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PARIS, FRANCE

Currently, a variety of people were commuting among the noisy streets of this city of love. At present, they were walking on these jammed streets for many different reasons. Some of them were tourists, some were the native citizens of this city, while many others had their own personal reason to be in this great city.

Right now, in one of the packed streets of this crowded city which happened to be extremely close to the popular Tower of Eiffel, people were having one of those extremely normal days of their life when abruptly...

Crack~

In an absolutely quiet manner, a small crack started to expand on the very space itself as the next moment, it began to expand exactly the same way how fissures grew on a cracking transparent glass, only in this case, it was on the fabric of space itself.

In a matter of a few seconds, this crack's height grew to more than one and a half meters.

Many people were still unaware of the abrupt appearance of this fracture on space. That was especially true when it came to the person closest to the

crack whose head was currently lowered toward his phone while he continued on his path toward the crack.

Soon, he finally came into direct contact with the crack... as he disappeared into it!

By now, almost everyone had noticed the appearance of this unbelievable scene in front of them as they looked at the gap in space both in a startled and stunned manner.

For a few seconds, it seemed as if everyone had stopped moving altogether while they stared at the rift in front of them quietly as their eyes snapped wide open to a horrifying degree.

"Ahhhhh..." However, finally, a woman started screaming as she began running in a random direction before disappearing into the distant horizon.

This scream instantly brought everyone back to their senses and then... the silence was no more!

"Ahhhhhhhh..."

"Oh my god! What is that!"

"Waaaaah"

"Fuuuuuuuuuuck! Fuck fuck fuck fuck..."

"Mommy~ Waaah..."

Now, all around the rift, it was complete chaos as everyone was running in a random direction like scared ants.

They were so terrified that many of them even had lost their balance as they fell on the ground and were crushed under their feet the very next moment.

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Around an hour later, the army had already locked up and even quarantined the area.

At the moment, there were so many soldiers surrounding the district that one might mistake it for a war zone instead of a normal city domain.

The citizens all around the area and the neighborhood were already evacuated, so no common citizens could be spotted around the vicinity at all.

At first, the police had the situation under control, however, soon, the army arrived there as they took control of everything and became in charge of this odd phenomena.

At this point, an expensive army car arrived somewhere near the quarantined zone as a dignified middle-aged man got out of the car.

The moment he exited, another middle-aged man was already waiting for him there as he saluted.

Understanding the emergency of the situation though, the dignified middle-aged man didn't bother with any of these unnecessary matters and instead commanded, "Lieutenant general, tell me everything you know about this thing we're facing."

"Army general, according to the people who were present at the scene, it's been around an hour since this fissure showed up. Also, some of them reported that a normal citizen mistakenly made contact with it before disappearing into it." The Lieutenant general reported every piece of information he understood regarding the crack and its surroundings.

"What did the scientists say?" The Army general inquired further. He had to get a full picture of this whole situation before reporting it back to both the impatiently waiting prime minister and the President.

"Reporting to sir, the scientists will arrive with the helicopter in five minutes."
The Lieutenant general stated.

"Alright then." Understanding he had to wait, the Army general began to walk toward a special bus that was prepared for him.

Soon, a group of best scientists arrived at the zone as they began their study on this odd phenomena.

An hour later, finally, they walked before the army general as they began to explain everything they were able to understand from this crack. Of course, most of their deductions were only hypothetical.

"Reporting to Army general, the information we gathered regarding that rupture might be wrong in some aspects, so please keep this point in your mind." Before starting, the lead scientist didn't forget to warn the Army general about this essential point.

"I understand. Please continue." The Army general voiced in response.

Nodding his head, the lead scientist proceeded, "So, based on many theories our current scientific fields have reached to this day... that rupture is probably a rift in space and it most likely leads to another location. As to where it leads to... even we have no idea."

The Army general was startled at first, but then, a sharp gaze worthy of the general of all armies sparkled in his eyes as he threw the most important questions at the lead scientist, "First, will that rift in space disappear by itself naturally? Second, will it expand and endanger everything? And at last, is there any possibilities that some unknown people might exist on the other side of this rip in space... some people that might attack us or hold hostility toward us?"

Listening to these three vital questions of the Army general, the lead scientist first consulted with some of the scientists by his side before starting to

respond to the inquiry, "Unfortunately, we can't respond to any of Army general's three questions with certainty. However, based on the theories we have studied and comprehended ourselves to this point, we can say the very space itself has a tendency to mend and restore itself... so it will probably disappear at some point."

Pausing for a moment at this point, the lead scientist proceeded, "As for the Army general's second question, we believe there must be a cause as to why this rift had appeared here in the first place. So we can only conclude that for this crack in the fabric of space to expand even further, that cause would require even further energy... so that's highly unlikely."

"And also, regarding your last question sir, without any confidence in my own words, I would say this kind of crack wouldn't appear here by itself, so there must be something or someone, or in short a reason that has caused this crack to appear here... anyway, this is entirely unknown territory for us, something we almost have no understanding about!" The lead scientist replied vaguely. Many of his words almost had no scientific base behind them.

"I understand, I have one last question for you, could it be that those monsters in South Korea have come out of a crack like this?" The Army general was smart enough to immediately relate this mysterious space crack to those unidentified monsters which popped out of nowhere since both of them were two unknowns that had occurred just recently.

Catching the question, the lead scientist's eyes began to shine in both exhilaration and terror as he had found a new possibility and perspective to look at this situation, so turning around, once more, he began to consult with other scientists.

Five minutes passed, when the lead scientist finally looked over once again and started talking, "Sir, that's a very likely possibility. Those monsters popped out of nowhere... if we assume that a crack like this had also

appeared on Jeju island without anyone spotting it and afterward it had disappeared when the monsters came out of it... that would make total sense. Two never-seen-before mysterious phenomenon happening one after another, they must be related to one another. You got to understand sir, before today, there was no such phenomenon in all our history I believe..."

A deeply contemplative look appeared on the Army general's face after hearing everything. He was digesting and organizing everything right now.

This process continued for around two minutes before he began to move as he took out a special type of phone and started reporting everything to the other side of the line.

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Currently, on the other side of the line, the prime minister and the President were sitting on the table as they conversed and consulted with each other. The Army general had just notified them of everything and now was waiting for further orders.

"So... what should we do? Wait for the monsters to show up? Or charge into the rift with the army? Hmm, they should be appearing soon, right?" While touching his chin, the prime minister murmured in a deeply contemplative state.

"We don't know what's on the other side. It's completely unknown territory, it might even directly lead to the outer space itself, so we can't risk our soldiers' lives. That means, we can only wait and prepare for their arrival." The President also voiced his deliberation.

Shaking his head, the prime minister added, "Still, we don't know anything about what they are, or what the source of everything is. So we have no choice other than investigating this, otherwise, we would be totally in the dark about our enemies and that might end things very badly for us."

"That's also true, how about we send a few soldiers inside for a quick investigation?" Massaging his chin, the President stated with a small frown since he understood this was probably a suicide mission.

"Yes. We can only prepare as heavy as we can while sending some people inside." Nodding his head, the prime minister confirmed his own view.

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In the meantime, the world was going crazy after the videos of this crack on space were broadcasted for everyone in the world to see.

At this day, humanity experienced another turmoil as a seed of fear was implanted in them once more.

Right now, on a television channel, a reporter was elaborating on everything he knew regarding this startling piece of news, "So an hour earlier, in Paris, a fissure showed up on the very fabric of space itself which many scientists call it the rift. According to our speculations, this rift in the fabric of space is most likely to be the reason behind the unidentified monsters that had appeared on Jeju island out of nowhere."

Another famous News channel was also reporting, "Currently, the government of France is tightly keeping watch right beside the rift as they have already locked up and quarantined the area while waiting for monsters to show up at any minutes now."

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The media all around the world was going crazy reporting this unexpected piece of news which was currently disturbing the whole world once again.

And in return for these pieces of news, people around the world were showing different kinds of reactions.

"It seems like God really wants us all dead... and all this won't stop until we're all no more!" An old man voiced in a calm tone, he had aged to a degree that he was no longer afraid of death to be honest.

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"No... Mommy, are we all going to die?" An elementary school kid asked her mom. She and her mom lived in Paris.

"No, why would we die? Humanity is stronger than you think baby girl... whatever happens, we'll definitely survive." Caressing her head, her mom replied to her, reassuring the kid with a kind smile, however internally, she was scared witless as her hand was shivering slightly.

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"Dude! We are all fucked! A portal just opened up in Paris!" Running toward his best friend, a young man voiced in fear.

However, unlike his expectations, the other young man's eyes began to shine like never before as he queried, "Really?!? Do you think if we pass through it... we would be transported into another world?"

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"Damn it. It's SAP! It must be SAP! It's gonna destroy our world! FAP just finished and now SAP has arrived!" {A/N: I believe he means 'Second Apocalyptic Phenomena :D)

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"I knew that fucking foreshadower was right! This was foreshadowed! We're screwed now!" Someone who had watched Liliana Tudor's program exclaimed while looking at the rift displaying itself on the television.

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The world leaders were also deeply shaken by the news as they were keeping a close eye on France. What happened next would decide and change a lot of things for them.

This was especially true for countries like the United States, Russia, China, Korea, Japan, etc. who were watching everything with their satellites day and night. They even sent some people of authority and soldiers to watch everything from a closer range.

Anyway, France's army soon created a small group of soldiers who were willing to enter the crack in the fabric of space.

These ten brave soldiers were soon equipped with spacesuits and cameras as they were about to enter the rift.

So, one after another, they walked before the rift very slowly. A few seconds later, the first person in the line was upon the crack. After hesitating for a bit, determination began to course through his eyes as he directly walked into the crack, vanishing into it.

After that, the remaining nine people also started to enter one after another. Very soon, all of them were gone and what remained behind was an army of soldiers watching their disappearing comrades quietly.

The team was ordered to return in at most ten hours. If it took any longer than that, it would be assumed that something had gone wrong and those soldiers were probably... dead.

A variety of tanks, helicopters, and thousands of soldiers armed with many weapons and grenades were already lined in the surroundings of the rift. It was literally a warzone now.

There were even aircrafts ready for call prepared at the military airports that would go in motion the moment something showed up from the rift.

"Army general, it's been an hour since they entered, but nothing so far..." A soldier came running and reported the situation to the dignified Army general who was currently resting in the special bus that was prepared for him.

No hurries, tell the soldiers to stay alert. Change their shifts every three hours and be prepared for any sudden changes in the rift.

"Yes, sir." Saluting, the soldier left.

Very quickly, two hours elapsed, but there was still no news from the team that had entered the crack.

Three hours...

Four hours...

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Six hours...

By now, the soldiers were getting anxious as a scary thought began to pop up in their heads, the notion that their comrades might be already dead.

However, shaking their heads, they decided not to lose hope just yet.

Eight hours...

Nine hours...

Now, there was almost no one with hopes about the soldiers coming back alive, they could feel that they would never return and this saddened and disheartened many of them greatly.

Finally, ten hours drifted away but no further news was received from the other side of the rift as its condition remained the same as before.

"Sigh... so they're dead." Vocalized the Army general in a helpless tone.

"This won't work... we can only wait for the monsters to come out by themselves." Shaking his head, he picked up a specific phone as he started to report everything to the higher-ups.

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"Sigh... order the soldiers to stand by and be alarmed, we will wait for the monsters to come out themselves." Ordered the President with a sigh.

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Afterward, the soldiers and tanks remained there on stand by as they closely guarded the rift both day and night until finally, three days had already passed.

"What's going on? Why isn't anything happening?" A soldier asked his comrade.

"No idea... maybe... nothing's going to happen?" His comrade answered.

Four days...

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A week slipped away just like that, but there was still no reaction whatsoever from the crack in front of them.

By now, even the Army general was having doubts as to whether something was going to happen or not.

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"Hmm... the news said there is no reaction whatsoever from the rift yet... maybe the news was wrong? Maybe those monsters have nothing to do with the rift in Paris?" A girl sitting in her class proclaimed at her classmate.

"That's very likely... otherwise, why would nothing happen until now?" Said the other young girl.

The whole world was questioning the fact as to whether the rift in Paris had anything to do with those savage beasts or not now. However, no one's attention was swayed from Paris as they continued to carefully keep it under their radars.

Time began to elapse once more until the fifteenth day arrived. By now, the soldiers were just gazing at the rupture in front of them in a rather disinterested manner, as if they believed nothing would happen at all, just like the past fifteen days.

And it was at this time, when finally, the rift started reacting and shockingly, the distance between the two sides of the crack opened slightly, revealing the blue and white fog-like clouds inside it for a moment.

Crack~

Immediately, horrifying beasts of extraordinary sizes started to appear before the rift one after another.

There were three gigantic three-meters six-horned rhinoceroses, a terrifying three-meters spider which had the head of a lion, six white tigers, and four squirrel-like two meters beasts which had frightening claws together with very muscly legs.

Then, for a moment, the rift stopped spitting out monsters altogether, making those who could still think to believe that was the end.

However, at this time, the rift began to function again as it started to discharge various kinds of creatures once more!

This time though, there was a difference between the previous gigantic monsters and the new creatures that were popping up.