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Chapter 751: Crisis II

“What happened with the Atlan civilization? Didn’t we win during the war back then? Wasn’t the Atlan civilization completely destroyed?”

Merlin thought about the war with the Vestigial Tribe that swept through the entire Void Zone that the Purple Emperor had mentioned. The Vestigial Tribe had some similar characteristics with the mysterious Atlan civilization. Merlin also wanted to know more about the Atlan civilization.

The Blackfire Lord hesitated for a moment before sighing. “Merlin, you’ve become an Honored Legend now, and you also have the right to know some things. The Atlan civilization isn’t well-known in the outside world because from the beginning to the end, the Atlan civilization had been surrounded by our Spell Caster civilization. The civilization war that had erupted back then was also because the Spell Caster civilization was expanding and opened the Atlan civilization.

“None of us expected that there would be such a huge dimension in the Void Zone. Merlin, it’s still difficult for you to imagine what a dimension tens of thousands of times larger than the average dimension means. That dimension alone can compare to all the dimensions that the Spell Caster civilization conquered or perhaps even larger.”

Merlin was shocked. How terrifying was a dimension tens of thousands of times larger than an ordinary dimension? The Spell Caster civilization’s forces were powerful now but they had also occupied tens of thousands of dimensions. This was the result of the Spell Caster civilization’s expansion over many years.

However, the Atlan civilization was just a single dimension but it was huge. It was not surprising that the Atlan civilization could develop so many unique items.

“If it was just the huge size of the dimension, then it wouldn’t matter. No matter how large the dimension, if it’s conquered by our Spell Caster civilization, it would be more beneficial to us. It’ll far surpass the Glorious Land. The Great Ultimate Arcane Wizards had also entered the Atlan dimension before and realized that the dimension was very powerful. Once they had entered the Atlan dimension, the natural order was isolated. Nevertheless, even if an ultimate

being couldn't mobilize the power of the natural order, they still had power equivalent to a powerful Lord."

This was Merlin's first time hearing so many details about the Atlan civilization as well as the Atlan dimension. That strange dimension could isolate the natural order? That was too strange. After all, the power of the natural order was everywhere. As long as they were in the Void Zone, they would be under the influence of the natural order.

Ultimate existences that had integrated with the natural order were almost invincible. No one would compete with ultimate existence under the influence of the natural order.

Besides the Vestigial Tribe... The Vestigial Tribe swept past the entire Void Zone. Their cultivation methods were completely different from Spell Casters, the Giant Tribe, and everyone else, so there was no need for them to integrate with the natural order.

Merlin had more questions about the Atlan civilization now. If he had not known the Vestigial Tribe, he would not have such speculation either. However, since he knew the terrifying Vestigial Tribe that had swept past the Void Zone back then, he wondered if the Atlan civilization was related to the Vestigial Tribe.

If they were, then it would be very troublesome. The Purple Emperor had clearly said that everyone from the Vestigial Tribe was killed, and not a single one was left alive.

Merlin's mind was also full of disorderly thoughts as he continued to listen to the Blackfire Lord's introduction.

"The Atlan civilization doesn't need Elements or the natural order. Their power comes from all kinds of strange minerals and energy. They have powerful warships and armors that allow small and weak Wizards to instantly have power rivaling Great Legends. They can also create puppets comparable to Legends. When the Atlan civilization released their terrifying power in the past, they easily defeated our Spell Caster civilization, and even spread the fires of war to the Glorious Land.

"In the end, the Three Great Arcane Wizards finally acted after determining that there were no ultimate existences in the Atlan civilization. They used their ultimate power to channel the force of the natural order to destroy countless Atlan civilization warships. Only then did the Atlan civilization hurriedly retreat to their own dimension. However, that was all. The Three Great Wizards entered the Atlan dimension and couldn't sense the power of the natural order.

Although they were still powerful, to the Three Great Arcane Wizards who couldn't mobilize the power of the natural order in the Atlan civilization, it posed a fatal threat to them.

“Therefore, we can only seal off the Atlan civilization in their dimension while an Arcane Wizard has been personally overseeing it until now. In fact, the war is still ongoing! Now, we don't know what methods the Rock Tribe used to contact the Atlan civilization. If the Rock Tribe Progenitor holds back our Three Great Arcane Wizards, who will hold back the Atlan civilization?”

The Blackfire Lord had already explained the secrets of the Spell Caster civilization. Many Spell Casters had not even heard of the Atlan civilization, so they naturally did not know the horror of the Atlan civilization.

Only those like the Blackfire Lord, who had personally experienced the war, would know the terror of the Atlan civilization. Besides ultimate existences, Lords, Honored Legends, and Legendary Wizards were all no match for the Atlan civilization.

From the empire-level warship, Merlin already knew how terrifying the Atlan civilization was. As long as there were enough materials and energy, a regular empire-level warship could continuously manufacture martial arts robots comparable to ordinary Legends. What about dimension-level warships? Would that not be more horrible?

Besides ultimate existences, no force could compete with the Atlan civilization. It was not surprising that even though it was just news that the Rock Tribe had made contact with the Atlan civilization, the Spell Caster civilization was still extremely nervous.

“Blackfire Lord, is it possible to temporarily give up a portion of the Atlan civilization's dimension?”

Merlin pondered. If the Atlan civilization had established contact with the Rock Tribe, then the threat would be too large. However, on another thought, the Atlan civilization was also a civilization, and needed a place to live. This did not involve just the Spell Caster civilization. If it were a matter of threats, then other civilizations were also threats to the Atlan civilization.

The Blackfire Lord shook his head and said, “It's not that simple. The Atlan civilization just happens to be in the core territory of our Spell Caster civilization. If they ally with the Rock Tribe, our Spell Caster civilization forces would shrink by more than half. That's extremely unfavorable to the development of the entire civilization.”

Merlin immediately understood. It was a battle for a place to survive that led to a civilization war. It was just a civilization that needed a place to survive.

The Spell Caster civilization had already expanded for more than three thousand years, and had finally reached their current prosperous state. To voluntarily withdraw and lose more than half their dimensions would be something very difficult for the Three Great Wizards to commit to.

Besides, no one could say for sure that even if the Spell Caster civilization made concessions, the Rock Tribe and the Atlan civilization would not continue to chase after them and let the Spell Caster civilization off.

The Three Great Arcane Wizards would not be able to afford that high a price.

Furthermore, the Spell Caster civilization now had not reached the end of the line yet. They only needed to firmly surround the Atlan civilization and send at least two Ultimate Arcane Wizards to oversee them and trap the Atlan civilization. That would make the alliance between the Rock Tribe and the Atlan civilization a joke. The Atlan civilization's advantages would not be able to come into play.

After all, the Atlan civilization did not have ultimate existences. Against ultimate existences, no amount of warships, martial arts robots, and so on would be of use.

“Teacher, what’s the current situation?”

Merlin was most concerned about the Atlan civilization. If the Atlan civilization had already joined forces with the Rock Tribe, then the situation would be very grim for the Spell Casters.

The Blackfire Lord smiled and said, “It’s not a large problem for the time being. Arcane Wizard Ceci has been stationed at the surrounding of the Atlan dimension. If the Rock Tribe Progenitor arrives, Arcane Wizard Ceci will know.”

Merlin nodded. As long as the Atlan civilization was still suppressed, the problem would not be that large. However, the Rock Tribe would send someone into the Atlan dimension. That would be troublesome.

It seemed that the three Great Arcane Wizards were mobilizing the entire Spell Caster civilization to deal with the Rock Tribe. This time, it would not be as simple as the civilization war from before. They would have to completely suppress the Rock Tribe.

After all, the Rock Tribe had already made movements to join forces with the Atlan civilization and annihilate the Spell Caster civilization. This infuriated the Three Great Arcane Wizards.

This massive civilization war was already inevitable!

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A month passed, and more Spell Casters continued to gather at Setoh Arcane City, all at least Great Legends. Even Teacher Zado, who Merlin was familiar with, arrived.

Teacher Zado, who had formed five Maxims, had not been enlightened on an ultimate Maxim yet. Therefore, when he saw that Merlin had already surpassed him and became an Honored Legend, he had a look of disbelief.

Currently, Merlin sat beside Legend Zado. Around them were many Legends and Honored Legends all sitting together, quietly waiting. The forces concentrated in Setoh Arcane City were extremely powerful now, and all that was left was Arcane Wizard Setoh himself.

“Merlin, I still find it hard to believe. You’ve reached heaven in a single bound and consolidated an ultimate Maxim? I wanted to let you practice more and form a Maxim to become a Legend. Who would’ve thought...”

Legend Zado still seemed to be in disbelief. He had consolidated five Maxims but he had not formed a single ultimate Maxim even after a thousand years. Naturally, he knew how difficult it was to form an ultimate Maxim.

“My luck was just good. Teacher Zado, you just need an opportunity.”

Merlin could tell that Legend Zado was just about to form an ultimate Maxim. He was just missing an opportunity but that could take hundreds of thousands of years or even more to occur.

However, no one could do anything about that. He could only silently anticipate that the opportunity would occur earlier.

“It doesn’t matter. I’ve waited for so many years, so how would I still care about a little time? Besides, I’ve already formed Maxims. I have plenty of time.”

Legend Zado did not mind either. As long as he had condensed a Maxim and became a Legend, he would not die as long as his Maxim was not destroyed. Therefore, in theory, these Legendary Wizards were the same as gods. They had an endless lifespan.

“Boom.”

Suddenly, a huge pressure descended. Many Legends were talking in low voices earlier, but they all became serious at this moment. This pressure completely surpassed that of a Great Lord’s. It was the arrival of an Ultimate Arcane Wizard!

Chapter 752: Arrival

Arcane Wizard Setoh arrived in a white light.

Following behind Arcane Wizard Setoh were six Great Lords including the Blackfire Lord. They were the strongest force in Setoh Arcane City.

Even in the previous war with the Rock Tribes, there were only four Great Lords. Now, there were two more. It showed that Setoh Arcane City was going all out this time and did not dare to have any reservations.

Arcane Wizard Setoh did not seem to have changed at all since the last time Merlin saw him. The only difference might have been that Arcane Wizard Setoh’s gaze was deeper.

“Everyone, I’ve summoned you here to Setoh Arcane City as it’s important to the entire Spell Caster civilization. This is a matter of life and death!”

Arcane Wizard Setoh said solemnly after appearing.

At the same time, the six Great Lords also looked grim as their gazes swept across the many Legendary Wizards below.

Merlin was sitting near the front. After all, he was a great Honored Legend. In any place, an Honored Legend had incredibly high status. In weaker civilizations, an Honored Legend would be able to support an entire civilization alone.

“What’s going on? We all responded to Arcane Wizard Setoh’s summon but we don’t know how serious the matter is. Did another civilization war erupt?”

Some Legendary Wizards asked curiously. All of them had rushed over but they did not know the reason why.

Arcane Wizard Setoh hesitated for a moment before finally saying, “The Rock Tribe... The Rock Tribe was unwilling to be resigned to being defeated by our Setoh Arcane City back then, and have joined forces with the Atlan civilization, which our Spell Caster civilization has firmly suppressed. I believe that some Legends would still remember the Atlan civilization. Therefore, not only our Setoh Arcane City but Ceci Arcane City and Augustus Arcane City have been mobilized as well.”

“Chatter.”

All the Legendary Wizards began to discuss after Arcane Wizard Setoh had spoken. Some new Legendary Wizards might have known a little about the Atlan civilization but there were some Legendary Wizards had been around for a much longer time, and had personally experienced the cruel war from back then. They naturally knew the horrors of the Atlan civilization.

Setoh Arcane City even gradually caught up to Ceci Arcane City, one of the three Great Arcane Cities because Ceci Arcane City had been suppressing the Atlan civilization, and not many Legendary Wizards were willing to join them.

In a few hundred years, Setoh Arcane City might be able to completely surpass Ceci Arcane City.

“It’s the Atlan civilization. This is troublesome.”

“What’s the Atlan civilization? Are they stronger than the Rock Tribe?”

“There are two ultimate existences in the Rock Tribe but I’ve never heard of one in the Atlan civilization...”

These Legendary Wizards had such conversations from time to time. Some Spell Casters who had experienced the terrible war were unwilling to speak more. They all knew the terror of the Atlan civilization. However, the new Legends who had never experienced the war with the Atlan civilization were curious and kept asking about the Atlan civilization.

In short, at that moment, the entire hall was somewhat chaotic.

“It’s the Atlan civilization... Merlin, did you know this already?”

Legend Zado, who originally had a relaxed expression, slowly became grim. It seemed that Legend Zado did not receive any news in advance, and only knew that it was related to the Atlan civilization now.

“Teacher Zado, I met Teacher Blackfire earlier. He already told me.”

Legend Zado nodded and said, “Yes, I forgot that you’re a disciple the Blackfire Lord values... I believe you also know how terrifying the Atlan civilization is. However, you only know a little since you haven’t experienced it. The Blackfire Lord and I have personally experienced it before... I thought things were becoming calm. I didn’t expect that a civilization war would start again.”

Merlin looked at Legend Zado. Those who had experienced the war would never forget it, and would never want to take part in that cruel battle again.

However, even if they were unwilling, there was no other choice now. Now that the Rock Tribe and the Atlan civilization had joined forces secretly, they posed a great threat to the Spell Caster civilization.

“Alright, I believe that all of you understand that the Atlan civilization has joined forces with the Rock Tribe. The situation is still under the control of the Spell Caster civilization. Currently, Arcane Wizard Ceci is already preparing. Ceci Arcane City will not move as they’re suppressing the Atlan civilization. Therefore, our Setoh Arcane City would be facing the Rock

Tribe again. The civilization war this time will be more severe than the last. However, our Setoh Arcane City would obtain victory in the war!”

With Arcane Wizard Setoh’s order, the Legendary Wizards immediately began to fly toward the direction of the Rock Tribe. The six Great Lords all brought out powerful casting tools to bring the Legendary Wizards there.

“Merlin, you have to be careful this time. Since the Rock Tribe dared to challenge our Spell Caster civilization again, they have something to rely on. You must be cautious especially of the Atlan civilization. If we really can’t suppress them this time, I’m afraid it’ll be very dangerous.”

Legend Zado reminded Merlin not to let his guard down no matter what. Merlin naturally knew that even if he had become an Honored Legend, it was nothing when in the face of the Atlan civilization.

After all, the Origin Lord had died because of the Atlan civilization. He was a terrifying Lord as well as an ultimate existence but he was killed by the Atlan civilization.

Furthermore, Merlin also had an Atlan civilization empire-level warship. He knew better than anyone how terrifying the Atlan civilization was.

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In the silent Void Zone, six huge ships exuding frightening forces flew forward mightily. Spell Casters or foreign tribe contenders who felt these six powerful forces hurriedly stay away.

The life force of Great Lords was emitted without restraint above the ships. That terrifying ultimate Maxim seemed to tear apart anything that stood in its way.

Currently, the six Great Lords and Arcane Wizard Setoh were in a large hall. Their respective casting tools were controlled by apparitions while their real bodies gathered with Arcane Wizard Setoh.

“Wizard Setoh, what’s the situation now? Will there be any problem in Ceci Arcane City?”

It was the Nightmare Lord who spoke first. He was the first Lord of Setoh Arcane City, and had formed four ultimate Maxims, making him second only to Arcane Wizard Setoh.

These Lords were different from Spell Casters. They were the true core that stood at the peak of the Spell Caster civilization, leading the progress of the civilization.

They knew that the situation this time was very serious. However, the most important thing to deal with was not the Rock Tribe that Setoh Arcane City would be fighting but the Atlan Dimension, which Ceci Arcane City was overseeing instead. As long as the Atlan civilization was unable to leave their dimension and remained suppressed by Ceci Arcane City, then it would not help no matter how provoking the Rock Tribe was.

In overall strength, the Spell Caster civilization was far stronger than the Rock Tribe!

“Be rest assured. Arcane Wizard Ceci had made ample preparations this time and surrounded the Atlan Dimension. Even if the Rock Tribe had plans to sneak someone inside, they can give up now. Anyone who dares to come out of the Atlan Dimension would be killed without hesitation by Arcane Wizard Ceci.”

Arcane Wizard Setoh was very assured when it came to Arcane Wizard Ceci. Although the Atlan civilization was strong, since they had no ultimate existences, they could only be turtles hiding in their shells. If they left their dimension, they would not have any power that could resist Arcane Wizard Ceci’s attack.

Therefore, although the current situation was grim, the Spell Caster civilization still held the upper hand.

The only thing to worry about was the two Progenitors of the Rock Tribe. This time, the Rock Tribe was desperate. If their Progenitors went berserk, it would have a disastrous impact on the Spell Caster civilization.

“We have Arcane Wizard Augustus! The entire Augustus Arcane City has also been mobilized. Hmph, this time, we’ll let the Rock Tribe suffer so much that they’ll never have the thought to compete with our Spell Caster civilization ever again.”

At the mention of Arcane Wizard Augustus, the six Great Lords all sighed in relief. Augustus was the number one contender in the Spell Caster civilization as well as an ultimate existence that intimidated the God Alliance.

With Augustus, the situation should still be under control even if there were two Rock Tribe Progenitors.

However, only the Three Great Arcane Wizards were a little lucky. Fortunately, due to a twist of fate, they had previously joined forces to injure the Lord God of Light, causing the Lord God of Light to need a thousand years to recuperate.

Otherwise, the Lord God of Light would interfere with this crisis. Once Augustus had left, the God Alliance would stir under the Lord God of Light's influence.

At that time, the Spell Caster civilization would be attacked from three sides. The situation would become extremely dangerous.

That was the fortune of misfortune but this crisis with the Rock Tribe and the Atlan civilization had to be resolved within one thousand years. Otherwise, there would be trouble when the Lord God of Light awoken.

There were some things that Arcane Wizard Setoh naturally did not mention, lest it influenced them badly.

“Boom.”

Finally, the six large ships gradually stopped. They had arrived at the place where the last war with the Rock Tribe took place.

“Whoosh whoosh whoosh.”

The ship opened, and countless Legendary Wizards immediately got off the ship. Merlin also left the ship with Legend Zado, and stood quietly in the Void Zone.

He swept his Mind Power and was somewhat surprised. The Spell Casters from Setoh Arcane City were many more than before. This time, they were going all out. There were six Great Lords, thirty-six Honored Legends, and more than five hundred Legendary Wizards.

This was the strongest force that Setoh Arcane City could muster!

Moreover, this time, there was no one below Legend level. They were all above Legend level. This also showed the mindset of the Spell Caster civilization. Once the battle began, it would be a severe civilization war. They would have to viciously attack the Rock Tribe and completely suppress them.

Even if they could not destroy the Rock Tribe, they had to inflict heavy losses on them, so much so that they would not be able to recover even after ten thousand years.

Chapter 753: Two Progenitors!

The wind howled. There was no space, no time, and no vitality in the Void Zone. However now, there was a faint storm brewing. It was a storm of Maxims!

More than five hundred Legendary Wizards coupled with thirty-six Honored Legends, and six Great Lords led by Arcane Wizard Setoh. A force like that was enough to wipe out several weak civilizations.

However, they were currently facing the Rock Tribe, which was not a weak civilization!

“Hanra, in the previous civilization war, your Rock Tribe suffered disastrous losses. I didn’t want to suffer more losses as well so I didn’t continue to pursue you. However, your Rock Tribe didn’t learn their lesson and provoked my Spell Caster civilization again. Very well, this time, your Rock Tribe won’t be as lucky.”

Arcane Wizard Setoh looked at the empty Void Zone in front of him. There were still some dilapidated dimensions which were deserted due to the previous civilization war.

He knew that the Rock Creatures must be nearby. After all, they were already very close to the Rock Tribe. The other party would not remain indifferent.

After a moment, terrifying forces suddenly appeared, and Progenitor’s Bodies emerged one after another out of the empty Void Zone.

However, the Rock Tribe Progenitor Hanra was not present among them.

“Is that all?”

Arcane Wizard Setoh frowned. The Rock Tribe could only have prepared just this amount of forces. However, in any case, he was determined to crush the Rock Tribe completely so they would never have any thought of causing trouble ever again.

Therefore, Arcane Wizard Setoh waved a hand and said, “Kill. All Spell Casters, heed my orders. As long as you encounter a Rock Tribe dimension, destroy it completely. Leave no one alive!”

This was an attempt to destroy the foundation of the Rock Tribe civilization. In the previous civilization war, they did not damage the foundation of the Rock Tribe, and Arcane Wizard Setoh did not destroy any Rock Tribe dimension either.

However, it was not the same this time. Now, the Rock Tribe had joined forces with the Atlan civilization to destroy the Spell Caster civilization. As a result, Arcane Wizard Setoh no longer had to be courteous, and ordered the destruction of the Rock Tribe dimensions.

Besides, those dimensions were of no use to Spell Casters after being transformed by the Rock Tribe.

In the Void Zone, destroying a dimension was a fatal blow to any civilization. If there were no more dimensions, no matter how powerful a civilization was, it would rapidly decline.

The dimensions were the foundation!

“Haha, Merlin, let’s go. What a crazy war this is. Perhaps in this war between life and death, I’ll find my opportunity!”

There were no traces of fear on Legend Zado’s face. Instead, he appeared very excited. He needed an opportunity to form an ultimate Maxim, and it was the easiest to find an opportunity while between life and death.

Besides Legend Zado, although the other Legendary Wizards also looked solemn, they did not have any fear. They were all outstanding Legendary Wizards and were the backbone of the Spell Caster civilization. The Spell Caster civilization could rapidly rise in a short period of only three thousand years, and many Legendary Wizards had already participated in brutal civilization wars.

Even if they had not participated in one before, those who newly became Legends would have been influenced too, and fought with foreign tribes before. Therefore, the Spell Caster civilization had been constantly fighting battles since it had entered the Void Zone. Spell Casters never became fearful of battles.

“Boom.”

The Spell Caster moved but in a very methodical way. The six Great Lords moved individually while the five hundred or so Legends were assigned to the thirty-six Honored Legends.

Each Honored Legend led at least fourteen ordinary Legends, forming a total of thirty-six powerful teams. The teams did not need to use any Runic Magic Circles either since they were Legends who had already formed Maxims. Therefore, the fourteen ordinary Legends only needed to release their Maxims under the Honored Legend’s orders which immediately burst into terrifying power.

Thirty-six teams marched toward the Rock Tribe dimensions in front of them. There were some Progenitor’s Bodies that appeared before them but those could not resist the thirty-six teams at all.

After all, no matter how powerful a Progenitor’s Body was, it would only be comparable to an Honored Legend. However, each team was led by an Honored Legend. They were far superior to ordinary Honored Legends, and were right below Lords.

Once the Spell Caster civilization took action and the Spell Casters above Legend gathered, the Rock Tribe would have no advantage at all. However, the Spell Caster civilization would not do that unless necessary. After all, once dimensions were destroyed, it became an extermination war. Wars like that were much crueler than civilization wars.

“Crack crack.”

Progenitor's Bodies were defeated one by one, and the thirty-six teams soon pushed into the Rock Tribe dimensions. Those dimensions were completely devoid of any life force. They looked like dead dimensions.

This was a typical feature of the Rock Tribe. Rock Creatures did not have any life force. They were different from Spell Casters, the Giant Tribe, the Tree Tribe, and so on. They were not a living tribe at all.

Therefore, the reputation of the Rock Tribe among these civilizations was not good. They were suppressed by the Spell Caster civilization, and were not strong, so their influence in the Void Zone was very limited.

However, a unique civilization like this had produced two ultimate existences. Although neither were extremely strong, it ensured the existence of the Rock Tribe civilization. Although the Spell Caster civilization had severely suppressed the Rock Tribe civilization, it had never started an extermination war because of the existence of those two ultimate existences.

However, now, it did not matter anymore.

“Rumble.”

As the dimensions were destroyed, the terrifying resentment of the Rock Creatures rose. In those dimensions lived countless Rock Creatures but in the face of those thirty-six Spell Casters, there was no resistance at all.

In the depths of the Rock Tribe forces, two figures quietly stood in the void. They watched as their dimensions were destroyed one by one by the Spell Casters, their expressions incredibly dark.

“Hanra, go ahead. Even if we contacted the Atlan civilization, we can't let our losses grow too large. These dimensions are our foundation!”

Another figure said in a low voice.

“It's indeed time to act... They've gone deep enough. However, we need to pin down at least two Arcane Wizards to be safe, not just Setoh.”

Progenitor Hanra also hesitated. They seemed to be brewing a plot, so they did not move even after seeing their dimensions getting destroyed. After all, a dimension was the foundation of a civilization. If dimensions were destroyed, even if there were ultimate existences, it would be meaningless.

“It doesn’t matter. With both of our strengths, we’ll be able to directly wipe out many Spell Casters if we act. Humph, I don’t think that Setoh would be able to stop us. As long as he can’t restrain us, the other two Arcane Wizards of the Spell Caster civilization would act as well, and no matter who acts, our goal would be achieved!”

The other figure was the other mysterious Progenitor of the Rock Tribe, whom the outside world only knew as Zenmo. He was a very mysterious Progenitor, and those who had seen Progenitor Zenmo before were few and far in between.

“Alright, we’ll proceed as planned!”

Hanra looked at the destroyed dimensions and hatred filled his heart. His figure flickered, and he disappeared without a trace.

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The thirty-six Legendary teams had destroyed the Rock Tribe dimensions as easily as breaking a dead branch from a tree.

There were much lesser Rock Tribe dimensions compared to the amount Spell Casters. In this short period, the Rock Tribe had already suffered disastrous losses. However, the Rock Tribe Progenitors had not arrived yet.

“What’s going on?”

Arcane Wizard Setoh was also suspicious. Suddenly, a terrifying figure appeared, bringing destructive power that instantly enveloped the thirty-six teams.

At that moment, it seemed that the Maxims that blanketed the sky would be crushed under the pressure of the horrifying might. This was the power of the natural order that overruled any other power!

“He’s here!”

Arcane Wizard Setoh’s eyes sharpened. He took a step forward, and waved his hand. A huge shield appeared above the heads of the thirty-six Legendary teams.

“Boom.”

The Void Zone seemed to shake when the terrifying forces collided. This was a collision of the power of the natural force. The Void Zone could not withstand such strength.

“Hanra, you’re finally here!”

Arcane Wizard Setoh’s gaze was sharp as he glared at the familiar figure in the distance. It was Progenitor Hanra, who he had fought hand to hand during the previous civilization war.

“Setoh, I’m not alone this time. Zenmo, do it!”

The next moment, another figure, carrying terrifying power, shrouded the thirty-six Legendary teams.

“Two Progenitors?”

Arcane Wizard Setoh’s expression paled slightly. He was helpless against two ultimate existences. He was the weakest among the Three Great Arcane Wizards. Holding back one Progenitor was already his limit.

As a result, he watched Progenitor Zenmo’s power charge toward the thirty-six Legendary teams but he could not do anything about it.

Instantly, all the Spell Casters of the thirty-six teams felt incredibly small. In front of such horrible strength, the powers of all their Maxims were of no effect at all.

Merlin tried his best to keep his cool but he was unable to truly calm down. In the face of life and death, no one could remain calm.

“The power of the natural order...”

This kind of power was enough to make anyone despair. It was why ultimate existences were above all others.

“Bang.”

The terrible power of the natural order descended and produced a muffled sound. Merlin and the others looked up and found that at some point, an unfamiliar figure appeared above them.

That figure gently raised a finger and blocked Progenitor Zenmo’s attack.

“Wizard Augustus?”

Merlin recognized the number one contender of the Spell Caster civilization at a glance but he did not expect that Augustus was hiding in the surroundings the entire time. Perhaps this was the result of the discussion between the Three Great Arcane Wizards.

Chapter 754: Augustus!

Augustus had a towering spell body. His descend was surrounded by rows of flames. These flames were even more formidable than a Fire-type ultimate Maxim.

This was the power of the natural order!

Merlin was not too well-versed about the differences between the ultimate existences but he knew that there must be some differences. Otherwise, Augustus would not be classified as the number one contender among the three great Arcane Wizards.

Currently, watching Augustus appearing in a column of blazing flames, Merlin also noticed the subtle difference between him and Arcane Wizard Setoh and the Rock Tribe Progenitors. It seemed that Augustus had grasped the power of the natural order adeptly, and was able to integrate his body into the natural order.

These flames belonged to Augustus' ultimate Maxim but they had exceeded the power of an ultimate Maxim and contained traces of the natural order aura.

Upon seeing Augustus' descend, Hanra and Zenmo's expression dropped imperceptibly. They were very well aware of Augustus' formidable strength. In fact, even the God Alliance was wary of Augustus.

"Augustus, you're finally here. Nevertheless, this is an extermination war. It won't be easy for the Spell Caster civilization to exterminate the Rock Tribe!"

Progenitor Zenmo and Progenitor Hanra both stood together in the air in direct confrontation of Arcane Wizard Augustus and Arcane Wizard Setoh. The power of the natural order revolved around the latter two.

"Huh?"

Augustus frowned. Although the ultimate existences controlled the power of the natural order and had different gaps in power, without an absolute advantage, it would be impossible to exterminate any tribe.

While he was more powerful than Progenitors Zenmo and Hanra, their joint forces would be troublesome for him to handle. Thus, Arcane Wizard Setoh was essential.

Previously, they also had a similar discussion. Compared to a civilization war, an extermination war was much more brutal. Since the Rock Tribe had been provoking the Spell Caster civilization again and again, they could no longer be forgiven!

In the Spell Caster civilization, the three great Arcane Wizards each held down different forts. For example, Arcane Wizard Ceci stood guard against the Atlan civilization. He even moved Ceci Arcane City near the Altan Dimension to intimidate the Altan civilization and prevent them from leaving the Atlan Dimension at all cost.

As the most powerful Arcane Wizard and the symbol of motivation among the Spell Caster civilization, Augustus was tasked with guarding against the biggest threat to the Spell Caster civilization – the God Alliance. Hence, his direct opponent was one of the eight largest god organizations that constituted the God Alliance, the Light God Organization.

The last time outside the Glorious Land, the three Arcane Wizards had joined forces and injured the Lord God of Light severe enough to put him out of action for a thousand years. Hence, Augustus was able to spare some time and boldly join forces with Arcane Wizard Setoh to get rid of the Rock Tribe.

However, Augustus still felt that something was not right. Looking at the likes of Progenitors Zenmo and Hanra, who seemed ready to fight to their dying breath, and even dared to join forces with the Atlan civilization, how could they be so unprepared?

This was because, right now, the Rock Tribe was obviously at a disadvantage.

“Augustus, it’s time to attack. No matter what, we cannot allow Zenmo and Hanra to escape. Otherwise, if they go to Ceci Arcane City and engage Ceci and open the seal put on the Atlan civilization, we’ll be in trouble.”

Arcane Wizard Setoh’s logic was faultless. Now that the two Arcane Wizards had arrived at the front line, they absolutely could not allow Zenmo and Hanra to escape.

“That’s right. Both of us will trap Zenmo and Hanra. I’ve also brought along some of the Lords and Legends of Augustus Arcane City. They’ll join forces with Setoh Arcane City to wipe out the Rock Tribe. Hmph, since this has deteriorated into an extermination war, we have nothing to fear anymore. Destroy the Rock Tribe’s foundation!”

A stern look flashed across Augustus’ eyes. Last time, they were cautious of the two ultimate existences – Zenmo and Hanra – therefore did not pressure the Rock Tribe too harshly.

However, this time, the Rock Tribe had secretly established contact with the Atlan civilization. Obviously, they were attempting to destroy the Spell Caster civilization entirely. No matter what, the three great Arcane Wizards would not tolerate it any longer.

Thus, no matter how big the price, they must severely punish or even wipe out the Rock Tribe civilization!

“All Spell Casters, kill!”

Arcane Wizard Setoh’s voice resounded clearly in every Spell Caster’s ear. Immediately, the thirty-six Legend Squads and the Legends led by Augustus, all swarmed relentlessly toward the Rock Tribe dimension.

This time, the Rock Tribe seemed prepared. Most of their strong contenders got into formation, and there were even existences comparable to the Lords. Regardless, by comparison of sheer numbers, they could not outnumber the joint force between Setoh Arcane City and Augustus Arcane City.

Hence, right at the beginning of the confrontation, the Rock Tribe was already suffering a disadvantage.

“Damn it, we must hold on. This time, our losses will be massive but it’s too late to regret our decision. We don’t have any escape routes. I hope that the Atlan civilization’s plan will work. Otherwise, we’ll be the first ones to lose!”

Seeing dimensions getting destroyed one after another, Zenmo and Hanra’s faces turned sallow and their expressions turned ashen. Under their leadership, the Rock Tribe had overcome various obstacles to grow to such a powerful extent. If not for the fact that the Spell Caster civilization was blocking their way forward, they also did not want to provoke them.

However, right now, they had no other choice!

For some time, the two Progenitors and two Arcane Wizards wielded their respective Maxims and battled one another. The entire Void Zone tremored dangerously and was accompanied by the sounds of multiple dimensions exploding. The two Progenitors were getting more anxious as time passed.

They were tightly suppressed by Arcane Wizards Augustus and Setoh. If it was Ceci who came, then they might still have a trick or two up their sleeves, but in the end, it was Augustus who had shown up. Whether it was in terms of controlling the natural order or utilizing different tactics of the natural order, Augustus was slightly superior to both.

Therefore, the two Progenitors found themselves on the losing end.

Similarly, the outlook of the Rock Tribe was quite unfavorable.

Merlin was leading a squad of fourteen ordinary Legends. Their performance was not excessively eye-catching but wherever his squad went, none of the Rock Creatures could withstand them.

Initially, the fourteen ordinary Legends in Merlin squad had some doubts about him but right now, they had vanquished their doubt. All that was left was complete admiration.

They were the only ones who knew that whenever they encountered an existence comparable to an Honored Legend, Merlin would wield a unique technique called Mind Suppression.

Subsequently, Maxim Chains would fly out and swiftly restraint the opponent, allowing the fourteen ordinary Legends to release their killing blows. The entire battle process was very easy and effective.

One after another, they had destroyed countless dimensions, and powerful Rock Creatures died under their Maxims. It was at this moment that many strong contenders among the Rock Tribe realized how terrifying the civilization they were confronting was.

In just a short span of three thousand over years, the Spell Caster civilization rose up to become an outstanding force. Their biggest advantage was the short cultivation time required by the strong contenders. Every hundred years or so, a large batch of Legendary existence would be born. Occasionally, even an Honored Legend would appear.

Owing to the formidable abilities of the Legends and above, the Spell Caster civilization was considered fearsome. Besides the Atlan civilization that could create an infinite number of above-Legend existences, no other foreign tribe civilizations could measure up to the Spell Caster civilization.

In the previous civilization war, the Rock Tribe did not sustain any heavy damage but merely returned with defeat. In addition, it looked like they had some foothold to win. As a result, many of the Rock Creatures imagined that if Progenitor Zenmo had dispatched more powerful Rock Creatures, the civilization war might have ended differently.

Right now, however, they witnessed the Spell Caster civilization destroying multiple Rock Tribe dimensions with ease. Moreover, dozens of Rock Creatures comparable to Honored Legends had died.

They were rudely awakened. How massive was the gap between them and the Spell Caster civilization?

This large-scale extermination war had just begun but the outcome seemed to be apparent. Almost half of the Rock Tribe's dimensions had been destroyed. Even the two Progenitors seemed short of breath as they were tightly trapped by Arcane Wizards Augustus and Setoh.

"Two days... We've been holding on for two days. There's just one day left. If the Atlan civilization still doesn't appear, we'll withdraw ourselves, seal the dimension and reconcile with the Spell Caster civilization!"

Progenitors Zenmo and Hanra said through gritted teeth. They had made up their minds to pay the utmost price. Their goal was to keep Arcane Wizards Augustus and Setoh occupied.

Currently, their goal had been accomplished but for that, they had to pay a painful price! However, this price was not in vain. They were waiting for a miracle to occur...

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In the vast Void Zone, Ceci Arcane City of the three great Arcane Cities was situated in a relatively remote area.

If Augustus was said to be the most powerful among the three great Arcane Wizards and was the spiritual symbol of the Spell Caster civilization, then Ceci was the most silent and most mysterious Arcane Wizard.

Even many powerful Lords had never met Arcane Wizard Ceci 1 .

The reason was simple. Arcane Wizard Ceci continuously stood guard in Ceci Arcane City against the Atlan civilization. Other than some very exceptional circumstances, Arcane Wizard Ceci would not leave Ceci Arcane City.

Although the Spell Caster civilization was embroiled in a brutal extermination war, Arcane Wizard Ceci still stood guard in Ceci Arcane City.

At the same time, Ceci Arcane City seemed to be relatively free from the pressing threat of the extermination war. As usual, he stayed in Ceci Arcane City, and occasionally patrolled near the seal.

Not too far away from Ceci Arcane City, there was an incredibly behemoth dimension. Back then, when the Spell Caster civilization first saw this dimension, they were ecstatic. They thought that this would become the eternal foundation of the Spell Caster civilization.

Until one day, the three great Arcane Wizards joined forces to open this dimension and attracted a ruthless war that no Spell Caster was willing to face.

The Atlan Dimension – in this dimension was the mysterious yet tough Atlan civilization. Currently, this dimension had been resealed by the three great Arcane Wizards with the power of the natural order.

However, this seal was not completely impenetrable. It was extremely difficult to break from the inside but from the outside, all that was needed was a massive force which contained the power of the natural order. With that, the seal would naturally weaken, and the Atlan civilization on the inside would be able to break open the seal and step into the Void Zone once again.

Therefore, Arcane Wizard Ceci's gaze was always trained on the seal of the Atlan Dimension.

“Whiz.”

At this moment, a huge figure wrapped in dazzling holy light emerged from the Void Zone.

“The Atlan Dimension?”

This great existence wrapped in holy light looked at the incredibly behemoth dimension with a shocked expression. Although he had heard of the Atlan civilization and knew that they were born in a huge dimension, hearing it and seeing it with his eyes was two different things. Such a behemoth dimension could cause anyone to stumble.

“Such a huge dimension. Fortunately, the Spell Casters didn’t obtain it. Hehe, the last time, you were lucky to drive the Atlans back to their dimension. What about this time?”

The mysterious figure revealed a hint of maliciousness in his voice.

Chapter 755: Breaking the Seal!

The behemoth Atlan Dimension appeared peaceful as usual. Despite there had not been any problem from the Atlan Dimension for a long time, the security over this dimension remained extremely stringent.

At least, there would always be a few Honored Legends monitoring it. They dared not let down their guard. For the past hundreds and thousands of years, they remained vigilant.

“Did you hear? Our Spell Caster civilization started a large-scale battle with the Rock Tribe civilization. This is going to be an extermination war. Even the great Wizard Augustus has gone on the offensive. With the joint forces of Setoh Arcane City and Augustus Arcane City, I’m sure they’ll crush the Rock Tribe to smithereens.”

“According to rumors, it seems like an oversight on our part. I heard that the Rock Tribe managed to slip into the Atlan Dimension and established contact. Then again, the Atlan Dimension has been guarded by us, and the seal is still intact. How did the Rock Tribe manage to enter?”

These were the Great Legends who stood watch over the Atlan Dimension. They truly did not comprehend how did the Rock Tribe manage to enter the Atlan Dimension under their stringent guard.

Perhaps, the Rock Tribe did not enter the Atlan Dimension but instead, the Atlans used some special trick to allow someone to leave the Atlan Dimension and enter the Void Zone, who then established contact with the Rock Tribe?

Regardless of who was the instigator, the extermination war between the Spell Caster civilization and the Rock Tribe civilization stemmed from the Atlan civilization. Hence, these

Legendary Wizards who were tasked with guarding the Atlan Dimension dared not lower their guard for a single moment.

All of them were Legendary Wizards who had experienced the first war against the Atlan civilization. Naturally, they knew how terrifying the Atlan civilization was. If the Atlans broke the seal and charged out of the Atlan Dimension, then the entire Spell Caster civilization would be facing an unimaginable disaster.

“Hum.”

Not too far away from these Legendary Wizards, a holy light appeared out of nowhere. The holy aura was not at all furtive, so the Legendary Wizards immediately noticed it.

“Is it divine energy? Who is it?”

These Legendary Wizards immediately sat up straight. Their Mind Power swept out and saw a figure emerging from the holy light. His body contained endless authority.

“A god? This is bad, quickly inform Arcane Wizard Ceci...”

Upon seeing this holy light, the Honored Legends were astounded. This was the aura of divine energy. A god had descended. The relations between the God Alliance and the Spell Caster civilization had never been favorable. They were sworn enemies since the beginning of time. If not for Augustus keeping guard over them, some gods of the God Alliance might be tempted to strike.

“Purify.”

Before these few Honored Legends could deliver the message, the figure amid the holy light gently waved his hand. A ray of holy light shrouded the Honored Legends. Despite them being respected Honored Legends who had consolidated ultimate Maxims, underneath this blanket of holy light, their ultimate Maxims shattered instantly.

A few Honored Legends died in the blink of an eye!

“The Atlan Dimension.”

The mysterious figure looked at the huge dimension before his eyes. There was the unmistakable seal of the three great Arcane Wizards above it.

“The Spell Caster civilization, the war begins. Haha...”

The mysterious figure emitted a rich holy light. The next moment, it transformed into an earth-shattering impact that landed heavily on the seal of the Atlan Dimension.

Immediately, water-like ripples appeared on the surface of the seal and spread outward rapidly. However, this force was simply too tremendous to be borne. The seal over the entire dimension began to crack, and an anomalous aura began to leak out of those cracks.

In Ceci Arcane City, Arcane Wizard Ceci’s eyes shot open. His face paled drastically as he let out a low growl. “Lord God of Light? How could it be the Lord God of Light?”

Arcane Wizard Ceci took a giant leap and disappeared without a trace.

“Swish.”

Arcane Wizard Ceci mobilized the power of the natural order, and arrived at the Atlan Dimension almost instantly. However, he glanced at the Atlan Dimension and saw that the seal had been loosened. He would not be able to replace the seal by himself.

Furthermore, there was an ultimate existence before him – the Lord God of Light wrapped in holy light!

“Lord God of Light, you were injured by the three great Arcane Wizards. You should be hibernating for at least a thousand years. How can you appear here?”

The three great Arcane Wizards, including Arcane Wizard Ceci, had already made plans for the worst-case scenario. The combination between the Rock Tribe and the Atlan civilization would not be rudimentary.

Therefore, Arcane Wizard Ceci remained in Ceci Arcane City. The reason was to guard against any possibility.

However, he did not expect that the Lord God of Light, which was not even considered as a possibility, would be involved. Nevertheless, he was now standing in front of Ceci, and had broken the seal over the Atlan Dimension.

“Yes, hibernate for a thousand years... Initially, I also thought that I’ll be hibernating for a thousand years. However, your old rival has awakened!”

Recalling the scene back then, the Lord God of Light revealed a gush of enthusiasm in his eyes.

That scene was forever embedded in his mind. Back then, he was gravely injured. While he was hibernating, a Rock Tribe Progenitor and a mysterious person appeared in his Light Dimension.

Moreover, the mysterious person also retrieved a strand of divinity. If it was an ordinary strand of divinity, it would have been useless. As the Lord God of Light who founded a god organization, even the divinity of an upper rank god did not affect him.

However, the divinity held by this mysterious person was the divinity of a Lord God!

The Lord God of Light was extremely astonished. Among the eight largest god organizations, he did not hear of any Lord God who was killed. In addition, to reap the divinity of a Lord God, how confounding was such an event? How could he not hear about it at all?

Nevertheless, that was the truth. It was truly a Lord God’s divinity. With this strand of divinity, the Lord God of Light’s injury was no longer an issue, and he recovered soon enough.

However, before they left, the Rock Tribe Progenitor and the mysterious person had discussed with the Lord God of Light. If the Lord God of Light could break the seal over the Atlan Dimension and waited until the Atlan civilization charged out of the Atlan Dimension, then more Lord God divinity would be given to him as a reward.

For the Lord God of Light, this was an irresistible temptation. A Lord God’s divinity was incredibly rare! In addition, the Spell Caster civilization was already a thorn in his flesh. If not

for the disunity between the God Alliance and the willfulness of the eight largest god organizations, he would have attacked the Spell Caster civilization long ago.

Hence, this was an opportunity for him. With the combination of the Rock Tribe, the Atlan civilization, and the Lord God of Light, they would indeed occupy an advantage.

The only thing that puzzled the Lord God of Light was how did the Atlan Dimension obtain a Lord God's divinity? Furthermore, it seemed like there was not just a little bit but a lot more.

Was there a Lord God in the Atlan Dimension?

However, this thought was shot down by the Lord God of Light immediately. If the Atlan civilization could kill a Lord God, why would they be trapped in the Atlan Dimension by the Spell Caster civilization indefinitely?

All of these, the Lord God of Light did not have to hide or rather, the Spell Caster civilization that had suppressed the Atlan Dimension for thousands of years probably knew the true abilities of the Atlan civilization better than him.

"Ceci, doesn't the Spell Caster civilization know how fearful is the Atlan civilization? I'm really curious, what other secrets are contained in the Atlan Dimension? They possess a Lord God's divinity. With this divinity, my injury is nothing but a scratch! Haha, now that the seal over the Atlan Dimension has loosened, and the Lord God Organization will be going all out, the Spell Caster civilization will be fighting a three-sided war! What more can you do?"

The Lord God of Light was gleeful. This was a plan that had been secretly hatched by the Rock Tribe and the Atlan civilization for a long time. It was utterly perfect as they had considered any change.

Therefore, no matter how they planned it, the three sides would gain the upper hand. The only variable was the seal over the Atlan Dimension. The two Rock Tribe Progenitors must keep the two Arcane Wizards occupied. Only this way, the Lord God of Light would succeed.

Right now, the seal was beginning to loosen. Their plans had succeeded!

"The Atlan civilization and the Rock Tribe..."

Arcane Wizard Ceci now understood what had happened. Somehow, the Atlan civilization had found a way to leave the Atlan Dimension. Perhaps, only a small number of people could leave, and they must have paid a huge price. After all, the seal of three great Arcane Wizards was not just a pretty display.

Nonetheless, this small number was already enough considering the cunningness of the Atlan civilization. Moreover, the Spell Caster civilization was surrounded by its enemies – whether it was the Lord God of Light or the Rock Tribe where both were situated near to the Spell Caster civilization. This time, the Spell Caster civilization was caught in a crisis!

“There’s still a chance, seal!”

Arcane Wizard Ceci roared mightily and the entire Arcane City shook. The power of the natural order began to surge and headed directly toward the seal over the Atlan Dimension.

“Hehe, do you think it’ll be so simple? My role is to contain you. Even if the Atlan civilization breaks out of the seal, you won’t be able to stop them!”

The Lord God of Light sneered. Then he wielded the power of the natural order to block Arcane Wizard Ceci. Both their abilities were similarly matched, so with the Lord God of Light obstructing him, Arcane Wizard Ceci could not reinforce the seal.

Meanwhile, the Atlan Dimension seemed to be moving. Since they were involved in the discussion, the Atlan civilization must have been prepared. From the moment the seal was loosened, they began to attack it frantically.

“Boom.”

Suddenly, the residual seal over the Altan Dimension vibrated violently. From the inside, a terrifying aura wafted out, almost like an imitation of an ultimate existence.

However, it was not as petrifying as an ultimate existence who could mobilize the power of the natural order.

Instead, it was a huge white light that contained inconceivable destructive powers. Even a powerful Lord who saw this light would probably find themselves at wit's end.

Under the bombardment of this huge ray of light, the loosened seal finally shattered into pieces. From inside the Atlan Dimension, a gigantic, pitch-black warship emerged, exuding a chilling aura.

The Atlan Dimension had finally charged out of their dimension!

Chapter 756: The War of Destiny!

This black warship was not the same as the empire-level warship Merlin possessed. Even a Great Lord would pale significantly at the sight of this warship.

This was because it was a dimension-level warship!

The Altan civilization excelled at building warships. Each warship was equivalent to an entire civilization. A single warship could pass down its legacy independently.

Warships were classified into city-level, empire-level, and dimension-level. There were rumors about a void-level warship as well but the Atlan civilization had never been able to build it.

City-level warships were comparable to ordinary Legends whereas empire-level warships could annihilate Honored Legends. As for dimension-level warships, they were feared even by the Great Lords.

Other than the ultimate existences, the Atlan civilization's dimension-level warship was nearly invincible.

Right now, this was a dimension-level warship, and also the most powerful warship to date. Otherwise, they would not have been able to break open the loosened seal.

Behind the dimension-level warship, more warships began to pour out of the dimension. Soon, they occupied the entrance of the dimension, and filled the entire Void Zone.

The Lord God of Light stood in front of the Atlan Dimension. With a malicious glint in his eyes, he spoke, “Ceci, the glorious days of the Spell Caster civilization is over. Faced against the Atlan civilization, do you think the Spell Casters can still prevail?”

Indeed, the only ace of the Spell Caster civilization was the three great Ultimate Arcane Wizards. However, the three great Ultimate Arcane Wizards were currently occupied, and could not subjugate the Atlan civilization. A thousand years ago, the Spell Caster civilization already tasted the fearsome prowess of the Atlan civilization’s warships. That was a brutal war which left a deep impression on every Legendary Wizard. They would not be able to stop the Atlan civilization with just Ceci Arcane City.

Thinking along these lines, Arcane Wizard Ceci immediately made a judgment call. He lamented into the air, “The Atlan civilization has broken through the seal. A brutal war is upon us... This is the most critical moment for the Spell Caster civilization. The three great Arcane Cities cannot suffer any more loss. Retreat, retreat immediately. Rendezvous with Augustus and Setoh!”

Currently, the only thing Arcane Wizard Ceci could do was preserve the strength of the Spell Caster civilization and rendezvous with Augustus and Setoh. They would have to assemble the entire Spell Caster civilization together with the three great Arcane Cities to face this crisis.

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“Boom.”

Another Rock Tribe dimension exploded. The Rock Tribe had already lost more than half their dimensions. This was never seen before loss. The Rock Tribe was in a precarious situation.

Once all the Rock Tribe dimensions were destroyed, even if the two Progenitors did not die, there would not be any Rock Tribe civilization left in the Void Zone. The two Progenitors would be alone.

“No, we can’t continue any longer... Quickly go and ask, has the Lord God of Light and the Atlan civilization succeeded?”

Currently, Progenitor Zenmo's eyes were bloodshot. He could no longer endure such a large scale of destruction. Although this was a collaboration between the Atlan civilization, Rock Tribe, and Light God Organization, the truth was, the Rock Tribe suffered the most damage.

"Boom."

Suddenly, a huge dimension popped into the peaceful Void Zone. Any familiar Spell Caster would realize that it was the mysterious Ceci Arcane City.

"Ceci? Why is he here?"

"Isn't Ceci standing guard over the Atlan Dimension? What had happened that he even moved Ceci Arcane City all the way here?"

Seeing Ceci Arcane City's appearance in the Void Zone stunned Augustus and Setoh. Both were more than enough to handle the Rock Tribe hence it was not necessary for Arcane Wizard Ceci to come.

So, Ceci's appearance must not be accompanied by stellar news.

"Swish."

Arcane Wizard Ceci arrived beside Augustus and Setoh. He shook his head in despair. "Retreat now. The Atlan civilization has charged past the seal and will be arriving soon. The three great Arcane Cities need to join forces!"

"What? How did the Atlan civilization manage to break open the dimension seal? With their abilities, this is impossible. Ceci, what happened?"

Arcane Wizard Setoh asked, flustered. Currently, their war against the Rock Tribe was smooth-sailing. They had severely damaged the Rock Tribe. Retreating now would be too beneficial for the Rock Tribe.

"The Lord God of Light, he's awakened!"

“The Lord God of Light?”

Augustus and Setoh did not expect that their close brush with victory was obstructed by the Lord God of Light, of all beings. Subsequently, Ceci repeated everything he knew to them.

Even at this moment, they could hardly believe it. How would the Atlan civilization obtain a Lord God’s divinity?

Without the Lord God of Light, the Atlan civilization would not be able to break open the seal. Now, the Atlan civilization had returned to the Void Zone. No one had forgotten the brutal war that had transpired a thousand years ago. All of them deeply understood the horror that could be unleashed by the Atlan civilization.

“Very well, we’ll retreat. If my speculation is correct, the gods of the Light God Organization would also be attacking the Spell Caster civilization with frenzy. Give up! We’ll give up on the numerous dimensions of the Atlan civilization, Rock Tribe, and Light God Organization, and assemble the three great Arcane Cities. This is the most critical moment faced by the Spell Caster civilization since we’ve stepped into the Void Zone!”

Finally, the number one contender of the Spell Caster civilization, Augustus had decided. Faced with a three-sided war, the Spell Caster civilization had already lost half the war. They were being attacked on all sides. All they could do now was gather their strength. Perhaps, there would still be a trace of hope.

Hence, on the orders of the three great Arcane Wizards, all the Legendary Wizards retreated.

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Three months later, the three great Arcane Cities had been assembled. Almost two-thirds of the dimensions belonging to the Spell Caster civilization had been abandoned. All the Spell Casters stood guard around the three dimensions that housed the three great Arcane Cities.

This was the center of the Spell Caster civilization as well as its strongest power!

Merlin stayed in Setoh Arcane City. Every day, all sorts of war news would break out. He could see that the situation was worsening. The Atlan civilization, Light God Organization,

and the Rock Tribe had completely joined forces. They were unstoppable on every level. The ordinary Spell Casters were completely unable to withstand.

“The key is the Atlan civilization!”

Merlin glanced at the Atlan civilization’s empire-level warship in his ring. He clearly understood the true fear contained in this empire-level warship. The martial arts robots it produced were comparable to ordinary Legends.

Currently, he was only lacking the materials to produce more martial arts robots. However, the Atlan civilization had them. Besides, the Atlan civilization also had a more powerful dimension-level warship, which might even be able to produce martial arts robots comparable to Honored Legends.

This was the strength of the Atlan civilization. Although producing martial arts robots comparable to Honored Legends came with a myriad of prerequisites, but once all of them were fulfilled and without any disrupting force, the Atlan civilization was almost invincible.

In the thousand years that they were suppressed in the Atlan Dimension, most probably, the Atlan civilization had accumulated countless resources. Moreover, with the protection of two Rock Tribe Progenitors and the Lord God of Light, the Atlan civilization did not have to fear the three great Arcane Wizards of the Spell Caster civilization.

Therefore, the Atlan civilization was close to invincible now. On the other hand, the motivation of the Spell Caster civilization had plunged to an all-time low.

“The key lies in the Atlan civilization. As long as their warship stays intact, the Spell Caster civilization has no hope of winning.”

The three Arcane Wizards were discussing with the twenty-eight Lords.

These twenty-eight Lords constituted every single Lord of the Spell Caster civilization, and far exceeded the era back in the Molta Empire. If it was just the Rock Tribe or even added with the Light God Organization, the Spell Caster civilization would not be afraid. These twenty-eight Great Lords had absolute confidence.

However, there was now the Atlan civilization. Faced against the dimension-level warships of the Atlan civilization, even these Great Lords were extremely fearful. After all, back when they discovered the Atlan civilization the first time, many Great Lords were killed in that war.

“Everyone, we don’t have much time. The Atlan civilization has been preparing for a long time. Although they were kept sealed in the Atlan Dimension, they had been preparing the legendary void-level warship.

“We’ve only heard rumors about the so-called void-level warship. According to rumors, that’s the highest-level warship of the Atlan civilization. Once it’s built, it can twist the powers of the natural order, which is almost comparable to the ultimate existences, and could possibly pose a threat to the ultimate existences. If that happens, whether it’s the Spell Caster civilization or countless other civilizations, none of us will stand a chance.”

Upon this statement, the three great Arcane Wizards quietened. Indeed, there was news from the Atlan civilization that they were currently building the legendary void-level warship. This was a terrifying warship that completely overshadowed the dimension-level warship.

In the Atlan Dimension, resources were limited, so maybe they could not build the void-level warship. However, once they had entered the limitless Void Zone, everything was possible.

“Doesn’t the Rock Tribe and the Lord God of Light know the threat posed by the Atlan civilization? If they truly built a void-level warship, could those two stand against them?”

“Hehe, they’re currently sheep strutting around in tiger skin 1 . Before the Spell Caster civilization is destroyed, they won’t think of anything else.”

While the Great Lords and the Arcane Wizards were engaging in discussion, in the frigid and silent Void Zone, fleets of warships, Rock Creatures, and Light Believers encased in holy light were slowly approaching the three great Arcane Cities.

“Boom.”

A terrifying ray shot through the Void Zone, illuminating its surrounding dimensions with its massive power of destruction, landed heavily on a dimension.

This was a huge dimension but in the blink of an eye, disintegrated into dust. Millions of Spell Casters died in an instant.

“Swoosh.”

The three great Arcane Wizards raised their heads abruptly. The Atlan civilization was announcing their arrival!

“Everyone, there’s another way, that’s to join forces with other civilizations such as the Tree Tribe civilization, the Giant Tribe civilization, the Feather Tribe civilization, and so on. All of them also have a clash of ideology with the God Alliance and the Rock Tribe civilization. Although we need to join forces with other civilization, now isn’t the time as they’ve arrived. At least, we must show our formidable prowess and stabilize the situation. Only this way, the other civilizations might agree to join forces with us.”

Augustus paused, and looked around with a stern expression. Loudly, he declared, “Now, it’s time for the Spell Caster civilization to demonstrate its true prowess. No matter what, remember that we already defeated the Atlan civilization once. This time, we can still defeat them again!”

Augustus’ tone was assertive. Joining forces with other civilizations was the battle strategy agreed by the three great Arcane Wizards. However, before asking for help, they had to first prove their worth.

To prove the worth of the Spell Caster civilization, they would have to stabilize the situation and not be defeated by the Atlan civilization, Rock Tribe civilization, and Lord God Organization in a short time.

Therefore, this war was destined to be unimaginably brutal!

Chapter 757: Confrontation

The pitch-black Void Zone was crowded.

There were Rock Creatures, Light Believers, Spell Casters, and the most conspicuous of all, fleets of ice-cold jet-black warships. In terms of numbers, however, the Spell Casters seemed to have the upper hand.

“Rumble.”

Suddenly, the doors of the ice-cold jet-black warships opened. From the inside, burly robots with powerful auras surged out. Every robot emitted an aura comparable to an ordinary Legend.

Moreover, on the few larger warships, even more powerful robots emerged. The robots produced by the dimension-level warships were comparable to Honored Legends.

Soon, the space surrounding the confrontation was tightly packed with robots. Seeing these dark martial arts robots before their eyes, all the Spell Casters present could not help but suck in a sharp breath. Such a scene would be forever etched in their minds.

Back when the three great Arcane Wizards accidentally broke open the seal over the Atlan Dimension, a brutal war ensued. Dense formations of robots and fleets of powerful warships fired light cannons mercilessly. Several Lords were killed during that time.

Many had thought that they would not witness such a scene ever again in their lives but unexpectedly, they were back for a second encounter.

Merlin also led a squad. He was observing these Atlan civilization warships. Compared to the empire-level warship he obtained from the Origin Lord, there seemed to be some changes... However, the changes were purely external. He was quite sure that the essence remained unchanged.

As for the martial arts robots, Merlin was extremely familiar with them, especially the martial arts robots produced by the empire-level warships.

The dimension-level warship, on the other hand, was Merlin's first encounter. Currently, in his spatial ring, there was also an empire-level warship. Despite having sufficient energy for the warship, he lacked the necessary materials to manufacture martial arts robots. Thus, he was not able to produce more martial arts robots. All he could produce were ordinary robots.

In this war, the ordinary robots were completely useless.

Furthermore, Merlin did not even consider mobilizing the warship. After all, the Atlan civilization possessed even more warships, and had more understanding of them. Employing an Atlan civilization warship to defeat the Atlan civilization certainly would not end well.

This was unless Merlin's warship outnumbered the Atlan civilization. However, that would be impossible, judging by the dense formation of warships scattered throughout the Void Zone. At the very least, there were a hundred warships, not including those that were still emerging from the Atlan Dimension.

Basically, except for the ultimate existences, the Atlan civilization was the most powerful among them. The only shortfall of the Atlan civilization was that they did not have an ultimate existence.

Nonetheless, with the protection of the two Rock Tribe Progenitors as well as the Lord God of Light, this shortfall was negated.

The three great Arcane Wizards stood quietly in the Void Zone as they surveyed the huge army before them. The number of Rock Creatures dispatched was painfully small as the previous war had already damaged its foundation. All that was left in this war were the two Progenitors and a handful of Lord-level Rock Creatures.

Harming an ultimate existence was incredibly difficult. Even when the three great Arcane Wizards had surrounded and attacked the Lord God of Light, he was only slightly injured.

With three ultimate existences against two, they only had a minimal advantage. Unless all three great Arcane Wizards were as powerful as Augustus, they would not be able to inflict harm on the Rock Tribe.

In addition, there was the Lord God of Light. Hence, the three great Arcane Wizards would be completely engaged. They would have to rely on their many years of experience.

Both sides knew the importance of the first battle. Otherwise, the Spell Caster civilization would not have gathered all its strength.

If the Spell Caster civilization was defeated in this battle, then the Lord God of Light would most probably enlist the help of other god organizations in the God Alliance to eradicate the Spell Caster civilization.

If the Spell Caster civilization managed to gain an upper hand, then it would buy them some precious time to recruit other life-type civilizations to fight the Atlan civilization, Rock Tribe, and Light God Organizations.

Hence, this battle was crucial for both sides. There was no room for mistakes.

“Finally, this day had come. The last time we fought the Atlan civilization, I was merely an ordinary Legend. Now, however, I’ve become a five-Maxim Great Legend!”

Teacher Zado tightened his fist. The five Maxims on his body gradually appeared above his head. One of the Maxims even showed faint signs of near transformation.

Legend Zado did not want the war with the Atlan civilization to break out. However, at this juncture, it was out of his hands. This was not just a civilization war or a tribe war but the most critical war in the history of the Spell Caster civilization, and destined to be the most brutal.

Other than the Legends from the three great Arcane Cities, there was also a special group of Spell Casters. Each of them exuded a powerful aura that converged into sequences of storms in the Void Zone.

These Legendary Wizards were the highly despised plunderers among the Spell Caster civilization. Usually, they plundered dimensions, and killed ordinary Legendary Wizards, so they were despised by many.

Nevertheless, faced with such a critical battle in the civilization war, they still obeyed the commands of the three great Arcane Wizards and fought alongside them. Although the plunderers were despicable, their combat skills were much superior to the ordinary Legends.

Among them, there were also a few Honored Legends and even a Lord!

This Lord was called the Bloodriver Lord. According to rumors, because of the amount of bloodshed and plundering he had committed, all the Maxims he consolidated were blood-red.

He was the only Lord who was born among the plunderers. Nonetheless, Bloodriver Lord was utterly terrifying. He had consolidated a total of four ultimate Maxims, the same number as the Nightmare Lord.

However, even the Nightmare Lord was wary of the Bloodriver Lord.

According to more rumors, every dimension passed through by the Bloodriver Lord was bathed in a sea of crimson light. All those dimensions were left completely lifeless. Hence, very few Wizards were willing to associate with the Bloodriver Lord.

Nevertheless, the Bloodriver Lord was now one of the twenty-eight Lords who had joined the war.

The fact that even the plunderers were conscripted proved that the Spell Caster civilization had truly amassed its maximum strength.

“Haha. Setoh, Augustus, and Ceci. From today onward, the Spell Caster civilization will go down in history as one of the many short-lived civilizations in the Void Zone. The Spell Caster civilization had merely entered the Void Zone for three thousand years. How dare you try to occupy such a vast expanse of dimensions?”

The two Rock Tribe Progenitors sneered. In terms of history, unquestionably, the Spell Casters were the youngest civilization. They had only just stepped foot into the Void Zone three thousand over years ago but had managed to occupy a vast expanse of dimensions, to the point that the Rock Tribe had almost run out of living space.

Throughout the billions and trillions of years in the Void Zone, the Spell Caster civilization was the only one, the most miraculous civilization!

“Is that so? Becoming history? Perhaps, it wouldn’t be the Spell Caster civilization that becomes history, but I’m sure, the Rock Tribe will become history!”

A murderous aura flared on Augustus’ body. He currently held immense loathing against the Rock Tribe. Nevertheless, even if the three great Arcane Wizards were to jointly attack the two Rock Tribe Progenitors, they would still be able to escape easily.

However, Augustus was decided on one thing. If the Spell Caster civilization survived this threat, then they would annihilate the Rock Tribe civilization, no matter what the cost. Even if they would have to bear the risk of payback from these two Rock Tribe Progenitors, the Rock Tribe civilization had to be annihilated.

“Hum hum hum.”

Suddenly, rays of light began to glow on the jet-black warships. All the Spell Casters could almost sense the terrifying power contained within.

The war was starting!

Chapter 758: War Begins

“Boom.”

A massive beam shot through the Void Zone. In just the blink of an eye, a stunning flash of light landed before a Spell Caster squad.

No one expected that the Atlans would launch such a sudden attack. Even the three great Arcane Wizards could not react in time. Hence, they could only watch as the light beam slammed violently into one of the Legend Squads.

“Chi.”

There were no lucky survivors. The squad consisted of more than a dozen ordinary Legends in addition to an Honored Legend. All of them tried to consolidate their Maxims.

However, they were completely unable to withstand the impact. Under this light beam, they were immediately turned into vapor. Over a dozen Legends were instantly reduced into ashes.

Silence. The entire battlefield was incomparably silent. Seeing that destructive light beam, those Spell Casters who had already known of the fearsome strength of the Atlan civilization were reminded of the brutal war back in the days.

As for the Spell Casters who had never seen the Atlan civilization, they were completely stunned. Over a dozen Legendary Wizards and an Honored Legend were reduced into ashes in a single blow.

By this time, a simultaneous chill rose in everyone's hearts. The Atlan civilization was showing that they were just as powerful as before.

“Atlan civilization, die!”

The first to attack was Augustus. He was the number one contender in the Spell Caster civilization. Once enraged, how much more terrifying would he be? The entire Void Zone tremored, and the endless power of the natural order rained down.

However, the two Rock Tribe Progenitors also wielded their skills to resist Augustus. With the three Ultimate Arcane Wizards at the forefront, the war had finally erupted!

“Kill!”

Maxims filled the sky and headed toward the Rock Tribe, Light Believers, and Atlan civilization warships and robots. In an instant, Maxims permeated every direction. The explosion of power from the Spell Caster civilization was just as petrifying.

“Boom boom boom.”

Countless Maxims were wielded consecutively and shredded a large portion of the martial arts robots. However, the Atlan civilization's warships stood far at the back. Beams of destructive power were attacking the Spell Caster squads incessantly.

The twenty-eight Lords were most courageous, and rushed directly toward the fearsome dimension-level warship. After all, these Lords had experienced the last war, so they knew that these warships were the crux of the Atlan civilization.

Before they became Lords, they were Honored Legends or perhaps ordinary Legends. Thus, a thousand year ago, all of them had experienced the war.

To some extent, the Spell Caster civilization was experienced at battling the Atlan civilization. Nevertheless, now, the experience was irrelevant. The most important point right now was power.

The Spell Caster civilization had Lords but at the same time, the Rock Tribe and Light Believers also had existences comparable to the Lords. Though they were fewer in numbers, they immediately went up to resist the Lords of the Spell Caster civilization.

Merlin's squad was also on the move. However, Merlin was carefully observing the Atlan civilization's warships and martial arts robots. He knew very well that it was useless to waste their effort on these robots.

After all, the martial arts robots were produced using precious minerals and energy. With sufficient materials and energy, the production could continue endlessly.

It was the warships that were the crux!

Merlin was very knowledgeable about the city-level warships, empire-level warships, and dimension-level warships. He had obtained a lot of information from his empire-level warship, so it did have some uses.

Therefore, with over a dozen ordinary Legends under his leadership, their conquest proceeded smoothly. Upon encountering the Rock Tribe or Light Believers, even if they were comparable to Honored Legends, the combination of Merlin's Mind Suppression and the power of a dozen ordinary Legends, their opponents were killed in an instant.

"Swish."

Finally, Merlin came before an empire-level warship. This was his first time challenging an empire-level warship controlled by the Atlan civilization.

When he saw that the main cannon of the empire-level warship was beginning to glow, Merlin, who was familiar with this type of warships, immediately knew that it would soon open fire.

"Maxim Chains!"

Merlin's Darkness Maxim immediately transformed into chains. Together with the Maxims of other Legendary Wizards, they tightly restrained the cannon nozzle of this warship.

"Boom."

Nonetheless, the huge cannon of the warship still exploded and ripped apart Merlin's Maxim Chains. Fortunately, the empire-level warship was also only about comparable or slightly more powerful than an Honored Legend, but there was not a substantial gap.

Hence, Merlin and a dozen Legendary Wizards were able to overcome this attack with ease.

"Hallucinate!"

Merlin took a deep breath, and wielded his Hallucinating spell. When his Mind Power extended toward the empire-level warship, he could feel an invisible force blocking his Mind Power.

Nevertheless, this protective layer was not very strong. With Merlin's additional push of Mind Power, he was immediately able to break through this protective layer and entered the warship brazenly.

In the warship, Merlin's Mind Power could see numerous Atlans. Physically, the Atlans were not much different compared to the Spell Casters. They were weaker and did not have any trace of elemental fluctuations on their bodies.

However, each of them had a role to play. Each being operated a section of the empire-level warship, allowing it to possess powers that could vanquish an Honored Legend.

"Hum."

Once Merlin's Mind Power had enveloped the entire place, these Atlans seemed to be unable to put up an ounce of resistance and were entrapped by the illusion.

"Boom."

Since the warship was no longer controlled by anyone, Merlin took this opportunity to wield his Maxim Chains once again. The Maxim Chains slammed heavily onto the empire-level warship and a spine-tingling power was released. However, due to some automatic defensive abilities on the warship, he was only able to strip past the first layer of defense.

Seemingly noticing the distress of this warship, another warship aimed directly at Merlin.

As the other warship was not too far away, Merlin could only retreat temporarily.

“Swish.”

Merlin led his men to retreat a distance away. Although they did not manage to destroy a warship, Merlin was still overjoyed because he discovered that his Mind Power could be used against the Atlan civilization’s warships.

“Only that defensive layer. Most probably, it can also resist Mind Power.”

Merlin did not know whether the Atlans were able to research a method to resist Mind Power attacks, but for now, at least these empire-level warships were unable to resist Merlin’s Mind Power attack.

While Merlin was exploring the use of Mind Power, the situation was turning less favorable within the Spell Caster civilization. Another Legend Squad was killed.

On the other hand, the Atlan civilization had not lost a single empire-level warship. They only lost a few city-level warships. Hence, it was not a significant loss for the Atlan civilization.

Fortunately, the Lords of the Spell Caster civilization kept the Atlan civilization’s dimension-level warship occupied. Otherwise, these warships could kill an entire Spell Caster squad with a single cannon blast. They were the true Armageddon of the Spell Caster civilization.

Regardless, the Spell Caster civilization was still caught in a bad situation. Under the cover of the martial arts robots from the Atlan civilization, the Rock Tribe and Light Believers were pushing forward bit by bit, and gained the upper hand.

“Whoosh.”

At this moment, an empire-level warship glowed brightly again. Merlin looked toward the direction that it was aimed. Sure enough, it was another ordinary Legend Squad.

Merlin was highly familiar with the empire-level warships. Once it began to charge, it must have a target locked down. If it was any other Legend Squad, Merlin would simply give them a forewarning and move on.

However, he saw a familiar silhouette in this Legend Squad that caused his heart to skip a beat.

“Teacher Zado!”

Among this squad was Legend Zado. At the moment, Legend Zado was completely unaware. His squad was battling against two Rock Creatures who were comparable to Honored Legends.

“No...”

Merlin and his squad immediately rushed forward. Still, the charging period of the empire-level warship was over. Any target that was locked down by the giant cannons would not be missed.

At this point, Merlin had no other ideas except using the Hallucinating spell.

“Hallucinate!”

An enormous Mind Power enveloped the empire-level warship, and the Atlans inside were swiftly entrapped in an illusion.

“Phew.”

Merlin finally heaved a breath of relief. It was only at this moment that Legend Zado prickled up. His squad seemed to realize that they had been targeted by the warship. One after another, fearful expressions appeared on their faces.

However, they did not understand why the warship did not open fire.

“Merlin, you’re here too?”

Instead, Legend Zado greeted Merlin.

Merlin smiled bitterly. He was just about to get rid of this empire-level warship when an intense surge of danger flared up in his senses.

“I’ve been locked down as a target?”

Merlin immediately noticed that two empire-level warships had locked him down. Moreover, they were situated even further away.

Merlin was already consuming his full energy to envelop this warship in an illusion. If he were to split his Mind Power, coupled with the distance, the burden on his Mind Power might probably exceed his abilities.

However, he had no other choice. He could only clench his teeth, and mobilized his Hallucinating spell. Otherwise, he would not be able to escape the attacks of the empire-level warships.

This was because the attack of one empire-level warship was already comparable to an Honored Legend. Hence, Merlin did not have the confidence that he could withstand the attacks of two warships at once. It would not be wise to face it head-on.

“Hallucinate!”

Merlin stretched out his Mind Power and swiftly entrapped all three warships in the illusion. However, this was the maximum limit of his abilities. Even his face was distorted in pain.

“I must escape quickly!”

Merlin knew that he could not hold on any longer. His Mind Power could neither withstand such a far distance nor sustain an illusion for three empire-level warships.

“Boom.”

No one noticed that a huge beam had traveled from the depths of the Void Zone. It shot right across the Void Zone and headed toward Merlin’s direction.

“Dimension-level warship...”

Merlin paled. Such a huge light beam and such a terrifying power, it could only be volleyed by the most sophisticated dimension-level warship of the Atlan civilization.

Due to its incredible speed, by the time Merlin’s heart issued a warning, the light beam had already blasted out. The attack was simply aimed at a random area whereas Merlin and Zado’s Legend Squads just happened to be in the vicinity.

“This is it...”

Merlin could sense the terrifying force contained in this light beam. He knew that even if he were a few folds more powerful, he would not be able to withstand this attack.

This was an attack that could not be withstood even by the Lords. It was the most terrifying warship hidden by the Atlan civilization, which could potentially tilt the balance of the war!

Chapter 759: Break Through, Illusory Heart!

Everyone could sense the destructive powers contained within that blinding light. Even Merlin gave up all hope at this point. Two Legend Squads would be reduced to ashes the next moment.

This was a terrifying war. No one was able to predict the dangers that lied ahead. Once danger came around the corner, it was inevitable.

At this moment, it felt like time stopped still. The hidden Atlan civilization warship was a dimension-level warship. This blast was intended to kill more Legendary Wizards, and tilt the balance of the war.

Before this beam of light, no one could possibly think of escaping because it was simply too fast for anyone to react in time.

“Purgatory Inferno!”

Suddenly, a frosty voice reverberated in everyone’s ears. A silhouette, nestled between wedges of black and fiery red, was exceptionally familiar to almost all the Legendary Wizards.

The Blackfire Lord! The closest Lord to their vicinity was the Blackfire Lord. He immediately wielded his Maxims. Two Maxims combined to form an inferno-like blaze, far above the power of an average Honored Legend.

This was the power of a Lord!

“Boom.”

Two mighty forces of power collided directly with one another. That blinding light packed a powerful penetrative force and pierced through the two Maxims wielded by the Blackfire Lord. Almost unrelentingly, it headed straight toward the Blackfire Lord.

Nevertheless, the Blackfire Lord was prepared. He gently waved his hand, and a huge casting tool appeared, with his Maxim avatar above it.

“Go!”

This was a life-preserving casting tool that the Blackfire Lord had spent countless years to construct. It could withstand one hit from a Lord. Therefore, he was not afraid of this light beam.

Nonetheless, he would lose a life-preserving casting tool.

“What are you waiting for?”

The Blackfire Lord roared loudly. Currently, the battlefield was extremely chaotic. Everywhere was filled with formidable Maxims and the light beams of the Atlan civilization warships.

This dimension-level warship could not be challenged by anyone below a Lord. Hence, even the Blackfire Lord had a difficult time resisting it. Fortunately, other Lords had noticed the position of this dimension-level warship and was quickly approaching.

“Phew.”

Merlin’s heart relaxed marginally. He continued to wield Hallucinating spell with his Mind Power to trap the Atlans in the three empire-level warships in the illusion. Therefore, he could only leave this place after Legend Zado’s squad had left. Otherwise, the three empire-level warships were also tough to handle.

“Unfortunately, I still cannot gain enlightenment of the Illusory Heart. Otherwise, I can exert control over people’s minds, like puppets. Then, we won’t be so troubled. What am I lacking?”

For some time now, Merlin could sense that he was already very close to breaking through the Illusory Heart. However, he was still lacking kismet. As to what kind of kismet this was, he did not know either.

However, just as he was about to leave, an even stronger surge of danger prickled down his neck. He raised his head abruptly and saw that behind the first light beam was another scarier light.

“Teacher Blackfire!!!”

Merlin’s heart lurched. The first beam was only barely blocked by the Blackfire Lord’s life-preserving casting tool. This beam of light was even more terrifying than its predecessor. What else could he possibly use to deflect it?

It seemed like no power would be able to stop this terrifying beam of light anymore. In the blink of an eye, the light slammed directly onto the Darkness Maxim and Fire Maxim in front

of the Blackfire Lord and easily tore them apart. Next, it struck the Blackfire Lord's body violently.

The Spell Casters' bodies, regardless of if they were Legends or Lords, were weak without the protection of Maxims. The light beam tore apart the Blackfire Lord's Maxims with ease and had turned him into ashes.

Silence. Deafening silence!

The entire battlefield fell silent in an instant. Along with that beam of light, the Blackfire Lord had disappeared. This was an incomparably ancient Lord who had grown in tandem with the Spell Caster civilization. He had witnessed the Spell Caster civilization when it was at its weakest, and then step by step, flourished into its current might.

He was a Great Lord. During peacetime or even a ruthless civilization war, they would not die. It was only when they faced the Atlan civilization previously had seen some Lords getting killed.

This time, upon re-encountering the Atlan civilization, another Lord had fallen!

Merlin stared dumb stricken at the Void Zone where the Blackfire Lord had perished. It was an empty patch with nothing left. Even an ultimate Maxim could not withstand that terrifying beam. A Lord was reduced into ashes.

"Teacher Blackfire..."

Merlin's mind replayed various scenes containing the Blackfire Lord. From the beginning of his Spell Caster journey to his achievement of becoming a Great Honored Legend today, three Wizards had impacted him the most.

The first was Old Man Etha back in Blackwater City. Without Old Man Etha, Merlin would not have embarked on the path to become a Spell Caster. Most probably, by now, he would have died like a Normie.

Therefore, despite the meager number of times he had met Old Man Etha, it could not be denied that in Merlin's heart, Old Man Etha was his first teacher!

The second Wizard was Wizard Leo. Back in the Dark Magic Region, Wizard Leo had not only given Merlin a lot of attention but even took the initiative to approach Abyss Fort to help Merlin obtain Darkness Heart. Then, before his death, he had passed on Darkness Eye to Merlin.

Without Darkness Eye, Merlin would have died multiple times in all kinds of dangerous situations. Hence, Wizard Leo's help would forever be remembered by Merlin.

The third Wizard was none other than the Blackfire Lord. In the beginning, this Great Lord merely admired Merlin or perhaps even treated him as an experiment. He wanted to see if Merlin could perfect the Mind Power system.

Merlin had perfected the preliminary stage of the Mind Power system. He had not gotten an opportunity to share this news with the Blackfire Lord, and now, the Blackfire Lord was dead.

Back when Merlin was trapped in the Slothful Beast world, if not for the Blackfire Lord who had managed to persuade Arcane Wizard Setoh, Merlin might have been trapped in the Slothful Beast world for the rest of his life.

However, all three of them were dead now. Old Man Etha died, Teacher Leo died, and now, the Blackfire Lord too!

At this moment, a spark of fury arose in Merlin's heart. Ever since he began cultivating his Mind Power and inch toward perfecting the Mind Power system, Merlin almost did not have an ounce of rage in him anymore. His control over his emotions was extremely high. There was almost nothing in this world that could cause him to lose control over his emotions and explode in fury.

This time, however, the Blackfire Lord had died right before his eyes, reduced into ashes. Furious emotions surged out. Merlin's Mind Power tremored vigorously and began to bubble frantically like a pot of boiling water.

A strange sensation appeared in Merlin's heart. His consciousness seemed detached from his body and he could distinctly sense the undulating rage contained in his emotions.

Besides rage, there was sorrow, regret, and a myriad of emotions. All of them were clearly reflected in his consciousness.

“Illusory Heart? Is this the power to control minds?”

Merlin mumbled under his breath. His consciousness was incomparably calm at this moment, almost like he was watching an unrelated person. The various emotions in his own heart appeared succinctly before his eyes. In fact, he could even control those emotions and the power of rage.

In his mind, the features of the Illusory Heart realm appeared instinctively. This was the Mind Control that Titus had told him about. How daunting was such an ability?

“Boom.”

That huge light beam appeared once again. The dimension-level warship was hidden amid the darkness. As long as it existed, the Spell Caster civilization would sustain massive losses.

The dimension-level warship hidden behind the scenes could tilt the outcome of the war!

Although several Great Lords had been gradually approaching the warship, their distance was still far away. If this warship could wreck damage, by the time the Great Lords find the warship, the Spell Casters would have been grievously crippled.

Merlin gently shut his eyes and stood motionlessly in the Void Zone. His mannerisms attracted a lot of attention. Many Wizards even wondered if Merlin had lost his mind.

Faced with the threat of death, perhaps even the Honored Legends would go insane.

However, Merlin alone knew that his Mind Power was surging like a tidal wave. It was multiplying rapidly. The very moment he gained enlightenment of the Illusory Heart, his Mind Power seemed to increase at ten times speed. In the blink of an eye, his Mind Power had grown a hundred-fold.

How frightful was such a growth rate?

It was not surprising that Titus kept telling Merlin not to bother deliberately cultivating Mind Power. Once there was a breakthrough in the Hallucinating spells realm, upon enlightenment of the Illusory Heart realm, his Mind Power would increase at such a terrifying rate.

The vast Void Zone now became incomparably tiny in Merlin's eyes. His Mind Power extended incessantly and feverishly, almost enveloping dozens of Rock Creatures and Light Believers as well as more than ten Atlan civilization warships.

"Mind Control!"

At this moment, Merlin's Mind Power erupted. A daunting Mind Power, coupled with the unrivaled Illusory Heart realm exploded. No one had ever seen a Mind Power Master, especially a Ninth-level Mind Power Master, achieve such a formidable feat.

Merlin was now at the Ninth-level, a Mind Power Master who had achieved the Illusory Heart realm!

"Hum."

Suddenly, the faces of those who were encased by Merlin's Mind Power twitched slightly. Merlin could distinctly sense the myriad of emotions in their minds.

There was smugness, fear, fanaticism, and so on. The Light Believers' unparalleled fanatical worship, the Rock Tribe's smugness, and the Atlans' calmness.

Various emotions appeared in Merlin's mind. At this moment, Merlin could almost become the master of all living beings. The mind was the master of all living beings, and all their minds had been controlled by Merlin!

Once Mind Power Masters achieved the Eighth-level Hallucinating spells' realm, they would become more powerful than their similar-level counterparts. Then, upon cultivating Mind Suppression, they would become even more powerful. Upon achieving the Ninth-level, which was the Illusory Heart realm, they would be terrifying!

There was another more apt description, invincible!

Chapter 760: Mind Control!

Merlin stood motionless in the Void Zone. With him at the center, other than the Spell Casters, all the remaining Rock Creatures, Light Believers, and Atlan civilization warships became hypnotized in a strange calm.

It was like everyone was turned into a statue. Time seemed to stop as everyone stopped moving.

Mind Control, the petrifying Mind Control. At this moment, no one within Merlin's Mind Power range could evade their fate. Merlin was their supreme master!

"Crazy, everyone goes crazy. The war has just begun!"

A chilling ruthlessness flashed across Merlin's eyes. With a wave of his hand, the warships driven by the Atlans turned their cannons around. The jet-black cannon nuzzles aimed directly at the Rock Tribe contenders and Light Believers beside them.

"Boom."

A violent cannon blast exploded. Rays of terrifying light beams shot across the Void Zone and impacted the Rock Creatures as well as the Light Believers.

At the same time, the Light Believers and Rock Creatures also shifted their attacks toward the Atlan civilization warships. Immediately, the battlefield descended into chaos.

"What's happening?"

"Infighting? Why would the Rock Creature and the Atlan civilization warships attack one another?"

"Terrifying, truly terrifying. The Atlan civilization warships are as hardy as turtle shells. The Rock Tribe lost three Honored Legend existences just to destroy one empire-level warship."

The Spell Caster civilization was stunned. Unexpectedly at such a crucial moment, the Rock Tribe, Light Believers, and Atlan civilization started to engage in an infighting, and fought ferociously. In just a few moments, the Rock Tribe had lost a few Honored Legend existences and dozens of ordinary Legend existences.

On the other hand, the Atlan civilization had lost two empire-level warships and five city-level warships. In terms of sheer numbers, the Rock Tribe and the Light Believers held the upper hand yet the Atlan civilization warships suffered the least.

This indirectly demonstrated the terror of the Atlan civilization's combat strength.

"Go ahead and kill, kill them all. Isn't war all about endless bloodshed?"

After advancing to the Illusory Heart realm, Merlin was able to control his opponents' minds. He was not crazed at the moment but extremely calm.

Once shrouded by his Mind Power, no one could resist his Mind Control. Currently, below the level of the Lords, Merlin was almost undefeatable!

"It's Mind Power! What a petrifying Mind Power!"

"The Rock Tribe, Light Believers, and Atlan civilization warships are all being mind-controlled. Is that Wizard Merlin's doing?"

"Legend Merlin? True, back then, he surpassed the civilization-level prodigies and is also a powerful Mind Power Master. How can a Mind Power Master become so petrifying?"

Finally, some Wizards began to notice something amiss and saw Merlin controlling the battlefield from above. That sweeping Mind Power was ultimately recognizable to the Spell Casters.

They immediately recalled Merlin's identity as a Mind Power Master. Nevertheless, at this moment, Merlin's Mind Power was like a vast ocean with unperceivable depth and immeasurable size. Moreover, his Mind Power could control the enemies. The so-called

“infighting” between the Atlan civilization, Rock Tribe, and Light Believers had been orchestrated by Merlin.

Wherever Merlin was, chaos reigned. At this moment, almost no one on the battlefield could challenge Merlin. He had become the only vanquisher in the entire battlefield!

This was an Honored Legend as well as a Ninth-level Mind Power Master, who was able to control a battlefield even better than the ultimate existences, Great Lords, and countless Honored Legend existences. Surely, this battle would be a momentous celebration by all the Mind Power Masters!

This was not far from the truth. In a way, the more enemies there were, the more beneficial it was for Merlin. This was because the more minds he controlled, the more power he would gain.

Hence, at this moment, Merlin was almost undefeatable!

Wherever he went, the Atlan civilization warships would start to attack the Rock Tribe and Light Believers in a frenzy. Sometimes, they even attacked other warships from their civilization.

Wherever he went, the Rock Creatures and Light Believers would fall into unimaginable chaos and start to attack their friends and allies viciously. They were turned into madmen who could not control their behavior.

Throughout the countless years stretching across the immeasurable history of the Void Zone, nothing like this had ever happened before.

“Hum.”

Suddenly, a chilling sense of danger loomed in Merlin’s heart. His gaze immediately looked toward the direction where the danger originated. Based on his current Mind Power, he could almost predict danger.

Following the direction where the danger originated, Merlin saw a huge blinding light beam shot through the Void Zone again, from within the endless darkness, directly at him.

At this moment, Merlin knew that he had been locked as a target!

Being locked as a target by an Atlan civilization dimension-level warship would terrify even the Great Lords. After all, this was the fearsome warship which had just killed the Blackfire Lord.

Nonetheless, Merlin did not retreat. His mind seemed to replay the memory of the Blackfire Lord being reduced to ashes by this light beam, unable to put up a single ounce of resistance.

This warship was too far away, so Merlin could not trace its whereabouts. Moreover, the attack that could destroy a Lord was hurtling toward Merlin.

If it was just Merlin alone, no matter how powerful his Mind Power was, it would be useless. Regardless of how powerful a Mind Power was, its ability to interfere with the material world was extremely limited. It was even weaker than an ordinary Maxim.

However, Merlin's Mind Power could now control minds!

A smile appeared on the corner of Merlin's lips. He joined his hands together, and did not retreat. Instead, he began to head directly toward the hidden warship.

With every single step Merlin took, more Rock Tribe contenders, Atlan civilization warships, and Light Believers were controlled. These Rock Tribe contenders, Light Believers, and Atlan civilization warships rushed in droves to stand in front of Merlin, madly withstanding the terrifying light on his behalf.

Finally, after the death of a few Honored Legends and three empire-level warships, that beam of light was exhausted. Meanwhile, more warships, Rock Tribe contenders, and Light Believers had gathered around Merlin.

All of them had a blank look in their eyes, obviously being mind-controlled.

“Why don't you have a taste of being attacked by warships too...”

Merlin gently waved his hand. Instantly, five empire-level warships and thirteen city-level warships aimed their cannons toward the warship which was hiding in the dark a distance away.

The position of that hidden warship was immediately given away. Its position was locked by these warships with practiced ease.

“Boom boom boom.”

Terrifying light beams which carried frightful power soared through the air toward the distant darkness. The hidden warship could no longer stay hidden. Once locked by the warships, they could not escape.

Thus, everyone could finally see a huge dimension-level warship which was hidden in darkness, gradually appear. It was this dimension-level warship which had just killed the Blackfire Lord and two Legend Squads.

“Bang bang bang.”

More than a dozen light beams slammed heavily onto this warship, causing violent vibration. Nevertheless, it was a dimension-level warship, so its defensive layer was incredibly strong. Despite withstanding more than a dozen energy cannon attacks, it remained completely undamaged.

Perhaps the only damage it sustained was in terms of energy. Withstanding those attacks must have consumed a significant amount of energy.

Merlin’s face was indifferent as he seemed unsurprised. If a dimension-level warship could be restrained so easily, then it would not have been called a dimension-level warship.

However, his gaze shifted toward three tiny figures before the dimension-level warship. Most likely, everyone’s attention had been occupied by Merlin, so no one saw those three figures quickly approaching the dimension-level warship.

Merlin, on the other hand, knew that these three figures constituted unparalleled contenders of the Spell Caster civilization, second only to the three Ultimate Arcane Wizards.

The Nightmare Lord, who had consolidated four ultimate Maxims, was also the number one Lord of Setoh Arcane City.

The Bloodriver Lord, the only Lord born from among the plunderers, had also consolidated four ultimate Maxims.

The final Wizard was like an embodiment of a black hole. A spine-tingling aura exuded freely from this Wizard, and the Maxim on his body almost seemed like a dark cloud.

Although Merlin had never seen him before, judging by his distinctive characteristics, he immediately knew that this Wizard was from Augustus Arcane City. This was a Lord who had also consolidated four ultimate Maxims, and was even starting on the fifth. According to rumors, he was the Fowell Lord, the closest to becoming an ultimate existence.

These three Lords, from the moment the Blackfire Lord was killed, had been slowly approaching the dimension-level warship. They knew that as long as this hidden dimension-level warship was not defeated, then it would spell disaster for the entire Spell Caster civilization.

Therefore, while the warship was preoccupied with Merlin, the three Great Lords approached it as fast as possible.

“Both of you, attack now. No matter what the cost, we must show them the power of the Spell Casters!”

The Maxims on Fowell’s body burst forth in an instant, along with the Bloodriver Lord, and the Nightmare Lord. Their ultimate Maxims turned into massive clouds and an enormous aura descended upon the entire battlefield.

This was the power of the powerful Lords, second only to the power of the ultimate existences!

“Kill!”

The three men yelled in unison. All their Maxims condensed together and slammed directly onto the dimension-level warship.

“Boom.”

The resulting widespread Maxims shrouded the entire Void Zone. Even the massive warship was submerged within the Maxims and, for an instant, disappeared from view.

“Crack.”

Perhaps it was just a moment or perhaps it was a long time later, but everyone heard some unusual noises. Under the joint attack of the three Great Lords, the incredibly solid dimension-level warship was torn apart.

The warship exploded. The immense force rippled in every direction, forming the most magnificent spectacle in the Void Zone!