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Chapter 1031: The Rivers Of Time

After making sure everything was good, I pressed the "yes" button without hesitation, I already wanted to evolve and level up using all the accumulated EXP I got, it should be more than enough to get a lot of levels.

FLASH!

The moment I pressed yes, a flash of bright gray and golden light engulfed my whole body. I suddenly felt countless streams of essence coming from my surroundings, rushing towards me.

From the heavens and the earth, these streams never ended coming, appearing by the hundreds! They encompassed me completely, as I felt that my entire body was being encapsulated into some sort of cocoon.

"W-What is this?"

I had to admit, I panicked a bit. It was rather surprising how everything was happening. But I closed my eyes and let it all go through.

And as I began to evolve, I felt a strange sensation, my consciousness was being dragged elsewhere, it felt like I was sliding through a long river.

And then I reached somewhere, a place of endless streams of silver and white energies, flowing constantly.

"Where... Where am I?"

I found myself on my purest form, my soul itself.

There seemed to be a gray sand where there were no rivers of light.

"..."

I stood up and started walking around, trying to make sense of whatever I was experiencing right now.

"This water... Is it really water?"

I kneeled and touched the flowing rivers.

FLASH!

Yet my mind was immediately absorbed by it, as I was engulfed into a vision.

The world of Arcadia crumbling apart, the Continent of Verdant on flames, everything was carbonized and destroyed.

Countless armies of demons rushed everywhere, destroying everything.

Billions of lives were lost.

And in the middle of everything, a gigantic blazing crater, where a massive titan with countless arms, heads, legs, and wings spread flames and demons everywhere.

"This world you created... I will end it."

Surrounding him were dozens of corpses of beings that weren't quite humanoid and weren't quite spirits. They glowed still, even as they were dead, with bright, colorful divinities.

The titan grabbed them with his giant claws and devoured them one after another, his powers growing tremendously.

"Please... Erebus... No more!"

There was only a single of them alive, a beautiful woman with long pale green hair, made out of plants, her emerald eyes crying.

"Gaia..."

The demonic titan glared down at her.

"You didn't... had to do this... Please... t-there's still time, my son... please...!"

"Because you raised me with love, I will not eat you."

He encompassed her into a capsule of flames.

"You will watch as the world ends, at my side... mother."

"Erebus, no... Please... PLEASE STOP!"

She was too weak to stop him, as the demon conjured the divinities of the gods, and manipulated the very laws of the world.

Everything began to be destroyed.

The seas evaporated, the continents began breaking down, the planet's core exploded.

It was the end of the world of Arcadia.

"This is my true purpose, mother..."

"NOOOO!"

As her scream reverberated across the cataclysm, everything turned black.

Yet she remained...

"Erebus... Sniff... I'm sorry... This is all my fault... If I hadn't... If I hadn't let them seal you, if I hadn't let them manipulate me... I... I could have stopped this." She kept weeping. "My son... I'm so sorry..."

The vision slowly started to fade away, but I was able to see something before that.

A glimpse.

It was a small explosion of white light coming from the eternal darkness' horizon.

A flash of pure white light, which had a single eye of silver light.

It moved towards her, but the vision ended there, before I could see anything else.

"Hahhh... Hahhh... W-What was that?! What did I just see?!"

I screamed; I couldn't contain my feelings.

It was so twisted, so terrible!

"D-Did this truly happen? Where am I? Wasn't I going to just evolve? Why... Why did I had to see that?"

I couldn't contain my emotions, which had become a swirl, tears fell from my eyes.

Why...?

Why did everything had to end?

"So you saw it, huh? You touched the Rivers of Time."

A voice echoed from afar, no, everywhere.

Wherever I looked, there was simply silver and white light.

Yet this voice came from everywhere all at once.

"W-Who is it?"

Suddenly, the rivers of time began to move differently, gathering within a singular point.

That same silver and white light I saw at the end of the vision, that had appeared out of nowhere, it combined in front of me, taking some sort of shape.

It spread out angelic wings, and had a single, silver eye.

"You, the ancient one that survived, you, the one that lived after everything ended, you, the one that made that contract with me. We see again, Gaia."

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"Eh? What? I'm not... Gaia? What are you talking about?"

"..."

He remained in silence, and then spoke again.

"Oh? It seems that I was mistaken. You're not her? How strange..." He said. "Or perhaps... No, but that's... Hm."

"Who are you? Are you that light that appeared at the end of that vision?"

"You met my children already, the Administrators," the light spoke. "This is nothing but a fragment of my true self, an aspect. I am known as the Regulator; I oversee it all... You may also know me as the System."

"Eh?!"

Wait, for real?

The System itself is in front of me?!

"I don't represent it entirely. The System is boundless, it exists in every particle, in every living being, it has assimilated it all. It was born from the Void left behind after Arcadia was destroyed," said the entity. "I am but one of its aspects, I oversee Time."

"Time..."

"Wait, so the System was born when Arcadia was destroyed?!"

"There is not much time, your stay here was limited. But I am glad you were able to see a part of the past... Or of the many pasts. Time has been rearranged and combined, the past, the present, and the future coexists as one." He spoke. "This was the Will of the Core."

"The will of the Core? Who is this Core- Wait, wait, wait, too many revelations at once! I can hardly process everything!"

"I'm sorry, but you've absorbed enough Time Essence, your Heart should be more than full. Now go back, your evolution is about to end. I wish you good luck, Bridge."

"Bridge...?"

FLASH!

Chapter 1032: Evolving

FLASH!

Before I could even ask anything else to the "Regulator" that existed within a strange Realm where countless Rivers of Time appeared, I was quickly dragged back to reality.

My consciousness moved back to my body, which was constantly evolving. The gray energy rivers wrapped around my body, forming a huge cocoon of sorts.

At the same time as this happened, my "true body" within the Forest of Beginnings was also beginning to change, to grow larger, stretching into the skies.

It seemed that the evolution of my "true body" and my "avatar" were both different and also one and the same, interestingly enough.

I relaxed, letting the evolution proceed.

It felt relaxing, like every fiber of my body was being redefined and made anew. Even my Soul felt refreshed, absorbing the energies and growing larger.

My body continued growing larger and stronger, until I became so big the "egg-like cocoon" started gaining countless cracks.

My evolution was finally done.

I had so many questions in my head after that whole interaction, but it wasn't as if any of them would be answered any time soon.

I accepted that I couldn't really get any responses now and concentrated on my new form.

Crack, crack...!

Almost there...

CRACK!

Come on...

CRASH!

The "egg" finally cracked, shattering into countless pieces. Unlike my previous evolution into an Yggdragon, this felt much more natural, it truly felt like I had been reincarnated as a little dragon that was tearing out of her eggshell.

But I wasn't a little dragon at all though!

"Woah, is this me?!"

The Rivers of Time Essence slowly concentrated into my chest, rapidly disappearing as the sun above the skies shone over my body, revealing my new appearance to the world.

I was naturally on my Yggdragon form, or well, maybe I am not even an Yggdragon anymore?

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"Just what did I become now?"

I flew towards the nearest source of water, a huge lake in the middle of the savannah, several dinosaurs and giant prehistoric beasts were drinking water there.

The moment I approached, their eyes widened, and they all started running immediately. Most of these monsters were Level three hundred and above, yet they ran away from me!

"Just what... Oh."

I looked at my reflection, calmly assessing the situation with the best of my capabilities. I had indeed become bigger.

While my "base" Yggdragon form was roughly between fifty to a hundred meters big, I had become more than one hundred meters now, probably two hundred as the "base" form.

I indeed continued being a dragon, there were all the features the Yggdragon had, but changed, remade, and looking much newer and incredible.

My golden scales now became rarer, finely decorating specific areas of my body such as my shoulders, stomach, neck, forehead, and legs.

My claws and horns continued being golden-colored, my horns grew into three golden pairs, growing from my forehead all the way down my long and slender, scaled neck.

The rest of my scales were of a metallic silver color that reflected light and created even brighter light.

It was almost the same color as the gray colored Time Essence.

I had another thing, the three-headed form I've taken temporarily before now became my permanent form, as aside from my main head, there were two more heads, completely synched to my own mind to my left and right.

My face did not look as gentle anymore, much rougher, sharper, and menacing. I had three pairs of golden eyes and another two pairs of silver eyes, giving me an alien, yet draconic appearance.

My jaws were big and with sharp teeth, which were shown without any... well "lips" covering them, it meant I was always wearing a nice and cute smile... Actually, a very menacing expression.

I had two pairs of arms in this "base" form, all four of them were very strong and bulky, packed with golden and silver scales shaped into powerful metallic armor.

The inside was still wood, but the dark, brown-colored wood that made me had completely changed, now becoming completely ash white.

I had three long tails in this "base" form, each one ended on a spiraling, sharp golden spear-like tip, all three of them weren't as bulky as my arms and seemed very flexible.

To finish off my description, I had two pairs of wings now, two above my shoulders, which showed eye-shaped markings when opened, and another smaller pair right above my hips, this one also had eyes, the big wings had golden eyes while the smaller one had blue eyes.

"This form is insane; I really look like a Final Boss now..." I glanced at myself in utter disbelief, trying to process my new evolution. "Oh? This is..."

I noticed that in my chest there was a huge symbol resembling a clock made of gold and silver, it showed all the numbers in roman, made of gold and embedded into my scales.

There was a small golden arrow that slowly moved around as time passed... I had no idea I could get myself a clock on my freaking chest! What's this?

"It really feels like I evolved into some Yu Gi Oh card monster..." I sighed. "Hahah..."

I already had a clear idea about what I had evolved into, and it seemed rather glaringly obvious, but the System notifications that came after my new evolution further confirmed my suspicions.

Ding!

[Congratulations! You have met all the requirements and you've successfully evolved into the [Yggdragon of Time: Aeternitas]!]

[You have surpassed the Legacy of the Yggdragon and become a completely different being beyond the Yggdragon and Yggdrasil itself, you've been given the Divine Title: [Aeternitas, Divine Dragon Mother of Eternity]!]

[The Title has permanently increased All Stats by an additional +1.000.]

[All your Stats have greatly increased!]

[Your Racial Skill [Ancient Yggdrasil Draconic Spirit Guardian: Lv7] has Evolved into the [Divine Yggdragon Time Spirit Guardian: Lv9]!]

[Your Racial Skill [Divine Draconic Heart: Lv5] has Evolved into the [Divine Draconic Heart of Time: Lv7]!]

[You gained +1 Racial Skill Slots.]

[You can now Rank Up Class and Subclasses!]

[There's a large quantity of accumulated experience, once you Rank Up your Class and Subclass, the experience will be distributed.]

Aeternitas...?

Chapter 1033: Aeternitas

I took a look at my own Status after the Evolution and everything.

[Player Name]: [Planta]

[Title]: [Young World Tree]

[Guild]: [The Forest of Beginnings {Guild Master}]

[Fame]: [74.720]

[Race]: [Yggdragon of Time: Aeternitas]

[Job Class]: [Yggdragon's Spirit Farmer] (Ready to Rank Up)

[Subclass]: [Hephaestus' Successor] (Ready to Rank Up)

[Cultivation]: [Sealed Three Divine Yggdrasil Meridians Realm (Stage 1/3)]

[Level]: [180/300]

[EXP]: [0/180.000.000]

[Satiation]: [900/900]

[HP]: [27.740/27.740]

[MP]: [38.330/38.330]

[KI]: [3.350/3.350]

[STR]: [18.880]

[VIT]: [17.510]

[DEX]: [22.330]

[AGI]: [17.400]

[INT]: [23.430]

[WIS]: [20.180]

[LUC]: [20.480]

[CHM]: [6.550]

[AUT]: [4.500]

[SOUL]: [7.500]

[Main Specialization]: {Path of the Divine Gourmet Dragon Queen: Rank 2}

Available Divine Gourmet Essence: 150.000

Until Next Rank Up: 0/3.000.000

Yep, definitely, the numbers went up by more than I imagined. Also it seems my Level Cap is three hundred now, I thought I would get another evolution until that Level Cap, but I guess Aeternitas is just that strong of an Evolution, it makes sense.

After all, I've read in the forums that not everyone shares the same level caps through their progression, special and stronger racial evolutions tend to have much higher-Level Caps than other, more normal ones.

Now, I should quickly move into Ranking Up my Class and Subclass and be done with it.

Last time I got a new Subclass, the whole Hephaestus Quest was unlocked. I wonder if I'll get an upgrade to that, or can I choose something else.

"Helper, are you there? Will I lose the benefits and the quests of my Subclass if I change it into something completely different?"

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FLASH!

The Helper Spirit appeared on all his bubble-shaped glory.

"Of course not, it is something tied to you, every Racial Evolution, Every Class and Subclass become a pillar of your strength, you keep their skills, stats, and everything related to them without problems."

"Phew, that's a relief, then I can choose whatever I want!"

"Indeed, but try to pick something good though..."

"Hey, I did the last time so of course I'll do it now too!"

I quickly decided to look at the options for both Classes and Subclasses.

[Current Job Class]: [Yggdragon's Spirit Farmer]

[Available Job Classes]

[Divine Spiritual Dragomancer (Mythic+)]

[Divine Aeternitas' Spirit Farmer (Mythic++)]

[Divine Time Dragon Spirit Gardener (Mythic++)]

Woah, all three options do look rather tempting.

To be honest, I am really curious about what a Dragomancer could do, maybe it could help me obtain new ways to transform, summon, combine, and use dragons?

And then the other two are the Farmer and Garder Classes, which keep evolving as I Rank Up.

Seeing how these two are the Mythic++ Classes, they seem like the obvious pick at the end of the day.

Although I would probably want to get the Dragomancer anyways, I know that it is better to not walk away from my original path.

Ding!

[You've selected the Mythic++ Grade Job Class: [Divine Aeternitas' Spirit Farmer]!]

Done with that, now into the Subclass.

My current Subclass is Hephaestus Successor, an amazing Subclass that brought me to a completely new level of craftsmanship.

I wonder if there's something new that could even compare to that...

[Current Subclass]: [Hephaestus' Successor]

[Available Subclasses]

[World Realm Shaper (Mythic++)]

[Divine Spiritual Time Alchemist (Mythic++)]

[Disciple of the Ancient Chef Of The Golden Mountain (Mythic+++)]

World Shaper became World Realm Shaper, it probably helps at shaping my new Realms? Maybe it could even include the Realm I am growing back home.

Then there's this new Alchemist Subclass, it's no longer merged with the cooking Subclass. It is now Divine Spiritual Time Alchemist?

Maybe it could help me synthesize time itself? Wow, that sounds insanely overpowered. But I doubt it will be so easy.

And then there's... huh?

Disciple of the Ancient Chef of the Golden Mountain?

That certain character that keeps appearing on my notifications whenever I cook a Divine Dish?

I do remember that the last message he sent was about having decided on taking me as his disciple, or something.

This is not the same as a successor like with my current subclass, a disciple directly learns from their master after all.

This is another Subclass connected to an incredibly ancient being!

I do remember hearing from Mercedes' party about this guy, he was already living back then! He's a Cultivator from the Eastern Continent.

If I take this Subclass, will I need to go meet that person to their continent? That'll surely be annoying...

Maybe it can wait once I am done with all the problems of the Luminous Kingdom.

But considering this might be an opportunity at the level of Hephaestus Successor, I simply can't ignore this Subclass true potential.

Yeah, I'm taking it!

Ding!

[You've selected the Mythic+++ Grade Job Class: [Disciple of the Ancient Chef Of The Golden Mountain]!]

The moment I selected the Subclass, I felt a strange golden wave of power coursing through my body, it was rich and refreshing, and the more I took, the stronger I felt.

It was like Divine Gourmet Essence, Ki, and Divinity all combined together! What is this?!

And above all else, knowledge. I suddenly started to see visions, images of another place, another continent, one several times larger than even Verdant.

One where Martial Arts that Cultivated the Daos fought for supremacy, their gigantic continent surrounded by a deadly sea and a storming sky, the very reason why it was so hard for people from their continent to get here, and vice versa.

And within a tall, golden mountain, there was a huge golden palace, and a big panda bear sat down, he was wearing golden and silver colored ancient Chinese robes, and a bamboo hat. Opening his eyes, which shone with golden light, he seemed to be look straight into my very soul.

"So you've accepted my offer... Very well," he smiled, laughing. "Come see me, your Master is awaiting your arrival. Make sure to bring me something tasty!"

FLASH!

The vision ended there, as I opened my eyes again, my stats increasing a bit more after finally Ranking Up.

"I guess I'll really need to go to the Eastern Continent, huh?"

Chapter 1034: New Powers, New Look, Same Cutie

Ding!

[Your Job Class and Subclass have Ranked Up to [Divine Aeternitas' Spirit Farmer] and [Disciple of the Ancient Chef Of The Golden Mountain]!]

[All your Stats have increased by +3.000!]

[You gained an additional Class Skill Slot.]

[The [Divine Draconic Heart of Time: Lv7] Skill has Leveled Up!]

[The [Yggdragon's Spirit Agriculture: Lv7] Skill has evolved into [Divine Aeternitas Dragon Spirit Agriculture: Lv9]!]

[The [All Trades: Lv8] Skill has Leveled Up!]

[The [Spiritual Cuisine & Alchemy: Lv10] Skill has evolved into [Divine Golden Heaven Gourmet Arts: Lv1]!]

[You gained the Title [Ancient Chef Of The Golden Mountain Only Disciple]!]

[An incredible feat! STR, DEX, and VIT has increased by +500 and SOUL and KI have increased by +1.000!]

My Stats increased even more! I felt so strong, and my Soul received so many additional stats too, so it naturally grew much larger, up to at least 30% bigger!

Also my Ki quantity skyrocketed, it was now over eight thousand, with this, I might be able to finally begin cultivating my strange wooden body.

But above all, my Spiritual Cuisine and Alchemy Skill evolved into Divine Golden Heaven Gourmet Arts! What is that? I'm so curious now...

Ding!

[You have Ranked Up fully, administrating all accumulated Experience Points.]

[Accumulated Experience Points: 20.000.000.000+]

Over twenty billion?!

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[...]

I was quickly drowned with countless leveling up notifications. All the levels I should have gotten from all our fights so far, especially through that dungeon all came gushing down.

At the end...

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Level Up!]

[Your Level has increased from Level 180 to Level 237!]

[All your Stats have increased. You gained Bonus Stat Points and Skill Points.]

[Because of the great growth of your very being as a Ruler and a World Boss, you gained +100.000 Community Points and +300.000 World Boss Points.]

"Wow... 57 Levels in one fell swoop, okay..."

It was indeed a lot!

I was now only 63 Levels from reaching Max Level, it was a bit excessive how much EXP I had accumulated.

I think I'm done for now.

Nonetheless, I still checked the Skill Trees as I made my way back to Yggdrasil where everyone else was waiting for me.

<{Skill Trees}>

[Skill Tree: Yggdragon of Time: Aeternitas]

[White Ashen Tree Time Spirit Bearing Fruits: Lv0] [Cost: 200 SP]

[Divinity Domain Expansion: Fragmented Time: Lv0] [Cost: 200 SP]

[Skill Tree: [Divine Aeternitas' Spirit Farmer]

[Aeternitas' Spirit Garden Of A Forgotten Past: Lv0] [Cost: 200 SP]

[Divine Time Harvest Draconic Arts: Lv0] [Cost: 200 SP]

[Skill Tree: [Disciple of the Ancient Chef Of The Golden Mountain]

[Spiritual Heavenly Gourmet Dao Cooking Techniques: Lv0] [Cost: 300 SP]

[Divine Golden Heaven's Gourmet Spirit Kitchen: Lv0] [Cost: 300 SP]

Wow, okay, they all look pretty interesting! The biggest problem though is that I completely lack Skill Slots, I only have one slot for Racial and Class Skills and nothing else, I believe.

I should probably dedicate myself to max level the Divine Beast Skills, fuse them with some of my other older Skills, and make space for six new Skills I suppose.

They all sound very strong on their own, I don't know if I should combine these over, it would be definitely better to keep them as they are, at least the Subclass Skills, but I'll see what I can do.

Meanwhile, back in the Forest of Beginnings, my "true body" transformation finished, I had grown at least 50% larger, and my entire color and even texture changed.

The brown, rough wood from before now turned into an ashen white color, and it had a more crystal-like outer appearance, giving the entire gigantic tree a more mystical and fantastical appearance than before.

All the inhabitants of the Forest of Beginnings gathered in front of my "true body", admiring its new changes.

The tree slowly began pouring Time Essence into the entire Forest of Beginnings, this Time Essence started to alter the forest's own structure.

Things became slightly "foggy", I think? It was a strange thing.

But it seemed that the entire Forest was slowly undergoing some changes, great changes actually.

Was it becoming a Realm of its own? It was the only answer I could think of...

However, the process was slow, so there were no instant results.

One thing I noticed though, was that the big, purple-colored fruit where I had sealed the Demon King of Miasma to heal him and give him a second chance, had disappeared.

Did he fell from the tree?

This only means he has finally awakened, after all this time, the lazy Demon King has finally decided to step out.

I actually want to see where he is, but my senses are limited in the Forest of Beginnings as of right now.

So I should quickly gather with my friends and go there first.

"Woah... Is that you, Lady Planta?!" Acorn asked.

"My liege... She looks so... majestic and draconic!" Nieve gasped.

"H-Holy shit... Dragon mommy," Mark muttered. He probably thought I didn't hear him.

"WOAAH! Is that a giant three-headed silver dragon?!" Little Titania asked. "Where did it come from? Wait, does such a dragon exist?"

"It's me, everyone, sorry for the commotion... This new form of mine is quite gigantic," I giggled a bit in embarrassment. "Wait a bit, let me reduce this size and compact it into something more acceptable."

FLASH!

I quickly began to compress my gigantic body into something smaller and more humanoid. However, my previous appearance with the green eyes and hair was no longer there.

When I took upon my Yggdryad appearance, I was definitely different!

My skin had become slightly paler, there was... a second pair of silver-colored eyes below the golden colored eyes I already had.

The golden horns remained, all three pairs of them, descending down my head, it was certainly a unique design.

My scales were silver and gold, mostly silver now, three long, thin tails behind, all ending on sharp golden spear-like ends.

Above all, my hair had become silvery-white now, instead of the bright green from before, and it was nicely decorated with yellow and white flowers. .net

It was... A very unique new form, I had to admit it.

"D-Do I look weird?" I giggled a bit.

"..." Mark wasn't saying a word, dropping his jaws into the floor.

Chapter 1035: A Talk With Past Yggdrasil

I think my new appearance was quite flashy, it truly left him without breath.

"Ahhh, I think I could shapeshift back to my previous form? It might take some energy..." I muttered.

"No, wait! It's perfect, you look amazing, stunning even..." Mark said. "Look at me, I just look the same in comparison, haha..."

"Aw, really? I don't know if I like this silvery-white hair yet..." I sighed, looking at my long hair while sighing. "In comparison? Oh! Did you evolve already?!"

I looked at Mark, surprised. His humanoid form had not changed much, he was able to replicate a very male Dryad-like form like me nowadays, but before he was just a big and bulky mass of wood.

"Well there are some changes though, you do look more handsome..."

His face had become a bit more mature, and his eyes were flaring with red flames. Above all, what I loved the most was his hair, yes, he had long, red-colored fiery hair.

His wooden body could easily mimic skin like mine, but his skin had become rather toasty, of a brown color, and covered on black steel wood armor.

There were also his big, feathered wings, whose feathers were now made of black steel wood and covered in flames.

He looked both dangerous and intimidating but had an air of nobility and gentleness with his smile.

"I-Is that so?" he wondered. "I think I can take upon that big bulky form like you. I suppose we became quite similar now, we both have a "compacted" form and then a bigger form."

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"It is more convenient that way I suppose~" I nodded. "Ah right! I guess I should explain what I became, right?"

"Yeah you should! I was amazed, quite a lot!" said little Titania. "Mommy Yggdrasil was also surprised!"

"It was as if the entire world converged into your very existence, my liege, your evolution has made you even more glorious," Nieve smiled, she looked very amazed.

"A-Ahaha, I think you're exaggerating a bit, it's a strong evolution I guess, but it's not like I am a Goddess or something..." I sighed. "I did gain Time related powers; I think it might be connected to this Realm... What about you, Mark?"

"I became something called a "Blazing Spiritual Obsidian Phoenix Treant" from the previous "Blazing Infernal Pheonix Treant". I think it might have added my temporary transformation abilities as my base strength. I can now freely switch my wood into the Black Obsidian Wood," he explained. "It's quite handy."

"It is! Maybe I should have gotten you some better materials though? Was there no other evolution or secret form?" I wondered.

"Hahah, secret form? There's no such thing, calm down," he patted my head. "I think this form is more than enough for me. You're much more special after all, Elayne. I know it might be still underwhelming compared to your own new evolution, but I like it. Obtaining a temporary transformation that grants me amazing abilities as a permanent form is already good enough."

His divine soul-bound fusion skill was called... I think it was {Blazing Totem Spirit God Of Fire And War Transformation}! I suppose his new evolution doesn't have the exact name at all, but it does work similarly, like he can now have most of its properties passively.

"Well those sounds pretty amazing actually, my bad," I nodded. "I wonder what the names of everyone else's Fusion Skills were. There are so many..."

"I remember Rita's one was about a Void Dragonborn dark elf embodiment thing? And Lily was about... I think it was divine mother of the earth or something," Mark thought about it. "Angelina had to do with archangel."

"Now that we got another ticket I guess we can get a second Soul-Bound Divine Fusion Skill, so that'll be yet another trump card for everyone!" I said. "They're totally different than the usual fusion skills we get."

"Yeah, without a doubt," Mark nodded. "Ah, I kind of lost myself in the conversation, what do we do now? Should we return back to the smithy?"

"I actually wanted to check on Brisingra first, see how she is..." I said.

"Oh sure, then let's go," Mark nodded.

"I also want to meet Brisingra!" Acorn said. "I am worried if she's fine..."

"She must be fine, but Lady Planta always worries about everyone, so I guess we should go meet her anyways, briefly if even," Nieve commented.

"Can I go? Please? Pretty pleaseeee?" Little Titania asked.

"Err, well..." I felt a bit worried about bringing her to Cloudia. "We'll have to ask your mom for permission first! Right, Yggdrasil?"

The gigantic tree in the background emanated a gentle wave of green and golden light.

"I've been thinking for a while since this Fragment of the Past has now become a Realm of its own... It will be impossible for us to remain like this forever. Stagnation will only lead us to the destruction," Yggdrasil said. "This Realm is much different than what our past used to be. Cooperation is needed to help one another.

I once thought that it was better to leave my daughter and her siblings on their own, isolated from Cloudia, but it might be better to let them know one another much better. Being overprotective is what brought my demise in the future after all... I was too foolish, despite my age."

"Mama..." Little Titania looked at the giant tree of Yggdrasil.

"I suppose you're not wrong... Okay then," I nodded. "I'll bring her and let her see and explore Cloudia and its people."

"Please feel free to do so," Yggdrasil said. "Ah, one more thing, Planta... Your new form, that's... not something I have ever seen before. I am honestly amazed. I did know that you inherited the Legacy of my previous form, the Yggdragon. And you even became an Yggdryad before, a lesser form of my own Legacy fused into that of a Dryad. But this... It feels like you've finally begun walking your own path.

You've combined the two Legacies, and further evolved them into something completely new, something that is not just the inheritance of the two of us, but your own power, your own Legacy."

"My own Legacy...?"

Chapter 1036: Inherited Legacy

A Legacy, just what is that? I've been hearing that name a lot, but to me it doesn't mean much, it just means I inherited the trait of something, right?

Although the Yggdrasil of right now was merely the Memory of her true self, she was still the real deal, or well, a part of her. Even now, she was immensely power and is singlehandedly becoming the core of this entire Realm, aside from the Time Memory Fragment itself.

I had already faced what it was to meet with her in person, entering her immensely powerful Divine Soul was overwhelming. I wonder if all the Gods are like this, or even stronger.

Nonetheless, because to me she was still the real deal, or a piece of it, I had to ask her this.

"What's a Legacy, Lady Yggdrasil?"

"A Legacy is... Well, an Inheritance of sorts," she answered. "I do not know exactly how the Future manages such things, but I am fairly sure that Legacies remain within the World's Roots, a central and ethereal pillar that exists within everything.

The Legacy of Yggdrasil, of the Yggdragon, and of the other Gods is kept as both information and as a power, a latent power that can be given, gifted, to those that are qualified to become their successors."

"So its really like some sort of Inheritance then..." I nodded. "In that came, my evolutions gave me the Inheritance of Yggdrasil, the Yggdragon, and also of Hephaestus."

"That's right... Hephaestus, huh? He is a God I know, if you possess his Legacy, it also means he's gone..." Yggdrasil sighed. "I can already feel it anyways, their presences. The Gods watching above and the Demon King living beneath, they're all gone.

This world has become a peaceful one after that, but it remains strange, its foundations feel slightly foggy to me, as the only divine being remaining, I might need to settle its foundations better over time."

"Wait, the Gods of the past disappeared too?" Mark wondered.

"That's right, unfortunately. The Divine Presence of the Gods and the Darkness of the Demon King disappeared once this Fragment of the Past became a Realm within the Present," said Yggdrasil. "It seems that their existences could not be maintained, being even less than shadows of their former selves.

Therefore, once this Fragment of the Past turned into a Realm of the Present, their existences matched the Present where you come from, a Present where they are no longer alive..."

"So the Gods are dead... All of them?" Acorn gasped.

"I think Lady Planta had already guessed this, she talked about it before," Nieve commented.

"No longer alive..." I sighed. "But that's... I've talked with them, the Gods, they're there. So how are they dead and not at the same time? I think only the main gods remain, but they're there!"

"You mean the Creator Gods, who originated first?" wondered Yggdrasil. "Yes, those must be my parents and those of Erebus. They created me as the Yggdragon, and Erebus as the Demon King.

But if this Fragment of the Past settled itself within the Present, and their divine presences did not remain, it means that they're long dead, or that they have changed so much they're now completely different entities."

"That's weird... Just what are the Gods we've met so far then?" Mark wondered. "I am honestly rather... worried myself. Almost every Player always met a god at the beginning, right? But what are they?"

"I think... Maybe they're Players too?" I wondered.

"What? How is that possible?" Acorn wondered. "But aren't Gods... Gods?"

"I don't know, but it felt that way now that I remember, their way of speaking wasn't like the people of Arcadia after all..." I said. "Ah, well, whatever, let's just move on."

"I would advice you to do so," Yggdrasil nodded. "Lingering too much on certain things you cannot resolve will only cause stagnation. Continue to move on, and progress. Now, my dear daughter, go met the people of Cloudia, and make new friends."

"Can I bring my siblings though?" Little Titania asked.

"Shaah!"

"Craah!"

"Gebobo..."

Saphee, Huginn, and Terra appeared by her side.

"I... suppose you can, yes," Yggdrasil nodded. "I will be fine now that this world has become a Realm instead, after all, Planta here can control how it works. If there's no Demon King, there's no immediate danger for me, and well, you're all too young anyways to protect me well, hehe."

"Mommy! I'm strong!" Little Titania pouted cutely. "R-Right, auntie Planta?"

"Of course! Little Titania's the strongest!" I lifted her off the ground and carried her in my arms, kissing her cheek. "And if you're not strong enough yet, you should be able to Level Up now, so we might help you get even stronger."

"Yaaay!" Little Titania said happily, as she hugged me back and kissed my cheek in return. "I love you auntie! You're so nice! And you smell like flowers, and all the spirits are always happy with you! I think I feel it too, you're like a second mommy!"

"Hahaha, you think so?" I giggled.

"She's getting very attached already..." Mark said.

"Are you okay with calling Mark uncle, little Titania?" I asked her.

"It's fine! I wanted an uncle too!" Little Titania smiled.

"E-Eh? Me?!" Mark blushed a bit. "A-Ah, well, if you want to, I don't mean... Haha."

"Uncle and Auntie! Woow! My family got so big now! I can't believe it!" Little Titania was really happy when we showed up.

"Thank you for being there for her..." Yggdrasil thanked us again. "Although I feel a bit stronger than before, and less sleepy once this Fragment of the Past became a Realm of the Present, I still need to rest most of the time to regain my energies and spread life into the continent. You are being there for my daughter is very important for her growth and development.

Even with her siblings, which I made so they could bring her company, she's often very lonely..."

"It's fine mommy, we're no longer lonely!" Little Titania said. "Now let's go to Cloudia! I can hardly wait! I've heard there's dragons, and majin, and elves there, right? It's so cool!" .net

"Haha, very well then! Let's go!"

We stepped into the portal leading to Cloudia with everyone else, landing in the middle of the Forgotten Valley City.

Chapter 1037: Remember Them For What They Were, Not For What They Became

Within Cloudia's graveyard, where the bodies of the deceased were placed for eternal rest, or where graves were erected for those whom bodies could not be recovered, Mercedes and Brisingra stood in front of three graves with the names "Elbedo", "Cecilia", and "Hermes".

Mercedes was calmly and melancholically looking at the graves, there were no bodies here at all, their bodies were destroyed alongside the ruins where they had intended to kill everyone. However, due to her insistence, graves were erected to them, even if they were seen as traitors.

"..." Brisingra looked at her mother in silence.

She felt slightly frustrated that she had come here to see the graves of the people that tried to kill her mom, especially after revealing their true faces, looking like insane and wicked people.

They betrayed the trust of everyone in the party and attempted to murder them all. It was also revealed that most of the problems they faced originally were all designed by them too.

"If it weren't for them, mom wouldn't have suffered so much..." Brisingra couldn't help but think. "Maybe the reason why she was like that according to dad, was because of all the emotional damage she took from her friend's betrayal, and probably Cloudia being destroyed..."

Brisingra, however, started to wonder how it was possible for her mom to appear so many years later after Cloudia was destroyed. Ancient Elves are said to be able to control the Element of Time, so it might've been possible that her mother ended traveling to the future in an accident, or perhaps to escape the threat of the past.

However, the mother in front of her was an echo of the past, a memory of time itself that was her mother in the past. Some would say she was simply fake, but Brisingra wanted to believe this was also her mother, a piece of her memories and a fragment of her past, but it was her mother at the end.

"You probably must hate me for coming here and grieving their deaths after everything that happened, isn't it?" Mercedes sighed, smiling back at Brisingra.

"Eh? No, I would never hate you for anything, mom!" Brisingra cried. "I-I... I am just a bit frustrated you're so forgiving..."

"I understand how you feel... I might've felt the same way in your shoes too," Mercedes nodded. "However, to me, Elbedo, Hermes, and Cecilia are more than just traitors that tried to kill me... I lived for hundreds of years with them. I saw Cecilia grow up, since she was a child. She was my best friend, and someone... Someone I loved dearly."

"Mom..." Brisingra noticed her mother's tears falling from her eyes.

"So... Even if they betrayed me, even if they tried to kill me, I-I want to remember them for what they were to me before all of that..." Mercedes kept sobbing. "They were my friends, my dear friends..."

People I loved like my family... I loved their banter, I loved researching with them, and... and I loved sharing meals with them. All these memories of happiness, I don't want to pretend they never existed."

"Sorry..." Brisingra sighed. "I didn't consider that..."

"You don't need to apologize for anything dear, I understand your frustration. You only met these people for a couple of days at most..." Mercedes sighed.

"I wish I could have been smarter, I wish I could have tried to find what was wrong with them, I remember that there were clues, they sometimes acted strange, gathering without me, or going out without me... But I always thought that it was simply to do something normal, or to not bother me while I was busy... I wish I could have done something to stop them, to make them change their ways, to convince them..."

"But when we faced them, they didn't seem to want to change..." Brisingra sighed.

"Exactly," Mercedes nodded. "It was too late... I don't know what exactly happened to them in the Timeline where you come from, but if I was alive, then that probably means that they spared my life in the original timeline... Maybe, I want to believe, that perhaps... That perhaps thanks to these bonds we forged, they spared my life..."

"Maybe..." Brisingra said.

"Cecilia..." Mercedes kept sobbing, as Brisingra patted her shoulders.

"Was she very important to you?" Brisingra wondered. "I-I thought mom only liked dad but... I didn't know you had someone you loved before."

"I-I... I did love her... Not as just a friend," Mercedes tried cleaning the tears from her eyes, but she would only keep crying. "I was dumb... I never tried to confess my feelings to her, I thought she didn't like me back, that it might've been weird for two women to be in love."

So I kept these feelings inside, and I just was happy with her as my friend... Maybe if I would have told her about my feelings before, she would have changed. Maybe... this wouldn't have happened."

"I'm sorry mom, I'm so sorry..." Brisingra started crying at the side of Mercedes, hugging her and trying to comfort her.

Mercedes accepted the hug from her daughter of the future, as she smiled a bit, and stopped crying.

"It's fine... I'm happy enough knowing that in the future, I was happy, and that... I met your father and had such a cute girl as my daughter," Mercedes said. "I wonder though, did I ever give you a name?"

"I... Yes, you did," Brisingra nodded. "Dad called me Brisingra, and well, you... Hah, you called me Cecilia."

Mercedes' eyes widened, as she smiled tenderly.

"I guess... Yeah, I would have done that," Mercedes caressed her daughter's hair. "Let's go back home now, dear. Shall we make something for lunch?"

"Sure!" Brisingra nodded. "Let me cook today mom, you should just sit down and relax!"

"Heheh, such an attentive daughter... Your father raised you well," Mercedes giggled. Enjoy more content from m-v l'e|-NovelBin.net

Mother and daughter walked back home, as they found a few friends waiting for them at the entrance.

"Oh! Lady Planta!" Brisingra smiled.

"Hi! I know it has only been just a day, but I wanted to check on you," Planta smiled.

Chapter 1038: Queen Planta

The moment we reached Cloudia, there was already a big commotion. Most of the people passing through the streets recognized us, running towards us with happy smiles.

"It's the heroes of the future!"

"Are they?!"

"Yes, yes, it's them!"

"The people that stopped the cultists and the demon king's resurrection!"

"T-They saved our fragment of the past from being deleted too!"

"Our saviors! Our heroes!"

Divine Dragons, Ancient Elves, and Majin alike all gathered around us, celebrating our arrival as if we were heroes, and I guess to this fragment of the past, we truly are.

"Woah, are you all famous or something?!" Little Titania gasped. "Hi! I am Titania!"

"E-Eh? Is she...?!"

"She's Yggdrasil's daughter, Titania!"

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"What? How did she get here?"

"Mama let me come visit! She said it was fine!" Titania smiled. "Nice to meet you everyone! Wow, there's so many people! I've never met so many people before!"

"W-Well, welcome to Cloudia then, young princess!"

"She's so adorable!"

"Welcome! I hope you have a nice stay!"

"Do you need a guide around the city?"

A lot of people offered their help, but we declined, we already had somewhere to go first.

"Sorry, sorry, we're busy right now. Thank you though, we'll consider your offers for the near future!" I walked away while holding Little Titania's hand so she wouldn't fly away somewhere out of curiosity.

Her big eyes were looking everywhere, she was very obsessed with every single detail of the city, pointing at it and asking what it was.

Once we made our way to Mercedes house, we suddenly found Mercedes and Brisingra just walking back home.

"Oh! Lady Planta!" Brisingra smiled, greeting us. "Everyone!"

"Hi! I know it has only been just a day, but I wanted to check on you," I said. "How have you been? Is everything good here?"

"Yeah everything's alright!" Brisingra nodded.

"Most of the news have already been shared, I assume you were swarmed by a lot of happy people, right? They are calling all of you "heroes of the future", haha," Mercedes laughed. "Come in, let's talk more inside. Have you eaten something?"

"Well, yeah, we just ate a lot, but we can join to some tea, maybe," I nodded. "Right guys?"

"Yeah!" Acorn nodded. "I got some acorns myself; I'll share them with everyone."

"What's an acorn? Are they tasty?" Little Titania wondered.

"Looks like they don't exist in the past, huh?" I giggled.

As we made our way inside and accompanied everyone to some food, we continued the conversation while enjoying some snacks and desserts, alongside some tea.

"So the three Elders have decided to create a larger leading organization?" Mark wondered.

"Yes, it is because now that the Gods are no longer here, and our world now consist only of Cloudia, Verdant, and the Demon King Continent, we'll need some more people to govern and order," said Mercedes. "Before, the Gods told us everything we had to do... Three Elders were more than enough. But we plan to create Guilds for each City of Cloudia now.

Also, the Elders expressed their interest in sending some people to populate the continents below and explore it for their resources. Without the gods to provide with many miracles and blessings, we must quickly fend by ourselves."

"Well, there's also mama out there! She can help!" Titania said while eating cookies and cream ice cream with pancakes.

"Yes, we are well aware of Mother Yggdrasil," nodded Mercedes. "The Elders were planning on also communicating with her more. To share resources and knowledge. But everyone is still rather afraid, after all she's very territorial and doesn't like to be disturbed."

"I am sure she has changed as well, now that things have become different, she allowed Titania to visit you all," I said. "I think she doesn't want her children to be lonely anymore. And that might be a good excuse to also start some negotiations between the two continents."

"Cloudia is vast, and I am sure we can sustain ourselves, but as our population continues to grow, that might become impossible without the Gods to help," Mercedes said. "So it would be ideal to eventually expand our population as villages in Verdant! Of course, only if we get Yggdrasil's approval."

"Interesting... Well, as the owner of this Realm, I should be able to convince her," I nodded. "As long as there's nobody with bad intentions, of course. I might be in control of this Realm now, but I still can't detect each individual's intentions... I remember there were some cultists you jailed. What happened to them?"

"They're still alive, although most of them have grown... depressed," said Mercedes. "It is as if the disappearance of the Demon King had impacted them tremendously. Perhaps whatever curse was set on their minds is slowly weakening. But for now, we'll keep them jailed."

"Yes, it's better to do that for now," I nodded. "Well! I suppose there's a lot to do for everyone. I'll also do my part, I have to take responsibility of this Realm if possible."

"It's not entirely necessary, Planta. We know you're busy in the future, trying to also protect the Arcadia of that time," Mercedes said. "As long as you can help us with a few things here and there, we can take care of ourselves, as we've always done."

"Heh, how reliable! Alright, alright," I nodded. "What do you think, dear?"

"Me? Ah..." Mark stopped eating donuts with coffee. "I would say it's alright, yeah. We're quite busy ourselves, we can't spend much time here after all... Though, I would like to have a word with the Elders later, maybe another day. I kind of want to see how they organize everything. Have they thought about a governing system similar to feudal systems?"

With Planta as the Queen, and with her authority, she could assign other governors that take care of areas of the Realm."

"Hmm, we never thought about that! It does sounds interesting, I don't think anybody would reject Planta as their Queen, she's a literal Goddess of this Realm after all!" Mercedes nodded. "What do you think, Planta? Do you like the idea of becoming our Queen?"

"Q-Queen of a whole world?!" I gasped. "W-Wait, let me think about that first!"

I was honestly panicking, isn't that too much responsibility?!

I know Mark had good intentions with that, but honey, calm down a bit!

Chapter 1039: Brisingra's New Opportunity

"Well, you're already a Guild Master, and aren't you like the second queen of the Forest of Beginnings at this point?" Acorn wondered. "Lady Planta would make a perfect queen!"

"Indeed, she's very attentive and humble, and very gentle and thoughtful, also strong, intelligent, and always thinks of others, very empathetic!" said Nieve. "She would make the most perfect queen in the world... E-Even surpassing Queen Titania!"

"Even me?!" Little Titania gasped. "Woow! Yeah, auntie Planta is that cool!"

"Everyone, you're embarrassing me now..." I covered my face. "I will think about it but please don't force me..."

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"Hahah, I suppose I overstepped my boundaries there, sorry," Mark patted my shoulders. "I know we're busy, I shouldn't have said that out of nowhere..."

"Nah, well, it's fine, I do agree a bit with it~" I said, kissing his lips. "But maybe you should also be a King? Hm? I would need one after all..."

"K-King? Me?!" Mark was the embarrassed one now. "T-That's... I never considered that."

"Titan would make a good king I think!" Acorn said. "He's strong and gentle, and thoughtful!"

"He would be a good King, if he was chosen by Lady Planta's heart, it means he's also a pure-hearted man," Nieve nodded.

"Uncle's the king obviously!" Little Titania nodded.

"Heheh, he's a bit shy sometimes, but Uncle Titan is very strong and gentle, he's a gentle giant, he would make a good king, he reminds me of dad," Brisingra giggled.

"E-Everyone, stop it already..." Mark looked very shocked.

"Hahaha! Now you're the embarrassed one!" I giggled.

Mercedes smiled as she drank some tea. "Well, you can decide what you'll do later, there's no need to worry too much. The Demon King Continent is now full of greenery thanks to you. We've begun to think about a new name, most want to call it the Planta Continent!"

"P-Planta Continent?!" I cried. "W-Wait, that's too embarrassing!"

"Hahah! Sorry, sorry, but I think that'll win the contest," Mercedes giggled.

"I like the name!" Titania said.

We continued discussing for another half an hour before we decided to move on. As we were saying our goodbyes, Brisingra quickly tried to come with us.

"Let me go with you then, I guess I shouldn't stay here too much," said Brisingra. "After all... Well, I did promise I would help."

"No, Brisingra, don't force yourself," I patted her shoulders.

"E-Eh? But... we're a party, right?" Brisingra tried to pretend she was fine with leaving so soon.

"Dear, do you think I don't know how you feel? I am fairly sure you don't want to leave, right?" I asked her. "You're not obligated to fight at our side, your help so far has been really appreciated, you are our little barrier master after all! However, I also want you to be happy.

I am not telling you to stay here forever or something... You can come out whenever you want actually, but for now, why don't you allow yourself some respite? Stay here with your mother, it's fine."

"B-But..." Brisingra muttered. "I..."

Brisingra started crying.

"Really?"

She looked at me with her bright eyes.

"Yes, it's fine, stay with your mom," I nodded. "As a mother myself, I know the pain a child goes through when they cannot be with their mother. I would never want to negate that from you, now that you've finally found her. Even in the past, she's still here, stay with her and be happy. Once you feel you're truly ready, you can step out and come with us.

Or go back home and tell your dad, you can do whatever you want. It's your life, and I don't plan on controlling it or telling you what to do."

"Auntie Planta..." Brisingra hugged me tightly. "Thank you! Without you, nothing of this would have happened... I am so grateful, sniff... Thank you!"

Gosh, this girl really liked sobbing. She has such a pure heart.

"It's alright! It's fine..." I giggled. "However, I have a favor to ask to you and your mom... Can Titania and her siblings stay here too? You can move around using the portal I left, but if possible I need somewhere where Titania can stay."

"Oh, sure!" Mercedes nodded. "I don't mind having our princess here, there's plenty of rooms for everyone, even her siblings."

"Really?! We can stay! Saphee! Huginn! Terra!" Little Titania hugged her siblings, who were happily exploring the house already.

"I guess you'll have her around for now, can you bear with her?" I asked Brisingra.

"Sure, I don't really mind either!" Brisingra nodded.

"Alright then," I nodded. "We're done here, let's return, party."

After saying our goodbyes, we moved back to the Verdant Continent, where I had a little conversation with Yggdrasil about the topics I talked about with Mercedes.

"I see..." Yggdrasil seemed to understand. "It is quite... disheartening to learn that the people of Cloudia think of myself as some sort of fearsome guardian. I am... Maybe I've been too distant? I... perhaps I need to think a bit how I treat others.

Although I was born from the Yggdragon, I am still the Yggdragon itself, I do possess some of their memories and... well, I should at the very least try to be a bit like them. It is fine, Planta. Tell them they can come through your portal to make it easier. Once the Elders arrive, I will gladly talk with them and get to some conclusion.

As long as we can have a mutual understanding, things should go alright. I would gladly let them create settlements, as long as they respect nature and the animals... If my daughter can get more friends and people to be with, that would be for the better."

"Nice, thank you!" I said, as I quickly sent a telepathic message to Mercedes telling her everything.

"I see! Thanks a lot Planta! I'll communicate this to the Elders right away! This is a nice excuse to go out, Little Titania has been constantly insisting on wanting to explore outside, haha," Mercedes giggled.

"Okay then! Make sure she doesn't strand too far away though; she might get lost!" I told her.

"Don't worry, I'll put some tracking magic on her, just in case..." Mercedes seemed to be well prepared.

With everything said and done, we walked back into the smithy.

Chapter 1040: Powerful New Titles

As we landed back on the smithy, I decided to check on my new Titles and Skills, I had been curious about them for a little while but had no time to check them on detail.

First, the new Titles. I got a "Divine Title" and a simple one, so let's see what they do. Aside from the permanent stat buffs.

[Divine Title: Aeternitas, Divine Dragon Mother of Eternity]

Acquisition Conditions: Evolve into Aeternitas.

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Equip Bonus: +1.000 All Stats. Absorbed Time Essence can become Community Points. Time Essence Regeneration Speed +200%. Divinity Spark Development, Power, Expansion, and Ability +100%. You can conjure Eternity Magic, an advanced form of Time Magic.

A Divine Title only given to the one and only Aeternitas, the Divine Dragon Mother of Eternity, that represents Time, both the Past, Present, and Future, who has been recognized by the entire world of Arcadia as such.

By combining and evolving the Legacies of Yggdrasil and the Yggdragon with the Time Memory Fragment, a completely new, original Evolution has been created, granting you a Divine Title of your own, instead of simply carrying the ones the previous Gods possessed.

This Divine Title will evolve and enhance its effects as the Divinity of the user increases.

All of the Title's effects are always active at all times even if not equipped.

[The Title has permanently increased All Stats by an additional +1.000.]

Oh, this Title looks pretty decent. And it seems I can even exchange Time Essence for Community Points! I don't know what's the exchange rate though, but that means I could greatly upgrade my territory later.

That'll be really useful as the world progresses, especially with all these Raids appearing everywhere. It also helps with developing a Divinity Spark? Seems like I have one! Though I can hardly feel it now.

Also there's Eternity Magic, an advanced form of Time magic, but no matter how hard I try to conjure anything, nothing happens.

...I think I might need to first begin conjuring Time Magic before anything, and even that is hard to do, I haven't been able to get anything out.

This is harder than I imagined! I thought I was the Yggdragon of Time now?!

...

Anyways, moving on...

[Ancient Chef Of The Golden Mountain Only Disciple]

Acquisition Conditions: Evolve into Aeternitas.

Equip Bonus: +500 STR, DEX, and VIT. +1.000 SOUL and KI. Divine Gourmet Essence and Cooking EXP Earnings +100%. You can easily detect where the Ancient Chef of the Golden Mountains is.

A Title granted to the Disciple of the Ancient Chef of the Golden Mountain, a powerful Cultivator of the Gourmet Dao within the vast Eastern Continent. Or well, someone that sought its traces across the incredibly vast lands of such an Ancient Continent.

Due to his own frustration, the Ancient Chef decided to seal himself inside of his own One-Hundred Golden Souls Cauldron for several thousands of years, where he meditated trying to find a trace that could lead him to comprehend more of the elusive Gourmet Dao, whom he had dedicated his entire life.

However, now that you've acquired stronger traces, he has woken up due to the delicious smell of your Divine Dishes! Because of this, he has impulsively chosen you as his new disciple.

He's waiting you in the Continent of Martial Artists and Cultivators, the Eastern Continent.

The effects of this Title are always active as long as you're the Ancient Chef's Disciple.

[An incredible feat! STR, DEX, and VIT has increased by +500 and SOUL and KI have increased by +1.000!]

And this Title, well, it was decent, the bonus stats were good, and getting more Divine Gourmet Essence and EXP from cooking is always better!

However, I am still a bit unsure about this, it'll take a while to get to the Eastern Continent, it feels a bit like a drag, but I have things to do here, unfortunately.

I'll get there whenever I can, if the Ancient Chef slept for thousands of years, I am sure he can wait some weeks for my arrival, right?

Regarding my new Skills, three out of four of them were already pre-existing Skills that got their Racial/Job Upgrades, something that happened every time I evolved and Ranked Up my Class and Subclass.

The [Divine Yggdragon Time Spirit Guardian: Lv9] Skill was my Primary Racial Skill; it had all the same effects as previous iterations of it but boosted even further.

It now added a few things as I read it, such as an affinity to Time Magic, resistance against Time and Space Elements, enhanced Time Magic Power and decreased MP Cost, and also the ability to summon Lesser Time Spirits out of my Spiritual Sprouts automatically.

I have yet to play around with Time Spirits though, so I don't know the extent of their abilities. Maybe trying something out with their Lesser versions would be wiser, as I could safely learn their limits and abilities without directly endangering other people or myself... After all, Time sounds like a powerful element that must not be messed with.

After that was the [Divine Draconic Heart of Time: Lv7] Skill, the original Draconic Heart Skill allowed for the Divine Dragon Spirits I had "adopted" to rest inside, while also allowing me to gather Draconic Energy, necessary to unleash all sorts of Dragon-type Skills and Spells. It also enhanced my Draconification form and everything else related to it.

It seems to have become a "Secondary Main Racial Skill" after I obtained it once I evolved into an Yggdragon.

After its new evolution, its shape changed from a big jewel into something different... I suppose it resembles a silver pearl now, inside of my chest. The Divine Dragons inside is fine, but they seemed to have gained Time Attribute properties and are undergoing some sort of evolution themselves.

Aside from that, the Skill description states that this Heart is what'll help me gather and save Time Essence! And using Time Essence and Spiritual Energy, I can use the other types of Time-Attribute Skills and even Time Magic.

I see, so that's why I can't just conjure Time Magic out of thin air, I need Time Essence to use it!

I had no idea...