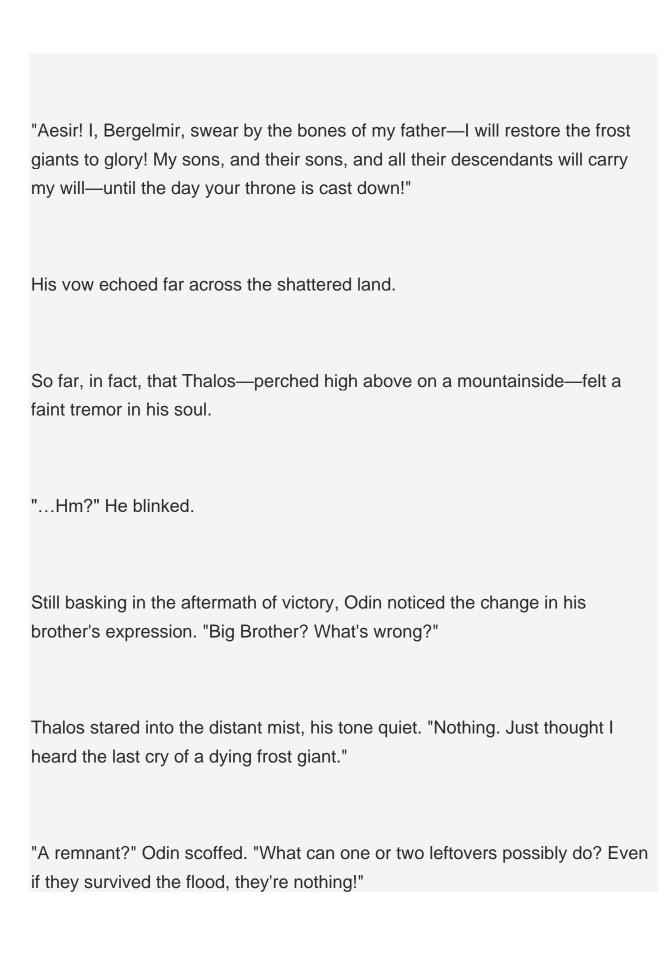
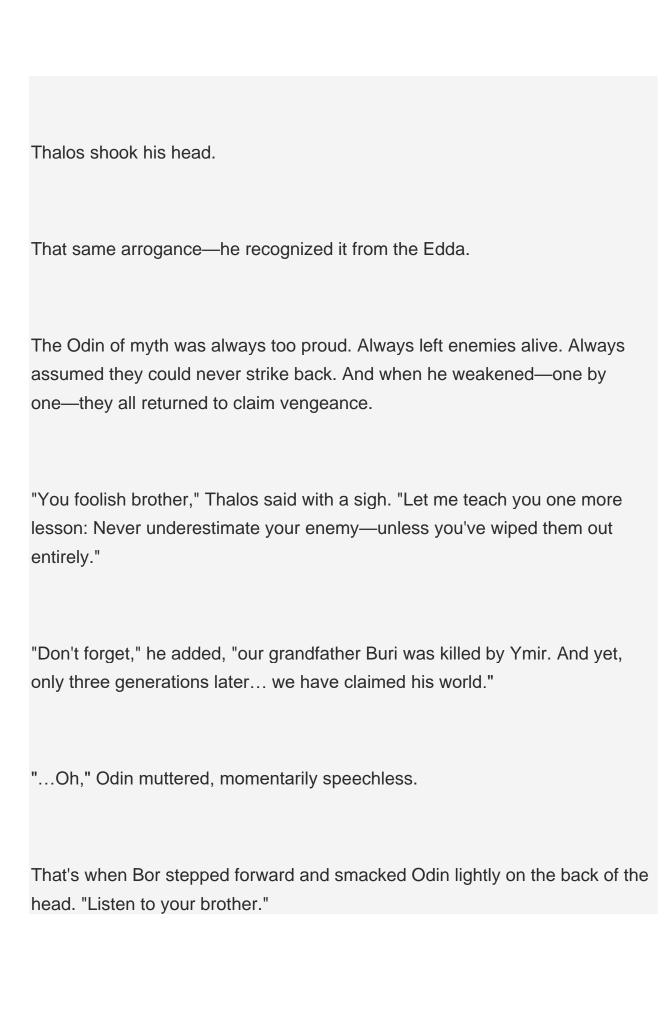
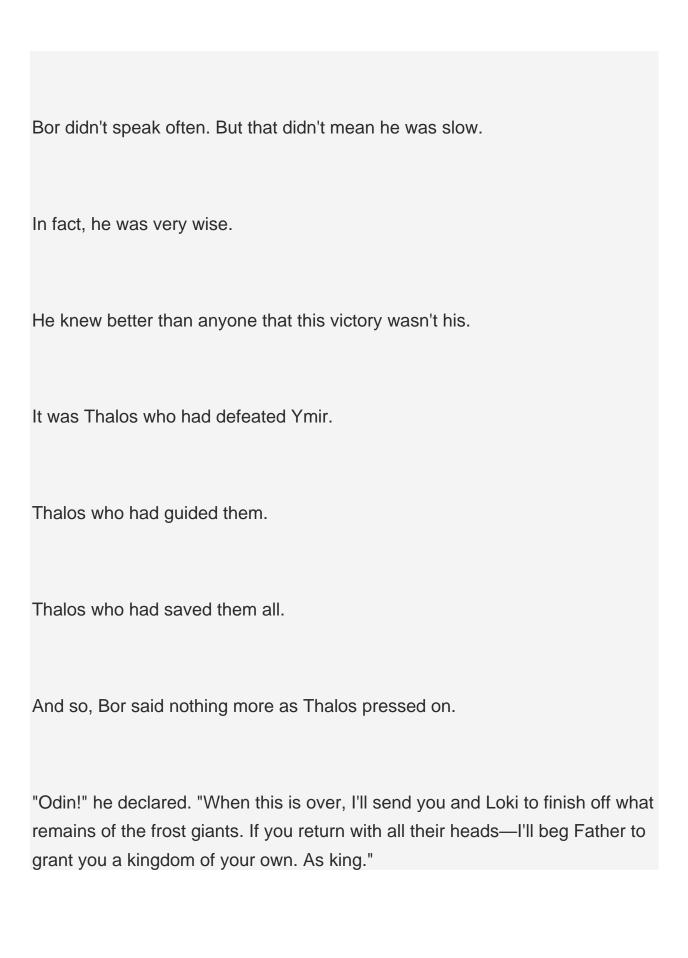
## I AM THALOS, ODIN'S OLDER BROTHER

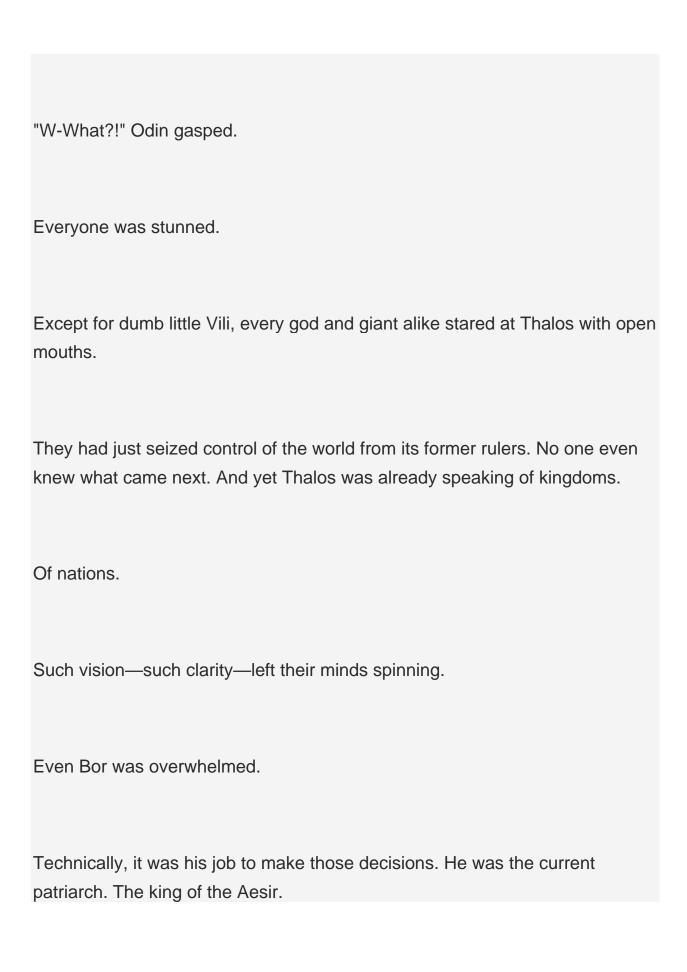
Chapter 12: Bor Steps Down
The great flood tore through everything.
It drowned the last of the frost giants' dominion over this eternally dark, snowbound world.
Countless frost giants—those who had not reached the Aesir battlefield in time—were swept helplessly into the abyss, drowning beneath the endless deluge.
Only one survived.
A male frost giant, 25 meters tall and hunched with age—Bergelmir—and his wife clung to a rotting, ancient tree in desperation.

The tree was 120 meters tall, its core long decayed. Bergelmir only had to tear
a few chunks loose with his claws before it crumbled open—transforming into
a makeshift ark for the doomed couple.
As the glacial world melted into tempests and torrents, Bergelmir stared
toward a luminous, distant peak—where the gods now stood in triumph.
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The death of their progenitor had triggered something primal in his blood.
It burned.
it burned.
With grief.
With fury.
With hate.
Clinging to the ark, soaked by icy rain, Bergelmir lifted his voice in a
thunderous oath:

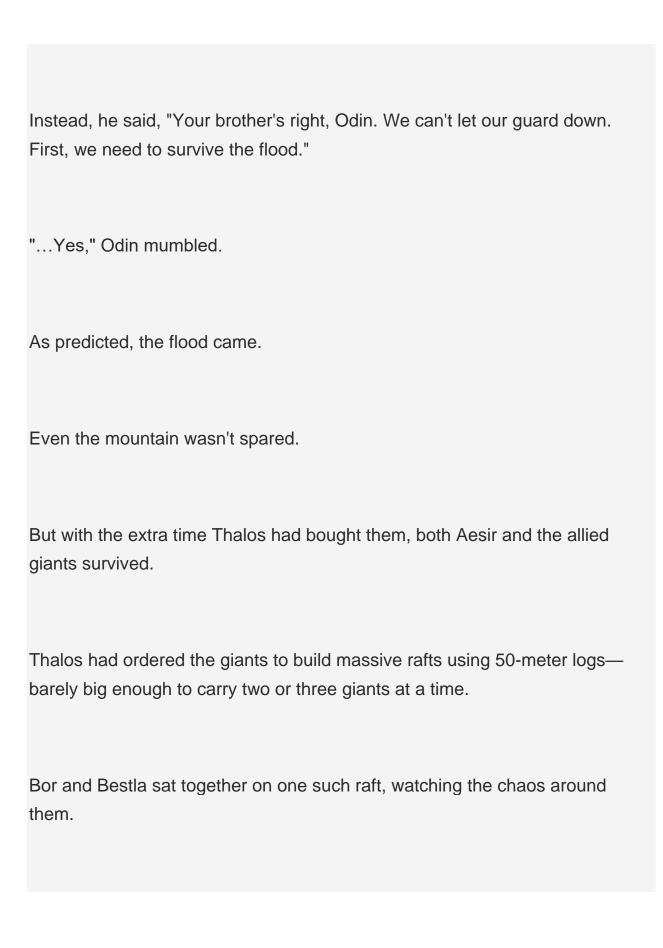


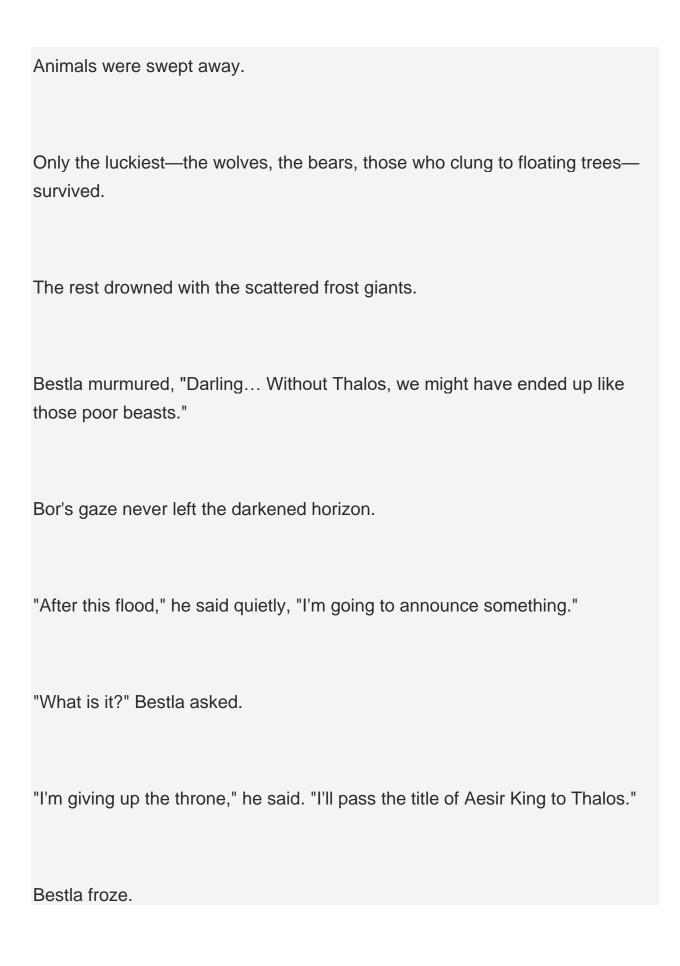


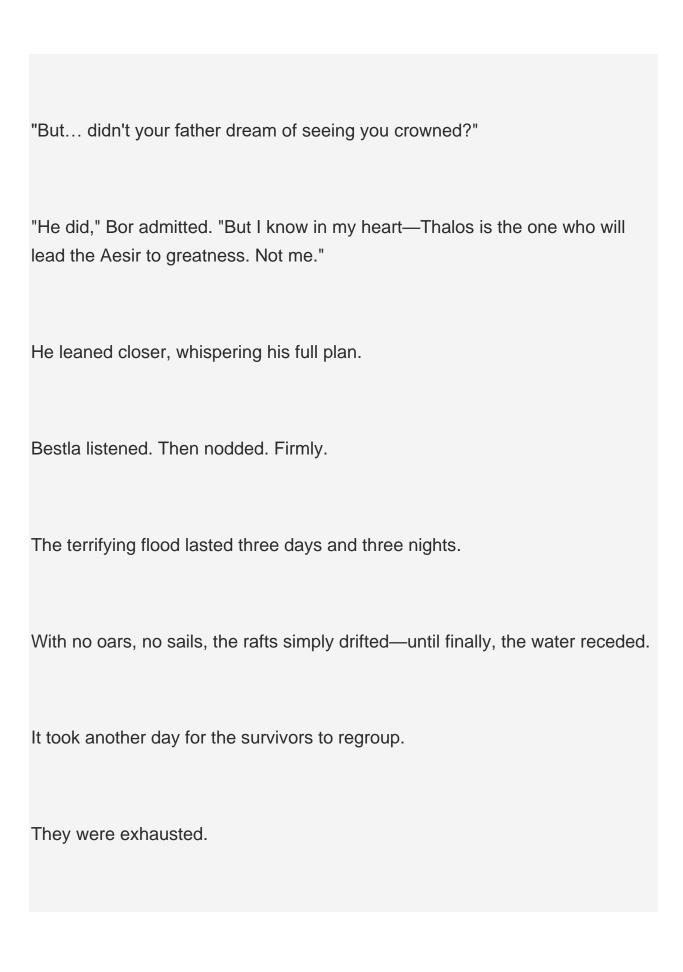


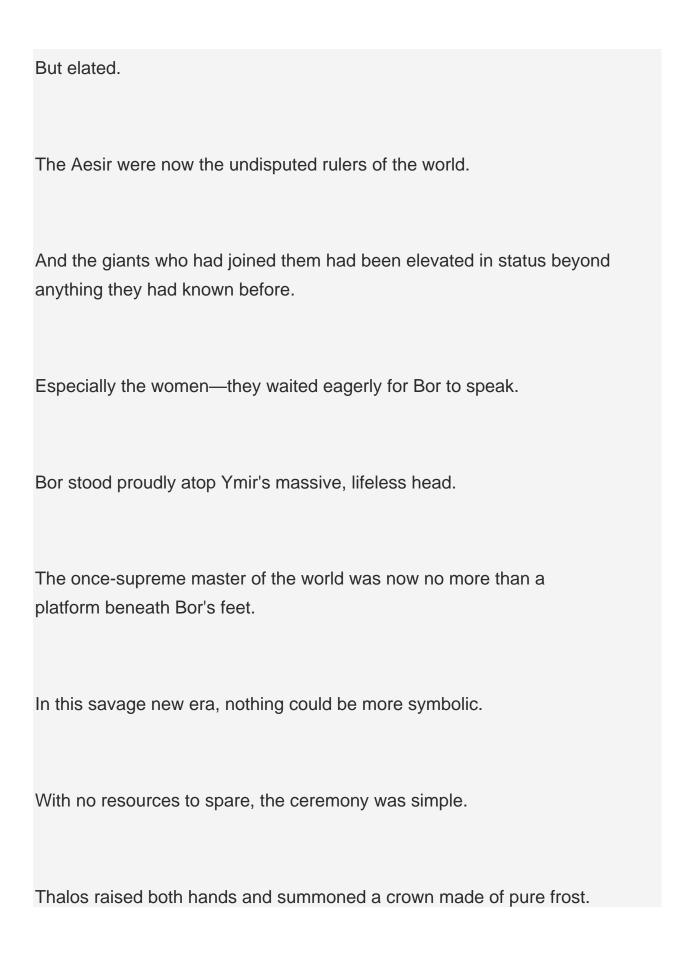


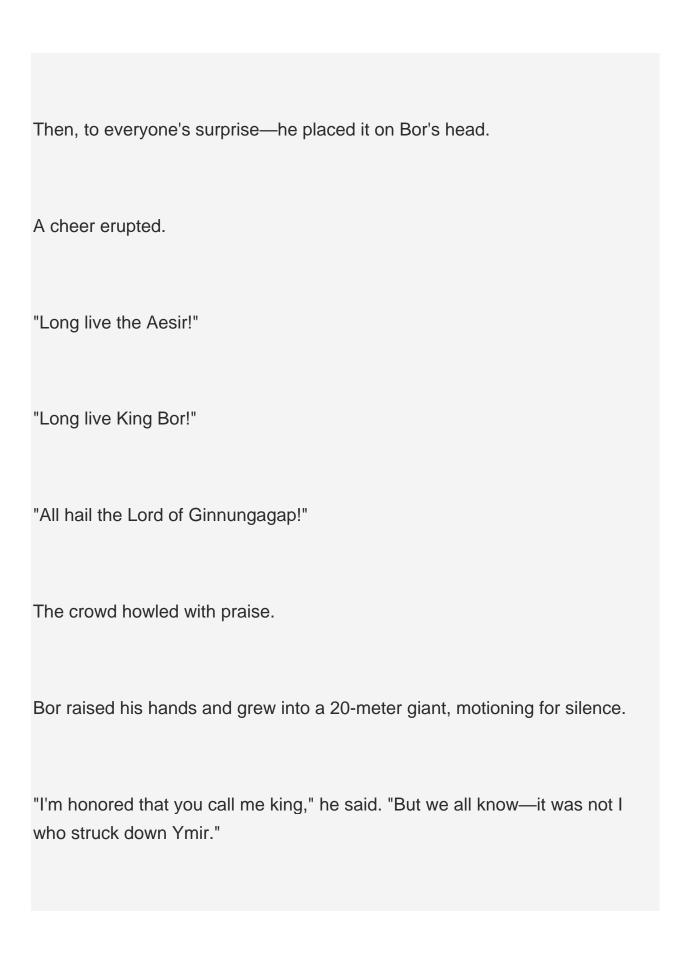
But anyone with eyes could see—his eldest son surpassed him.
In strength.
In mind.
In destiny.
In every crisis, it had been Thalos who offered the correct solution. His strategies were always perfect. His judgment, always right.
And now, after absorbing the blood of Ymir, Thalos had surpassed them all. His power was untouchable.
Bor gave an awkward smile.
He didn't immediately answer the question of kingship.











"It was Thalos."
"And so, as the current King of the Aesir, I now declare—the throne shall pass to my son.
To Thalos Borson—the warrior, the mind, the future!"
Before anyone could react, Bor removed his crown and placed it on Thalos's head.
There was a stunned silence—just for a moment.
Then—
The mountain roared.
"Long live King Thalos!"