

Multiverse 91

Chapter 91: Update of the system

John went back home as Bumblebee came to pick him up. His father was little concerned and he got the text that Emma was going to come to New York tomorrow as she too was stressed about John.

John returned home only to see his father sitting and waiting for him with an anxious look in his face.
"Are you alright? Are you hurt?"

"I am absolutely alright Dad. I just volunteered in the sidelines." John lied. Even though his father didn't believe his words but he didn't insist seeing his son in one piece with no injuries whatsoever.

John went to his room as he had to check the total fan values after having dinner. He recalled the system in his mind. There was a huge surge in the fan values as

[Ding

Total fan values : 2.5 billion.

The host has crossed the threshold of the first update. Will the system proceed to update?]

"An update?" John got excited. "Do it now"

[Ding

Updating 10%.. 40%.. 80%.. 100%

Update complete

The host can now select any faction or inorganic things as he wishes from the movies, anime and series produced by the host.

And the host can choose to extract a specific and a single power from any of the anime, movies and series's characters (that the host has produced as of now) as he wishes free of cost. It can only be a single power of a living character from the previous world's.]

"Really? That's awesome. Can I have eternal mangekyo sharingan?" John asked.

"The host can surely have it but the host is reminded that he won't be able to use the sharingan as the host doesn't have chakra in the body. It can only be a single power. It's either sharingan or chakra. So at the end it would be useless. Does the host still want to proceed?"

"What a load of s**t! All my dreams down the drain of being a superhero. Wait I can eat the chakra fruit of Kaguya. System give me the powers of chakra fruit"

[Ding

Error.

Kaguya was dead at the end of the previous world's story. Since it's a dead character's powers, it cannot be extracted]

"Huh! What the hell!!!" John wanted to slap himself now as he didn't produce more animes that he should have. Actually this couldn't be blamed at John as he did his best when it came to animes. He had already produced popular animes such as Bleach, Pokemon, One Piece, Seven deadly sins and such but he still hasn't introduced many animes from his previous world as he didn't have enough time yet.

Producing all these took time and effort as he couldn't just make a random story. He needed to follow the stories from his previous life and that needed careful direction and management as he couldn't deviate from the original stories of the previous works.

"Whatever! I will just choose from One Piece then. That would be more practical" John thought for a moment and finally decided on a power. He chose a devil fruit. Even if he will lose the ability to swim, the next superhero movie will allow him to overcome this inability by a huge margin.

"System extract the power of Marco's Phoenix power from One Piece." John in his previous life was a huge fan of Marco's Phoenix power and Marco was still alive the last time he saw so he chose that. He could have chosen Logia fruit like Ace's or even Borsalino's fruit but he had a strong liking for Marco's Phoenix. Being a Phoenix was a huge temptation for John.

John even suspected of Monkey D Dragon had a dragon (mystic zoan) fruit, but since it never came to anime he couldn't see if it really existed.

[Ding

Marco's mystical zoan fruit (Tori Tori no Mi) ready for extraction.

Does host want to incorporate it directly in the body?]

"Yes do it!"

The next moment John could immediately feel that he had changed a lot. He felt himself stronger. He stretched his hand and it turned into blue colored fire feathers. He could feel that he can turn his whole body into Phoenix. He wanted to turn himself at that moment to Phoenix but he knew that the whole house would catch fire if he did that.

Even though he felt that he can control the Phoenix power easily but it will definitely cause light to shine everywhere and raise suspicion from his father if he notices.

John was excited as he felt almost invincible as Phoenix was essentially a Logia as no bullets could harm him now. John could feel that even if he was blasted by a missile he could rise from the ashes just like a Phoenix.

"This is great. Almost nobody can kill me. I don't need protection from anyone anymore. I can even heal people with this fire. That shielding technology is a waste it seems, but I can give that technology to my family and Emma. Of course I am not invincible, I have a feeling that only infinity stones can restrict me. Well whatever I will use my superhero powers if the need arises then."

"System how much will it cost if I extract the green element and the whole set of Guardians from the Green Lantern movie. If I just extract the planet Oa of the Green Lantern."

Chapter 92: The next day

[Ding

Bringing the guardians and the planet of Oa will cost the host 1.5 billion.

If the host wants to bring the previous lanterns the cost will be 20 billion]

"Why are the value of guardians so low? Wait if I bring the guardians and the planet of lantern can the Guardians choose new green lantern corps from this universe?"

[Ding

Yes. An absolute new lantern corps will be created. The price of green element is low because it is powered by the will of the people present in the universe. The green element by itself isn't of too high value and the guardians only have knowledge from the previous universe. They have no such knowledge of this universe.]

"Alright! But where will I summon the the planet Oa. I can't place it in Earth now."

[Ding

After the update the host can any world, planet or any character in the range of the solar system]

"That's great! I won't have to bother anymore. Tomorrow I will just place the planet Oa near Saturn."

John went to sleep after that as he was tired. Though he didn't do much work as he was acting as Minato but he still felt a little bit tired. The next day John woke up with lots of messages and calls. People that were known to him were constantly barraging him for an interview. Being the creator of movies that brought out superheroes he was in the forefront of whole debacle in New York.

John proceeded to ignore that like Tony. Sometimes being mysterious would be the best answer to such useless things. "Emma will come in a few hours. I should go to receive her. Have to talk to Hal too about the Guardians later."

John got ready after having breakfast and went directly to the airport. He had to pick up Emma. After waiting for half an hour Emma finally came out from the airport. Emma almost ran to John and kissed him. Then she proceeded to check on John's body.

"What are you searching for?" John asked as she poked around the body.

"Aren't you a bit hurt? You fought for such a long time" Emma asked.

"C'mon I told you I am always protected. You don't have to worry at all. Let's go back. Oh yes I will introduce you to Hal before we go home. I need to talk with him."

On the way, Emma asked about the war and John gave a whole story of how the war happened and how it ended. She was both excited and worried, excited because her boyfriend was a superhero but also worried about him. Soon they reached the home of Bruce.

"Hello Master Jameson, Miss Watson. Bruce and others are in the family room" Alfred said as he led them inside.

"Hello Alfred." Emma and John both greeted Alfred. They went into the family room to see Hal and everyone talking and discussing about the new earth. John came and sat down.

"This must be Miss Watson. It's my pleasure to meet you. John is lucky enough. " Hal said. Emma blushed a bit as she, like others, was overwhelmed by a new superhero.

"Hal I have come with news." John said.

"Oww.. Tell me." Hal said being interested.

"The planet of Oa will arrive today near Saturn. There will be no previous lanterns corps so new rings will be required to produce. This universe will have a new corps of lanterns and you will have to be the leader and trainer for them. You will have to speak with Appa for proper settlement of Oa and the future of green lanterns here"

"Huh. Oa is being merged. For a moment I thought I won't have to take orders from those Guardians. So much for a small vacation. Now I will have to be a trainer too? What a s**t show!" Hal complained the moment he heard Oa is coming.

John just smiled at him as he alone was responsible for this merge but he didn't say anything. Emma who heard their conversation was surprised too as it meant there will be new corps in the future. For a second she even imagined herself to be a member of the corps but she knew she wasn't capable enough.

After talking with others John left as she wanted a quiet time for now. While driving home John suddenly remembered one thing. He hesitated a bit but finally asked Emma

"Emma do you want to move in with me? To a new home here?"

"I thought you would never ask." Emma smiled and replied. John was ecstatic hearing this. He just needed to buy a new home and move away from his old one. He was old enough for that. He had dreamed of living with Emma for a long time now. The New York war was what stopped him from asking this.

By the time they reached home, they saw various reporters outside the gate waiting for John. John trembled a bit seeing such a huge mass of reporters. He finally avoided their questions from inside the window of the car and Bumblebee managed to go to the garage.

Chapter 93: A new planet

They went inside the home and sat down. Emma went to her room to fresh up herself after a long journey. John closed his eyes and called the system to place the planet Oa in a sustainable orbit around Saturn.

[Ding

The plant Oa is going to be placed around Saturn in a sustainable orbit. Should the command be proceeded?]

"Yes. Summon Appa too." fre(e)

Appa, the main guardian was summoned. Appa was the first alien John had ever summoned. He looked very small in height. Even though Appa looked small, he was levitating in air. The Guardians were basically immortals and in comics they were very powerful beings. It was toned down a lot in the movies and it led to having very low power being possessed by the Guardians. This was also the reason why the price of Oa and the Guardians were low.

"Appa, you have seen all my memories. What do you think?" John said as he shared all the memories he had from the movies and the current situation and even a glimpse of future plans. Appa was the first person to know everything of the past and of future, barring the power of the system.

"This universe is dangerous too. Why does every universe has such weird beings around? There is a watcher too like us. That is interesting. I would like to meet him someday. We will need some time to settle the creation of new rings. Hal is here. He as a trainer will be our worse nightmare." Appa said. John and Appa continued to speak about the new rings. John was curious too about the Guardians and he asked him about their universe.

As they were talking, Emma came out of her room after having a bath. When she entered the family room, she froze. Appa who was floating turned around and looked at her.

"Emma, this is Appa. The main Guardian of Oa."

Emma instantly bowed her head. She had immense respect for Guardians as they were the creators of rings. Such great power being wielded by them but still remained un-corrupt. That itself was a immense feat.

Appa looked at Emma from head to toe and had a small glint in his eyes. He turned around and said

"I am off. Oa has already landed in Saturn. Guide me to Oa. Tell Hal to report himself in front of us."

"Sure. See you." John said and waived his hands. Appa vanished in the spot. Emma who was nearby trembled. She reached a seat and sat down as if she was in a very tight spot few seconds ago.

"What happened? Why so anxious?" John said while messaging Hal to report to Oa.

"Anxious? That was a Guardian. How are you casual in front of a Guardian?" Emma retorted.

"He is knowledgeable but his knowledge is only of his universe and their versions of multiverse. I am more knowledgeable in this regard." John said with a hint of pride.

"I wish I could travel around the universe. Can I go to Oa? For a touristic visit of course." Emma said with a hint of yearning while totally neglecting the words of John.

"You want to travel in space. It's not a huge thing to travel in space. I can take you too when I go out in future. It's easy for me." John said as he continued to show his prideful behavior.

"Huh you have spaceships?" Emma almost screamed in the top of her lungs. John had to use his hand and shut her mouth.

"God. Do you want the hungry reporters outside to hear this. Is it that surprising that I have spaceships? You can't expect me to show everything to the world now. Can you?" John said. John didn't actually have a space ship but he made the movie 'Dune'. He could always spend some fan values to buy a spaceship. It was all thanks to the new update of the system.

Emma got excited about the prospect of space travel and wanted to know about the spaceship. Her enthusiasm amused John as he tried to explain that the spaceships of him hasn't arrived yet and it was on the way. John didn't plan to travel the universe as he had too much to do now in Earth. When the time is right John will go out.

Meanwhile, when John and Emma were having a nice chat, NASA and SHIELD were panicking as their telescopes have sent the information that a vast planet has arrived in the orbit of Saturn. The planet arrived suddenly out of nowhere and from the initial images from the powerful telescopes it seemed that there might be a civilization in that planet as there was a very vague outline of buildings in the planet.

The world council had already been in contact with various countries as many countries got the information too about the this new planet. Fury almost felt he would die in stress. They just crossed a war yesterday and now a new threat.

As he was thinking a sudden thought crossed his mind and immediately dialed John's number.

Hello all,

I didn't expect such a massive support. You all have contributed more than I asked for.

There will triple uploads tomorrow if there is more than 350 power stone donation by the end of the day.

Chapter 94: To London

"John did a new planet arrive in our universe?" John who received the call from Fury heard him saying.

"Huh! How did you know? Did NASA get a picture of them so easily?" John said.

"It seems like you do have a knowledge of them. Why didn't you inform us about it?" Fury said.

"Fury there are so many things happening in the universe. Do you expect me to inform everything?" John said in a sharp tone.

"Sorry!! But at least tell me about this new planet. It's in our solar system." Fury said.

"That's the planet of Oa. The Guardian's home. Don't try to contact them. Most of the Guardians are ill-tempered and don't try to reach their planet. Even though they are not powerful but their telepathic and telekinetic power isn't a joke. Their whole planet is more advanced than all the technology of our's taken together. And they are protected by the corps." John said.

"The planet of Oa." Fury paused for a bit. "OK I understand."

"Tell this fact to the public too. It will help you create a good image after all the s**t show your SHIELD and the White House pulled yesterday."

Even though everything was in the control of John but what the White House did yesterday annoyed John a bit. He even thought of replacing the President by his own man. Though that will take sometime as he was contemplating on it.

Fury ended the call and went to the meeting with the world council to spread the news he got from John. The world council was relieved knowing that it was the planet of Oa. Even though it were not a friendly planet, at least Oa wasn't hostile to them.

John and Emma spent the rest of the day searching for a good home in New York to move into and Emma being very picky about it. They were still continuing the search when John's father came back.

"Has the planet of Oa really arrived at the orbit of Saturn." Jameson asked after entering home.

"Yes. It seems Fury did take my advice and told the media. Dad, me and Emma will be moving out together somewhere in New York." John informed his father about it. The people were very doubtful as they didn't understand of how a planet traveled in space but the fact that there was one in the orbit of Saturn was a proof that planets can travel too.

"Finally you will go out of home. It's been a long time coming now. You should visit her parents too before you move in." Jameson said. In fact John did have plans to visit her parents in London before he moves in somewhere in New York.

"Yes. Val can continue looking after you." John said.

The next day John and Emma finally decided on a home which had three floors and was in top of a high rise building. It was almost in the center of the city and close to Stark Tower which was being rebuilt again after the aftermath. Emma loved the home but before moving in they had to travel to London to meet her parents.

Even though John was very rich he never wanted to live a very extravagant life like the other billionaires as it was worthless and he would prefer a more normal life. That's why he never chose very big homes as he always felt that it was a waste of space and energy.

After staying for a week in NY, John traveled with Emma to London. John was little nervous as he wasn't sure how her parents would react to him being her boyfriend. Even though Emma assured John but he still felt it in his nerves.

They went straight to her home after landing in London. John brought some gifts from New York to greet them. And the meeting with her parents went more smooth than he expected. Her parents were very kind and her step-mother seemed more than happy to talk with John. Emma's parents had divorced when she was young and her mother lived in France.

They asked John to stay over for some days and John happily obliged. The next day John went out with Emma for shopping as she needed to buy something before moving to New York. This was the second time John had come to London and he really liked the city which had a different look to it than NY.

After shopping for two days, John decided to go out for a tour around the city and arrived at National History Museum to see the ancient relics. As Emma and John were looking around, a woman came up-to them from behind and asked

"Hello! Can I show you around?"

John turned around to see the woman but stood rooted in his spot when he saw her face. John knew her very well. The last movie of Marvel before he died had her as one of the character, one of the eternals, and probably the most powerful among them.

Sersi.

Emma noticed that John was stuck and spaced out looking at her so she nudged him a bit. John felt embarrassed as he got lost in thoughts of his previous life. Sometimes John missed his parents and his old friends but in order to gain something you will probably have to loose too.

"Sorry. I just got distracted. You are Sersi right? Please show us around here." John said with a smile.

Chapter 95: Jealousy

"Yes Sir, I am Sersi." the woman said pointing to the name badge on her chest. "I am the guide here. Please follow me." John and Emma followed her as explained different artifacts around. They went around while John closely listened to Sersi and looked at her from time to time, trying to find out if she really was an 'android' or was it just a sham by Arishem to fool Sersi.

Because Eros was the supposed brother of Thanos, was also an eternal. If eternals were really androids then they wouldn't have been able to procreate. And in comics eternals were able to procreate so John didn't understand why Arishem showed Sersi that she was just an android.

As they were walking around they came upon a rusted war hammer. John's eyes instantly lit up. Sersi proceeded to say "... this is a war hammer from Benin. I suppose it's from the Fula tribe..".

"Miss Sersi, I think we both know that this artifact isn't from Benin." John said.

"I don't understand. What do you mean?" Sersi said with a little bit of apprehension and curiosity. She also knew that this was an artifact from Wakanda made of vibranium. But she couldn't say it as the officials will not leave this piece here and rather use it for their own purposes. Every bit of vibranium was very costly in the market and nobody would let go such a good sized piece.

"It's from Wakanda, made of vibranium. Isn't it?" Sersi knew that the real identity of the artifact was up in the air but she couldn't do anything about it. Even though vibranium was very rare in the market, many people knew of it's existence.

"Yes it is from Wakanda." Sersi admitted. "Do you want to mention this to the authorities?"

"Why would I do that? Let it be here. Vibranium doesn't really interest me." John said and proceeded to see the next exhibition. Sersi was surprised by such nonchalance for such high priced artifact but was grateful for that.

Emma who was listening to their conversation was little confused but didn't poke her nose in it as she could see there was an interest of John in Sersi. She was sure it wasn't romantic from his eyes but she was still curious of a woman who could raise such eye brows of John.

Being with John for such a long time Emma knew that John never showed any interest to any woman up till now so she knew that there must be something interesting in Sersi. And the topic of vibranium interested her too. After an hour of tour John finally came out of the Museum.

"Miss Sersi, I am John Jameson. I suppose you know my identity. If you find any difficulties in the future, you can always call my manager in the company directly." John said while bringing out the office card and gave to her.

Sersi was surprised because John and Emma had been wearing breathing masks and hats to cover their appearance. For this reason they weren't recognized in public. She did know John as he was famous recently for the superhero movies but never expected him to be here.

"Thank you Mr. Jameson. I would surely contact you if I encounter any difficulty. As of now I really like working in the museum." Sersi said bit still took the card. John and Emma left after that.

John and Emma while going back in the car could see Emma eyeing him so he said "Spill it out. I know you have questions."

"Who was she? Another dream girl of yours?" Emma said with a taunt because John always mentioned Emma as his dream girl.

"Huh! No.. Of course not. She is just special in her own way." John said.

"Special? Like a 'dating material' special?" Emma said with a hint of a jealousy.

"Do you think I can date a thousands of years old woman?" John replied back. John was happy that Emma showed a hint of jealousy. He loved that feeling.

"What? Thousand year old woman? Are you sick? She doesn't even look more than 40." Emma said.

"She is thousands of years old Emma. She was present when mankind took it's first step towards a modern society." John said.

"What? Are you serious? Oh my god!! How does she look the same after all these years? How is she alive?" Emma was astonished but believed John's words as by now she understood there were extraordinary people around.

"She is alive for various reasons but don't ask me more about it. The knowledge associated with her existence is very dangerous. We aren't powerful enough to confront them yet." John said with a solemn expression. He didn't know if Arishem could see his existence but he didn't want to take any risk by exposing Arishem to anyone.

Emma for the first time saw a hint of fear in John's eyes. John was always nonchalant about most of the things. Even in New York war he didn't show much care. But this woman's history actually gave apprehension to John. This surprised Emma but understood that she shouldn't ask more. Sometimes ignorance was bliss.

Chapter 96: A new movie

"Then tell me about this vibranium." Emma asked remembering the previous conversation.

"Oh that! Vibranium is the most strongest metal on Earth and it comes out from the country of Wakanda." John said.

"Oh!" Emma lost interest after knowing that it was just a metal and didn't ask more. She probably would have been very interested if she came to know that Wakanda was the most advanced country on Earth. Well at least on land, he had no idea if Namor existed in this universe.

"I hope the next superhero won't have conflict with Namor if he exists."

They went back home and John spent a week in London. John and Emma moved to New York by the start of May. They both were really happy and Emma opted to study from online as John had donated a load of money to Brown University and the university was happy enough to give such privilege to Emma.

John continued to do his work in movies and animes and he was determined to introduce new animes, as the update of the system gave him a wake up call. He wasn't sure on how much fan values would be required for the next update as the system refused to answer the number but he was looking forward to storing massive fan values.

When John checked the rise in number of fan values he was ecstatic as he calculated that now the rise in fan values would be almost equivalent to 1.5 billion per year. That was a huge jump. He had already decided to up the rate of movies being released every year as it was time to speed up things.

John even checked the response of the public after the war in the internet. Most of the people were very happy that superheroes existed and defended humanity, though some politicians were shouting about accountability but people hardly cared. But what John didn't expect that Green Lantern got hate in the internet.

The people felt that he could have come earlier as Oa was very nearby and accused Hal of being lazy. John was dumbstruck by this.

"What is this? Even in this universe the Green Lantern is in the receiving end of hate. Will this cycle never end?"

The days went by as John and Emma continued their work. In July John got a call from Tony saying that the shielding technology was ready to use. John was happy as he didn't have to spend fan values to extract it.

John and Emma went to the Stark Tower only to see that it has been renamed as Avengers Tower. John smiled at it. He even saw Bruce's car in the garage.

"So Tony show me the devices." John said as soon as he entered the laboratory.

"Instead of having the devices in fingers and hands, I have made the devices as bracelets and anklets. It can even be designed to wrap around as a belt in waist" Tony said as he brought out the devices. John wore it in his hand and switched it on. There was a blue haze around his body for a second but disappeared the next second.

"Do you want to try it?" Tony asked. John looked at Wayne. He understood what John meant and took out his batrang and threw it at John. The batrang reached near the body of John but stopped by a blue haze. It stopped for a second in the haze and then fell off.

"Great. It works. You kept the research a secret Tony?" John asked.

"Yes, even though I am not sure why are you taking such a measure but I understand the conditions. Even Jarvis doesn't have access to it." Tony replied.

"Good. I want 5 for my family. You can do whatever you want with the rest except for publicizing it." John said. Emma was also excited too see and use such an advanced technology and wore it on her ankle.

Even Banner and Wayne were happy seeing such a technology as basically now nobody can be sniped upon. Especially for Wayne as he was just a normal human being.

"Banner, Tony, Wayne how about we start a new company together?" John suddenly said.

"New company? What do you need a new company for? Don't we have enough companies under both of us?" Tony asked

"No this company will be the step for humanity to a new horizon. Don't you want to be in the forefront of it?" John said. Now everybody were excited as John's words basically meant that a new technology is going to arrive at earth.

"What kind of technology are you referring to?" Banner asked.

"Artificial gravity and use of solar power in a much efficient way, enough to drive vehicles at high speed in air" John said.

"Really? That's awesome. When is the technology arriving?" Banner said.

"By the end of the year, an animated movie is being made on it too for all of you to understand the scope of their technology." John said.

Chapter 97: An unexpected superhero

John and Emma went back home taking the devices. John went to his father's place at night and gave them the devices. He even gave one to Val for her safety as he trusted her.

Another month went by but there was a very surprising thing that happened in the following month which astonished even John. One fine night while John and Emma were at home talking there was a green light shining outside the window. At first John thought that Hal had come to meet him but when he opened the window a green lantern ring flew past him.

The ring flew towards Emma and floated in front of her. John and Emma were astonished to say the least. Emma stretched her hand to catch the ring but it floated away and entered her finger. The very next second a green suit got woven around her body and soon it replaced her dress.

John who looked at the new lantern was conflicted. He really regretted now bringing Oa to this world. Emma would now be exposed to a wider and dangerous world. Even though green lanterns are powerful but they die too and new lanterns take their place. But Emma was excited and checking out her suit.

"Emma are you sure you want to take this mantle?" John asked.

"Love, all this time I felt unworthy as I thought your world is wider. But finally now I can follow your footsteps. Be an Avenger and a protector of the galaxies. I have never wanted something more in my life."

"What a headache! I need to talk with Appa for this. Say the words that you are supposed to. I guess you remember the oath."

"Yes.

In brightest day, in blackest night,

No evil shall escape my sight.

Let those who worship evil's might

Beware my power--Green Lantern's light!" Emma thus took her oath. The ring shined brightly for few seconds and dimmed down.

At this moment, the universe had a second green lantern. The ring then projected a image in front of her and on the picture there was Appa floating.

"Miss Emma Watson, you are required to report yourself to duty in sector 21 of Oa and take the mantle of being a green lantern."

"Sir, yes Sir. I will report as soon as I arrive in Oa."

"Appa we need to talk. Can't the green lantern choose someone outside Earth?" John was anxious when he said that. Emma pinched him from behind but he still maintained his position.

"I am sorry John, the ring chooses according to its wishes. We can never interfere."

"F**k, Emma better be safe with you all."

Appa didn't reply to that and the image projection from the ring closed by itself. John looked at Emma who seemed angry.

"What? I am scared for your safety" John defended himself.

"I know but I too wish to follow you on this journey."

"Alright! Go to Oa. After you come back I will teach you alchemy. And take this USB drive. It has the knowledge of shielding technology. Tell the Guardians that it is a gift for them to use. They will know how to use this technology properly." John said while handing her a memory stick.

John knew he could stop all this by just recalling Oa but the look on Emma's face convinced him otherwise. He didn't want to break the dreams of Emma. All John now had to do is to be stronger to protect Emma along the way.

Emma took the USB drive, kissed him deeply as she understood that being a lantern is scary but nonetheless she had to undertake the journey. John was just worried about him like a normal boyfriend.

Emma came upto the window, smiled at John one last time and flew away to the sky. John sat on his sofa and spaced out.

"She learnt to fly so fast? What a genius."

After few seconds his phone rang. John picked it up as it was from Fury.

"John has there been a new green lantern? The satellites picked up a new person going out of earth. I remember Hal had already left for Oa." Fury asked as John picked up the phone.

"Yes the new recruitment have started. That person was the new Green Lantern. There will be others soon, but I don't think there will be any more from earth."

"Do you know who the new recruit is?" Fury asked.

"I do know but I won't tell you. Figure it out yourself." John said as he ended the call. He didn't care if SHIELD came to know of Emma's new identity as the time was approaching soon to deal with Hydra.

From the memories of Naruto's world, John knew that after New York war Hydra had been very impatient and had started making moves. John had let Hydra make their moves in Naruto's world, in order to bring them together and deal with this hidden snake. Having Hydra around was a danger in itself.

Chapter 98: The plan

It has been almost over a year since Hydra had been trying to infiltrate. But since they weren't powerful enough Hydra took a roundabout way in trying to control the Naruto's world. Some agents were able to sneak away from the ninjas when they trained with them and managed to establish communication with the feudal lords of every country.

Every partial dimension was under the control of their respective kages and the country's feudal lords. After Hydra was able to contact the country's lords, it was easier for Hydra to enter their dimension. Hydra tried their best in explaining their motives to the lords. At first the lords hesitated quite a bit as the plans laid down by Hydra were dangerous.

What they wanted was to disrupt the hidden villages' lifeline by cutting their supply lines and denying proper compensation to the hidden villages. Hydra knew that convincing the lords and even execution of the plan would take a lot of time. But at the end they were successful in convincing.

Hydra said that with only proper control of the hidden villages, the feudal lords would be able to have absolute power over the hidden villages. Daniel Whitehall, one of the old Hydra heads, spearheaded this plan. He was a mad scientist who belonged to the era of Redskull and due to experiments on Inhumans, particularly Jiaying, he was able to maintain his age.

Pierce didn't have much hope of Daniel's plan of controlling Naruto's world because he understood the most basic concept and that is 'only power reigned supreme'. Pierce let Daniel do whatever he wanted because Daniel was an old guy and if anything bad happened he could always pin it on him and wash his hands away.

This slow process of denying proper supply to the hidden villages by the feudal lords worked well. Every hidden village depended on their respective countries for its survival and daily life. If a major disruption occurred it would be a huge loss for the villages. The kages didn't understand sudden changes in the behavior of the lords but accepted the demands of the lords gritting their teeth. The lords were happy to see this change in the behavior of Kages.

After this, Whitehall finally managed to have a meeting with all the feudal lords together as he needed a face to face approach in trying to convince the lords. Whitehall flew all of the lords to his secret base.

"My agents have already laid out the plans for you all to see. I called you all to show a glimpse of my future plan."

"Really! Show us what you plan to do. I am curious about how do you want to control the hidden villages. A mountain that none of us could cross." said the lord of fire country.

"During the training with the ninjas we were able to sneak away a poison that was very harmful for the ninjas. By using science from our world we were able to recreate the poison and now we can mass produce it. Both in gaseous and liquid form."

"After we test the poison on ninjas we will be able to kill the ninjas and do experiments on them. Maybe we all can have so called chakra inside our body and be powerful like them. Even if the experiment fails we will still be able to kill the ninjas."

"Are you sure that the poison will work? We will be needing a live test for that." lord of the wind country said.

"Yes. All we need to do is to experiment on it on a live ninja. Any country can register a mercenary operation and we can sneak a poison in a gaseous form on their bodies. If it fails the agents responsible can commit suicide and he will die but never get caught."

All the lords contemplated on it and finally decided that they could try this plan but they had to make sure that this poison would never be used on them.

"We can accept your plan but on the condition that you give us an antidote and a proper knowledge of all the uses of other poisons in your society. This is non-negotiable." said one of the lords. Whitehall accepted this without batting an eyelid. He didn't really care about these lords as he could always catch these lords and brainwash them and use them for Hydra itself.

Whitehall was ecstatic as he finally got the permission to work on his plans. At least he will get a body and would be able to experiment on this so called chakra. He was looking forward to it.

Finally on a mercenary operation which was registered by the lord of wind, which was led by a single chunin ninja, Hydra was able to ambush and release the gaseous form of the poison in the surroundings of the ninja. What happened next scared even the Hydra agents.

The body of the ninja wilted away in a rapid pace and at the end even the bones of the ninja weren't left. The Hydra agents were really scared as they didn't expect the poison to be so potent. They sent the recording of Whitehall.

Chapter 99: The plan (2)

When Whitehall received the recording he was pretty sad. The gory nature of the video didn't really affect him. But what did affect him was the loss of the body to be experimented upon. Even though he was sad he knew he had been successful in devising a plan to counter ninjas. Now all he needed was to administer the poison onto the kages and kill them. As long as he could kill them he would have won half the war.

All the high levels of Hydra were notified of the video and they were surprised to see it. They didn't really expect Whitehall, a mad scientist, would figure out such a poison and a cruel plan for the ninjas. Pierce was really happy about it. The world council had approved of the Insight Project after the New York war and the work was being done faster then it should have been in the original story.

Due to the immense danger shown by a small platoon of aliens and having Oa, Naruto's world nearby, the governments were really scared and they really wanted a weapon that could protect them, at least that could filter out hidden dangers. The governments and the world council approved of the Insight Project to be launched as fast as possible.

Even though the ninjas didn't really show themselves in New York, SHIELD managed to get some videos of the ninjas saving people and the speed the ninjas had shown in the war was a huge wake up call for many of them. Many governments had doubts about the legitimacy of the Naruto world but after watching them in action, it made them fear as the ninjas were basically assassins and could kill any politician whenever necessary.

Oa had not shown any aggression but one day the Guardians might feel that Earth wasn't good enough and might send the lanterns. The governments didn't really have any countermeasures against the lanterns but the Insight Project could be called the Earth's first step against any kind of alien invasion.

Loki had managed to infiltrate Earth because there was no proper defence against such beings but now they would have one and stop the problem in its root in the future.

Whitehall asked for full support from all the high levels of Hydra in executing the plan. Everybody gave approval apart from Wolfgang von Strucker as he was busy with the new toy that he had received and he wanted to make enhanced people and experiment more with it. He was more interested in the sceptre than trying to control the Naruto world.

Whitehall again called for a meeting with the lords as he wanted to make a clean plan for taking all the kages out of the picture and appoint new ones under the control of Hydra. Whitehall had even planned to kill the lords if they didn't accept his plans.

Due to the antidote provided by Hydra, the personal security ninjas of lords were on the safe side but Whitehall felt that Hydra could always use missiles to kill them. While the lords felt that with their personal security, they could always assassinate anyone they wished as the actual power of normal humans were negligible in front of ninjas. Both of them thought they had a jump on each other.

Finally a day was decided for the meeting, the videos had already been sent to the lords. They were very happy to see such high efficiency of the poison.

"So the poison works, how do you plan to administer it on the kages?" said the lord of earth.

"Call for the 5 kages meeting in the name of easing the recent confrontation between you all and them. Take the antidote with you when you enter the meeting and we will kill them." said Whitehall.

"Good but before the plan starts you need to finish off John. He knows too much from all the universe and probably has an idea about you all. Finish him off." said the lord of fire.

"And after executing the kages, we need to have a full fledged meeting with all the heads of your organisation and discuss the subsequent plans about handling the ninjas later." said the lord of lightning.

The lords wanted to kill all the high levels at the next meeting to tie the loose ends.

"Sure!" Whitehall said with a smile as he had plans to use another toxic poison that is derived from the previous poison which was extremely lethal. Even though they wouldn't kill the ninjas, it was enough to incapacitate them.

After the meeting. Whitehall called Pierce to help him kill John. Pierce hesitated for a bit as they don't have much information on John. He might have people protecting him in secret and it might backfire. At the end Pierce decided on taking a risk, even if the assassination fails they would at least expose the secrets of John.

Pierce decided to take this gamble. This would be their first step in taking control of Earth and the Insight Project would be the last nail in the coffin.

Chapter 100: The plan (3)

Naruto and all the kages were having a huge headache recently. The villages were basically starved of resources. Only Darui had a relief for sometime as him helping in the New York war had earned him quite a bit of resources from SHIELD but it was only a stop gap measure. But today finally all the kages got a call for attending the 5 kage summit in the land of fire.

They all finally saw a ray of hope as they could discuss it out with the lords and find out the reason of the recent change in behavior of the lords. They all traveled to Japan as now all the kages have their own quinjets provided as gifts by SHIELD.

SHIELD too knew of their kage meeting but Nick Fury didn't interfere in it. They all reached their meeting room and greeted each other. Soon the lords arrived in person and everybody sat in their respective places.

"Fire Daimyo, I want to know has there been any grievances between the hidden leaf village and you? I don't remember us being doing anything bad for the country." Naruto said spoke the moment everybody sat down.

"ho ho .. No No Hokage. It's all been good. It's just that the country hasn't been very productive this year. This is the reason that the resources are scare. I believe it will be over soon."

Darui and others didn't believe it and immediately retorted and soon there was a commotion between the lords and the kages, a blue mist appeared in the room in a matter of a sec. Before the kages could react the blue mist covered the entire hall.

The kages watched in horror as their bodies just melted away while the lords were absolutely fine and smiling at them. In a minute nothing remained except a few slag. Whitehall had checked the slag from the previous one of the ninja that he had experimented upon but it turned out to be just human decomposition with no value whatsoever.

After about 10 minutes a quinjet landed near the meeting room. Out came Whitehall and some agents. They entered the room only to see the slag from the death of kages. He was ecstatic as he saw his plan coming to fruition.

Actually Whitehall had doubts too, it was fine that the kages were dead but two kages had tailed beasts inside their bodies.

"Is the poison so strong that it destroyed the bodies of tailed beasts too? Is this all an act by the kages and the lords to catch us?"

Even though Whitehall had doubts he still insisted on this path as there was no turning back at this point. If Hydra manages to kill John then it would mean that they are in the right track. As long as John dies it would be a huge victory for Hydra.

Whitehall looked at the lords as they covered their noses from the smell of slags after human decomposition. They were fine as they had antidotes. He just smiled wickedly at them and said

"The kages are no more. You can declare this on their villages tomorrow. We will carry out the assassination of John soon. In a week time all the high levels of Hydra will come together and discuss our future plans. Hope you all would be there."

"Yes! We will definitely be there." said a lord as he too smiled at Whitehall.

They both knew that the end meeting would be an all out war and it would determine which world controlled which. By now the lords knew most about Hydra and their plans for world dominance. Like others the lords too wanted more power by controlling this new world after dismantling Hydra and taking over them.

New York

John had woken up like every other day. But he was all alone as Emma had gone away for training in Oa. John didn't want to disturb her training so he didn't contact her. John went to the Disney headquarters in NY with Bumblebee like always.

During lunch like always he went to the roof for having his food in tranquility while watching videos. John always loved watching something while eating, it was one of his habit.

As he was eating peacefully, a sniper from far away pointed the long muzzle of a soviet made gun. He had a metal left arm and wore mask with heavy shades on his eyes. He took deep breaths as he pointed the gun's aim at John's head. After a minute or so when John was eating his food leisurely, the sniper took the shot.

The bullet went straight to his head. John's head blasted like a watermelon being bombed inside. Nothing remained. The body without a head couldn't sit straight for a second more and fell down.

The bullet's impact was so huge that all the people downstairs heard it. The people downstairs knew something was wrong and many made a run upstairs as their chairman was having his lunch at the roof.

When the people came to see what had happened, the ladies screamed in top of their lungs and even the men who came almost vomited out whatever they had in their stomach. This was a horrible scene to watch as blood was splashed all over the place and a body without a head was bleeding in the floor.