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Chapter 1121

[You have changed your Nether Energy into Aether Energy.]

[Your body is exploding with intense life energy.]

[Aether Energy is already leaking out of your body due to your body not conditioned to hold it.]

"What the hell!" Adrian screamed as he pushed through the last drop of strange miasma.

Adrian successfully changed all the strange miasma into nether energy and then let the Cube of Paradox change that into aether energy. A problem did surface when all the excess nether energy is transformed into Aether Energy because his body is not a capable vessel for it.

[You have successfully passed all the criteria to become an Arch Demon.]

[Please choose an energy to master before evolving into an Arch Demon.]

Types of Energy that could be mastered:

1. Nether Energy
2. Temporal Energy
3. Spatial Energy
4. Force
5. Aether Energy

Adrian did not take long and immediately chose Aether Energy as he needed to master it for his body to hold it. When Adrian chose Aether Energy, he expected it to be smooth sailing as life attribute energy tends to be great on the body and soft like a cloud. He expected wrong as Aether Energy is as tyrannical as Nether Energy.

There is also a vast difference when it comes to Nether Energy and Aether Energy. Adrian's Nether Energy is pulled directly from the Nether Realm as he is already registered as a being of that realm. Aether Energy is different though as that energy is from a converter.

Adrian does not know the principle of Aether Energy because he just converted this energy from the True Aether Reactor. For Nether Energy, he managed to become one with the Nether Realm which made him evolve into a being that is the embodiment of nether energy.

"I shall assist you, master." The Cube of Paradox stated as it started processing the Aether Energy at a breakneck speed.

The Cube of Paradox could be seen breaking down into a small vortex made of energy cubes. It started to absorb a small sample of the Aether Energy for it to analyze. Adrian did this as well as he started to meditate and take in Aether Energy into his soul.

The first step is always the most difficult as Adrian needed to make sure that his soul becomes compatible with the Aether Energy. This process is represented with him suddenly transferring into a realm inside his deepest subconscious. Inside that realm, his Inner Arch Demon is waiting for Adrian there.

"You have finally come." Adrian's inner arch demon stated.

"You look different." Adrian exclaimed as that is not the form that his inner Arch Demon first used.

"My form changes into the energy that you want to master. This form will be your form as well when you change into my form." Adrian's inner Arch Demon stated.

"You look so different and why do I look like a cosmic angel?" Adrian stated as he could see that his form looks different compared to his Netheros Form that is darker and eerie.

"Your Netheros form will also be slightly altered as you will grow your extra pair of wings. Arch Demons have two pair of wings while the Noblesse will have three. We are still descendant from the Asmodians that have the same concept. Also, it is rude to say that it was the angels that had wings first. They were modeled after the real perfect beings after all." Adrian's inner demon stated.

"Enough chit chat then. Let us get this battle started." Adrian stated as he started to get ready, but his inner Arch Demon started to laugh.

"Did I not tell you that I will not fight you? For you trial, we shall be much more spiritual in a sense. If you had chosen another attribute, then we might have fought directly but you chose Aether Energy. The ultimate life energy that is made when creation first appeared." Adrian's inner arch demon stated as he suddenly created a table and two chairs.

Adrian's inner arch demon gestured him to sit down but Adrian is still rather unconvinced. He wanted to not trust his inner demon, but he is also the judge of the trial. If he does not follow the rules, then he will fail, and his body would weaken as a result.

"Oh! Let me tell you this in advance. If you fail to ascend now, then our body will explode. You would also be weakened for three months and be unable to forever use Aether Energy. No Pressure." Adrian's inner demon stated with a smile.

Adrian gulped as he could not believe what he heard from his own inner demon. The fact that he will be weakened and be unable to ever use Aether Energy ever again is something that he did not want to happen. If he is unable to utilize Aether Energy, then his True Aether Reactor will just be useless.

"Do not worry as I believe that you will pass this trial. It is quite easy because I will just assist you in the ways of how you view life as a whole. You are a Netheros, a pure being of death, which means you will have an easier time with this as those close to death are often those that know life." Adrian's inner demon stated as his wings suddenly enveloped Adrian.

When Adrian's inner arch demon enveloped him with the large wings, his vision suddenly changed to that of a small child. He found himself in a cabin and laying down on a crib. Adrian wanted to move around but he suddenly found that his body is extremely heavy for he suddenly turned into a baby.

The perspective of the baby is definitely different as he did not expect that he will experience it directly. He even experienced the actual soiling of pants as it seems that he has eaten a lot. He could only do what all babies could do and that is to cry like there is no tomorrow.

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Adrian started to cry, and his parents started to come get him. It seems that he could not see the image of the faces of his parents, but he could feel the love they have. The way his mother carried him and cooed him to calm down before gently placing him on the bed to change his soiled diapers.

The immediate satisfaction that he received when he is now clean. But what stuck through Adrian the most is the fact that he felt the love that his mother projected. He also could feel the love that the mother received when her son smiled happily and laughed.

Adrian felt something tug into his heart by feeling that scene, but he did not cry. The impact of the touching scene is building up though his emotions started to swell. When he started to feel like tearing up, Adrian is suddenly pulled back to his subconscious where the inner arch demon resides.

"Touching, isn't it? I can see that you almost cried. Can you answer my question now?" Adrian's inner arch demons asked.

"What is the question?" Adrian asked.

"What is the meaning of life?" Adrian's inner arch demon asked.

Adrian is supposed to answer but his inner arch demon suddenly held up his hand motioning him to stop. Adrian is a bit confused why he is suddenly stopped but it seems that his inner arch demon needs to say something to him.

"We still have three scenarios left. Do you want to answer now or when you see all of them?" Adrian's inner demon stated.

"Do I also have tries to answer the questions?" Adrian asked.

"You have three attempts to answer. Will you use your first attempt?" Adrian's inner demon asked.

"Let me see the next scenario first." Adrian stated as his inner arch demon once again wrapped his wings around him.

Adrian managed to see once more and this time he is a teenager. He does not have control over his body once more as he can only experience the predetermined scenario. As a teenager, he wanted to become independent and not be supervised by his parents. He tried hard being independent to the point that he would often rebel and ignore his parent's warning.

The warnings that the parents said was not restricting though as he could see that they were all made from love. His teenage self did not see it that way though as he can only find it restricting. This time, the warm love he felt earlier is not directly seen but can only be vocally heard. Warm love turned into scolding as many mistakes were made during this time.

Adrian's vision burred after that and is returned back to the realm of his inner arch demon. Adrian's inner arch demon once again asked the same question. This time Adrian answered to try and see what the reaction of his inner arch demon amount to.

"Life is about challenges and growing up." Adrian answered but his inner arch demon shook its head and covered him with the wings once more.

The scene that is shown this time is different as Adrian is now an adult working. He is that kind of office worker that works the whole day and exhausted after. He does not have time for social interaction with others as much but finds time to do so.

He does not want to say it, but life is difficult as the pressure of succeeding is bearing its weight on him. It came to the point that he would just blank out and suddenly time would pass by suddenly. This continued on until a call from his parents asking him if he was fine.

Not wanting them to worry, Adrian answered that he is fine but tired. He did not want to burden his parents that are already old. He was already a handful to raise which is why he does not want to burden them any longer. Something did change when he received that call as he suddenly felt lighter and looked forward to the next day.

Some events also happened along the way such as meeting the love of his life, getting married, and having children. There were also sad ones such as the death of his parents, but it was mostly filled with great happy memories. His vision faded again, and he returned to the chair he is sitting on with his inner arch demon across him.

"Tell me, what is the meaning of life?" Adrian's inner arch demon asked.

"Life is about looking forward to the future." Adrian answered based on the things he has previously seen but his inner arch demon shook his head. He once again got covered by the wings as his answer is not satisfactory.

This time, the feeling is familiar as Adrian is once again looking at a ceiling like the first time. The only thing different is that he is now wrinkly all over, but the heaviness of his body is still the same. Beside him are what seems to be his children crying as they seemed to have heard of the heavy news. The children were crying but Adrian is surprisingly happy.

He does not know how to describe this happiness because there is also a trace of sadness hidden in it. All of the children said their last goodbyes as they also hugged him. Adrian felt that warm embrace once more before his eyes faded into darkness. Adrian returned back to the spot where his inner arch demon is located and could be seen tears running down his eyes.

"How am I crying when I am inside a game?" Adrian stated as he wiped the tears away.

"What is the meaning of life?" Adrian's inner demon once again asked for the final time.

Adrian paused for a moment and internalized all that he saw before answering.

"Life is a cycle, and that cycle is completed because of love." Adrian stated and his inner demon smiled proudly at him as the realm started to turn into fragments.

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Adrian's inner world started to crumble as his evolution started to commence. The outer world could see Adrian's body being covered by a crystalline shell made of Aether dust. All the Aether energy that he released earlier started to gather to him once more.

The evolution process is the most sensitive time of a demon which is why they tend to only evolve in a secluded area, but Adrian chose to evolve in front of enemies. If the monsters were crazed earlier just because of a taste of his intense Aether energy, then they are now going mad. Even the Dragon of Revelation eyed Adrian as a snack.

"We must protect him even if it costs our life." Ascalor stated and the other two agreed.

"Should we take down the barrier? If they all want the boy, then we can retract the area of protection." Bronx stated.

"No, all of you will need to protect him. I will sacrifice myself for this one. Make sure to take care of the other Daemos while I am lost in the time stream." Koronn stated as he started to chant temporal magic that goes against the rules of the world.

"Prince of Time!" Koronn stated as he suddenly rose in the air.

A giant clock podium appeared as a stepping platform for Koronn. The clock indicated the time of this world moving all normal until Koronn snapped his fingers. The hands of the clock suddenly started to reverse as small clock sigils appeared in all of the area.

The people in the area could not believe what is happening because their allies that died suddenly started to revive. It is not really a revival, but time rewound itself in the whole area for them to live again. Koronn perfectly controlled time in order for the people that died to fight once more.

Even dead NPCs got revived which is why Koronn went against the Providence of the universe. Dark clouds started to gather above Koronn, but he paid it no mind. He completed the spell with ease and looked satisfied that he revived all of the people that died. The Dragon of Revelation roared at the top of its lungs as if cursing the Temporal Demon.

The dark clouds gathered, and a piercing lightning came down on top of Koronn. He immediately used a powerful energy hidden inside of his body to stop the lightning from raining down. The first few strikes got blocked but the next rounds all came at him with full force.

A large lightning bolt came down on Koronn and his barrier shattered like glass. His body got hit by the lightning and the surrounding area got illuminated. When the lightning subsided and the dark clouds were gone, Koronn is nowhere to be found. He vanished without a trace, but the other two Daemos Elders know where he is.

"He has been whisked away in the time stream. Let us hope that he could return in two months." Ascalor stated.

"You do not need to worry. This is not his first time going against the flow. His act now might be more intense than the last one, but it is not to the point that he will get killed. He will return but we must ensure that he has something to return to." Bronx stated as he took the burden that Koronn left.

Due to Koronn's flashy spell and exit, Adrian's evolution did not garner much attention. The egg that has a shell that looks like cosmic dust could be seen forming cracks. The remaining two Daemos Elders could be seen smiling but they could not carry the weight that Koronn left easily. They needed to carry the burden of the barrier which meant that they cannot actively participate in the battle.

It is a good thing that Koronn actually rewound time for those that died. He not only rewound time for those that recently died but also those that died when they just faced the Horseman of Death. Numerous members of the guilds Evergreen, Infernum, and Valor could be seen reviving even though they should have a respawn timer still.

Even Lycan, Vayu and Kabrakan got revived as well due to Koronn's spell. They got sent a notification that their characters have been revived which is why they immediately hopped back into their game capsules. They are even more eager to pummel down the beings that killed them.

"Protect Equinox!" Levin Cloud stated in their group chat as they know that he is an important evolution happening.

Adrian's friends retreated a bit as they needed to protect him from the monsters charging at him tirelessly. Even Solstice turned into blood mist just to get close to her brother and left the front lines as there are now an increase in firepower. They are willing to sacrifice their contribution points just to make sure that Adrian is safe.

Adrian's cocoon made of Aether dust started to form more cracks as he started to show signs of evolving completely. Some of the shells of the cocoon started to fall off and a powerful life energy could be felt from inside the egg. It seems that Adrian is indeed a special existence once more as golden rays of light came down from the skies as if blessing his being.

[The universe is shaking due to the excitement that a new being is getting born.]

[All those that will witness the birth of a unique being will be blessed.]

As soon as the notifications appeared, the monsters no longer cared about those they are facing. They all charged towards Adrian without a care in the world as long as they could eat him. They want to devour him to become a blessed being as well. The monsters no longer cared if they died while charging as they flooded like a giant tidal wave.

It is not just the monsters that want a taste as the Dragon of Revelation wants too as well. Six of the seven dragon heads receded back into the magic circle and the remaining one suddenly elongated to try and eat Adrian.

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The elongated neck of the Dragon of Revelation caught everyone by surprise as they did not expect that the boss monster could do that. The Dragon of Revelation is still locked into the summons magic circle, but it suddenly had the ability to lengthen itself.

[Congratulations Player 'Equinox' for successfully becoming an Arch Demon.]

[Your title 'Greater Demon' has been upgraded to 'Arch Demon']

[You have successfully gained the title 'First Arch Demon Demon']

[Your title 'First of its Kind' has been upgraded due to getting a great feat.]

[The skill 'Netheros Core' has been transformed to the Netheros / Aetheros species exclusive skill 'Netheros / Aetheros Core'.]

[Equinox has obtained the Aetheros species exclusive skill 'Aetheros Dust']

[Equinox has obtained the Aetheros species exclusive skill 'Aetheros Domain']

[Equinox has obtained the Aetheros species exclusive skill 'Aetheros True Form']

[The skill 'Blink' has been upgraded to the Arch Demon exclusive skill 'Enhanced Blink']

[Equinox has obtained the Arch Demon exclusive skill 'Force Barrier']

[The skill 'True Flight' has been upgraded to the skill 'Enhanced True Flight']

Skill: Enhanced Blink (Demon Version)

Tier: Persona Exclusive (Arch Demon)

Type: Movement

Effect: Travels on the specified destination that is within ten meters of the user's location. Can be used four more times. Cooldown will only occur after the four extra Enhanced Blinks have been consumed. User must have vision of the specified location in order to use the skill.

Cooldown: 30 seconds

Cast Time: Instant

Mana cost: 500 Mana Points

Skill: Force Barrier

Tier: Persona Exclusive (Arch Demon)

Type: Active Defensive Skill

Effect:

-Uses Force to create a protective barrier that can block spells or physical attacks. The type of force barrier deployed will determine what type of damage to be defended.

-Deploy Kinetic Force Barrier: Blocks physical attacks, spells and abilities

-Deploy Potential Force Barrier: Blocks magical attacks, spells and abilities

Duration: 10 Seconds per 1000 Mana

Cooldown: None

Cast Time: Instant

Mana cost: 1000 Mana Points (Can be toggled)

Skill: Netheros / Aetheros Core

Tier: Netheros / Aetheros Exclusive skill

Type: Passive

Effect:

-Able to switch between Netheros Core and Aetheros Core

Netheros Effect:

Absorb energy from the Nether Realm using the core of the Netheros' body. The owner of the skill will have a new gauge added to the user's interface which is called 'Nether Gauge'.

Nether Gauge: the owner of the skill will have a gauge that tells the accumulated amount of Nether energy present in the user's body. Nether Energy is used to apply the Nether Attribute into the user's attacks. The more energy is used, the more powerful the enchantment. Nether Energy is accumulated 1 stack per second. The Nether Gauge increases by a hundred every 50 levels.

Nether Gauge: 300/300

Cooldown: None

Cast Time: None

Mana cost: None

Aetheros Effect:

Use Aether Energy using the special core of your body. The owner of the skill will have a new gauge added to the user's interface which is called 'Aether Gauge'.

Aether Gauge: The owner of the skill will have a gauge that tells the accumulated amount of Aether Energy converted by the True Aether Reactor. Aether Energy is used to apply a unique Aether Attribute to spells and attacks of the user. The more energy used then the more powerful the enchantment. The Aether Gauge increases by a hundred every 50 levels.

Aether Gauge: 300/300

Skill: Aether Dust

Tier: Aetheros Exclusive skill

Type: Passive

Effect:

- Applies the Aether Dust on allies around the Aetheros.
- Being near the Aetheros will increase the Aether Dust concentration that they are affected by.
- The Aether Dust concentration will determine the strength of the buff received.
- All allies will gain 1% concentration per 3 minutes while the Aetheros is nearby.
- Gain 1% Mana Regeneration per percentage of Aether Dust concentration.
- Gain 1% Health Regeneration per percentage of Aether Dust concentration.
- Gain 1% stat per 10% Aether Dust concentration

Max Concentration: 100%

Cooldown: None

Cast Time: None

Mana cost: None

Skill: Aetheros Domain

Tier: Aetheros Exclusive skill

Type: Domain

Effect: Create a special domain in the mortal plane for 20 seconds. The Aetheros' skills will be boosted by 50% and the Aetheros' stats would be boosted for 100% in the domain. All allies inside the domain receive the buff 'Clairvoyance'.

Clairvoyance: All skill shots made by allies will have a 50% increase chance to hit the targets. This will affect allies as long as they are inside domain regardless of the distance.

Cooldown: 72 hours

Cast Time: 10 seconds

Mana cost: 2,000 Mana Points

Skill: Aetheros True Form

Tier: Aetheros Exclusive skill

Type: Transformation

Effect: Release the limitations put upon you by the mortal realm and transform into the true form of the Aetheros. All skills and attacks will deal scatter Aether Dust in the area passed by it. All allies affected by Clairvoyance will have the 'Clear Mind' buff applied to them.

Clear Mind: All allies in the area will not be affected by spell cancellation or any status ailment that affects the mind.

Duration: 1 minute

Cooldown: 48 hours

Cast Time: 3 seconds

Mana cost: 3,000 Mana Points

Skill: Enhanced True Flight

Tier: Mythical

Type: Movement

Effect: Unfurl the wings in order to take flight in the air. Movement Speed will increase by 50% during flight. Can cast skills while in flight. Can fly if wings are damaged but the wings must not be destroyed.

Cooldown: None

Cast Time: None

Mana cost: None

Adrian finally emerged from the shell as a new being. He did not immediately get that he did not transform fully into just an Aetheros, but it seems he is a unique being. He can switch between an

Aetheros and a Netheros depending on the type of battle he wants to do. He basically has a form change that completely rewrites his whole being.

He wondered what would have happened if he just greatly enhanced his Nether Energy, but he knew that he will not get the same result. He is currently using his Aetheros form now which is vastly different from his Netheros Form.

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Adrian's form is vastly different to the one that he has now as his color scheme changed. His armor that is mainly made of black and dark purple colors changed to that of a brighter color. Adrian's armor changed to that of a green, yellow and cyan color scheme.

There is also a change when it comes to his horns and wings as those two are the defining features of a demon. Adrian's horns that were pointed upwards and faced the front are now in a reverse position. His horns are now slicked back and pointed downwards which made his face look like that of a benevolent and harmless being.

The horns also changed color as it now resembled a scaly emerald. The horns that were also being ignited by the nether fire suddenly changed to that of a shimmering golden effect. It made Adrian look like a calm and righteous being that just happened to have horns.

The wings are now two pairs that are vastly different from the dark smoky wings that Adrian possessed when he is a Netheros. He grew a pair of marvelous and great wings that can cover his whole body as a means of defense. The wings still looked almost the same structure as that of his Netheros wings as it looked like mix between a bird and a dragon.

The color of the wings vastly changed though as it now has the same color as a cosmos. The wings also looked ethereal as it is not completely solid like that of his Netheros Wings. Just looking at Adrian made anyone feel calm as the Aetheros is definitely a being that bestows great life.

Adrian is also floating in the air in a suspended motion as even his dark colored floating cloak actually changed form. Adrian's dark colored cloak turned into a white color that has golden linings which made him look regal. Coupled with his good looks, Adrian could be described as model worthy with his new attire.

Another slight change would be his hairstyle as the blue and white hair matches perfectly with his new form when styled. In Adrian's Netheros Form, his hairstyle is more robust and unkept which created a wild charm to him. In Adrian's Aetheros Form, his hairstyle is more clean and slicked back which accentuated his youthful look.

[You can switch between your Netheros or Aetheros Form by thinking of what form you want to use.]

[You have evolved to become a unique being that can use two opposing energies in his body.]

[Your body lacks the synergy to use both Nether and Aether Energy at the same time which is why you can only use the respective energies depending on the form that you take.]

Adrian looked around him as he became the center of attention once more. Even the people watching the scene are all clamoring of what happened. They did not expect that a player would

come out of the egg. They thought that a monster was incubating in the egg and a savior will hatch from it. They did not expect that it was actually the player called The Demon.

"Thanks for helping me, everyone. Allow me to pay it forward with this gift." Adrian stated as he spread his wings and flapped them.

The players thought that Adrian was speaking gibberish as he only flapped his wings. They never thought that a simple action would make them gain something, but they are shocked. When Adrian flapped his wings, the Aether Dust also spread along with it to a great degree. Just being in contact with Aether Dust immediately boosted the stats and regeneration of those affected.

They were just standing there and getting exposed to an unknown glittering dust which made them power up. If one were to say that sentence, then they might have been called delusional, but it really happened. With each strong flap of Adrian's wings, the Aether Dust spread all throughout the battlefield, but he can only do so far.

"Vayu, a little help please?!" Adrian stated and Vayu already knew where Adrian was going with it.

With a quick slash of Vayu's sword, a soft breeze enveloped Adrian and spread the Aether Dust with it. Vayu's guidance made this breeze filled with Aether Dust cover the whole battlefield and apply his buffs to every possible ally. It is still limited though as the wind cannot pass by all of the people immediately since Vayu still need to control it.

"It is good that you are now awakened. To think that the brat that I once ordered around would become a being that is the same as me. It seems that I am truly getting old already to the point that a child just a few years old managed to become an Arch Demon." Ascalor stated but his looks cannot hide his exhaustion.

"What happened to both of you?" Adrian asked as he did not see what the Daemos Elders did to seal up the space.

Ascalor and Bronx explained what happened and even what happened to Koronn. Adrian is shocked that Koronn would actually go against the nature of reality in order to help him, but they said that he also did it to have a fighting chance. The Daemos Corps are exhausted while the dragon kings cannot immediately kill the Horsemen of the Apocalypse.

"We shall leave it up to you, young one. We need to go into stasis for now. We cannot maintain the barrier and also maintain consciousness along with it." Bronx stated as his form suddenly started to morph.

"Make sure that the Dragon of Revelation will not emerge." Ascalor stated as his body started to morph as well.

Ascalor and Bronx' body slowly looked like they are turning into a purple orb. These two purple orbs then hid themselves from existence as they created a small pocket dimension for them to hide while weakened. It seems that the Daemos Elders did everything they can to make sure that they are still connected to the barrier.

Adrian knew that he needed to act as well because his friends immediately jumped back into the battle when he evolved. They did not even greet him because they are really struggling. They are currently blocking the huge, elongated head of the Dragon of Revelation.

It seems that the three dragon kings are blocking it as well which made it not reach Adrian at all. He is extremely grateful for those that supported him. He decided to use everything he has in order to turn the tides immediately at their favor. They are currently getting runover by monsters that the Dragon of Revelation keeps summoning.

"Greater Summon: Kanlaon!"

"Greater Summon: Sirius!"

"Greater Summon: Charon!"

Adrian summoned three of his soulbounds that he deemed to be useful in this fight. The three soulbounds used their original forms which made quite a great impact on the beings that are present there since two of the three have similar species to them.

When Kanlaon was summoned, the dragon kings and even the Dragon of Revelation felt his presence. The presence of a Genesis Dragon is not something that any dragon could gloss over. The dragon kings felt Kanlaon's power as his buff immediately affected them when he was summoned. If the players get a hundred percent boost of elemental damage, then dragons will have double that amount in the presence of a Genesis Dragon.

If Adrian did not have the backing of the Daemos elders back when the dragons came to look for Kanlaon then they would have surely taken him after severing their soul bindings. Just Kanlaon's presence alone gave great power to the Dragon Kings and Dragonkin.

The lizardmen that are the created beings of the Dragon of Revelation could feel a slight terror from Kanlaon. The Dragon of Revelation, on the other hand, is not afraid of Kanlaon because he is also an ancient dragon like him and still is even if he has fused with a dark god. To be precise, the Dragon of Revelation is part of the Rapacious Dragon which is the peak form of the Gluttony Dragon.

As if the ancient dragon part of the Dragon of Revelation took over, it suddenly eyed Kanlaon and thought of it as a great prize. The Dragon Kings did not agree with the Dragon of Revelation though as they vowed to make sure that the Genesis Dragon will not become food for the great evil they are now facing.

The other group that is greatly shocked are the undead because a Lifeless Lord has graced their presence. A peak undead that is said to rival even the Undead King if they are of the same power level. Charon did not pay attention to them though as it started to scatter numerous chains. For the first time, Adrian can now know the max number of chains Charon could connect.

Charon could only use a maximum of one thousand chains for both allies and enemies. With the help of the Cube of Paradox, Charon used half of that number on enemies and half on allies. Charon picked the first five hundred allies that are in great need of his barriers.

Those five hundred individuals are actually members of the vanguard. When they got connected with the chain, they thought that they are being attacked but they are surprisingly getting free

shields. To make it even more appealing, Charon could spread the Aether Dust using his chains which means that the vanguard will ultimately have max concentration of Aether Dust.

Sirius also received great attention as he is the most famous of Adrian's soulbounds. They thought that he would only be of a height of five meters, but his real height shocked those that have seen it for the first time. Sirius is as big as the Dragon Kings that are currently fighting, and he did not look like he is that happy of what happened to his master.

Sirius howled and immediately summoned Yuki to protect Adrian. He then used Nether Rush to slice up the monsters that are still rushing towards his master with great ferocity. He did not bother to become smaller to conserve energy because Adrian's Aetheros Form can restore their stamina with Aether Dust.

Adrian's presence really did influence the battlefield because his buff might take time to build up but any small power up is greatly appreciated in this battle. He might take on a more support approach, but this should be fine as supporting a large army means they can win.

He also needs to observe the battlefield before jumping right in. He has yet to familiarize himself with his new form which is why he is taking a rather passive approach. It might not look like it, but Adrian wanted to jump in the battle so badly as his inner battle junkie is screaming him to fight.

"Let us try this gain shall we. Primordial Armament: Mirror!" Adrian muttered as his look started to change once more.

Adrian's look is the same as that of his Primordial Stance: Mirror but it now has a different feel to it. When he is a Netheros, he had the look of a dark sorcerer with two sets of floating hands because of the dark aura and shade of his clothes. In Adrian's Aetheros Form, his Primordial Stance: Mirror made him look like an archaic divine being because even his cloak turned into a halo made of light on his back.

"Not bad." Adrian stated as he is blindfolded by a shimmering golden cloth. The function of the Primordial Armament is still the same as he can still make mirrors, but Adrian thought of something more ingenious. What he did literally made the game developers pull their hair out of frustration because it is broken but in a niche way. If that is the case, then they cannot touch that interaction.

"Aetheros Domain!" Adrian stated as he scattered a lot of mirrors in the battlefield to the point that he almost bottomed out his mana.

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"Aetheros Domain!"

In just two words, Adrian greatly affected the tides of the battle. Unlike his Netheros domain that spreads out nether mist in a large area, Adrian's Aetheros Domain spreads out his Aether Dust. Not only could the area be seen as visibly cleaner and pure, but life could also be seen growing in barren land where it should not be possible.

Everything would have already been normal and not broken until Adrian spread his great amount of Aether Dust using his mirrors. He basically scattered the effect of his domain to all of the battlefield without much problem. The Tree of Life and Death is also still active as Levin Cloud is continuously pouring his mana to keep it in position.

This means that Adrian's Aether Domain will continuously become active as long as the Tree of Life and Death is active. All the elves could feel the immense power of life that Adrian's Aether Dust gave off and they are invigorated. Since Adrian increased healing greatly because of his title as Champion of the Twin Gods, this bonus also affected his Aether Dust.

The simple injuries that their allies incur would suddenly get cured in just a matter of seconds. Three beings greatly blessed with the Goddess of Life are present in this battlefield. They are Levin Cloud, Anastacia and Equinox and their buffs overlapped with each other which greatly boosted their buffs exponentially.

There are also three beings blessed by the God of Death in the battlefield. They are Levin Cloud, Creepysoo and Equinox and their buffs overlap as well. To make the blessings even more powerful, Adrian gives a 0.01% chance to execute enemies. The players that had difficulty with the massive horde of enemies started to randomly execute once enemy per thousand.

The power to give life and the power to create death is present in this battlefield. This would be the ultimate team face off that anyone can dream off as the blessings are spread all to allies. The Aether Dust also started to accumulate at a great pace because of the Aether Domain and everyone extremely close to Adrian reached maximum concentration in just a matter of five minutes.

Adrian did not expect that his Aetheros Domain would influence the concentration of Aether Dust to increase at a great speed, but it is a welcomed addition. The Horsemen of the Apocalypse felt the sudden change immediately because the dragon kings are also greatly buffed.

Dragon Kings usually cannot be buffed by any type of existence as weak buffs cannot affect them. Only beings that are on equal power and standing as them could possibly use buffs on them. This is the reason why only Kanlaon increased their elemental affinity when he got summoned.

What the Dragon Kings did not expect is the fact that Adrian managed to affect them with Aether Dust. A 10% increase on the dragon kings is such a significant change because dragon kings are very powerful beings. The Horsemen of the Apocalypse looked at Adrian as a priority target because of his presence in the battlefield.

The dragon kings started to overpower the Horsemen of the Apocalypse little by little and they decided to use a synergetic skill. The Three Horsemen of the Apocalypse suddenly raise all three of their weapons in the air. The serene and nice atmosphere that Adrian created using the aether dust suddenly became stale.

The atmosphere suddenly felt like a feeling of dread came down towards them as they feel that a force is choking them. A dark energy started to gather towards the Three Horsemen of the Apocalypse as their overall look changed. Even the dragon kings could feel that their enemies became more powerful.

The Horseman of Pestilence and its horse suddenly became covered in armor that is reminiscent of a stag beetle. The horse is also fully armored as well, and it has been armed to the teeth. The armor is full of spikes that is also dripping with some sort of poison that could afflict status ailments to enemies that are hit.

The Horseman of Pestilence is also covered with numerous small bugs as if it has become her aura. The small bugs are also armed with numerous spikes that can trigger the same poison that the

Horseman of Pestilence can control. The small bugs could even burrow against the scales of the dragon kings if given enough time.

The Horseman of Famine has also changed in armor as she is now covered by a strange robe that could alter the surrounding. This strange robe has some sort of aura that could obscure her from the attacks of enemies and amplified her reality warping abilities. The scales on her hands also change to look more cryptic as it became an enhanced magical weapon.

There is also an aura surrounding her that takes in the form of sand. If any person gets hit by this sand, they will become enamored and lose focus. It seems that the aura of the Horseman of Famine could apply some sort of charm status effect. If only the charm would affect them then it would have been fine, but the people affected could be seen visibly getting thinner.

Those that are charmed by the aura that the Horseman of Famine releases would have their stamina robbed. The stamina taken would then become the strength of the Horseman of Famine as she also uses great energy to affect the world with her reality warping abilities. It came to the point that the Light Dragon King could no longer use the light around her to hide from the eyes of the Horseman of Famine.

The Horseman of Death is already armored up, but his armor could be seen to have evolved. If the Horseman of Death's armor looked like a death knights' armor earlier, the armor now has changed significantly. The armor has become something like dark corrupted ice that seethes the strange miasma that the Horseman of Death produces.

The Dark Dragon King even became wary of this armor as he felt that he could get killed if he was not careful. The scythe of the Horseman of Death also changed to be imbued by this specific dark corrupted ice metal. Those that cannot stand the presence of the Horseman of Death would immediately have their life force stolen even without the horseman using a skill.

Those that are greatly weaker against the Horseman of Death straight up died and became his power. For every death that occurs in his vicinity, be it ally or enemy, the Horseman of Death will reap their souls and use them as sustenance. When Koronn turned back time earlier, it also affected the Horseman of Death as the souls that he reaped from the players got taken away for them to revive. It is also the reason why he almost died against the Dark Dragon King when he was weakened.

Adrian could see the things happening on the battlefield because of his omnipotent vision. The only problem with that is he could see that the three Horsemen of the Apocalypse are looking straight at him. They were looking at the mirrors that Adrian deployed around the battlefield as he is currently blindfolded which makes him unable to give them eye contact.

For some reason, this type of staring is even more terrifying because he could feel that the three Horsemen of the Apocalypse were looking at his very soul. He could also feel their great annoyance at him for making it difficult for release of the the Dragon of Revelation.

Adrian waited to see what the three Horsemen of the Apocalypse would do as he thought that they would go straight to him, but they did not. The Three Horsemen of the Apocalypse actually went straight towards the Daemos Corps that is holding the Dragon of Revelation at place.

The Daemos Corps noticed this and immediately wanted to evade using blink, but the Horseman of Famine shook her scales and the space suddenly hardened. The Daemos Corps are now unable to escape via space magic which means they can only rely on their flight capabilities. Some decided to open fire at the Horseman of Death that is going to attack them as they knew that they will not be able to evade.

Adrian suddenly saw a vision in his head that half of the Daemos Corps dying. He did not know who is sending this prophetic vision, but he can pinpoint one person. The Great Star Gazer seemed to be pushing herself even at her recovery sleep. The visions after the death of half the Daemos Corps is the release of the Dragon of Revelation which should not happen.

Adrian gritted his teeth and pushed his body to the limits as he conjured up mirrors to swallow the Daemos Corps members. The attacks of the Horseman of Death and the Horseman of Pestilence did not reach the Daemos Corps while the mirrors are not affected by the Horseman of Famine. The Daemos Corps emerged at the other end of the mirror but Adrian could be seen in great pain.

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Adrian blocked the attacks by hardening the mirrors instead of turning them into a passageway. If he did not do so, then the attacks of the two horsemen will definitely reach the Daemos Corps members that he has saved. This did not go well for him though as he knew that he would receive the brunt of the damage instead.

The barrier given to him by Charon mitigated some of the damage, but he still ended up in the red zone. He almost died but he saw an interaction with Aether Energy that he did not expect. Adrian would have died but his Aether Energy suddenly bottomed out and filled back in. It seems that his Aether Gauge also acts as a temporary life for him that will be consumed if he gets killed.

Since his Aether Energy is always full when the Aetheros Domain is active, he is essentially immortal when it is active. He could still die though if he is affected by instant kill skills or debuffs that lowers the healing, but those skills are very rare. Still, Adrian felt that they need to end this battle since the Dragon of Revelation is starting to loosen its shackles.

"To seal the Dragon of Revelation means we need to immediately kill the Horsemen of the Apocalypse. It might be difficult, but I need to get the best people to focus at one at a time." Adrian muttered as he immediately sent his plan to the players he sees as the best.

He needs to form a strike team which means he needs the best damage dealers because he will act as their support. The other supports like Levin Cloud and Anastacia will need to focus on supporting the whole army instead of Adrian's strike team. A while later, he received a reply from some of them and only needed to secure one more reply.

Adrian then went inside the mirror as he needed to go to a zone in the battlefield. Since the focus of the Horsemen of the Apocalypse were on him, the focus shifted back to the dragon kings the moment he vanished. He did not do it intentionally, but the dragon kings felt the pressure against them double since the horsemen are now fully focusing on them.

Hou Yiwei is currently back to his dragonoid form as he no longer has enough stamina to transform into his dragon form. He does not want to admit it, but his dragon form needs tremendous amounts of stamina. He thought he will never access it again but the strange buff he got called Aether Dust could actually return back his stamina.

He is currently leading the army of dragonkin, but he already knew that he does not need to do so as they are currently doing great because of this Aether Dust. Against lizardmen, the dragonkin are definitely the ones at the top. His major problems are the attacks that the Dragon of Revelation and the Horsemen of the Apocalypse.

The Dragon of Revelation's breath attacks would have ended everything if there was no one to stop them. After a lot of people got revived or rather when time was turned back, the morale surged as those that fell from battle returned. This prompted the early defeat of the lizardmen which freed other races to focus on the Dragon of Revelation.

One race in fact that shook not only Hou Yiwei, but the world are the dwarves. The Iron Legion could actually call upon the will of their ancestors and manifest the Will of Iron. Iron might seem a low-end metal but that is just the name of the skill. The Iron Legion Dwarves will call upon the strength of their ancestors and create a huge silhouette of their ancestors holding the sturdiest shields.

The Iron Legion would then block the attacks of the Dragon of Revelation using this skill. They are definitely called the strongest wall and no longer just seen as a race that is good with their hands. Hou Yiwei then remembered the Elder Dragons talking about how formidable the dwarves were.

In other games, the dwarves were servants of dragons and such but not in Pandemonium. In fact, dragons respect the dwarves because of what happened years ago. It seems that it was the dwarves that stopped the advancement of the Gluttony Dragon back then which made the dragons indebted to them.

Hou Yiwei was observing the battlefield and shooting down enemies when he gets an opportunity when a mirror suddenly manifested near him. He did not think it strange since all of them could see these mirrors manifesting. In fact, he is glad that this mirror manifested near him as the Aether Dust would spread when near it.

He might not want to outwardly admit it, but the player named Equinox is ideal for this battle. He focuses more on himself rather than a whole group while Equinox focuses on a group tactics since he is a summoner. They have different battle styles, but he is still a bit jealous that he is getting more attention than him who is the rank one player.

When he thought that it was just a mirror, he is shocked to find that a figure of a humanoid emerged from it. He clearly knew of the identity of this humanoid, but this is his first time seeing him face to face. He did face him during the Pandelympics but that was not Equinox' true game avatar.

Hou Yiwei did not want to admit it, but the Demon Equinox truly lives to the modifiers thrown to him. He does have this mysterious aura wrapped around him, but he still believes that he is better in some aspect. Hou Yiwei knew that the Demon will not come to this area unless he intended to do so. One of his modifiers in the forum is called the Demonic Tactician.

"Hello!" Adrian greeted Hou Yiwei, but he does not know if he will respond in kind.

"Greetings! I know that you already know me, but I will introduce myself. I am Hou Yiwei." Hou Yiwei replied.

"I am Equinox. A pleasure to meet you. I know this is abrupt, but I am in need of your assistance." Adrian stated as he did not need semantics as the plan is urgent.

Adrian then proceeded to tell him of the plan despite him getting a glimpse of Hou Yiwei's personality from the short exchange. Adrian could guess that Hou Yiwei is someone with great confidence in himself and he knows it. He also seemed to tress the fact that Adrian absolutely knows him, which is true, but he did not need to rub it in his face.

"He might be a bit too confident in himself but that does not mean he is not flexible." Adrian thought to himself as he smiled. Hou Yiwei could not see his eyes since he is blindfolded but he is glad that is the case or else his eyes will throw away what he feels of their interaction.

"I accept as well because I am not really needed here. I also need to defeat the Horseman of Pestilence to redeem myself from releasing the Horseman of Pestilence." Hou Yiwei stated as he agreed to Adrian's suggestion when a breath attack is suddenly aimed towards them.

Adrian did not panic because he already has enough firepower to offset that breath attack launched by the Dragon of Revelation. A giant mirror appeared in front of them, and a huge beam of light came out of it that collided with the energy ball that is the Dragon of Revelation's breath attack. When the two attacks collided, a powerful shockwave swept across the area but the dragonkin are unharmed.

"I wanted to use that attack against one of the horsemen." Adrian grumbled with Hou Yiwei shocked at the sudden display of might.

Hou Yiwei suddenly felt this sort of rivalry against Adrian when the latter did not really care. All Adrian wants is for this battle to finish as the higher the chance of the Dragon of Revelation getting unsealed as the battle takes longer. Adrian then waved his hands as he took Hou Yiwei to the other side of the mirror.

When the two emerged from the mirror, the group that could be called as the strongest damage dealers are present. Adrian gathered Siegfried, Ain, Alder, Vayu, Lycan, Solstice, Soleil, Faust, Frey and Hou Yiwei. If one looked at their team, then they would say that they can easily kill off a dragon when they see their line-up.

Vayu, Siegfried, Lycan, Solstice, Ain and Frey are the vanguard that will deal great damage. Alder, Soleil, Faust, and Hou Yiwei will provide the necessary cover fire that also deals great damage. Adrian himself will support them by himself as the other supports are needed to help the army or else the whole army will collapse.

"Can you support us all by yourself? I mean, you are a summoner." Hou Yiwei asked as he thought that Levin Cloud or Anastacia would be present.

"The dust that is buffing you right now comes from me." Adrian replied which shocked those that do not know.

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Adrian told them that he is the reason why the dust like particles is spreading and he is the source of all of it. With his domain active, they would have an abundance of it and will not run out as long as he is present.

"If that is the case then we need to do it fast. I can feel that the Dragon of Revelation is starting to become more and more powerful. The Iron Legion cannot infinitely defend against its breath attacks as their ability to block it is starting to have cracks." Hou Yiwei stated as he has also been observing the battlefield.

"No problem. The plan is simple as we will need to kill off all the Horsemen of the Apocalypse as fast as we can. We will not split up but attack it as a team since killing just one will be a major game changer." Adrian stated.

"We should kill the Horseman of Death as a first target then." Siegfried stated.

"Not really. The Horseman of Death is the least of our worries." Adrian stated but the others did not seem to believe him. They thought that Adrian would want revenge on the Horseman of Death since he was the reason why he became unable to fight earlier.

"Care to explain?" Faust asked as he thought that Adrian would want to kill the Horseman of Death first as he was the one that could instantly kill any target as long as a threshold is reached.

"The first one that we need to kill would be the Horseman of Famine. She is the most dangerous one out of all of them. Her powers to manipulate the rules of the world must be stopped or else she will grow more powerful. She could even hit the Light Dragon King even when she transforms herself into particles of light." Adrian stated as he explained why he wanted the Horseman of Famine to be killed first.

"Why do you want to kill the Horseman of Death last though? Is he not the most dangerous among all of them." Ain stated.

"The Horseman of Death is actually the least of our worries because we have Levin Cloud and Anastacia. They can prevent mass casualties as long as they are alive. I can also do the same in this form as well and have soulbounds that can generate shields and heal wounds. The one thing that I am most worried about is a being that could defy the rules of nature." Adrian stated.

As Adrian explained, they soon remembered that the Horseman of Famine could actually interfere with space itself which means Adrian will not be able to save them should she team up with other horsemen. The one thing that they are avoiding are the Horsemen of the Apocalypse joining hands with each other.

"Let us start then. Talking will not solve much." Frey stated as she wanted to go into battle now.

Adrian smiled as he thought of that as well since they only needed to work together to bring down a horseman. They do not need perfect teamwork or great communication because their team is not formed with that reason. Adrian formed the team for one reason only and that is to kill the enemy as fast as they could.

Adrian waved his hands and mirrors swallowed them. The vanguard team could be seen suddenly dropping from the sky. The Horseman of Famine did not bother much about the small fries that suddenly came crashing down on her because her priority is still the Light Dragon King.

This attitude of looking down on them became the spear to penetrate the Horseman of Famine. Frey is the first to start the attacks as she summoned the strength of her sister Valkyries. The spear that she wielded easily penetrated the barrier that the Horseman of Famine created.

Following up with Frey's attack is Vayu as he suddenly unsheathed his sword in such a quick fashion that it felt like he did not even draw it. The only evidence that he drew his weapon is the fact that a gentle wind blew over and the barrier erected by the Horseman of Famine is suddenly seen with a sharp cut.

With a thunderous shout, Siegfried wielded his large axe into the remaining barrier and shattered it like glass. The Horseman of Famine tried to reforge the broken barrier, but the Light Dragon King used this chance to use numerous light ray magic spells to deal immense damage against the horseman. The Horseman of Famine flinched a bit upon getting hit by numerous light ray spells which prompted another opening.

Ain suddenly got covered with blue silver aura that has the shape of a fox. He then proceeded to use the instant damaging skill called Sage Arts: Fox Hunt. Ain managed to pinpoint a weak point of the Horseman of Famine which made her defenseless and unable to cast for one second. The defenseless duration would have been longer if the Horseman of Famine was not a raid boss, but they will take everything that they can have.

"Synergy skill: Blood Fang!" Solstice stated.

"Synergy skill: Blood Claw!" Lycan stated.

The two were waiting for this opportunity to use their synergy skill as they can only use it when they fight together. Lycan and Solstice suddenly transformed into red silhouettes of a giant bat and a giant wolf. The two then fused together to create a wolf bat hybrid that crashed towards the Horseman of Famine.

The barrage of attacks did not end there as the next ones that attacked are the back line. Hou Yiwei opened up the attack with his signature Phoenix Shot. Alder then gathered fire elementals along with Soleil to help in making the attack more powerful. Faust did not idle as he made sure that he used his Salamander to increase the fire element of the attack once more.

The Phoenix Shot that is only supposed to have a flaming bird with a wingspan of eight meters suddenly doubled in size. The red-hot flames that are supposed to cover it has been added two additional layers. A searing blue tint and an orange outline could be seen covering the Horseman of Famine as the flaming bird swallowed the enemy in a flaming inferno.

The Horseman of Famine is not that easy to kill though as it raised its scales in the air and released a terrifying amount of mana. The flaming inferno that is supposed to swallow the Horseman of Famine suddenly turned into water. Everyone is shocked to see this, but the Light Dragon King was not as she has been encountering this ability since the fight began.

The Horseman of Famine raised her scales once more and directed this torrent of water towards everyone. Giant mirrors appeared to protect them as the torrent of water got sucked inside of the mirrors and redirected that attack towards the Horseman of Pestilence. The Horseman of Pestilence did not expect that kind of attack, but Adrian only smiled as he dealt great damage against another enemy.

"Make sure that you guys just continue. I will be here to support you." Adrian stated as they did not expect the support that he was talking about was this.

They thought that he would be using support skills and such which he does as he uses Chrono Shift on them but those that knew Adrian just chuckled. His friends know that such a battle junkie would not really restrict himself with a supporting role when he could manipulate the whole battlefield to his whims. A form that could masterfully manipulate the battlefield and that is the Mirror stance.

"Let us make sure that we cover the whole battlefield though. Aetheros True Form!" Adrian stated as his body suddenly crystallized.

Adrian suddenly grew larger as the Aether Dust solidified his body. His form grew as large as ten meters, and he looked like a godly being that descended into the world. His body would shine like precious stone and a huge mandala would appear behind him as if to say that he has become one with world as he is the being that became one with life.

Since Adrian was in his Mirror Stance, the four floating hands looked like it was made of precious stone. His blindfold turned into a full helmet that covered his eyes and converged with his horns. He also created a thick layer of Aether Dust below his feet which made him look like he is standing on a cloud made of Aether Dust.

It is not just Adrian that changed in form as his soulbounds that he summoned changed as well. Sirius changed from a furry wolf to a wolf that had obsidian crystals as fur and red ruby eyes. Kanlaon changed to look like a golden dragon made of gems as he glistened in the sunlight. Charon changed to an undead to a gem armored Lifeless Lord as he managed to get covered with armor.

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[You have transformed to you true form.]

[You shall revert back to your previous form once the duration ends.]

[Your Aetheros True form is affected by the Descent of the Yewdrassil. You will only revert to your previous form if the Tree of Life and Death will return to Paradiso.]

[You can use Aether Energy as much as you want when in this form.]

[You have gained the Aetheros True Form exclusive skill, Crystallize.]

[You have gained the Aetheros True Form exclusive skill, Aether Dust Dispersion.]

[You have gained the Aetheros True Form exclusive skill, Aether Genesis.]

Skill: Crystallize

Tier: Aetheros Exclusive skill

Type: Active Buff

Effect:

-Crystallizes the Aether Dust concentration in the body of the targets for a certain duration.

-Increases the defenses of those chosen to Crystallize.

-The increase in defense is dependent of the Aether Dust Concentration.

Duration: 5 minutes

Cooldown: 5 minutes

Cast Time: Instant

Aether Essence Cost: None

Skill: Aether Dust Dispersion

Tier: Aetheros Exclusive skill

Type: Passive Evasion

Effect:

-Able to turn into Aether Dust Particles when hit by a powerful attack that can delete a quarter of your maximum health.

-You also release a burst of Aether Dust whenever you activate this ability.

Cooldown: 3 Seconds

Cast Time: Instant

Aether Essence Cost: None

Skill: Aether Genesis

Tier: Aetheros Exclusive skill

Type: Active Group Healing and Buff

Effect:

-Recreate the birth of a small world and bless all beings in the area affected by your Aetheros Domain.

-Heals all beings inside the Aetheros Domain by the amount of Aether Dust concentration that they have. This is not affected by anti-heal or healing debuffs. (1% Aether Dust Concentration is equal to 1% max health.)

-Applies Crystallize to every being inside the Aetheros Domain.

-Increases Health Regeneration of all beings inside the Aetheros Domain by 100%.

-Increases Mana Regeneration of all beings inside the Aetheros Domain by 100%.

-Increases Stamina Regeneration of all beings inside the Aetheros Domain by 100%.

Duration: 5 minutes

Cooldown: 1 hour

Cast Time: Instant

Aether Essence Cost: None

Aether Dust concentration once again started to rise quickly as Adrian's True Form increased the size of the Aetheros Domain. His gigantic form is equal to that of the size of the Horsemen of the

Apocalypse and the dragon kings. This is different compared to any demons as they do not have a form like Adrian's that exudes the aura of a godlike being.

The dragon kings already knew of Adrian, but they only knew of him as the master of the Genesis Dragon. They thought that he was just a summoner that just happened to be a demon and got lucky in finding a dragon that has the capabilities of perfectly absorbing the elemental cores of other dragons.

"Kanlaon!" Adrian stated as he suddenly created numerous mirrors strengthened with Aether energy.

Kanlaon then fired his Genesis Dragon Breath towards the mirror and Adrian redirected it in different directions. He scattered the beam to make sure that all of the horsemen are hit. He also made Sirius do this as well with his shadow spikes as they made use of the mirror to injure the horsemen.

When the group saw what Adrian is doing, they immediately knew what he intends to do by supporting them. The range dealers immediately realized this when Adrian created multiple mirrors around them. He is basically telling them to just shoot at the mirrors and he will be the one to make sure that they hit.

Soleil is the first to do this as she trusts Adrian as a dependable person. The fireballs that she released into the mirror are then spread towards the three horsemen which effectively made her attack all three of them at once. For attacks that need great control like fire tornadoes, Adrian cannot use the mirrors, but he can use them for skill shots and projectiles.

Hou Yiwei and Alder did not hesitate any longer and made sure to shoot as many attacks on the mirrors. They actually felt that they are cheating because the arrows that they release would always hit. They did not grumble if the targets they intended are not hit like the Horseman of Famine, but they knew that Adrian used their attacks to make the other two horsemen divert their attention.

The vanguard team is working with the Light Dragon King in making sure that the Horseman of Famine will not have enough time for her ability to work. It seems that the Horseman of Famine cannot just change the rules of the world in a snap. She needs to be able to perceive and make contact with the scales for her to be able to use this.

The vanguard team managed to learn of this when Solstice attacked the hand of the Horseman of Famine while she was casting. The spell or ability that the Horseman of Famine used at that time suddenly got interrupted when Solstice hit the hand clutching the scales. Once they knew of this, they made sure that at least one of them will hit the hand that holds the scales.

The Horseman of Famine did not like what is happening to her as she could feel that the intensity of the bugs that surround her suddenly became annoying. The Horsemen of Famine suddenly exploded with great power as the mana that she used suddenly made the whole area around her become increasingly heavy.

"She finally used the ability of the scales but let us see who has more control over space." Adrian stated as he targeted the area of the Horseman of Famine and lifted the increased gravity.

The Horseman of Famine looked at Adrian with great disdain as she could not believe that her scales' ability would be negated by a newly evolved Arch Demon. Adrian might look like he is having it easy, but he feels the power of that ability.

"Heavy." Adrian thought but he did not show it because showing it would be a sign of weakness.

He knows that mana would not be able to contend with the power of an artifact imbued with the powers of dead gods which is why he is using Aether Energy as substitute which is in abundance. With the gravity returning to normal though, the vanguard team went back in to attacking the Horseman of Famine.

Adrian is focusing on using Reverse Gravity when the Horseman of Death is suddenly gone from his location. A scythe suddenly came slashing at his neck, but it did not connect because he suddenly exploded into crystal dust particles. His Aether Dust Dispersion skill activated which made Adrian rather shocked because that attack would have claimed a vast portion of his health.

Numerous Aether Dust scattered around, and Sirius emerged from the shadows to drag the Horseman of Death to the shadow realm. Sirius could not easily drag the Horseman of Death to the shadow realm despite his size, but a dark shadow of a dragon emerged from the shadows as well. The Dark Dragon King grabbed the Horseman of Death and dragged the latter down to the shadow realm with Sirius' help.

With the Horseman of Death gone, one of the heavy auras that filled the battlefield vanished. Adrian's body reformed in the same spot as the Aether Dust formed his body. The Horseman of Pestilence saw what happened to the Horseman of Death and immediately went into the offensive. The razor armored bugs that she controls are commanded to destroy Adrian's team.

The Horseman of Pestilence still has some bugs to control to fight against the Fire Dragon King, but she needed to help the Horseman of Famine. If one of them falls, then their revenge on the world will become for naught. The razor armor bugs did not even penetrate the skins of all the team members because they looked like their skin is covered by a diamond film.

"Crystallize!" Adrian casted as all of the people in his area are affected by Crystallize.

The vanguard is greatly boosted by this skill as their defenses have increased tremendously. They are now tanking the spells that the Horseman of Famine is releasing. They are practically invincible when they are affected by Crystallize. They still get damaged but the damage that they receive are only in the 1% max health range.

Crystallize not only affects the body of the targets but also the weapons as it also has a thin diamond film covering them. The weapons are also hardened as a result which means they will deal more damage when the hit connects. They might have been affected by Crystallize but the bugs will not die unless they kill them.

The Fire Dragon King exploded in flames as he sent waves of fire that burned the razor armored bugs. The players were thankful, but the Fire Dragon King did not mind doing that as he only did what he needs to do. The Horseman of Pestilence' arrows are released to try and kill the vanguard team but Adrian just created a mirror to redirect it to the Horseman of Famine.