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Chapter 1321 Avalon Auction VII

As soon as the item classifications were showed, the room erupted in such a fuss once more. They could not believe that an item such as this would be present. Adrian, who was quietly observing the marked individuals, saw that they were moved by the item that is presented to them.

Adrian being in the auction hall is not just a way to pass the time or oversee the situation, but he also is tasked with observing certain individuals. It seems that the auction being held in Avalon is not only for those that are invited as it also garnered the attention of the hidden powerful NPCs. Adrian is tasked with observing their every move since he is one of the Arch Demons in Avalon.

Adrian might not be like Ascalor that has great mastery over Spatial Magic. He is also not like Koronn that has great mastery over Temporal Magic or theoretical magics. He is also not like Bronx that has the force of ten thousand tons, but he does have something he cultivated due to his unique nature.

Out of all the Arch Demons that are in Avalon, Adrian has the most sensitive sense for mana usage. He is incredibly sensitive to mana, and it becomes even more powerful coupled with his evil eye. Even Pann agrees that Adrian's mana sensitivity is through the roof as the latter is much more sensitive than the former.

"It seems that Peridot's item has shaken their will to keep quiet and observe. I would be to after all since that item is something that no elemental mage would dare to pass up. It could basically help any talented enough mage to handle all four elements without much worry. I guess Peridot will have a fat bank account after this." Adrian stated as he continued his surveillance on the marked people.

The marked people that Adrian got are actually Mythical Tier NPCs that do not belong to other forces. They were individuals that do not have an affiliation which is why they are the most dangerous. If they cause a ruckus, Adrian will not be able to pin the blame on another country or territory.

He will not be able to get compensation either because they are not bound by anything. The nobles from other territories are acting courteous because they are the representatives of their territories. If they did something shameful in another territory, then that would reflect badly on their country or territory.

"Seriously! Why are these old fogies here anyway?! It is just a normal auction happening in my territory. Just because the territory is being ruled by a demon does not make it anymore different than others." Adrian thought as he rubbed his eyes from using it all the time.

Adrian knows that his territory gained attention and that these powerful people only came because they were intrigued. They are curious which is why they are coming as nothing becomes interesting once you are very powerful. A floating island also tickled their curiosity, but they cannot walk in easily since it is heavily protected.

The hidden masters, as Adrian calls them, are probably looking for some fun as this is a typical trope in novels and fantasy. Adrian just prays that they do not make a fuss as he would receive an earful from the other elders. Although in the back of Adrian's mind, he is curious if some of the players will have a faithful encounter with these hidden masters.

"It seems that the patrons are already eager to bid for our Quad Elemental Stone. Just like the Elixir of Life, the starting bid will be 10, 000 gold coins with an increment of a thousand gold coins each bid. You may now start bidding!" The announcer stated as numerous people even from the stands below the VIP room started to shout a price.

Some of the people in the lower box are shocked that there were some people that have such wealth in their disposal. They always thought that only the ones in the VIP rooms are able to bid for such an item. The ordinary players could only sigh at their own helplessness.

Guild masters from top guilds that were invited started to bid for this item as they know of the full use of this item. This is the item that can unlock a mage that can easily handle four elements. Guild masters that are of the mage class are not losing this opportunity because this is the thing that will separate them from the others.

"15, 000!"

"20, 000!"

"22, 000!"

The bids kept going higher and higher as those in the VIP rooms and even those below are fighting for this item. It was a good thing that Adrian looked intimidating as no one dared to go brawling with another bidder like before. All that were thrown are insults and shouting what their social standing was.

"It is quite childish to use your reputation to pressure someone. To think that they still do that in this day and age when there could easily be someone more powerful than you." Adrian thought as he watched this scene unfold.

"40,000 gold." A voice stated which made the crowd go silent because that is not an amount that could be called low. The price of one gold coin is now 50 dollars due to the high player count and money circulating in the game.

"50, 000 gold coins. If anyone bids higher than this, then I shall concede." A voice from the VIP room number 5 stated.

The high amount made all those that coveted the item pale as they cannot cash out that amount easily. Adrian is a bit shocked because that is basically almost one year of operating funds for a top guild. He does not know who the ones in the VIP Room are, but he knows that it was a top guild occupying that room.

"Why does the voice sound familiar though?" Adrian thought as if he already heard the owner of that voice.

"Going once! Going Twice! Sold to the patrons in VIP Room Number 5 for 50, 000 gold coins!" The announcer stated happily as he did not expect that he sold an item worth that much. His commission will be large that he will not need to work for a few months after this. He can even enjoy a vacation and just relax.

The crowd calmed down after the item has been sold. One could even see the air of disappointment from others that they were not able to bag the item. Still, the patrons were still excited with the last item as it was hinted that this was not created in Avalon.

The announcer did hint that the other two items were created which means they could be recreated but it may take a few years depending on the situation. They suddenly became interested in the last item that is going to be presented as this cannot be found in Avalon.

All eyes were on the item that is currently being placed on the center isle of the podium. The crowd became silent as if waiting to surprise someone. The cloth is even hiding the energy of the item unlike the other two that were presented. The anticipation is killing them as they cannot wait for this item to be revealed as this is the last one.

"It seems that our patrons are anticipating the last item in our auction. This thing was given to us by a patron of our merchant guild." The announcer stated as he took off the cloth that impedes detection on the item.

Item Name: Egg of the Light Phoenix

Item Tier: Legendary - Mythical

Item Type: Monster Egg (Phoenix Species)

Effect:

- Just keeping it near anyone gives them warmth.
- It can also be a light source as it can shine light in even the darkest place.

Description: An egg that pulses light every time to show that the being inside is still alive. It is an egg of the mythical phoenix that is said to rise up from its own ashes upon death. This egg is of the Light Phoenix which is a different and rare breed of the Phoenix race.

The egg is definitely egg of a phoenix as their eggs then to have the image of a phoenix curled up. Usual phoenix eggs are color red as they are incarnations of fire, but the light phoenix egg is golden and white in color. It also has an aura around it that generates sparkles as if it is always being rained on by glitter.

"As the patrons could guess, this is the egg of a Phoenix but not just any phoenix. This egg is that of a rare species of phoenixes called the Light Phoenix. The Light Phoenix is said to be the most beautiful one as they are rare and difficult to even catch a glimpse of because of their ability to easily blend in with light making them invisible." The announcer stated which made the crowd excited once more.

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"How can we know that it is actually alive and safe!?" One of the patrons asked as this is not something that can easily land on an auction.

"I shall be the one verifying that claim for all of us here. I am the Lord of this territory and a summoner as well. I can assure all of you that the egg is legitimate and is very healthy. I promise

that using my own title as the Champion of the Twin Gods." Adrian stated as he went to the front and introduced himself once again with a promise.

The crowd are finally done being skeptical because the territory lord himself even promised using his title. If Adrian's title as Champion of the Twin Gods were weightless then there would be outrage but it was a heavy title. His very words also represent the Twin Gods, and he would be struck by their rage if he lied.

"Can we know if any person could hatch this egg?" another asked as they do not want another person to hatch the egg for them.

"Yes. In fact, this egg is not that far from hatching. It only needs certain materials that exude the light element and a couple of extra things for it to hatch. As all of you know or for those that do not know, bird monsters tend to imprint on the first being that they see once they hatch. This also goes for the phoenix as well since they imprint on the one that greets them when they hatch." Adrian stated which made the audience shudder.

The audience could not believe that a powerful pet could fall into their hands just like that. They might not be able to hatch it now, but they could always ask a person that is knowledgeable to give them the insight. They could always pay another person for the information of hatching an egg and they would do it themselves.

"Does the knowledgeable Avalon Lord know of the way to hatch this egg?" A person from the VIP room asked which stunned the crowd as it was a beautiful female voice.

"Hatching it is not a problem for me. I know of a way to hatch the Light Phoenix Egg if any of you are wondering but that is another issue entirely. As all of you know, information is also a valuable asset, and I already gave free information earlier." Adrian stated as he smiled.

"If that is the case then will the territory lord join in the bid for the Light Phoenix?" Another voice from the VIP asked but this time it was a deep male voice.

"I will not join in the bidding of this Light Phoenix Egg because I already have a bird monster under my control that is very jealous. I am sure that all of you can see my elegant Saena flying around Avalon while she protects the territory. She is not really very keen on me having another bird monster with me as she alone is enough." Adrian stated with a smile as he knows that Saena could hear what he is saying.

"I see then the Lord of Avalon is indeed a good person since you gave us such an opportunity." Another person from the VIP room stated with a light laugh.

"Thank you for the generous praise. Now, let us return back to the agenda at hand. I am sure that all the patrons here are jumping for the chance to have their bid. All of us here are also itching to have the items that we purchased using the monetary assets that we worked hard for. As the Lord of Avalon, thank you for your patronage." Adrian stated with a perfect business smile.

Adrian might not be smiling genuinely but he has perfected the business smile at least. He perfected this on the real world as a way to gently pass the people want to talk to him. Although inside, he is smiling like a maniac as he will receive a comparable amount once this auction is over which will be a good thing for the territory.

"I will no longer need to use my own assets to make the territory better. Since I betted the Light Phoenix Egg, its value will definitely skyrocket. It is a good thing that I took... I mean liberated it from that pesky tower." Adrian stated as he returned back to his position where he observed the NPCs that are in disguise.

"Thank you, Lord Equinox. To think that the Lord of Avalon would verify it himself is such an honor. I am quite sorry for the appraisers for not being able to do their job before our lovely patrons, but the Lord of Avalon stepped up gracefully.

The Light Phoenix Egg will be sold for a price of 15,000 gold with an increment of 1,000 gold per bid. You may also throw in some notable items along with your monetary bid which will be assessed by the appraisers on standby. This might take a long time but the one who put the egg on auction stated they agree to this.

This is the very first time that the auction hall of the Merchant Guild to host a Mythical Tier egg after all. I have told you correct information as the Light Phoenix Egg could be raised to the Mythical Tier. A person to own a lesser divine beast is such a great prestige after all. Let us now begin the bids." The announcer stated.

Meanwhile, a group of individuals are seething with anger as they recognize that egg. It was an egg that was being incubated in the Tower of Babel, but it was also a way to energize the tower using the light energy that the egg radiated. Mikayla was being stopped by two other angels from causing a scene as there were prying eyes in the area.

The moment she flows into rage and shouts would mean their disguises will be gone. They are not in a good position in all the people in this auction hall. They are also in demon territory which mean they would likely die escaping if they were found out. They must return to the Silver City and report on the missing egg that Mikhail was searching for.

When the angels were all recalled to the Silver City to assess the damage that occurred, they ran an inventory check on all of the items in the Tower of Babel. The fact that an important artifact which is the Vestige of the Sun God was gone and a few items made Mikhail flow into rage. Mikhail even harmed some of the angels on duty of protecting the missing items.

Mikhail wanted to hatch the Light Phoenix as it will become its mount when he fully descends onto the ones living on land, but that plan has been scrapped. The only reason he did not let the Light Phoenix Egg hatch is the fact that they needed to keep the Silver City afloat when they were sealed inside of it.

The angels needed sources of Light Energy so that they do not starve or die from energy deficiency. If they did not do that then a lot of angels would have perished and their plans for revenge will not happen. The angels knew that, but they cannot make a move since all of them are being monitored as they could see that Adrian was gazing at them from time to time.

The angels thought that their disguises were perfect, but Ark is just another breed of Nephilim. He could detect angels even though they are occupying a person. He is not the prophesized King of Light and Darkness for nothing. The teaching of her newly acquired sister is also a bonus for his great sense for light and darkness energy.

"Calm down, Mistress! We cannot make a commotion here because we are surrounded by enemies. You are an important person for our Lord Mikhail. If you are hurt or captured, then our lives will also be forfeited." One of the angel guards told her via telepathy.

"We do not even know if that is really the one that was stolen from us. Please keep your composure." Another angel guard stated to pacify Mikayla.

Mikayla calmed down but she also participated in the auction to win over the Light Phoenix Egg. Her brother was very upset when his precious future mount was gone. Even though they were the original owner of the Light Phoenix egg, the angels needed to suck it up and bid for it. They will learn of the identity of the seller once they purchase it, but they already have a hunch.

The auction for an egg of a mythical being is not to be taken lightly. The people that did not bid earlier started to bid fiercely as they want it. The people wanted it to the point that the price inflated all the way to 70, 000 gold coins.

"100, 000 gold coins!" The female voice from the VIP room stated which made the room silent.

Chapter 1323 Buying Information I

"Going once! Going Twice! Sold to the patrons in VIP Room Number 7 for 100, 000 gold coins!" The announcer stated with such an enthusiastic voice.

The last bidding came from the female voice from VIP Room Number 7 and Adrian rejoiced. He basically cashed in by a lot because of this transaction and all he did was steal an egg. He did not really want the Light Phoenix anyway since Saena is more powerful than it because she can evolve into true divine bird.

"Thank you for all that participated in the auction. All those that have successfully bid their items will need to stay for the verification of the buying process and official records. Let us meet again in fortune!" The announcer stated with a large smile as he could already feel his pockets getting lined up as he will get 3% commission for each sale he has accomplished.

Adrian watched as the people he is observing quietly exited the auction hall, but he did not stop being vigilant. Adrian tasked Sirius to always monitor the individuals and get Charon's help if needed. The auction finished without a big fight but that was avoided because of Adrian stopping it earlier on.

There have been record fights in auction halls when things get heated, and guards are sometimes late to disperse it. The fact that Adrian, who is the Lord of Avalon, moved by himself meant a greater punishment should something really happens. Adrian is about to exit the auction hall when Piggy Bank suddenly stopped him.

"Is there something you need?" Adrian asked as Piggy Bank was a little hesitant.

"The one who bought the Light Phoenix Egg wants to speak with you. It seems they want to buy your information." Piggy Bank stated.

"I did say that, but I did not think that they will actually ask for it. Powerful people are often proud that they will do things by themselves but that is not the case. I shall comply as I will get money out of it. Please lead the way." Adrian stated as he followed behind Piggy Bank.

Adrian then messaged Ark to look after the angels while they are in the territory since he is the only one that could detect them. Adrian was about to follow them out, but he needed to do something. Thankfully, Ark agreed as he is also wary of the angels that came to Avalon because he thought that his location was compromised.

Adrian was led to VIP Room Number 7 where he met a player, and it is a female. She had quite a distinct appearance because she had hair that is bright green in color. She also has a distinct smell like that of a reptile and Adrian could see that her pupils are that of a snake.

She was not alone as he had other players surrounding her which meant that she had a group. The thing that Adrian noticed is that she has a guild crest on her cape which Adrian also has. The guild crest that she has is that of an echidna.

"Greetings, Lord of Avalon. My name is Ochia, and I am the guild master of the Echidna guild." Ochia stated as she introduced herself with a smile, but one could tell that she exuded the aura of a noble lady.

"Nice you meet you as well. My name is Equinox, Lord of Avalon and Guild Master of the Pantheon Guild." Adrian replied in a courteous manner which emanated the same level of dignity that Ochia exuded.

Ochia noticed that Adrian's manners are that of people that know of etiquette befitting of people that are of high standard. Adrian also noticed this with Ochia as well from just her initial greeting. Adrian now knows why she could afford a whopping 100, 000 gold coins as if it was pocket money.

"I wish that I could also do that, but it is every man for themselves in that household when it comes to money for leisure spending." Adrian thought.

"I will not beat around the bush as you seem like that kind of person but help me hatch this egg." Ochia stated as she already performed the sealing ritual on it.

"I can help you just like I told earlier but that will cost you." Adrian stated.

"How much?" Ochia asked.

"10, 000 gold coins." Adrian stated blatantly as he needed to aim higher should they want to negotiate.

"Deal!" Ochia replied without even missing a beat which shocked Adrian. He thought that he would have to negotiate the price with her, but she easily accepted it.

"Even if you have lots of money, I think you should still negotiate for a lower price." One of her guild members stated as they think that it is still a ridiculous price.

"I can tell that the price of 10, 000 is not just basic information but he will also help me hatch it. Am I right?" Ochia stated which made Adrian baffled.

Adrian actually thought of offering it for 10, 000 gold coins with his help. He would only give information if the price was below that as that is not enough to move him. He lost quite a bit of his personal funds because of upgrading the territory.

"You are very sharp. As expected of the third rank player in the Summoner Rank List." Adrian stated as he already remembered where he heard or saw her name from.

"I have always been praised for that. Here is 10, 000 gold coins. Please accept." Ochia stated as she gave a pouch to Adrian.

[You have received a money pouch containing 10, 000 gold coins.]

"Follow me to the other island." Adrian stated as he led them to the first floating island of Beta.

Adrian led them to another island, and he received reports from Ark that the angels have retreated. Since the angels are already gone, he can easily fulfill the request of the third rank summoner Ochia.

Chapter 1324 Buying Information II

Adrian led the Echidna guild to Beta Island as this is the one blessed with raising monsters. Pann, who was feeding his Capricorns, saw Adrian and the Light Phoenix Egg that Ochia is holding. He wanted to come over, but he does not want to get close to Ochia as he finds her smell repulsive.

"No wonder... that child is an offspring of Echidna. She might suddenly warn me with lightning if I get close to her beloved child. A pity as that is an egg of a Light Phoenix but I can still look from the sidelines." Pann stated as the group was not in his farm's premises anyway.

"Why did you send us here?" Ochia asked.

"The Light Phoenix can be hatched using powerful items or beings that emit light elemental energy. You need to feed it that as it needs that to awaken. Something like the help of a powerful angel that has four wings, or three High Light Elementals can do the trick." Adrian stated which made the jaw of every person drop.

"How can we get the help of an angel when they are not a fan of other races." Ochia stated as she knows that an angel that powerful will not help her.

"You can kill the angel then trap all their energy in an empty elemental magic stone. Using that, you can proceed to transfer all the energy to that Light Phoenix egg." Adrian stated with a stoic face.

"Can you at least make something that will not get my guild getting rained down by holy fire? The Three High Light Elementals are also not easy to get as Light Elementals are the trickiest to tame. To think that one needs three of them to hatch this thing is already close to a nightmare." Ochia commented as even she knows that money cannot buy something that is not available in the market.

"That is why, you should be thankful for your straightforward attitude. There is one more way and that is my way. Consider the 10, 000 gold coins a service fee." Adrian stated as he whistled.

When Adrian whistled, a loud cry could be heard from the distance as a gigantic white bird flew from below the floating island. Saena arrived after hearing her master's call while her gigantic figure made everyone that saw her gaze into her beauty. Adrian knew that they cannot kill an angel of the Second Heavenly Sphere or get three High Light Elementals to do their bidding which is why he opted for something he can do.

"My soulbound can control light just as well as three High Light Elementals. She will help you hatch that egg. Saena, go and feed that sleeping child over there. Also, if I were you, you should place that Light Phoenix Egg down." Adrian stated as Saena flew up high.

Ochia listened to Adrian's words and gently placed the Light Phoenix Egg below her feet as she stepped away. Adrian already made sure that they will not be disturbed as he picked a place that is isolated without any people roaming. The Daemos Corps members blocking the path to them also helped.

"Are you sure that you should trust him?" One of the guild members asked.

"If he does not hold his end of the bargain then we shall just present the recording that he is untrustworthy. Although, I can feel that he does not go back against his word." Ochia replied as she could tell that Adrian is not a person that goes back on their words.

All of Saena's feathery tails lit up in rainbow color as she gathered sunlight. She then blasted the light that she gathered towards the Light Phoenix Egg. Saena made sure that the Light Phoenix Egg only gets bathe in pure light which is what her master instructed her to do.

The Light Phoenix Egg could be seen absorbing the light that Saena directed at it at a fast pace. The egg that was slightly making light is now shining like a small sun. The Light Phoenix Egg could be seen slightly moving as if the thing inside is coming alive. A light halo suddenly appeared on top of it after one hour of blasting it with light.

"You can stop now, Saena. Thank you and get a good rest." Adrian stated as Saena nodded and flew back to perch on the Tree of Life and Death.

Ochia is about to touch the egg when Adrian told her to stop. He warned her that it would not be wise to touch the egg when it got blasted with powerful light as it will still be hot. An egg does not care for its master, and it will undoubtedly burn her hands.

"Drop your blood on it then use any tier of Light Elemental Stone on it." Adrian stated.

Ochia nodded as she used a small knife to prick her finger as a drop of blood dripped onto the Light Phoenix egg. The Light Phoenix Egg glowed as the seal on it was not destroyed when Saena fed it with powerful light elemental energy. Seeing that Ochia is still linked to the Light Phoenix, she smiled as she could feel the powerful life force that the Light Phoenix is giving her.

Just like Adrian said, the Light Phoenix one more burst of energy from another source. She knew that Adrian stopped at the last moment so that the bond that she gets from the Light Phoenix will be strong once it hatches. Ochia tool out an Epic Tier Light Elemental Stone from her inventory and gently placed it on top of the Light Phoenix Egg.

As soon as she did so, the egg started to crack, and a cute cry could be heard. The powerful blast of light caught the attention of a lot of people. After a few seconds, the scene of Ochia holding onto a cute chubby chick with gold and white feathers could be seen. The cute chubby chick hugged her back as the imprinting was a success.

Chapter 1325 The Angel's Warning I

"Congratulations! You are now a summoner that owns a powerful phoenix." Adrian stated as he saw the cute gold and white bird Ochia was hugging.

Ochia cannot believe that she was able to get a Light Phoenix. She was the Envoy of Echidna, who is the Goddess of Monsters or called as the Mother of Beasts. She was blessed to tame beasts easily

and even give them a powerful buff when using them. In terms of summoning ability and skills, she is more powerful than Mariposa.

Now that she has a Light Phoenix by her side, she can now go toe to toe with Mariposa against her insect monster army. Ochia is extremely thankful to Equinox as she did not expect that he would help him to this extent. She thought the rumors circulating about him being deceitful were false as he kept his end of the bargain very well.

"I would not have been able to do it if not for your help. I am very grateful to you and would like to owe a debt. Should you need me for something, you can call for me. Can we add each other on the friend list?" Ochia asked which shocked her guild members as she did not trust anyone easily.

Ochia is very picky with her guild members and only agreed to recruit who she could count on. Even her friends are a small number because of this but she seemed to have been charmed by the Lord of Avalon. Her guild members could see that there was some sort of interest being reflected in her eyes.

"I only held my end of the deal that you paid me for. You do not need to pay me back or anything. I will add you to my friend list if you want it. It does not hurt to add another Envoy of a God into my friend list." Adrian stated which shocked Ochia a bit as she did not expect to be found out.

"How did you know?" Ochia asked genuinely as she was hiding her job class from people.

"I can see your divinity in a sense. I am quite perceptive of things like that because I am the Champion of the Twin Gods. You will also learn to discern about things like that if you practice." Adrian stated as he smiled but his conversation with Ochia was cut short by a sudden blast that activated the barrier of the territory.

"Enemy Attack!" One of the Daemos Corps shouted as a blast of light is shot towards Delta Island.

"It seems that our time will be cut short, but I accept your friend request. I need to deal with the urgent things that are happening." Adrian stated as he took out his wings to follow Saena that already flew towards the location of the incident.

Adrian arrived next to Saena as she intimidated the ten angels that attacked Avalon. They did not come because of peaceful visit but because the angels that were previously here alarmed them of what happened. They might have also sensed the power of light that the Light Phoenix emitted when it hatched.

"Return the Holy Light Beast to us, filthy demons!" An angel shouted as she demanded to get the Light Phoenix that just hatched.

"It seems all of you are not aware how auctions work because of your constant high horse and looking down on human society. I guess I should teach you what happens when you suddenly attack the territory of others. Saena, punish the invaders." Adrian stated as he is very infuriated that the angels dared attack his territory when he was hosting something.

The moment Adrian gave Saena the order, she erupted in powerful light as she used her full strength in creating a storm. Saena unleashed her powers as a guardian of the Tree of Life and Death as the powerful storm that she created that trapped all ten angels that came to harass him.

The angels thought that they could easily escape the powerful storm that Saena has cooked up, but they were wrong. She is now attacking as the guardian of the Tree of Life and Death which means she is vastly more powerful than when she is not within the territory. The angels also attacked the barrier which means it agitated the Tree of Life and Death.

The angels are not easy opponents as they created a light prismatic barrier around all of them to deflect any damage that the storm may cause. Adrian does not plan to kill them because they did not kill anyone from his territory but that does not mean that he will let them escape unscathed. He needs to instill some sort of fear towards these angels that have a grudge against him.

"It seems your beloved goddess did not tell you how I humiliated her in front of the other gods. I bet she is too ashamed to tell you anyway like the delicate flower that she pretends to be." Adrian taunted.

"You dare filthy demon!" The leader of the supposed group stated but Adrian did not fall for their petty taunts because he always heard it.

"How about all of you say something that is original. Saena, increase the power." Adrian stated as he increased the power of Saena's storm using Nether Energy.

The light barrier that all the angels created started to falter as soon as nether energy was mixed up into the storm. They could see that the storm was mixed with a very powerful energy that could even eat light itself. In the end, the barrier that all of them tried to maintain vanished and the angels were swept up by the powerful storm powered by nether energy.

Just as the angels were about to get into critical condition, an arrow of light is shot from a location that is a bit far from them. The arrow of light pierced through the storm and diffused it. Adrian raised his eyebrow as that was not an easy feat, but he was already planning to diffuse the storm as he does not want to kill the angels yet.

Adrian looked at the direction where the arrow was shot and saw an angel with three pairs of wings. She is also exuding an aura that could rival the elders. He instinctively knew that this was one of the seven highest ranked angels that are in the army of the Silver City.

"Mistress Zadkiel! Thank you for saving us." One of the angels stated as they were released from the grip of the storm.

"You were given one simple task and that was to retrieve Michael's Light Phoenix egg and you cannot even do something so simple. You shall be punished later but now go and get the egg." Zadkiel stated.

"The thing is... the egg seemed to have hatched already, Mistress Zadkiel." Another of the angels reported as they could feel a burst of light energy from Avalon that can only signify the birth of the Light Phoenix.

"Then get the bird. Do I have to tell all of you what to do?" Zadkiel stated.

"I am afraid that would be unwise as that would constitute trespassing. The one who owns the Light Phoenix is also a guest of my territory. I shall not let you tarnish the reputation of my territory just because you happen to lose an egg of a beast that you are keeping.

What makes all of you so sure that the Light Phoenix Egg that was found here was the one you guys supposedly kept? If you cannot prove that then best be on your way." Adrian stated although he also trespassed the Silver City.

A light arrow is suddenly fired towards Adrian, but Saena blocked it with her wing. The light arrow did not even scratch Saena's feathers as she also has buffed defenses. She became enraged and created wind blades by just flapping her wings. She aimed all of the wind blades towards Zadkiel that dared harm her beloved master.

"All of you need to be judged!" Zadkiel stated as a powerful aura suddenly burst out from her that affected those that are around her.

[All of your spells have been sealed by Zadkiel, the Temperance.]

[You can only use spells once you damage her to a certain degree or she is no longer within your sight.]

Adrian is rather shocked that all types of spells cannot be used but that did not mean he cannot use weapons. He summoned his Primordial Armament: Spear as a weapon to test things out. Even if he is in another form, all the spells are still locked but the innate abilities attached within his weapon is not affected.

"You have a very interesting ability. Let us test its limits." Adrian stated as he hurled the spear towards Zadkiel.

Zadkiel did not move from her location and fired multiple arrows to stop the incoming spear. She did this so flawlessly that she even got praised by the angels. Adrian has another idea though as he smiled because he realized something.

Chapter 1326 The Angel's Warning II

"What are you all doing?! Get the Light Phoenix!" Zadkiel shouted as the angels did not immediately dive into Avalon to get the Light Phoenix.

"You seem rather impatient for an angel that received the title of Temperance. You are afraid because I found out how to counter you. You cannot move from your location or else the restriction that you placed will vanish." Adrian stated.

"Are you sure, Mistress Zadkiel?" One of the angels asked to verify but she was only given a glare.

"If any of you dare to enter my territory, do not expect that you will make it out alive. It is not the first time that I plucked an angel's wings out. If that is not enough, then I should show you what you are dealing with through blatant intimidation since you are brainless to not notice." Adrian stated as all of his soulbounds that are hiding in Avalon made their presence known.

A huge shadow engulfed Alpha Island as Sirius emerged from its shadows. The Abyssal Fenrir was hiding there while monitoring every individual in Avalon. Just with his large size, he already looked monstrous as he howled.

The next one that is keeping an eye on Avalon shot straight into the clouds and returned to his massive form. Kanlaon's large head then peered into the clouds as all his six dragon balls shined and released powerful elemental energy. All the elements raged with just Kanlaon's dragon roar. His powerful roar made all of the people tremble.

The next Soulbound that returned to his original form is Charon. He emitted intense death energy as he woke up from sleeping on the small shrine near the Church of the Twin Gods. His size might not be as large as the previous two, but his presence is definitely chilling to say the least.

The next one that erupted in power is Kimat as he roared and changed to his true form on top of the mountain. He proudly announced his presence by summoning lightning on his location. He also glared at the angels that dared to attack his master's territory.

Adrian did not show Wisteria and Dodu as they were tasked with something different. He did not want all of his soulbounds to show their real might as he only planned to intimidate the angels. He also needs to preserve his cards as a lot of players are also in his territory.

Seeing the powerful monsters guarding the territory made the angels shudder as they could feel the killing intent. The monsters are not attacking them because they are not in the confines of the territory, but they know that they will immediately get struck the moment they enter. They could feel the killing intent crawling on their skin as if death itself is creeping in.

"Do all of you still dare to enter? I have already punished the ones that need to be punished for their offense. If you leave now, then you will all keep your lives." Adrian stated with confidence.

Zadkiel looked at the situation before her calmly and judged whether she could escape if things go south. She only followed because Mikhail was pestering her to oversee the situation. She never really intended to show herself as she believed that the angels will be able to retrieve the Light Phoenix Egg.

Zadkiel then looked at Adrian and his autonomous spear that can attack her without restriction. Her ability to seal things comes with a price and if she adds another then she would definitely be attacked. She calculated the risks as she knows that there are other Arch Demons that are present in the territory that did not show themselves.

"We shall give way as we are gracious perfect people. Consider this a warning to you, Lord of Avalon! You are already incurring all the wrath of the angels and our force will come to you like a blinding light." Zadkiel stated as she took away the seal that she used.

Zadkiel looked at the angels and told them to come with her as she does not want to fight a losing battle. The great takeover will commence soon, and they are preparing to bathe the world in light. Losing necessary battle pawns are not a good sign for the angels. They will be stretched thin if they lose any more of their brethren.

The angels are accumulating a lot more enemies than allies as they find themselves superior. The only ones that could be said is their allies are the humans under them. They do not treat the humans as their allies though as the angels are basically worshipped as proxy gods.

"In the end, they can only run away." Adrian stated for the angels to hear as he wanted a reaction, but they cannot as Zadkiel was watching them.

Adrian told his soulbounds to go back into doing their duties as the threat is gone. It was a good thing that the Light Phoenix Egg already hatched as the angels cannot claim that it is the same egg. The evidence was already destroyed the moment it hatched which is what Adrian really wanted.

The angels are also too prideful to admit that someone broke into their home then caused a rampage by breaking stuff and stealing things. They will never admit that they lacked in front of the world as they only said that the Light Phoenix egg was stolen but not where it was stolen.

"Are you sure that they will truly leave us alone?" Levin Cloud stated as he flew with Peridot on Moksha.

The guild members immediately returned to Avalon when they learned that it was being attacked by angels. They were prepared to kill Zadkiel should they really force their way into the territory. Even if they meant starting a full-blown war against the angels led by Mikhail.

"They will not because we are already in their hitlist. They are just waiting for everything in their side to explode before they move. Remember that we are also preparing for the fated day." Adrian stated as he returned to the territory.

Chapter 1327 The Devils Are Released

The players are wondering when the Devils are going to appear because they do not even know if a player has unlocked that race. The devils are not staying silent because the prophesized King of Light and Darkness has arrived in the world. The devils that are selfish and want to be free to come to the mortal world has started their plan long ago.

There might not be players that are of the devil race but there are a lot of contractors. Devil Gods have contracts with mortals so that they could summon them. Unlike the angel race that are of the same attitude and mindset, the devils are individualistic as they care more of themselves than of others.

It is not just one devil god that is trying to connect hell and the mortal realm but multiple of them. A lot of contractors have started to weaken the barrier between dimensions since the Silver City is also possible to pass through in the game. The devils are sneakily finding a way to bypass the dimension as they do not want to get caught by the demons.

A lot of devils are already passing through the mortal world and interacting with the people. A lot of contractors have already started making secret groups to collect power. The devils are finding ways to fully open a portal to hell, and they found a way.

Back when the angels and devils fought against each other, a special item called the Infernal Hand was available for contractors of devils. They would use the Infernal Hand to rip a portal to hell without damaging the dimensional barriers. Even the devils do not like the distorted gods as they just blatantly destroy everything.

One of the guilds that are full of devil contractors finally got the Infernal Hand. They used all of their time just collecting the necessary items needed to craft the Infernal Hand. They laid low so that they will not get any attention unlike the followers of the dark gods. They would often sacrifice living beings or two, but they do not use pure innocent beings as sacrifices.

The devil contractors would use the blood and flesh of NPCs that are deemed as criminals for their sacrifices in creating the Infernal Hand. One could say that they help the world instead of making it darker but there are a few of them with screws loose. Nevertheless, they have finally finished crafting the Infernal Hand.

Item Name: Infernal Hand

Item Tier: Semi – Transcendent

Item Type: Artifact

Effect:

- Create portals that connects Hell to the Mortal Realm.
- It can let Devils that are not part of the Rulers pass through without restriction.
- Needs 100 Dark Magic Crystals to let a Devil Baron to pass through
- Needs 500 Dark magic Crystals to let a Devil Viscount to pass through
- Needs 800 Dark magic Crystals to let a Devil Earl to pass through
- Needs 1200 Dark magic Crystals to let a Devil Marquess to pass through
- Needs 1500 Dark magic Crystals to let a Devil Duke to pass through
- Needs 2500 Dark magic Crystals to let a Devil Prince to pass through

Description: A powerful artifact created using the flesh and blood of the damned. It uses unknown magics to create a portal that leads to the other dimension known as Hell. This artifact can still be upgraded when fed with the Heart of the Heavenly Counselors.

Cooldown: 1 day to 1 week depending on the being passing through. (Contractors can freely use it to get to Hell without consequence)

The devil contractors finally crafted the first Semi - Transcendent item that a player could create. They might have gotten the guidance of a few devil gods, but they were still able to create it without a problem. The devil contractors are waiting for this chance because they have been promised to be transformed into devils when they step inside Hell.

The Infernal Hand looks like a red flaming hand that is closed up like a fist. It emits a strange energy that makes anyone near it feel dizzy because it is radiating the wavelength of Hell. Any being that is not familiar with this will undoubtedly get nauseated or pass out.

"Infernal Hand! Open the way to Hell!" The devil contractors stated as they poured their mana towards it.

The Infernal Hand that was closed up like a fist suddenly opened its palms. Inside the palm is an image of an inverted star that burned in dark flames. Just like the devil contractors wanted, the Infernal Hand opened a portal towards Hell and all of the devil contractors stepped inside.

[The Hell Gate has been opened.]

[Devils that are of Knight ranks and below have started to stream into the mortal realm.]

[The path to Hell has been opened. Creatures that have devil blood in them have become strengthened.]

[The angels decreed that the Devils are these world's enemies.]

Adrian, who as planning what he was going to do next, suddenly heard a string of notifications as the Hell Gate has opened. He could feel that the mana of the world started to change as the powerful energy kept in Hell started streaming to the mortal realm as well. He is greatly shocked because they did not detect any type of movement from the devils.

"I fear that the day of the prophecy is starting to get closer." Ark stated as he remembered some parts of the prophecy.

'When Light comes back and Darks door opens, both beings born from the same mother, but different paths will collide. A battle so devastating that day and night becomes chaotic as the heir to the King of Twilight shines so bright.'

Ark already told Adrian this prophecy, but he did not think much of it as some of them are just vague guesses. Adrian is not of the same opinion as he knows that some prophecies come true as long as everything goes in motion. The war called the War of Wings is finally starting and it will be a vast turning point for everyone.

Chapter 1328 The Looming Darkness Out West

Adrian immediately went to report to the elders as the sudden appearance of the Hell Gate might be something that all demons need to fix. He left the affairs of his guild to the other officers as he needs to be present for the convening of the elders. He is now an Arch Demon which is why his presence is also needed for decisions.

The three elders along with Adrian are now convening in the town hall. They used a pocket dimension so that they will be able to speak freely without fear of getting heard. All of them are discussing the next things that should be done but all of them have already reached a decision quickly.

"We shall not do anything to the Hell Gate because it does not pose any problem with the stability of the realm. We only deal with threats that are prominent and the Hell Gate is stable enough to not affect the stability of the realm." Ascalor stated his stance.

"I also agree with that as they seem to have opened the Hell Gate with something powerful enough to make sure it does not affect space itself. It might be a good way to study that in order to see if we can reverse-engineer it to be useful for us." Koronn stated as he was more curious about the thing that made the Hell Gate stable and not interfere with the barrier between realms.

"They are also not posing any threat against us since they are not aggressive against us. We will just need to prepare more since there might be more enemies in the future. I shall make sure that the Daemos Corps is the best there is." Bronx stated as he also did not fear the devils as he already knows their stand.

"Since all you agree that we should observe for now, I will tend to more troublesome matters. It seems that the angels are becoming more aggressive lately. As you have seen when they suddenly attacked the barrier covering the territory. Should we counterattack?" Adrian asked as he cannot attack the whole Silver City by himself.

"You already taught them a lesson. We instead need you to check something out in the western continent. The space and time in the western continent seem to be troubling lately. We also received a message from the Temple of Bastet to investigate." Ascalor stated as he gave Adrian the scroll containing the message.

Quest Notification!

Quest Name: Investigate the Western Continent I

Quest Difficulty: C

Quest Description: The Western Continent has been experiencing something weird phenomenon as of late. The nights that are supposed to be cold suddenly started to become hot. Snow could be seen falling down during the night. Rain that burns the skin of those that touch it has started to appear.

Clear Condition: Find out the weird phenomenon happening in the Western Continent

Clear Reward: +1 Level

Failure Condition: Unable to clear quest for the given duration

Failure: Unknown

Quest Duration: 10 days

Restriction: This quest can only be shared with one person to aid the player.

"I already have some doubts on the western continent. I also collected all Vestige of the Sun God with me. I think it is time for me to meet with the representatives of the western gods once again." Adrian stated as he already knew who he needs to talk to for the mission.

Adrian returned back after speaking with the elders. He went to the guild house as he already contacted the one that he needs for this mission. The Champion of the Sun God Cairo has successfully joined his guild and he needs him for this mission.

Cairo is the one that is very familiar with the western continent as he was based there. Adrian is actually impressed that Cairo managed to get to the central continent despite it being very far. Cairo is a bit nervous because he was suddenly called upon by their guild master.

"Sorry to keep you waiting. I just came from the meeting with the elders." Adrian stated.

"I just got here as well as I have been hunting near the territory. The monsters and dungeons near the Avalon are vastly different from the ones in the western continent. I even learned a few things just by battling them." Cairo replied with a rather nervous tone.

The monsters and dungeons near Avalon are indeed very different compared to other places. The monsters and dungeons are affected by the mana of the surrounding. This phenomenon made monsters and dungeons near Avalon transform in response to the mana that the Tree of Life and Death is emanating.

Monsters near Avalon are usually undead or flora which are useful for those that want either life or death energy in their team. There is also a very rare hybrid monster that has both, but they are very difficult to spot or tame.

There is even a very rare monster that is said to have the ability to use Blink which became an urban legend of Avalon. Adrian thinks that this might be a possibility as it might have been affected by the mana of the demons. This is one of the reasons why players wanted to see if that rumor is true because it might be a powerful monster.

"I need your help because I have a quest that is related to the western continent." Adrian stated as he shared the quest with Cairo.

[You have shared the Investigate the Western Continent I with Cairo.]

[You can no longer share the quest with another player.]

"I think I have an idea for this mission. I have been going back and forth to the western continent due to me being the Champion of the Sun God. I have heard of the strange reports regarding the weather, but it is said to be near the region controlled by the Temple of Ammit." Cairo stated as he remembered the place.

"Have there been anything strange happening there like time moving slowly or space seemingly getting distorted? The western continent is very difficult to cover even for the Daemos. We cannot see everything as the observers needed are not always stationary." Adrian asked.

"From my knowledge, that place is very dodgy, but it was already dodgy to begin with. The place is not to my liking because it is basically a place that is lawless. All types of people are there to find shelter, but it is not only good people. A lot of shady things happen in that area that other champions or representatives do not peer into." Cairo stated.

"If the Temple of Ammit is there, then there should be some type of governing body, right?" Adrian asked as the temples in the western continent are basically looked up to as authority since the ones representing it are vessels for their gods to descend upon.

"The Head of the Temple of Ammit is not necessarily a person that should be in charge though. She was the fiercest robber of the western continent which is why she is very infamous. The other vessels do not even want to interact with her because of her violent nature." Cairo replied as even he stays away from that area.

"With you saying that then I should be worried. We need to investigate the area immediately. Snowing in the desert is not something that should happen. Let us just pray that the situation is just nasty rumors floating about." Adrian stated.

Cairo then relayed the things that the Vessel of Ammit is known for. The crimes are a long list with thievery being the lowest and massacring refugees that angered her being at the very top. She was a loose cannon that can easily become a threat should she feel that she wants to kill you and smell blood.

"She also hates my guts because I saved some people from her bloodthirsty nature." Cairo stated.

"So, are you ready?" Adrian asked with a smile.

"Can we not go? Or is there still a way for me to backout?" Cairo asked.

"The moment you agreed with getting the quest is the moment you have become destined to share my burden with me. We just need to investigate it as of now. It is basically a free level once we see the source of the supposed strange phenomenon." Adrian stated to reassure Cairo.

"Before we go, can we go to the little boy that the God Seth has been pestering me about? He is very irritating in the ear as he could contact me every time I pop in and out of the western continent. He found the communication function in the Mandjet and he does not stop talking about it." Cairo pleaded before going to the western continent.

"I also need to proceed with the request of the God Seth anyway. I already got all the Vestige of the Sun God and all we need is to verify if that boy really does possess the soul of the Sun God Ra." Adrian stated.

Chapter 1329 The Spirit Of The Sun God

The two immediately went to the Kingdom of the Sun where the supposed child with Ra's soul is located. Adrian thought that the prince called Amun would be the God Ra reincarnated as the child has abnormal levels of light elemental energy in his body. Even the prince' father, King Amon, has a large quantity of light elemental energy in his body but the prince has twice as much.

Adrian and Cairo did not appear inside the castle as that would be out of courtesy. He will meet a royal which is why he needs to at least appear in front of the castle gates. The sudden appearance of Adrian and Cairo in the Kingdom of the Sun alarmed the knights that are guarding the gate because they suddenly appeared in front of them.

Adrian thought that they would be pointed with weapons, but he was mistaken. The knights did not even dare to point their weapons at them as if they are being restricted by something. Adrian is sure that it was not him restricting them as he reigned in his aura to make sure that normal people will not pass out.

Adrian then looked towards Cairo as he saw the Champion of the Sun God slightly shining. Something in the Kingdom of the Sun is reacting to his energy. The knights of the Kingdom of the Sun are also using the same energy that Cairo is using but the Champion of the Sun God is vastly superior.

"Are you doing this? They suddenly bowed before us?" Cairo asked Adrian.

"It is not me that is doing this but you. Being the Champion of the Sun God has its perks after all. It seems this place is definitely the area that we need to go to." Adrian stated as he suddenly feels something in his inventory being called out.

[The Vestige of the Sun God (Morning Sun) is reacting to something. It flew out of your inventory.]

[The Vestige of the Sun God (Noonday Sun) is reacting to something. It flew out of your inventory.]

[The Vestige of the Sun God (Evening Sun) is reacting to something. It flew out of your inventory]

The Golden Scarab, the Sun Disk, and the orb that looks like a sunset flew out of Adrian's inventory. The three Vestiges of the Sun God shot towards the inside of the castle. Adrian did not think of the consequences and pulled Cairo to ran after the three powerful relics. He must not let the relics be should someone suddenly steal them.

"Wait! I can run!" Cairo stated as this was the first time, he felt so light because Adrian only grabbed him with one hand. Cairo did not think that a summoner is that powerful in regards with strength. He even thought that Adrian might have the same strength stat as him due to him being carried like a toy.

The knights that guarded the castle can only look on as two beings are following three shiny objects flying throughout the sky. They only reacted a few seconds later when they realized that they needed to do their job. The knights followed the two beings following the three shiny floating objects.

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In the courtyard inside the castle grounds, Amun could be seen playing with his two siblings as their parents watched them with smiles on their faces. The angels no longer bothered them as there were guards stationed by Lycan and Solstice. There have been attempts of claiming his son again, but King Amon and the guards stationed by Solstice and Lycan drove them away.

"My King! Emergency!" A knight suddenly ran towards King Amon to inform them of what is happening in the castle.

"What is it!? Are the angels attacking again?" King Amon asked as he suddenly gathered his children behind him.

"No, my king! There seem to be intruders, but they do not look like angels. They are rather odd because they are chasing after three strange ornaments." The knight replied to which made King Amon dumbfounded.

The guards stationed by Solstice and Lycan were ready to protect the child as commanded by their mistress and master. They always liked being able to guard the young prince as they get to fight angels all the time. They also formed some affection towards the young prince due to their time together. They are also grateful that they were no longer subjected to the training that their masters make them do.

"What do you mean strange ornaments?" King Amon asked when three shiny artifacts suddenly came flying towards their location.

"Those are the ornaments that I am talking about my king! They are also the intruders that we are talking about." The knight stated as Adrian and Cairo suddenly appeared before them.

"Children behind me. Guards, cover the royal family." King Amon stated as he took out his sword as he will fight to death should his family be taken again.

King Amon commanded the guards, but they were strangely cowering when they looked towards the bronze skinned player clad in golden armor before them. The guards sent by Solstice and Lycan did not have the same effect that the guards have with Cairo, but they stiffened up when they saw Adrian. They know who that being is because that is the brother of their mistress.

The vampire guards that Solstice commands do not know how a demon became the brother of a vampire, but they do not dare refute their mistress. For vampires, familial connections are everything since they are beings that are sustained with blood. The vampires can only kneel down as they saw Adrian once more and the werewolves followed the former.

"What is happening?" King Amon stated as he did not think that all of his guards will become immobilized.

"Finally! I thought these three artifacts will not stop flying." Adrian stated as he finally stopped chasing the three artifacts and noticed that he was before the royal family of the Kingdom of the Sun.

"Sorry for suddenly intruding. My artifacts suddenly went flying towards your location and I needed to retrieve them. My name is Equinox, Champion of the Twin Gods and Lord of Avalon." Adrian stated as he introduced himself formally as he then signaled Cairo to introduce himself as well.

"My name is Cairo. I am the Champion of the Sun God Ra. It is nice to meet you despite this awkward circumstance." Cairo stated as he also introduced himself. He managed to fix himself after being dragged by Adrian unceremoniously inside the castle.

"Why have you come?!" King Amon stated while he pointed his sword towards the two. The vampires and werewolves told King Amon to calm down as they told them that Equinox was the brother of their mistress.

"I did not know that you were related to my benefactor but that is still not a justification on why both of you barged into my castle." King Amon stated.

"Apologies for that King Amon. We actually appeared in front of your castle and was about to send word of our visit, but these three artifacts suddenly flew out on their own. It seems that the artifacts are resonating with something here in your castle. Right, Cairo?" Adrian stated as he nudged Cairo, but the latter was already in a trance.

"My God King!" Cairo stated as he bowed before Prince Amun which shocked all of them.

Adrian then looked at Prince Amun and could see that the young boy's energy suddenly shifted to divine energy. He did not see this before when he saved the young boy, but the three artifacts seem to be the one initiating this change. Prince Amun, who was silent and observing, suddenly stepped forward with his stride filled with dignity.

"My champion... It seems you have suffered greatly as I was not able to answer your calls despite me being reborn." Prince Amun stated as his voice changed to a mixture of a wise old man and a young boy.

Prince Amun then called upon the three artifacts as they fused to his body. The golden scarab fused to his chest which produced a golden armor with intricate patterns and carvings. The Sun Disk became his crown that showed his dignity as a ruler while the sunset orb fused with his eyes that changed its color.

The sudden transformation of Prince Amun came at a shock to all those with them. Even Adrian has his jaw dropped because things happened so fast. He did not expect that the young boy he saved from the angels would actually be the reincarnation of the Sun God Ra.

"My son?! What happened to you?" The queen cried as her son suddenly became filled with divine might.

"Do not be alarmed with what is happening, mother and father. I am still your son, but I am currently housing the soul of the Sun God Ra which means I am also him." Prince Amun stated in his childish voice.

"More like half a soul." Adrian stated as he could see the real state of the soul.

Chapter 1330 To Ammit's Territory

"Half a soul?" Cairo asked as he looked towards Adrian for an explanation.

Adrian then explained the statement that he made as the others do not know what is happening. He made sure to calm down the king and queen as they were trying to wrap their heads around the fact that their son is suddenly being worshipped as a god. Adrian told them that the soul of the Sun God Ra is currently attached to the soul of Prince Amun.

"You mean to say that the Sun God Ra is like a parasite to my son's soul?" King Amon asked but in a meek manner as he did not want to offend a god after all.

"Not like a parasite. That is quite a harsh thing to say although some gods really do that." Adrian stated as Prince Amun suddenly glared at him.

"Did your son had some complications when he was born or during the queen's pregnancy?" Adrian asked as he avoided Prince Amun's gaze.

"As a matter of fact, my queen had a difficult time carrying our son. The royal physician even said that she might get a stillbirth or miscarriage which is why I prayed to the Goddesses of Life to make sure that our son will be delivered safely and that my queen be safe." King Amon stated as he remembered his conversation with the royal physician back then.

"If that was the case then it answers perfectly why Prince Amun's soul is like that. It seems the Goddess of Life did answer your prayers back then or maybe the fragmented soul of the Sun God Ra answered it for you. The Sun God Ra is said to also be a God of Life after all due to him being in control of the sun that gives life.

The fragment soul of the Sun God Ra completed the void that was incomplete of Prince Amun's soul. It is not farfetched to say that some souls fail to stabilize properly due to some reasons. Sometimes there are external factors such as curses or hexes.

From what I gathered earlier; the fragmented soul of the Sun God Ra should not have awakened easily. The sudden situation of the prince being kidnapped for a vessel of an angel might have something to do with that. It could also mean that the soul of the Sun God Ra was supposed to awaken to begin with." Adrian stated and Prince Amun nodded.

When the king and queen heard curses or hexes, they looked at each other as if they knew that it was definitely something like that. Adrian did not pry into it as that matter has already passed for years and the prince was brought to the world safely. They might have already dealt with the one that cursed the queen to begin with.

"You are correct that I would have awakened but it was supposed to be until the prince has reached adult age. The sudden forceful insertion of light elemental energy in my body might have awakened my soul much earlier but I laid dormant. I only showed up when the other parts of my soul came to me." Prince Amun stated as he pointed towards the Vestiges of the Sun God.

"Then... if the fragment soul of the Sun God Ra is extracted from our son!?" King Amon stated in a panicked tone.

"You do not have to worry about that because the soul of the prince is already stable. The fragment soul of the Sun God Ra has fixed his soul for the time being. Just like the Sun God Ra is saying, the soul of the prince will be fully restored by the time he comes of age." Adrian stated as he checked on the prince' soul.

"If you are worried about the prince' soul then I can tell you that I can easily fix it should you get the last fragment of my spirit that was split in two." The Sun God Ra stated as the king and queen sighed with relief as a heavy burden vanished from their chests.

"You plan to ascend once you fully recover the last part of your soul. Why did you split your soul in the first place? Why not just attach all of you to Prince Amun in the beginning so that the vestiges are all we need to deliver? You gods are really so difficult to comprehend that you make mortals life complex." Adrian stated as he basically ranted at the last part as he needed more job to do.

"It is not that I wanted it to be complicated but I needed to let a part of me stay in the western continent. That part of my soul acts as another form of protection so that the Distorted God Apophis does not descend into the world. Half of Apophis is currently trapped in my divine realm which is what my son the God Seth is battling every day." The Sun God Ra stated.

"We already know the story of Apophis, but you should at least know where your last soul fragment is being kept." Adrian stated.

"I think you should be more respectful to a powerful god." Cairo whispered to which made the Sun God Ra laugh.

"No need for such pleasantries, my champion. It seems Champion Equinox has a lot of trouble dealing with godly beings which is why he talks like he has great frustrations to any god he encounters. I also agree with him because dealing with other gods are a hassle.

It is why they all prefer to have their own divine realms instead of a collected one. Just like you guessed, I do not where my last soul fragment is and that is in a place called the Thorny Pit. I placed it there because a part of Apophis is also sealed there. It is also the most active part of that snake bastard which is its shadow." The Sun God Ra stated.

"No way!" Cairo stated in defeat as he knows that place well.

"Why do you know of that area?" Adrian asked as Cairo reacted that way.

"That place is a territory of the God Ammit." Cairo stated.

"Then that will be hitting two birds with one stone. We are already headed there anyway. This is great news to us then." Adrian stated but Cairo deflated.

"The Thorny Pit is not a place filled with thorns, but a place infested with Horned Sand Centipedes. It is called Thorny Pit because the Horned Sand Centipedes move there so much that the hole seems to be filled with thorns. It is one of the places where criminals are punished with death." Cairo stated as he knows that area well because he died there once as a result of being hunted down by the people in that territory.

"Did you say that the Thorny Pit has become a place where criminals are sacrificed?" The Sun God Ra stated in a worried tone.

"Yes. It has been a place where criminals are sent to when the Vessel of Ammit no longer wanted to deal with punishing them." Cairo replied.

"It seems Ammit has truly forsaken the western continent gods. If they are offering up live souls to the Thorny Pit, then the Shadow of Apophis will grow in power slowly by feeding on them. My fragmented soul can only keep the seal since it was weakened but if the Shadow of Apophis grows in power, then I fear the western continent is in danger." The Sun God Ra stated.

"If that was the case then the Shadow of Apophis should have started to awaken by now. It was a thousand years ago since they started this practice." Cairo stated.

"You must get there now and prevent the Shadow of Apophis from resurrecting. The two of you must rally the temples that are still loyal to me. Bring them this sigil and go to the Thorny Pit with necessary cavalry." The Sun God Ra stated as he gave them a token.

"Are you not going to come with us?" Cairo asked as the power that the Sun God Ra is emanating could be equated to a demigod.

"I must not move from my location because the angels are also targeting me. If they learned of my awakening, then they would surely attack me with their full might. The Goddess of Light Luminaria does not take kindly of Sun Gods after all. The angels might also use me as a source of power as Champion Equinox might have seen." The Sun God Ra stated as Adrian nodded.

Quest Notification!

Quest Name: Rally the Western Continent Gods

Quest Difficulty: A

Quest Description: The Sun God Ra has given you the token to investigate if the Shadow of Apophis has been released from its seal.

Clear Condition: Find out the if the Shadow of Apophis is unsealed and stop it.

Clear Reward: Unknown

Failure Condition: Apophis does not get sealed

Failure: Unknown

Quest Duration: None