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Chapter 1461 The Last Two Waves

[You have defeated the eighth wave of enemies.]

[The ninth wave of enemies is spawning.]

[Defeat 1000 Exploding Zombies, 600 Banshees, 500 skeleton knights, and 100 Death Knights.]

"Maybe you guys should have saved that skill at this point. Can we defeat all of them?" Levin Cloud stated.

"No problem. I guess it is my time to show off now." Creepysoo stated as he suddenly started to chant.

"Let the dead that has yet to rest come to my aid. Arise and serve me for a period of time before I send you to the afterlife that you deserve! Mass Undead Rise!" Creepysoo chanted as he slammed his hands on the ground.

Creepysoo slammed his hand on the ground, and he released a powerful burst of undead miasma in the whole area. He used a spell that was in the Necronomicon that lets him raise all souls that are in the area as long as they are willing. Since both Adrian and Levin Cloud was in the area, all the souls are in favor of the Prince of the Undead as he was in the presence of the representatives of the God of Death Abaddon.

"We rise for the God of Death Abaddon! We rise for the vengeance against the monster that kept us from going to the afterlife!" The undead all chanted as they rose from the dead.

The undead that rose were the ones that were destroyed earlier when they faced the other eight waves. Creepysoo did lose 80% of his mana from summoning lots of undead but the force that they have now is basically something that cannot be measured. An undead horde against an undead horde that is more powerful against them.

"For the Glory of the God of Death Abaddon! For the glory of the souls in the afterlife!" Creepysoo stated as all the undead he summoned cheered the same until the whole area reverberated with cheering.

[You have summoned a great number of undead.]

[You have received a great feat and received some buffs as a result.]

[Your undead army will have 10% more stats due to the amazing feat that you have done.]

[You are in the same side as the Champion and Envoy of the Twin Gods. All undead under you will have 10% more stats due to this reason.]

"Death's Valor!" Levin Cloud stated as he buffed the entire army.

[All you undead has been affected by Death's Valor.]

[Your undead army will have 15% increase in damage. An additional 5% has been added due to the spell being cast by the Envoy of the Twin Gods.]

[Your undead army will have 15% increase in physical and magical defense. An additional 5% has been added due to the spell being cast by the Envoy of the Twin Gods.]

"I am not done yet though. Death Forest!" Levin Cloud stated as he suddenly sunk into the ground itself.

Levin Cloud sunk into the ground and a forest that is filled with dead trees started to come into view. The undead that were inside this forest started to get covered with armor made of dead tree branches. It was not the undead getting armor as they were also getting powerful buffs as well.

[The area has been affected by the Death Forest.]

[All ally undead inside the Death Forest will receive the Bramble Armor. Bramble Armor increases the defense of the undead by 40% and reflects 5% of the damage that they take to the attacker.]

[All ally undead inside the Death Forest will have 20% more maximum health.]

ρᾰπδᾰ---nova| com [All ally undead inside the Death Forest will have 100% increase in health regeneration.]

[All enemies inside the death forest will have their defenses reduced by 10%.]

"Thanks, Big Bro Levin Cloud! Go my soldiers! Defeat the enemies before you as we will set you free after! I promise all of this under the name of the God of Death Abaddon!" Creepysoo stated as all of the undead he summoned charged towards the elite undead horde that spawned.

The battle between two undead hordes started and they were quite equal in strength. The undead horde that Creepysoo summoned might have been better in quantity but the undead horde on the other side is better in quality. Creepysoo and Levin Cloud might have buffed the undead but there is still a big difference in strength when it comes to evolved beings.

In the end, the battle was a draw between the tow undead hordes and they both wiped each other. Adrian delivered the finishing blow on the last Death Knight. With the last death knight destroyed, the announcement of the last wave of enemies have started to be received. Levin Cloud also returned back to his humanoid form as the Death Forest receded.

[You have defeated the ninth wave of enemies.]

[The last wave of enemies is spawning.]

[Defeat 200 Death Knights, 100 Death Knight Cavalry, 50 Death Knight Archers, 10 Dullahan and 1 Doom Knight.]

[You have ten minutes before the last wave arrives.]

The announcer gave them ten minutes but the shock of seeing the names of the undead made them shiver. The most difficult one is definitely the Doom Knight as it is an evolved form of the Death Knight. The Doom Knight is also a Mythical Tier existence as it is often spoken in myths as an undead that can defeat a horde of 100, 000 enemies by itself.

Just as they were discussing their next move, a powerful black great sword suddenly came falling down on the ground. The large black great sword released a powerful aura that was at the same level as the undead knights under the Undead King Arthur. Adrian and the rest might not have

fought against the undead knights of the Undead King, but they know that they are powerful existences.

"It seems that the Doom Knight is as powerful as myths say they are. It is also calling for its allies to the battlefield. You can see that the large great sword is already calling for the souls of the damned." Adrian stated as he pointed at the area where the sword pierced.

The large black great sword that has longer length than that of a normal human is radiating intense miasma. If one could count the swirling souls around the sword, then they would number to the soldiers that will spawn with the Doom Knight. The energy that the sword exuded grew in power as every minute passes.

"I think I would need to use one of my true forms to defeat that thing. Can you guys deal with the other undead while I take out the Doom Knight?" Adrian stated.

"We can but make sure to have some skills saved as we have yet to defeat the actual undead that we need to kill." Levin Cloud reminded.

"I know which is why I chose to have my Aetheros Form for this fight as it will also empower all of you in defenses." Adrian stated as he started to summon Charon, Dodu and Wisteria.

Out of all of Adrian's soulbounds, Charon, Dodu and Wisteria are the ones that can utilize the Aetheros forms the most. All his defensive soulbounds are perfect for this as well because the other side will hit harder than before. Peridot also started preparing as she created lots of clay soldiers that can tank hits for them.

Creepysoo did not waste anytime as well as he started to chant, and the pages of the Necronomicon started to flip wildly. He was chanting the most powerful spell that the Necronomicon can give him which is the creation of a Bone Dragon. A large magic circle that was made of the bones of the fallen undead sucked in all the leftover parts of the undead.

A powerful roar of a dragon is emitted as a Bone Dragon came crawling out of the magic circle. The large Bone Dragon bowed its head to Creepysoo and stood behind him menacingly. The Bone Dragon acted like a puppy when it came to Creepysoo which might shock anyone that sees it as they are fierce undead beasts.

"Life Forest!" Levin Cloud stated as he once again slipped inside the ground.

A colorful and vivid lush forest suddenly covered the entire area when Levin Cloud integrated himself in the earth. The forest that is full of life looked off in a place that is desolate and full of death. It might look off but the buffs that they were given are very powerful.

[The area has been affected by the Life Forest.]

[All allies inside the Life Forest are blessed with Nature's Blossom. Nature's Blossom will enchant their attacks with the nature element that deals 20% additional damage to enemies.]

[All allies inside the Life Forest will have 10% more maximum health.]

[All allies inside the Life Forest will have 50% more maximum mana and 100% increased mana regeneration.]

[All enemies inside the Life Forest will be slowed by 10% and have reduced health regeneration by 50%.]

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The large black great sword suddenly exploded in tremendous power as a magic circle appeared on the ground that it pierced. An armor that is made with dark violet metal started to rise from the magic circle itself as the Doom Knight slowly rose from it. The Doom Knight rose and the wind inside the special dimension started to change.

[The Doom Knight of Dregville Village, Malefa, has risen from her slumber.]

[All undead under the Doom Knight Malefa are strengthened by 15%.]

[All undead under the Doom Knight Malefa have increased damage by 10%.]

[All undead under the Doom Knight Malefa have increased defenses by 10%.]

[The Doom Knight Malefa has 200 Death Knights under her. All Knight related skills are empowered by 20%. (Decreased per Death Knight killed.)]

[The Doom Knight Malefa has 100 Death Knight Cavalry under her. All Cavalry related skills are empowered by 10%. (Decreased per Death Knight Cavalry killed.)]

[The Doom Knight Malefa has 50 Death Knight Archers under her. All archery related skills are empowered by 5%. (Decreased per Death Knight Archer killed.)]

[The Doom Knight Malefa has 10 Dullahan under her. All death magic related skills are empowered by 10%. (Decreased per Dullahan killed.)]

[A Doom Knight is leading a powerful horde of undead. All buffs to the undead under the Doom Knight will be increased by 50%.]

"Well, this is going very great for us." Creepysoo stated as he did not expect that a lot of notification would pop up just for an army led by one doom knight.

"I will start then. Primordial Armament: Sword! Aetheros Domain! Aetheros True Form!" Adrian stated as he transformed into his true form with the sword stance.

The aether dust suddenly exploded in the area as it covered the whole battlefield with Adrian at its center. A large warrior with jade, blue and gold armor appeared on the frontlines with his three soulbounds in their aether forms. The two sides are vastly different as Adrian's side shines in aether dust which are like bright lights while the Doom Knight's side are dark and gloomy.

"Kill!" The Doom Knight Malefa stated as she easily picked up the heavy great sword and pointed it towards Adrian.

"Charon, bind them."

"Dodu, make sure to defend Charon."

"Wisteria, make sure to collect all of them to me." Adrian stated as he stood tall in the battlefield with the sword in his hands.

Wisteria was the first to move as she made use of the sweet scent that is present in her tree. With the effect of aether energy, the scent is mixed with life energy which undead crave. The Death Knights and the Death Knight Cavalry had no choice as they were enticed by this very sweet smell. Even the

Dullahans are almost enticed by the sweet smell, but they burned the effect away by burning their whole body in undead miasma.

When the Death Knights and Death Knight Cavalry were enticed, all of them moved towards Adrian but he has no fear written in his eyes. Charon suddenly appeared from below the ground in his aether form and released numerous chains that are empowered by the aether energy itself. Charon's chains in his aether form looked like crystals that shined brightly and might be fragile, but they were actually tougher than one might think.

All the undead charging is trapped with the chains and their health is also being sapped. Charon redistributed all the health that he siphoned towards all the party members. The Doom Knight saw her army becoming easy targets and commanded the Death Knight Archers to release a flurry of arrows towards Charon to cancel the skill the latter was doing.

Arrows that are filled with undead miasma are fired and are on their path to Charon when Dodu suddenly showed up in front of it. Dodu then enlarged itself and opened its mouth wide open as it ate all the arrows that were supposed to hit Charon. The Doom Knight saw what happened and immediately knew that she must take action herself.

The Doom Knight held her right hand out as a magic circle suddenly appeared beside her as she summoned an armored skeletal horse that breaths dark violet flames. The ten Dullahan also summoned their steeds which are Night Mares. With the Doom Knight leading them, the ten Dullahan charged to the battlefield while the Death Knight Archers provided cover fire for them.

"All according to plan. Peridot and Creepysoo, please get ready." Adrian stated as he plunged his sword onto the ground and used his area of effect skill.

"Asmodian Prowess!" Adrian stated as a powerful beam of light suddenly shot down from the heavens.

The powerful beam of light was not just a light show as it delivered a throne made of jade, gold and pure white marble. The throne could be described as something only the holiest of gods can sit upon. If the Goddess of Light Luminaria saw the overall look of the throne, then she would be incredibly jealous and want to fashion one for her use.

Adrian did not even need to do anything and just sat menacingly on the throne that just appeared. Upon sitting on the throne, a powerful force of aether energy suddenly rushed towards all of the enemies. With each shockwave of energy that passed through them, the undead's health decreased by 5%.

One might think that aether energy will feed the undead as it is a type of life energy instead of damage them but that is not the case. Aether Energy is the purest form of life energy which even undead cannot process in one go as it is also poisonous to their bodies. Aether energy contains pure energy that is a component of holy attribute magic. In essence, aether energy is the reason why holy magic could be casted in the first place as the holiest of magic is the magic of life.

"Death Assault!" The Doom Knight Malefa stated as she covered her mount and herself in powerful undead miasma.

The Doom Knight Malefa seeing the damage that her army is being brought upon could not just idly ride her mount. She pushed through the waves of aether energy that came out of Adrian's throne and the ten Dullahan followed her lead. The ten Dullahan covered themselves in undead miasma as well and integrated their energy to the Doom Knight Malefa.

[The Doom Knight Malefa and the ten Dullahan have activated the synergy skill 'Mounted Courage'.]

[All damage to charging and cavalry skills will be increased by 100%.]

"Charon and Dodu, block it." Adrian commanded as he is still sitting on the throne and unable to stand up or else the skill will get cancelled.

Dodu fearlessly stood in front of the charging cavalry while Charon focused all of the shields on the former. Dodu's health bar suddenly got filled to the brim, but that second health bar did not help it that much. The Doom Knight Malefa and her cavalry hit Dodu directly and shattered the second health bar. Dodu even got reduced to 70% health which means the damage is not something to scoff at.

The Doom Knight Malefa and the ten Dullahan were stopped by Dodu which made Adrian smile. Crystal chains suddenly started to bind the Doom and the ten Dullahan as Charon would not miss this chance. The Doom Knight Malefa and the undead tried to struggle as they are empowered when their leader is with them.

"Elemental Catastrophe!" Peridot stated.

Just as the enemy undead were starting to break off the crystal chains, six spheres of varying colors suddenly came down in front of the Doom Knight Malefa. The six different colored orbs suddenly fused together to make an elemental aberration which exploded in the area. The area where the Elemental Catastrophe spell was used is covered in six different elements.

[You have killed a Death Knight.]

[You have killed a Death Knight Cavalry.]

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Notification of undead being killed filled the screens as they have killed ten enemies. The smoke cleared and they expected that the Doom Knight Malefa would be damaged to some degree, but a large great sword flew towards the throne. The Doom Knight Malefa stood tall in front of Adrian as she did not even take that much damage.

[The Dullahan has activated Pain Split. They have absorbed the damage that the Doom Knight Malefa is supposed to receive.]

Adrian glanced at the ten Dullahan and they were all damage to a great degree. He then saw the ten Dullahan use some sort of magic on themselves to restore some of the health that they lost. Adrian smiled while the large great sword was still inches away from his face as he moved his head away just a bit to make sure he does not get decapitated.

"I will enjoy this! It has been a long time." Adrian thought to himself as he stood up on the throne and picked up the sword he plunged to the ground.

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"What should we do?" Creepysoo asked Peridot.

"Deal with the other enemies and make sure to not get caught up in whatever storm that guy is brewing. Even we do not want to join his fight when he is that fired up." Peridot stated.

"I thought he has changed a bit as he used his head more, but he is starting to revert back to his habits when he started walking by himself." Levin Cloud stated via a head popping out from a tree.

"Lets us go, Bone Dragon! Let us defeat the other undead!" Creepysoo commanded as he hopped on the Bone Dragon while his other undead knights dealt with the enemy undead.

Peridot also commanded her clay soldier army while Levin Cloud used some supporting spells to empower their troops. They made a conscious choice to never be in a fifty-meter radius of Adrian and the Doom Knight Malefa. They are not afraid of the Doom Knight Malefa but are afraid of the fact that they might get attacked by their own ally.

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"I know that you can talk as you are an intelligent undead unlike the rest." Adrian stated.

"My words are wasted on an impure being such as yourself, but I shall humor you demon." The Doom Knight Malefa stated.

"What is a Doom Knight like yourself being a subordinate of another undead? The Dread Mansion or Dread Village is not even a ruler type of undead." Adrian asked.

"You do not need to know as you will be dead after this fight." The Doom Knight Malefa stated as she suddenly held her hand up as her great sword flew back towards her.

The Doom Knight Malefa did not waste any time as she immediately vanished from her location. The Doom Knight Malefa reappeared in front of Adrian and swung her great sword at him with a very powerful force. Adrian did not falter as he gripped his sword with both hands to parry the attack of the Doom Knight Malefa.

"Heavy!" Adrian thought as he could feel that his body is being slowly pushed back despite the fact that he is already in his true form.

The Doom Knight Malefa might not look like it, but she was surprised that the enemy before her caught her sword. In all her years of living as a mythical tier undead, she has yet to have an opponent that is her match. She would have met her match if she found the undead knights under the Undead King Arthur, but she was trapped in the Dread Village.

"I need more power. Perfect Assimilation: Sirius!" Adrian stated as a magic circle suddenly appeared below his feet.

The image of a wolf silhouette eating Adrian is seen as his form suddenly changed. The knight armor that he has is now covered with wolf like motifs as his helmet has also changed to have wolf ears. He also has this feral aura around him which made the evaluation of the Doom Knight Malefa increase.

[You have perfectly assimilated with your soulbound, Sirius.]

[Stats will be increased while in this assimilated state.]

[You have inherited the skill: Poison of God.]

[You have inherited the skill: Realm Ender.]

"Perfect! Twin Fang Form!" Adrian stated as his sword suddenly split into two.

[You have entered the Twin Fang Form.]

[Agility has been greatly increased in this form, but strength is slightly reduced.]

Adrian did not waste any precious moment as his newly found speed is even difficult for the Doom Knight Malefa to keep up with. Adrian is leaving afterimages with every step he takes and landed the first hit on the Doom Knight Malefa's left leg.

[You have applied a stack of Poison of God on the Doom Knight Malefa.]

[The Doom Knight Malefa has been afflicted with Aether Bane and damage has been dealt.]

Adrian kept up with the swift movements which the Doom Knight Malefa tried to stop but her weapon is not fit for defending against enemies that are fast. The Doom Knight Malefa might not have any difficulty in swinging a gigantic sword around but that does not mean she could also maneuver her body quickly while using the weapon. Adrian aimed towards the neck of his enemy, but the Doom Knight Malefa managed to predict it and blocked the attack.

Being blocked by the enemy is not a problem for Adrian though as he could just use the other sword in hand to deal damage. With a clean slash, Adrian hit the right shoulder of the Doom Knight Malefa. For the first time, Adrian saw the Doom Knight Malefa flinch as if she felt pain which undead should not be able to.

[You have applied another stack of Poison of God on the Doom Knight Malefa.]

"It seems that she can feel the damage of the Aether Bane since it is akin to holy attribute energy." Adrian thought as he continued his attacks.

If one could see the fight between Adrian and the Doom Knight Malefa then they might confuse the one who is the real evil. Adrian was swinging his sword like a lunatic, but it was not sloppy sword handling. He was also laughing like he is enjoying it whenever he gets a hit on the Doom Knight Malefa. To an unbiased eye, one might see a power drunk holy knight bullying a dark knight.

The clash between Adrian and the Doom Knight Malefa is not even limited to their area. Each one of their swings could send a powerful shockwave that can knock down any being within the area. Even the undead under the Doom Knight Malefa are making sure that they are not near her.

Adrian is slowly chipping out the health of the Doom Knight Malefa but he noticed that it is also being slowly healed. With the number of hits that Adrian has connected, the health of the Doom Knight Malefa should have been at the 85% mark already, but it was only at the 93% mark. Her health is even rising slowly but Adrian already knew the source of the regeneration.

The ten Dullahan were actively supporting the Doom Knight Malefa in their fight. The Doom Knight Malefa might not have a way to hurt Adrian, but the latter does not have a way to finish the fight quickly as well. As long as the Dullahan are alive then the Doom Knight Malefa will not fall as well. Adrian's allies also tried getting close to the Dullahan, but the Death Knight Archers are making sure that they are safe.



"A good tactic indeed for the current predicament that they are in." Adrian muttered but he can also do something about the Dullahan.

"Try blocking this! Soul Searing Wave!" Adrian shouted as he released two sword energy waves with his two swords.

The two energy sword waves were directly in the path of the Doom Knight Malefa but it would hit the Dullahan if she were to dodge it. Adrian made sure to pack the energy sword waves with as much aether energy as possible to make the damage greater. Even the Doom Knight Malefa could feel the dangerous energy coming from the sword waves.

The Doom Knight Malefa knew that she should not avoid the attack but defending it will not be easy as well. She knew that the only way to truly counter the attack from her enemy would be to use another force that is equal to it. The Doom Knight Malefa suddenly exploded with miasma once more, but it was not dark violet in color but dark red instead.

"Doom Slash!" The Doom Knight Malefa stated as she swung her giant sword in a 360-degree fashion, and it created a circular sword wave that clashed with Adrian's two sword waves.

The two energy sword waves came into contact and created a powerful explosion but the aether energy overpowered the Doom Knight Malefa's energy. Only one sword wave was cancelled out by the attack that the Doom Knight Malefa did, and she was directly hit by one of Adrian's attacks. The smoke cleared and the scene of the Doom Knight Malefa kneeling from receiving the attack could be seen.

The Dullahan immediately tried to use Pain Split to transfer health back to their leader, but they noticed that the transfer was painfully slow. As if there was something blocking them from sending health to the Doom Knight Malefa and that something is the Aether Bane. Aether Bane is different from Nether Bane which Sirius has if Adrian is in the Netheros Form.

Nether Bane deals damage and explodes in a splash when it stacks. Aether Bane deals slight damage but reduces the regeneration of enemies with more stacks. The Doom Knight Malefa already has a max stack of 10 which means she has 70% reduced healing from outside sources and 30% reduced self-regeneration.

"You are a worthy foe. I must admit but I shall not fall here." The Doom Knight Malefa stated as she started to increase her already vast amount of energy.

Chapter 1464 The Doom Knight Malefa III

"Doom Fall!" The Doom Knight Malefa stated as she suddenly exploded in this dark red energy.

[The Doom Knight Malefa has entered her Doom Fall state.]

[All status ailments and status reductions towards the Doom Knight Malefa will be cleansed.]

[The Doom Knight Malefa is invulnerable to any status ailment during her Doom Fall state.]

[The Doom Knight Malefa's stats has increased by 50%.]

[The Doom Knight Malefa's Doom Aura can no longer be resisted.]

[You have been afflicted by Doom.]

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Status Ailment: Doom

Effect: Lose 1 health point per second while in the vicinity of the one radiating the Doom Aura.

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"You shall fall here demon!" The Doom Knight Malefa stated as her whole armor is now overflowing with the Doom Aura which is dark red in color.

Even the great sword that the Doom Knight Malefa looked like it doubled in size because of the doom aura being radiated from it. Creepysoo did tell him that the Doom Knights have a special aura that can reduced the life of anything around them. Adrian did not care much about it as he could resist it earlier, but it is no longer the case now.

Adrian's health is now losing one health per second which is unaffected by his own health regeneration. The damage that the doom aura does neglects the enemies' own self-regeneration. Adrian switched his soulbounds to Kimat, Kanlaon and Saena as the direction of the battle has changed to killing the Doom Knight Malefa as fast as possible.

The Doom Knight Malefa is not the only one afflicted by the Doom Aura as it was able to spread to the undead that was under her. All the undead that is under the Doom Knight Malefa is also strengthened by 30%. Adrian locked eyes with the Doom Knight Malefa as they knew that only one of them can stand proudly in this battlefield.

As if the two talked with their eyes, Adrian and the Doom Knight Malefa vanished from their positions and clashed swords at the very middle of the battlefield. The Doom Knight Malefa that was unable to keep track of Adrian earlier is now on par with her, but she was even more powerful now. As soon as the swords of the two clashed, a loud ringing sound that created a shockwave enveloped the battlefield.

"Extremely heavy!" Adrian muttered as he is sent flying, but Kanlaon's control of the wind made sure that he does not fly far away.

[You have received damage.]

[You are hit by blunt force filled with Doom Aura. Your maximum health has been reduced by 2.5%.]

Adrian saw the notifications and noticed that he was actually bleeding from his mouth. Adrian told Saena to heal him, and he got healed back to full health. Fortunately, the healing from external sources is not affected by the Doom Aura. The only problem now is the fact that everything in the area is touched by the Doom Aura as the other enemy undead are propagating it.

The Doom Knight Malefa did not let Adrian have any time to recover as she once again vanished from her location. Kanlaon already knew where the enemy will appear and released four elemental spells in that general direction. The assault of the Doom Knight Malefa was slowed down, but the spells did not connect to her.

All the spells that Kanlaon has released were blocked by an invisible barrier that is maintained by the Dullahan. With the Dullahan covered in Doom Aura, they can now easily use enhancements on

the Doom Knight Malefa as they are now personally connected to her. Adrian knew that this would not be easy, but he is now thinking that this battle suddenly took a turn to hard mode.

"Kanlaon and Saena, deal with the Dullahan. Kimat, you are going to be with me. Provide rear support but also make sure that you are not attacked by other enemies." Adrian commanded via their soul link.

Kanlaon and Saena rose to the skies while Kimat suddenly called upon lightning on the spot where the Doom Knight Malefa was. As if her sword could cut the lightning itself, the Doom Knight Malefa just pointed at the lightning and slashed the sky. With just one slash, the Doom Knight Malefa actually split the dark clouds on top of them which also revealed the location of Kanlaon and Saena.

"Soul Avenger!" Adrian did not waste any time as he activated his most powerful skill in this form.

A giant version of his sword suddenly manifested on top of the Doom Knight Malefa. The giant sword then dropped down on her which she thought she could avoid but she cannot. The Soul Avenger skill locks onto the soul of the target which means any living being will be unable to avoid it. The Doom Knight Malefa had no choice but to receive the hit, but she made sure to create a sturdy doom aura armor to soften the blow.

[You have dealt great damage to the Doom Knight Malefa.]

"Only 10%!?" Adrian thought as that attack was filled with immense energy from both aether and primordial essences.

Adrian then looked at the Dullahan and saw that some of their health was also reduced but only 2%. It seems that they cannot perfectly receive the damage of an attack that was locked onto the soul of a target, but they can mitigate some of it. If the ten Dullahan did not do so then the Doom Knight Malefa might have received 20% maximum health damage from Adrian's attack.

The Doom Knight Malefa has recovered from being subjected to pure aether energy and is about to go for Adrian's head when she stopped and threw her sword towards the air. Kanlaon has already finished preparing his breath attack when a giant sword suddenly hit him in the jaw. Kanlaon winced from the pain and was even slightly knocked out for a moment from being hit by the blunt force of the sword.

#### Chapter 1465 The Doom Knight Malefa IV

Kanlaon's attack might have been stopped but Saena's attack was not. With all her rainbow-colored tail feathers glowing in pure light, she released a powerful beam of light that went straight towards the ten Dullahan. The Death Knight Archers that are also the rear support of the Dullahan released a flurry of arrows to meet Saena's attack, but their attacks just melted when met with pure holy light from a divine beast.

The Dullahan are very weak when it comes to magic damage, and it is even doubled when it is of the holy attribute. The Doom Knight Malefa knew that the Dullahan are her lifeline when it comes to the strange being that is fighting her. The Doom Knight Malefa was about to use her own doom aura filled body to block the ray of light when Adrian suddenly appeared beside her in another form and holding a giant axe.

"Hello!" Adrian stated as he swung his axe sideways which sent the Doom Knight Malefa flying sideways.

This would not have happened if the Doom Knight Malefa had her great sword in her hand as it also acted as her center of gravity. Adrian also made sure to maximize the energy used in that attack which is why the Doom Knight Malefa was sent flying. Since the Doom Knight Malefa was no longer there to protect the Dullahan, the ray of light that Saena released rained on them like an attack from the heavens.

The Doom Knight Malefa might have been sent flying, but she is still conscious as she made sure to have her great sword come to her. When the great sword arrived at her hand, she plunged it on the ground so hard that it ripped the layers of the earth. She was able to recover from being sent flying and immediately dashed towards Adrian.

Adrian is no longer as fast as he was before in his Twin Fang form as the axe is a heavy weapon. The only reason he could surprise the Doom Knight Malefa earlier was due to the fact that he used Blink. He can no longer do that right now as the attention of the Doom Knight Malefa was on him right now.

"Kimat!" Adrian commanded via the soul link and lightning met the Doom Knight Malefa's path once more.

Adrian might not be as fast as before but his soulbounds are still the same. Kimat can read the movements of the Doom Knight Malefa and anticipate her actions, but he cannot deal with her in a head on confrontation. The Doom Knight Malefa did not even flinch as she just got soaked up on the lightning that Kimat brought down because she was focused on killing Adrian as fast as possible as well.

Adrian also charged forward as he met the Doom Knight Malefa's attack as he needed to make sure that she does not get help from the Dullahan. The great sword and the giant axe clashed with one another again, but this time Adrian was only knocked back by a few meters. The weight of his heavy armor and the axe made him have better mass.

Adrian did not waste time as he immediately used Blink as he was sent back. Adrian appeared behind the Doom Knight Malefa and immediately used the first skill of the axe armament.

"Earth Splitter!" Adrian shouted as he slammed his axe on the ground and created a huge conical crater in front of him.

The Doom Knight Malefa reflexively used her great sword as a shield, but she was still damaged to a certain degree. Adrian once again used another charge of Blink to reappear behind the Doom Knight Malefa. Adrian is about to use another Earth Splitter but there was a volley of enchanted arrows aimed at his back that is flying at a quick speed.

"Whirlwind Axe!" Adrian stated as he knew that he cannot tank all those arrows.

Adrian's body started to spin like a tornado as he deflected all the arrows that was aimed at him. The only problem is that the Doom Knight Malefa has regained composure and sent a powerful sword

wave towards him. The sword wave that the Doom Knight Malefa released actually cancelled Adrian's skill, but he made sure to keep track of his enemy.

"Earth Splitter!" Adrian casted once more as he slammed his axe towards the direction of the Doom Knight Malefa.

The Doom Knight Malefa already understood the trick of the skill that Adrian did and slammed her great sword on the ground to propel her upwards. The damage that Earth Splitter does is reliant on the surface which means the Doom Knight Malefa has successfully evaded the skill. The Doom Knight Malefa is not the only one with a rear support as lightning came down on her while she was in mid-air.

The sudden hit of lightning should have stunned the doom knight, but she was unable to get any status ailments in her current form. The Doom Knight Malefa did not care for the injuries and tossed her great sword to take Adrian's neck. Adrian did not let that happen as he immediately executed the last skill of the axe armament.

"Nature's Punisher!" Adrian shouted as he is now feeling the intensity of the battlefield in his bones.

Adrian slammed his axe forward which [perfectly hit the great sword as he intended. He then somersaulted towards the Doom Knight Malefa. He then caught her with the hook like part of the axe and tossed her to the air.

Adrian then performed three axe swings that made it look like he was hitting a dummy which was the Doom Knight Malefa. The armor that the doom knight wore started to have bumps when she is no longer able to move as easily. Adrian appeared on top of her, and a large silhouette of the axe armament manifested on top of them which slammed both of them to the ground.

[You have dealt serious damage to the Doom Knight Malefa.]

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The smoke cleared and the scene of Adrian stepping down on the Doom Knight Malefa came to view. The Doom Knight Malefa was not prepared for combos that Adrian did, but she was still not dead. The Doom Knight Malefa's great sword suddenly flew from behind Adrian, but Kimat slammed his body to deflect the weapon.

Adrian is shocked to hear the powerful clang behind him and looked to see the source, but the Doom Knight Malefa had other plans. The doom knight exploded in power and grabbed Adrian by the toes as he was tossed. Adrian released his wings to make sure that he does not get sent flying and also used them as a way to attack the Doom Knight Malefa.

The great sword returned to the doom knight's hands and Adrian's wings are met with the doom aura covered blade. Adrian's wings were empowered with aether energy, and he is fortunate that the doom aura had no ability to cut through it. Adrian received great damage though and he felt a powerful tingle in all parts of his body as his wings are connected to his back.

"Primordial Armament: Scythe!" Adrian stated as his form changed once more, and his scythe came to his hands.

The Doom Knight Malefa continued her assault as she is now very close to her enemy. She can start overpowering her enemy since she is no longer at a larger distance. She commanded her Dullahan army to buff her, but she did not receive any.

The ten Dullahan were being kept at bay by Kanlaon and Saena while the Death Knight Archers were all reduced to ash. Kanlaon and Saena used their skill together to create a powerful holy light which disintegrated the Death Knight Archers were not strong enough to defend themselves even with doom aura.

"We are done with our side." Peridot stated as they were able to defeat the other high tier undead.

The only undead left in the battle is the Doom Knight Malefa and her ten Dullahan. Seeing that her army is decimated, and her strength weakened. The Doom Knight Malefa has started to enter her final phase despite having health above the 40% mark.

"Doom Wish!" The Doom Knight Malefa stated as all the bodies of her army started to float into the sky.

exglesnovel [The Doom Knight Malefa has activated Doom Wish.]

[All of the enemy undead will be sacrificed as a result to summon the Beast of Doom.]

[The health of the Beast of Doom will be dependent on the health of the undead that are still alive.]

[The stats of the Beast of Doom are equivalent to the stats of the sacrificed undead that are alive (50%) and the ones that have perished (50%.)]

"I have done what I can, but you will all be fed to the Beast of Doom!" The Doom Knight Malefa stated.

A large red eye got summoned in the sky as the bodies of all the enemy undead are starting to gather. The bones and dust of the undead are all collected into a gigantic sphere mass of unknown origins. The wailing of the wind and the heavy atmosphere made it seem like the end of the world is near.

[The Beast of Doom is being born...Protect yourself while you still can.]

[Progress: 21%]

The notification woke up everyone in the scene as they did not expect that the Beast of Doom can be attacked while it was forming. This is a first for all of them as they were always held back by the game to move when a powerful boss monster was about to spawn.

"Attack while we still can!" Adrian shouted as all of his soulbounds released skills at the forming mass. His friends followed as well as they released long range skills at the unknown mass and could see that the health was decreasing.

The unknown mass did not let itself be attacked one-sidedly though as it suddenly formed a huge mouth which released a red beam of light. The red beam of light was pure doom energy that deleted 20% of the health of any creature that is hit. Peridot protected Levin Cloud and Creepysoo from the blast, but the Bone Dragon was not as lucky.

"Go Bone Dragon! Defeat that thing with all you got!" Creepysoo stated as the Bone Dragon flew to the skies and charged its large body at the forming Beast of Doom.

"Flame Explosion!"

"Aqua Trident!"

"Tempest Cutter!"

"Stalactite Rush!"

Peridot also crushed four different colored gems as she released powerful spells of the four basic elements. She used all of them in succession without breaking a sweat as she has mastery over her Draconic Tongue with all the battles that she had to endure. She also summoned Moksha as Levin Cloud and Creepysoo needed someone to ride as they take to the skies.

"Burning Souls!" Adrian stated as he released a blast of aether energy towards the forming Beast of Doom.

The forming Beast of Doom did not have a stable shadow which means it cannot be attacked by its own shadow and cannot be stunned as well. The damage it received was great though as Adrian followed it up with a series of hits from his scythe. The forming Beast of Doom did get damaged, but Adrian could only take off some bones from its dreadful body.

The skulls on top of the forming Beast of Doom suddenly turned towards Adrian as he was standing on top of it and blasted him with doom rays that penetrated defenses. Adrian had to use blink to evade as the angles of the attack are all over the place. He cannot evade it simply by moving his body.

Kanlaon and Saena released attacks once more on the body of the forming Beast of Doom and they decimated parts of it. Levin Cloud, Creepysoo and Peridot attacked another side and also dealt great damage as well. The forming Beast of Doom is not bleeding but the falling undead parts is a sign of its health being decreased.

The more that the group attacked the forming Beast of Doom, the more undead parts are falling to the ground. All of them continued doing this until the progress of the Beast of Doom increased to 50%. When the progress reached 50%, the forming Beast of Doom suddenly released numerous doom rays that almost covered the entire area.

Everyone tried their best to avoid the attacks, but the Bone Dragon is not an undead that is famed for its agility. The Bone Dragon took a large brunt of the doom rays and crumbled back to being bones as it was defeated. Adrian had to protect himself using his wings by curling up to a ball which Saena and Kanlaon also did.

Creepysoo, and Levin Cloud were at the mercy of Moksha, but he was fast enough as a qilin to dodge the doom rays. Peridot transformed into her ryujin form and squirmed in the sky like her life depends on it. All of them were able to avoid or defend against the doom rays that were fired for at least five minutes.

[The Beast of Doom has started to form...Protect yourself while you still can.]

[Progress: 51%]

[Health Remaining: 60%]

All of them did not even catch their breaths as they started to attack once more. Adrian wanted to use his Limit Break skill, but he knew that there was still one enemy left. The enemy they are facing now is just akin to a mid-boss.

"I can deal with it. Sword of the Undead King!" Creepysoo stated as he used one of his skills and summoned the famed sword of the Undead King Arthur above the forming Beast of Doom.

The sword of the undead king had a large skull on its hilt and is covered with powerful miasma. The sword came down on the forming Beast of Doom and created a vertical hole that run down its spherical body. The hole could even be physically seen when they go below the forming Beast of Doom.

[Health Remaining: 50%]

The forming Beast of Doom suddenly released a powerful shockwave that sent anyone near it to be knocked back. Thousands of red hands started to manifest on the surface of the forming Beast of Doom. Each of these red hands had the doom aura on it which means they will lose health even if they just brush a small part of their body on it.

Fortunately for them, these doom hands as they call it can be cut down with attacks that are magical in nature. The only problem that they have now is that they can no longer land on the body of the forming Beast of Doom. Adrian suddenly thought of a great idea that he is not sure if it will work.

"Burning Souls!" Adrian stated as he used all power he could muster and a powerful white shadow came out of his body that headed towards his enemy.

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A white shadow enveloped the entire enemy as Burning Souls affected it despite its weird shadow. The skill affected the doom hands instead of the actual forming Beast of Doom itself, but it was his crazy plan. White hands manifested beside the doom hands and incapacitated them for the duration of the Burning Souls skills.

"This is a chance. Attack it once more!" Adrian commanded as all of them attacked once again.

The health of the forming Beast of Doom started to dwindle at a fast rate since it cannot defend itself from attacks. It might have a large health pool but having garbage defenses makes it an easy prey for people like Adrian and his friends.

[The Beast of Doom has started to form...Protect yourself while you still can.]

[Progress: 75%]

[Health Remaining: 30%]

[The forming Beast of Doom is in a terrible state. Initiating forced body completion.]

[The forming Beast of Doom will now enter an invulnerable state to complete its form.]

[The forming Beast of Doom sacrificed 10% of its health to complete its form.]

A powerful shockwave erased the effects of the Burning Souls skills and created a red shell that covered the enemy. Inside the red shell is the sound of creaking bones and flesh as the Beast of Doom is starting to be completed. The red shell that protected the enemy burst into countless pieces that revealed the form of the Beast of Doom.

"Why does it look strangely sexy and feminine?" Peridot commented as the Beast of Doom was oddly feminine in shape.

"It looks like that because the Doom Knight that summoned it." Creepysoo stated.



The Beast of Doom looks like a humanoid female with no head. The Beast of Doom had the body of a pale woman in armor with eight wings made of undead bones. If one looked closely, the Beast of Doom did not have skin as the pale skin looking texture was actually all undead bone that has been fused.

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Monster Name: Beast of Doom

Tier: Mythical

Level: 300

Health: 20% / 100%

MP:100% / 100%

Description: The beast said to be the doom of all life when summoned at full power. It is said that it is made of numerous undead that has the resentment of the dead. It releases the Doom Aura in a whole area and amplifies it.

Status: [Weakened] [Forced Awakening] [Long Range Magic Cancelling Barrier]

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[The Beast of Doom has awakened.]

[All enemies before it will have 10% weaker stats.]

[The Doom Aura effect is amplified. All health of beings near the Beast of Doom will lose 10 hit points per second.]

The Beast of Doom made the very atmosphere shake by its mere presence as it is a powerful existence that is in the Mythical tier. Fortunately for them, the Beast of Doom is weakened due to their persistent attacks on its cocoon. Levin Cloud, Peridot and Creepysoo tried to use long range spells but all of it was made useless by the barrier.

"Where is Equinox?" Levin Cloud asked as his best friend is nowhere to be seen while his soulbounds were trying to kill the Beast of Doom.

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"Shadow Walker" Adrian stated as he was sent to the world of shadows.

Adrian did not miss his chance to use Shadow Walker when he had the chance as the enemy's gaze was no longer on him. The Shadow world is also affected by the bizarre presence of the Beast of Doom as it is also in disarray. It seems that the Beast of Doom can affect the world around it despite only being a mythical tier existence.

[You have one minute left for Perfect Assimilation.]

[You have two minutes left for Aetheros True Form.]

"No choice but to do it now." Adrian muttered to himself as he used all the primordial essence and aether energy to empower his next attack.

The Beast of Doom started to create a hundred powerful magic spells when Adrian suddenly appeared behind it. The scythe became bigger in size and glowed with powerful lights as he infused it with all the energy he could muster. This did not stop as Adrian made sure to use the skill given to him when he fused with Sirius.

"Realm Ender!" Adrian muttered as the scythe that was only twice as big as Adrian suddenly grew enormously large to ten times his height.

Adrian was already big in his true form, but the scythe is now as big as the Beast of Doom with ten times his size. Adrian did not have any difficulty doing a slashing motion that cut the body of the Beast of Doom in half. The eyes of his friends bulged as they did not expect him to cut the actual Beast of Doom in half.

As soon as Adrian swung his scythe, a powerful blast also exploded at the very contact where the Beast of Doom and the scythe had. One could see a small black hole suddenly forming from Adrian's attack as he destroyed space itself with that attack. The small black hole exploded and released a powerful shockwave that made the dimension itself reverberate.

The Beast of Doom is swallowed and cut by the dimensional tear which resulted in any chance of it recovering to be zero. The Beast of Doom's hundred spells are destroyed as it did not expect that its short life to be cut even shorter. If the Beast of Doom had a face, then the look of shock and despair would have been pasted on it.

[You have killed the Beast of Doom.]

[You have received a lot of experience points.]

[You have cleared the tenth wave of the Dread Village Instance.]

[The boss monster that was observing everything and sleeping has finally woken up as its guard has been killed.]

[The Semi-Transcendent Monster, Dread Village, is starting to awaken.]

"Everyone! Here it comes! Be ready and prepared." Adrian stated as he returned to his original form since his true form as ran out.

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The whole space started to stabilize once more as the dimensional cuts that Adrian did has been restored. Even if the rifts that Adrian has created has been restored, the whole place started to shake once again. The notifications of the Dread Village awakening have alarmed them that their new enemy has finally come.

[The Dread Village has been awakened.]

A powerful rumble made them shocked as it was not just the ground that is shaking but even the air itself. The dimension that they are in is a part of the actual Dread Village. An undead that is almost at the Transcendent level as it has carefully made sure that it will not be sensed by other powerhouses in the continent.

[You will be now seeing how the Dread Village has been born due to the memories of all those that perished here.]

The Dread Village was not always the size of a village as it was just a Dread Mansion back then. When the Champions of Death vanished from the world, all the undead that were of the Mythical Tier back then were either rampaging or accumulating strength. The Dread Village was the latter which not many of the undead did.

The Dread Mansion knew that the Champions of Death are not the only ones hunting them as even angels are gathering their cores. It was embroiled on a battle with the Pope of the Church of Light and escaped with great injuries. The Dread Mansion had no choice but to hide in a faraway village and slowly takeover the house of the noble there.

Dregville Village was always a village that was located at a border, but the villagers were always happy and smiling. The surrounding monsters were not that strong while they have the protection of a retired noble there. The Dread Mansion made sure to slowly incorporate itself in the village as it needed all the negative emotions of people there to grow back to its peak strength.

The Dread Mansion slowly accumulated the negative energy that the village emanated. The negative energy at the first few years were not that potent but time is at the side of the Dread Mansion. It waited for 300 years as it suddenly received a burst of potent negative energy which was the result of a plague.

The Dread Mansion could taste the delicious negative energy that it has gotten from the villagers, but it suddenly knew that its survival might come at a peril. If all the villagers are wiped out by the plague, then it would no longer have the negative energy to grow strong. The Dread Mansion suddenly started its integration of the village in this time.

The Dread Mansion has already fully incorporated itself in the mansion of the noble in Dregville Village. It was no surprise to say that the mansion was the Dread Mansion itself as it fed on the misery of the dying members of that noble family. Knowing that it must have constant supply of negative energy, the Dread Mansion started to possess the dying noble.

The Dread Mansion possessed the dying noble and told his servants to help the people afflicted by the plague. The servants did what they were ordered as they had instructions to always follow the whim of the owner of the house. The servants gathered all the people affected by the plague and the possessed noble started to 'heal' the people.

All the people of Dregville Village were stunned to learn that their dying lord could heal people of the plague but that was not true. The possessed noble was actually absorbing the plague along with the negative emotions of those that were afflicted by it. All the people were 'healed' from the plague, but they did not know that parts of them were also infected by the Dread Mansion itself.

For a duration of ten years, the people of Dregville Village were able to stay safe from the plague as the retired noble there healed them. The Dread Mansion suddenly thought of something to make sure that it constantly gets negative energy every cycle. The Dread Mansion already knew that to have strong negative energy, there must be happy times as well.

The Dread Mansion would always spread the plague every 30 years in the area while it has already encroached upon the minds of the villagers. It would also use the dying noble as a tool to get the delicious negative energy, but it would make sure to maximize the torture of the people.

The Dread Mansion repeated this cycle five times until it has gotten enough strength to swallow the whole village. It slightly changed to become the Dread Village after a period of five years and would just need five hundred more years to evolve fully to a Transcendent being. The Dread Village was slowly waiting for that day, but it immediately hid itself once again to hide from the fearsome aura that it detected from the south.

The Dread Village detected the energy of the Undead King Arthur from the south and immediately sacrificed two hundred years' worth of accumulated energy to create a special dimension. It had already accumulated useful toys in the long centuries it waited and only needed to bide its time. It even thought that the angels would subjugate the fearsome aura it sensed.

The Dread Village did not worry as it created the perfect hiding spot. It was Dregville Village, and the village was its own body. Even one of the most powerful knights was killed by it and turned into its servant despite here being hailed as the Princess Knight. It thought that everything would be fine, but it sensed the same energy it had from the south but weaker.

Two shapeshifters went inside its territory with one of them being very delicious in the eyes of the Dread Village. The Dread Village felt the energy coming from Creepysoo and it knew that devouring him would recover the strength it had lost from hiding. It might even make it break through to the next level.

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[You have seen the origin of the Dread Village.]

[You are now being returned to the battle instance.]

All of them regained their vision and looked at Creepysoo. They were looking at him with judging eyes as he was the one that basically activated the Dread Village. They were not able to get a sneak attack because he was tasty in the eyes of the Dread Village.

"It is not my fault that I am an Elder Wight." Creepysoo stated.

"At least, we have the enemy in front of us now." Adrian muttered as all of them were given objectives.

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[The Dread Village cores have spawned in different locations across the village.]

[Destroy the four smaller cores in order to make the core of the Dread Village show up.]

All of them received notifications of the Dread Village having four cores that need to be broken. The cores that they need to break are the smaller cores that protect the core of the Dread Village from any invader. The smaller cores look like haunted lanterns that float around an area.

"Each of us need to destroy one of the cores. Spread out!" Adrian stated as the whole area suddenly shook once more.

The scene of the village was just a bit worn down and dilapidated, but it started to change once again. The whole village was covered in a black shadow, and it transformed into an area filled with darkness. If all of them did not have the Night Vision and Dark Vision passive skill, then they would not be able to see inside it.

The whole village transformed into a shadow village as the walls of the houses became black as shadows. The only sources of light would be the strange pale green lights being emitted from the windows of the houses. The whole village has transformed into its full entity.

[You have been trapped inside the Dread Village.]

[You have been applied with the status ailment, Dread.]

[You will receive one stack of Dread for every ten minutes that you stay inside the Dread Village.]

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Status Ailment: Dread

Number of Stacks: 1 (Maximum of 30)

Effect: Decrease the stats of the affected unit in percentage by the number of stacks that they have.

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It was not only them receiving the Dread stacks that will prevent them from destroying the four lantern cores. Monsters started to rise up from the shadows and they were none other than the souls that the Dread Village has devoured. It is now using all of its minions to deal with the intruders.

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Monster Name: Dread Beast

Tier: Epic

Level: 250

HP: 100%

MP: 100%

Description: Monsters that are said to resemble undead but are actually souls of the victims of the Dread Mansion. It is filled the Dread Aura as it has been living inside the Dread Village for so long. Any physical contact with this being will give them a stack of Dread.

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The Dread Beasts came in all shapes and sizes as they were not only humanoid in appearances. The shapes and appearances varied from human, bird, dogs, cats, and even bulls. Each of the Dread Beasts spawned every two minutes which means they must destroy the cores as fast as they possible can.

"I think this place needs a little bit of green! Descent of the Tree of Life and Death!" Levin Cloud stated as he sent a powerful burst of energy to the clouds which actually pierced the pocket dimension that the Dread Village created.

The skies opened up and a seed fell to the ground. The seed was swallowed up the ground as if it was being welcomed by it. In under a few seconds, a large and powerful tree that was lush and dry on both sides sprouted.

[The Tree of Life and Death, Yewdrassil, has taken root.]

[All beings that are influenced by the Tree of Life and Death Yewdrassil are buffed.]

Peridot might not be directly influenced by the Tree of Life and Death, but she was still in a party with the others. She transformed into her Ryujin form once more and used Moon Caller. Despite the moon on the horizon of the special space being an illusion, it actually answered Peridot's call.

The meteors that were coming down from the moon had the look of jack-o-lanterns. The meteors were even laughing as it came down from the skies. She made sure to have the area where the lanterns crash be where one of the lantern cores is located.

[Your party member, Peridot, has destroyed one of the cores of the Dread Village.]

[Cores that needed to be destroyed to show the main core of the Dread Village: 3/4]

[Quickly destroy the other cores before the destroyed core regenerates.]

"I have done my part. You guys can go and destroy the other cores that are farther away. I will protect the Tree of Life and Death." Peridot stated as she hovered around and used spells to repel the Dread Beasts.

"Understood." All three of them stated as they split up to the locations of the other cores.

Creepysoo knew that he must not use his God Descent skill just yet as he needs to save that for the last fight. He rode with Don Quixote towards the east of the village where they saw one of the smaller cores. Just as Creepysoo is about to command Robin Hoodie to destroy the core, it was suddenly swallowed by a large Dread Beast that looked different from the rest.

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Monster Name: Dread Phantom Guzzler

Tier: Semi-Legendary

Level: 275

HP: 100%

MP: 100%

Description: A Phantom Guzzler undead that has bathe in Dread Aura which made it become an advanced monster of its species. It is not yet fully evolved as it is not powerful enough to completely absorb the Dread Aura it is bathing in for centuries.

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"A Phantom Guzzler of all things." Creepysoo muttered as he knew how difficult it was to go against such undead.

Phantom Guzzlers are undead that like to eat spiritual entities which mean that it has the capability to eat magic attacks. Undead might have a physical body but most of their damage stems from magic damage as they use miasma in their attacks. To make matters worse for Creepysoo, he does not have an idea on what changed it as it became a Dread Phantom Guzzler.

"Guardian of the Forest! Vanguard form!" Levin Cloud stated as he transformed into his true form.

[You have transformed into your true form. All stats will rise.]

[You have changed to your Vanguard Form. Stats will be rearranged.]

A glaive made of wood and thorns came to his hand as his vanguard form made him look like a centaur and Leshy hybrid. He charged towards the lantern only to encounter a strange Dread Beast that is the shape of a snake. It was not just a monster that was a snake, but it was actually a wyrm.

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Monster Name: Dread Bone Wyrn

Tier: Semi-Legendary

Level: 275

HP: 100%

MP: 100%

Description: A Bone Wyrn that has changed to an advanced species thanks to the Dread Aura. It has a powerful appetite for bones, and it prefers fresh ones. The exoskeleton it covers with its body is actually made of Dread Aura as it no longer has any flesh as it is all bone.

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The small core that looked like a lantern was actually located at the throat of the Dread Bone Wyrn that manifested. The Dread Village knew that its small cores will be in danger of being easily destroyed since a few meteors in an area was enough to destroy one. The Dread Bone Wyrn is one of the undead monsters that was tasked to protect it.

Levin Cloud did not waver, but he is a bit wary of the Dread Bone Wyrn. The dread beast is much bigger than him despite him entering his true form. It is not farfetched to say that the Dread Bone Wyrn can swallow Levin Cloud whole if it wanted to.

"Nether Domain! Netheros True Form! Limit Break: Summoner!" Adrian stated as he reached the area of the last small core.

Like the other cores, the core in front of him is also guarded by a powerful dread beast. He actually lucked out as he chose the most powerful of the three guardians. It was none other than a Dread Dragon. It almost looked like a Dark Dragon, but it was so eerie and unsettling to look at.

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Monster Name: Dread Dragon

Tier: Legendary

Level: 285

HP: 100%

MP: 100%

Description: An undead dragon that has evolved into a beast that can utilize the Dread Aura. It has fully absorbed the Dread Aura that the Dread Village emitted. Just a simple breath of the Dread

Dragon can make any target experience immense dread. It is said to be an extermination target of living dragons as it is a slap in the face for one of them to become such a hideous being.

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The Dread Phantom Guzzler might be difficult to face off when one is of the magic class, but its attacks are very predictable. The Dread Phantom Guzzler is just like an oversized giant head that only eats anything in its area. It would even eat its own allies as sustenance as it has large amounts of appetite due to it losing lots of energy in the process.

"Voodoo Marie!" Creepysoo stated as he used a curse on the Dread Phantom Guzzler.

[You have used Weakening Curse on the Dread Phantom Guzzler.]

[Due to the Dread Aura around it, the effects of the Weakening Curse have been halved.]

[The Dread Phantom Guzzler has all its stats reduced by 5%.]

"String Puppet!" Voodoo Marie stated as she suddenly summoned strings from above the Dread Phantom Guzzler.

The strings that Voodoo Marie summoned looked like strings for marionettes and all of them stuck to the Dread Phantom Guzzler. The Dread Phantom Guzzler tried to move and charge towards Creepysoo, but it was pulled back to its location where it was caught in the strings. Creepysoo is very lucky as the Dread Phantom Guzzler does not have any appendages to help it break free from the strings.

"Nice! Mummie, go and make sure that it does not move any longer! Robin Hoodie, use Death Volley. Don Quixote, use Charge of Death. Frankie, use Miasma Lightning!" Creepysoo issued orders in quick succession as he also used spells.

"Ghoul Flames!" Creepysoo stated as five pale purple flames appeared behind him and shot towards the Dread Phantom Guzzler.

The Dread Phantom Guzzler screamed as it felt the pain of having damaged by someone blessed by the God of Dead Abaddon. All the undead that is under the God of Death Abaddon are also the bane of other undead that are not of the same denomination. The miasma running inside of Creepysoo's veins is miasma that has been blessed by the God of Death Abaddon.

This miasma might not be as potent as Adrian's nether or aether energy, but it is still very powerful against undead that are not under the God of Death Abaddon's protection. The Dread Phantom Guzzler tried to escape its barrage, but it is currently being held down by two different entities. The Dread Phantom Guzzler looked like a floating pale white human head, but it is starting to become angered.

The pale white head that is the Dread Phantom Guzzler started to change color to a bit more pinkish until it exploded in anger. The Dread Phantom Guzzler released a shockwave that released it from any bindings and suddenly became red. If there is an expression of someone being angry being called red face, then the Dread Phantom Guzzler is the literal definition of that.

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Monster Name: Dread Phantom Guzzler (Rage Mode)

Tier: Semi-Legendary



Level: 275

HP: 50%

MP: 80%

Status: [Enraged] [Immune to Crowd Control] [Insatiable]

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The Dread Phantom Guzzler entered its rage mode and can no longer be affected by crowd control. It also got itself free from the curses that Creepysoo has afflicted on it. Fortunately for Creepysoo, he can just apply more curses to it so that it will weaken. The downside is that the Dread Phantom Guzzler has all of its stats boosted by 50% since it entered rage mode.

The Dread Phantom Guzzler shot itself towards Creepysoo at lightning-fast speed that the latter needed to be saved by Robin Hoodie. Creepysoo is shocked by the speed, but he is even more shocked by the fact that Robin Hoodie actually lost a leg. The sound of crunching could be heard as the Dread Phantom Guzzler turned its face towards Creepysoo.

As if it was mocking all of them, the Dread Phantom Guzzler made sure to chew loudly as it crunched every part of the leg that it got from Robin Hoodie. The Phantom Archer undead did not like that it lost its leg, but it saved its master which is why losing a leg is no big deal to it. The leg will regenerate once Creepysoo returns to the undead citadel.

"Mummie, use Mummification!" Creepysoo stated as Mummie used a skill that it has just learned a few weeks ago.

Mummie came towards Creepysoo and unraveled all of its bandages until there is no body left. The only thing left to recognize Mummie are the golden artifacts and jewelries it had which flew towards Creepysoo. All the jewelries and artifacts attached itself to Creepysoo's body and the bandages soon followed.

[You have applied Mummification to yourself.]

[You can choose two other targets for Mummification to be applied.]

Creepysoo did not waste any time and chose Robin Hoodie immediately. Bandages came out of Creepysoo's body and covered Robin Hoodie as well. Robin Hoodie suddenly changed from Phantom Archer to Ancient Mummy Archer as its race and recovered its missing foot. Even Creepysoo changed from an Elder Wight to an Elder Wight Mummy.

The Dread Phantom Guzzler did not know what changed from Creepysoo and Robin Hoodie's body, but it knew that the undead was delicious. Fueled by rage and hunger, the Dread Phantom Guzzler charged once more and used Dread Aura as a propulsion to speed itself. The Dread Phantom Guzzler rammed its body towards Creepysoo perfectly and was about to bit down when the latter suddenly exploded in bandages.

Creepysoo was not damaged by the attack and was not chomped by the Dread Phantom Guzzler as well. The bandages that exploded from Creepysoo and the Dread Phantom Guzzler collision came together. When all the bandages came together, Creepysoo is now standing again in front of the Dread Phantom Guzzler without any type of damage.

"As expected, only my mana has been depleted but that can easily be replenished. Voodoo Marie, use Essence Siphon!" Creepysoo commanded.

Voodoo Marie then released a powerful wave that attached itself to the Dread Phantom Guzzler. A blue smoke suddenly started to leave the Dread Phantom Guzzler as its mana was getting siphoned from its body. Voodoo Marie would then transfer this mana to Creepysoo that will abuse the effects of Mummification.

The Dread Phantom Guzzler tried and tried to chomp at Creepysoo but all it had was bandages that does not even taste good. Creepysoo would then command his other undead knights to damage the Dread Phantom Guzzler while he used his body as a target. In the end, the Dread Phantom Guzzler lost all of its mana and can no longer activate any skills.

The Dread Phantom Guzzler just became a red floating head that cannot move as much. Don Quixote finished off the Dread Phantom Guzzler by plunging its spear on the mouth of the enemy. The smaller core was also destroyed in the process.

[Your party member, Creepysoo, has destroyed one of the cores of the Dread Village.]

[Cores that needed to be destroyed to show the main core of the Dread Village: 2/4]

[Quickly destroy the other cores before the destroyed core regenerates.]

[The destroyed cores will regenerate slower as a result of another core being destroyed in a small timeframe.]

"Waah!" A loud unknown growl shook the entire space of the area as the Dread Village felt the damage to its smaller core.

[The Dread Village is using the skill Dread Fall.]

A large wave of dread energy suddenly washed up on all of them. All of them tried to evade the attack but it actually affected the whole area. The only area that has protection was none other than where the Tree of Life and Death is planted.

[You have gained 5 stacks of Dread.]

[You have lost 10% of your maximum health. This cannot be regenerated for ten minutes as a result of the attack skill 'Dread Fall'.]

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"Even that kid finished his fight before me. I must hurry up as well." Levin Cloud stated but he is having difficulty fighting against the Dread Bone Wyrn.

All the time that Levin Cloud had a chance to plunge his glaive at the mouth of the Dread Bone Wyrn, it would instinctively close it. The Dread Bone Wyrn will get damaged, but its hard bones cannot be easily penetrated. Levin Cloud is doing good though as he has already reduced the health of the Dread Bone Wyrn by half.

Just as he was about to release a skill, a powerful wave of dread energy swept across the area. Not only did it reduce his health by a lot, but the dread energy wave also actually restored the health of the Dread Bone Wyrn by 15%.

"Call of the Forest!" Levin Cloud shouted as his voice echoed in the area.

Large trees suddenly sprouted from the ground and clasped the Dread Bone Wurm. The Dread Bone Wurm tried to break free from even its large body cannot escape from the grasp of a hundred trees coiling it. Levin Cloud's glaive glowed in a pure green and dark purple light as he made sure that both life and death energy is present in that attack.