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The huge tentacles made the team lose momentum in the sky as it created gales just crashing the numerous tentacles down on the King Whalark. The King Whalark struggled as the tentacles that grabbed it managed to drag it back down to the bottom of the sea.

The group are not lucky as well because they came crashing down. Moksha got hit by a stray tentacle and is heavily damaged while Adrian and Peridot dove down to try and save the group. There are also numerous waterspouts that manifested as a result of the heavy thrashing happening underwater.

The water pressure that resulted in the battle of the giant tentacle sea monster and the King Whalark made the surrounding waves not suitable for swimming. The other smaller sea monsters either died or were also swallowed by the fight between the two large monsters. Even the Krakens and the Scyllas retreated when the two monsters started fighting.

Adrian managed to catch Kabrakan while Peridot caught Levin Cloud. It is not easy to maneuver when two giants are thrashing about which is why Adrian forced himself to Teleport everyone. He made the Cube of Paradox mark everyone and teleport them about a kilometer away.

The fight between the two monsters made a mess of the surrounding waters and it lasted for about two hours. The group all had this haggard expression written on their faces. The stamina it took for them to actively dodge in a fight that they just got caught it took a toll mentally.

"I do not want to be here anymore." Levin Cloud stated as he hung down his shoulders.

"We should be the one saying that." Adriana and Peridot shouted as they were the ones that carried the both of them to safety.

Peridot had to unsummon Moksha because he was caught in an attack while Adrian did the same fearing for his soulbounds. They rested on a rock formation as they could see the sun setting. This is what they feared the most as the sea of monsters becomes more dangerous during the night.

Aquatic monsters that could not surface during the day will surface at night. The number of monsters increase, and they also become more powerful due to the law that monsters increase in strength at night. They wanted to at least reach the threshold of the merfolk kingdom before night falls.

"Can you teleport us to make us go closer?" Kabrakan asked.

"Teleporting all of us is already making half my mana pool disappear. We might also get caught up in a formation as the merfolk kingdom likes to employ magic circles above their waters." Adrian stated.

"Anyways, can you feel that tugging sensation that you seem to feel when the part that we need is close?" Levin Cloud asked.

"Not yet. It is either still faraway or they are concealing it. You do know that I cannot sense it if it is really far." Kabrakan stated.

"What if you cannot feel it because we are above water?" Peridot stated and everyone suddenly looked down on the dark waters.

"Can we have another option?" Levin Cloud jokingly stated but Peridot already pushed him down on the water.

"I do not have the swimming skill!" Levin Cloud shouted.

"Even better! You will sink right away." Peridot stated as Levin Cloud ate the Breath of the Ocean.

Kabrakan ate one pill and dove as well while Adrian just descended comfortably. Adrian did not need to eat one of those pills because demons do not breath air as much as they need. Space is actually a place where oxygen is barely present which is why they can also dive underwater without much hassle.

"How is that fair? We can talk!" Levin Cloud stated in a shocked tone as he did not expect that they can talk underwater.

"It grants the ability to breath in water which means that it also gives the ability to speak. I am looking at you and you seem to be coated in a thin film of energy that pushes out water to enter your lungs." Adrian stated as he used his Evil Eyes to see the effects of the pill.

"We are still sinking though. Should we not float?" Kabrakan asked as both him and Levin Cloud are not floating up.

"Swimming is a skill here so maybe if you flap your hands for a few minutes then it will get registered." Adrian stated jokingly but it actually proved effective.

[You have obtained the Swimming skill.]

"I was just joking though." Adrian muttered.

About five minutes being underwater, Kabrakan could feel something call to him once again. It is faint but he could feel a refreshing feeling wash against him. The refreshing feeling came further north of their location, and he paused for one whole minute.

"You found a trace of it." Adrian stated as he noticed that Kabrakan looked like he stared off at space.

"I do not know if that was it, but it came from the north. It calls me." Kabrakan stated.

"You are not a princess in a famous animation studio, right?" Peridot jokingly teased.

"Anyways, it is where I can feel the similar pull that happened to me on Mahar Lika. It is better to go there now while the trail is still fresh." Kabrakan stated.

"Greater Summon: Kanlaon!" Adrian stated as he summoned his dragon to be a turbo life board for him.

Peridot turned to her true form as she could lessen the decrease in stamina when she in underwater. She made Levin Cloud and Kabrakan hold onto her while Adrian held onto Kanlaon to be his personal boost underwater.

The group headed north in the darkness of the ocean depths, but it posed no problem for the group that can see in the dark. They moved in the water with grace as the two dragons practically glided

like they are flying in the air. Even the incoming sea monsters are having trouble in catching up to them but that is only applicable to low level sea monsters.

About one hour of continuous swimming, Peridot and Kanlaon needed to rest but t hey needed to move to an area where there is more light. They did not need to search far as they arrived at a place where there are numerous corals and fishes that have bioluminescence. The group felt like they have entered a movie as the scene is surreal.

The fishes were not that powerful, but they had the ability to blind their aggressors. It is a great defensive mechanism especially for predators that live in the ocean depths. Since predators that live in the ocean depths are mostly in the dark, they find it difficult to adapt where there is light. It is also the reason why some only surface at night.

"I need to capture this moment. Wait a bit." Peridot stated as she activated the recording function.

Kanlaon also felt good swimming in the area, but the low-level sea monsters are scared to approach him. He is a bit disheartened at it as he found them beautiful because Kanlaon is still a child at heart. He is curious most of the time wants to interact with the world.

"We can now move as we rested quite a bit." Peridot stated but Kanlaon suddenly became giddy.

The fishes that glowed also started to hide inside the corals as if they could sense a predator in the surroundings. Adrian cannot feel the threat because his senses are dampened underwater. Also, Sirius is usually the one who warns Adrian about danger, but he could not summon Sirius now.

The soulbounds could also use the pills but the group does not know how long they will need to stay underwater. Peridot suddenly casted a spell in her dragon form as her body suddenly shined with a bright light. The surrounding suddenly became brighter as the corals responded to the shimmering light.

Kanlaon also did the same as his light dragon ball emitted the most light as he amplified the light. The bright light that they emitted deterred the incoming predator as the group heard a soft grumble. It got the group time, but it is not enough to fully stop the hungry predator aiming for them.

A somewhat large shadow came charging towards them at great speed. It was a five-meter-long shadow that looked like a torpedo. The large fish and mollusk monster hybrid came crashing down towards one of the corals.

Monster Name: Razor Clamfish

Level: 250

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A monster that lives in the depths of the ocean that feeds on smaller sea monsters. It is coated with a hard shell that has thin blades. It will use its great speed to launch itself to its prey and attempt to slice them in half.

"It is stuck! Attack!" Kabrakan stated but the Razor Clamfish suddenly started to rotate its body to squeeze out of the coral it is trapped in.

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The Razor Clamfish managed to get out of the coral and launched itself once more to the group. It is basically a spinning torpedo. The speed is indeed fast as the group barely blocked it as Kabrakan shouldered the damage.

His shield suddenly cracked upon impact as it was too much to bear. The shields might be regenerating but it is not as fast as one wants it to be. The Razor Clamfish did not stop upon colliding against the shields as it rotated even more. Levin Cloud needed to do something, so he used Bramble Vines to restrain the Razor Clamfish.

Since the skill Bramble Vines corresponds to the environment, the vines that grew are actually seaweed instead that has bioluminescence. With each spin of the Razor Clamfish, the seaweed that it gathered became thick and the rotating speed started to gradually become slower.

The group then rained all their skill against the Razor Clamfish until it died. It took quite some time because the shell covering the sea monster is hard while the skills that they can also use is limited. In the end, they had to use 50% of their mana just to kill the Razor Clamfish.

"I cannot believe that we took so much effort killing a mob monster." Kabrakan stated as his shields started to become perfect once more.

"It cannot be helped. The things that we could do underwater is limited. We also needed to get used to fighting underwater which is why we took longer just killing one." Peridot stated.

What Peridot said rings true as the group has yet to do underwater battles. For a monster of that level, they should just use about ten minutes to kill but they took half an hour to kill the Razor Clamfish. The time might lessen but it would still take too long.

"I will cast Chrono Shift towards us while swimming. We should reach the next destination as fast as we can. We can also avoid some meaningless battles on the way." Adrian stated as he knew that Chrono Shift can give them burst of speeds. The main problem they have right now is the fact that they cannot see their enemies coming at them.

Even if all of them can see in the dark, only Adrian can accurately see like it is daytime. The other people can only see silhouettes in the far distance of the dark water. They cannot use light as well because that will make them an easier target for predators.

Everyone drank potions instead of resting up as the area they discovered is not entirely safe. They thought that there might be safe zones in the sea like that on top, but they have yet to encounter one. It might not even be farfetched to say that there are no safe zones underwater.

With Adrian using Chrono Shift, their travel time became faster than before but that also came with problems. Peridot, Levin Cloud and Kabrakan needed to get used to the feeling of suddenly moving twice as fast for short periods of time. There were times that the two could not hold on and Peridot had to go back for them.

With the burst of speeds, the monsters that they encountered became lesser but that did not mean that they are safe. They encountered one or two sea monsters on the way that wanted to eat them. Thankfully, sea monsters that are great predators tend to hunt alone which is why they did not have any issue defeating them.

One of the most difficult opponents that they faces is the Jet Squid. Not only did it match their speed, but it also made use of its ink sac to create a smokescreen. Levin Cloud almost died when one Jet Squid suddenly ambushed them. The Jet Squid is two times faster than the Razor Clamfish which also made it two times more lethal.

They defeated it because Adrian managed to pinpoint it using Chrono Lag. They then bombarded it with all they got, and it died easily due to its soft body. They also encountered monsters that are above level 300 underwater, but those monsters were either sleeping or did not bother looking at them.

The high level sea monsters only treated them as mere small fish that is just passing through. Adrian tested out if they can traverse using Spirit Form Manifestation, but the skill has been grayed out. It seems that the developers are restricting its use since there are not many sea monsters with the undead attribute.

The group is getting close to their destination, but they can suddenly feel that the waters that they are swimming on became different. The surroundings became lifeless and not even a sign of small fish is present. The group could feel that it is not right which is why they all had eye contact and decided that they needed to leave quick.

Just as they are swimming away to a more an area with more life, they could suddenly feel nervous. An eerie sounding cry is heard by everyone that made their spine tingle. Since sound travels much faster in water than in air, they can feel that whatever made that cry is far, but the cry is becoming louder and louder.

A few moments later, the source of the cry came crashing down on the party. It whizzed past through them and made Levin Cloud and Kabrakan lose hold of Peridot. If Peridot's dragon form is ten meters long, the monster that attacked them is thrice her size. She even sustained injury, but her dragon scales made sure that she does not bleed. If she bleeds, then it might attract even more troublesome monsters.

"Greater Summon: Charon! Greater Summon: Dodu!" Adrian hurriedly casted.

The monster that attacked them is not something that they can easily defeat as it is a tiered monster. To be exact, it is a legendary tier monster that hunts underwater. It would take all of their effort to defeat it.

Monster Name: Reaper

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 280

Tier: Legendary

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. This monster got its name for its aggressive nature and pension for tearing its prey apart. It has been

dubbed as the Ocean's Grim Reaper as the waters it inhabits are all eerily silent and dead. It will never let go of its prey and will chase it to the ends of the waters.

The Reaper looks like a mix between an oar fish with the head of an anglerfish. It has a small light bulb on its forehead that lures in prey when it is in an inactive state. The face of the Reaper has six eyes that helps it navigate in a 360-degree fashion. It also has six claw like appendages attached to its mouth that functions as scissors to tear those caught by it.

Despite its thirty-meter-long body, it could propel its body briefly at a distance of one hundred meters under one second. This is what it used against Peridot to overthrow Levin Cloud and Kabrakan. The only warning that the group has is the way that it cries when attacking.

They noticed that the Reaper would shout before launching itself to its target. It also cannot launch itself repeatedly for a given time which is why the group could breathe. The only problem is that it employs the hit and run tactics. It launches itself one hundred meters which means it also evades follow-up attacks against it with that distance.

"That is how you want to play!' Adrian stated as he set up traps around them because they needed to defeat it in order to escape its clutches.

The Reaper launched itself once again, but the group is now prepared against it. Kabrakan used Taunt in a timely manner thanks to Adrian's Chrono Shift Support. The Reaper that is supposed to attack Adrian changed direction in a split second which also decreased its speed.

The mouth of the Reaper crashed against Kabrakan as it tried to swallow him whole, but the shields are bigger than what it could swallow. Kanlaon used the ice element and tried to freeze the body of the Reaper as Peridot supported him. Dodu increased in sized and tried to devour the Reaper using its acidic touch while Charon tried to restrain it using chains.

The effort of everyone could be seen as the Reaper is held tightly but the waters is its domain. The six scissor like appendages suddenly sunk its sharp tips onto Kabrakan as he let out a pained cry. Kabrakan's back is pierced by six sharp appendages which made him loosen his grip for a moment.

Kabrakan, who was keeping the mouth of the Leviathan from closing, is suddenly being pushed inside the monster's mouth. The group naturally knew that they cannot let this happen as it is not a great experience being eaten. Kanlaon immediately swam near the mouth of the Leviathan and shot ice shards inside it to fill the stomach of the hungry beast.

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Kanlaon filled the mouth of the hungry sea monster with ice shards until the belly of the beast could be seen to start expanding. The ice is starting to pile up but the number of ice shards being sent inside the mouth is also decreasing. In the end, the Reaper managed to break free, but its heavy body is now slower than before.

Traces of frostbite could also be seen on the belly of the Reaper, but it decided to struggle away. The group thought that the Reaper is going to retreat but they thought wrong. The giant sea monster suddenly released a loud screech that made all of them cover their ears.

The still water suddenly started to move as riptides are summoned by the Reaper. Its body also started to emit a steam like substance as the ice inside its belly started to melt. The Reaper heated its

body up to a degree that it negated the frostbite. It must have been a special skill in order to live in waters that are cold.

The Reaper then started to launch itself continuously towards the group to the point that it was becoming difficult for them to evade. The Reaper also used the riptides in its favor as it used those as a way to immediately turn around while propelling itself towards the group. The danger level increased as they barely dealt damage on the named monster.

The current health of the Reaper is 71% even with them bombarding it with attacks and skills. The group knew that they will not be able to defeat the leviathan in a small amount of time which is why they decided to escape instead. Even if the sea has no territory, there are still territorial monsters that will attack other monsters that enter its territory.

The only problem that the group encountered is the fact that the riptide is against the direction they need to swim against. The riptides are formed thanks to the Reaper wanting to attack continuously attack the middle of the encirclement. The group is currently at the very middle and the riptides are pushing them to the center.

If they try to swim against the current, they will get damaged instead but that is a necessary struggle for them. Levin Cloud told them that they will just heal them during the time that they are getting damaged but that is not the only thing he needs to do. He also needs to time it well so that when the attacks of the Reaper hit them then will not immediately die.

Kabrakan wanted to block the Reaper but that would mean him getting swept up by the leviathan. He is the most important person in this quest right now as he is the only one that could determine the direction of the Splash of the Wilde.

"Everyone go on without me! I will catch up." Adrian suddenly shouted as they are once again forced back to the center of the encirclement by the Reaper.

Adrian knew that they will not be able to advance if no one gets left to deal with the Reaper. The others might be reluctant, but they also knew this truth which is why they heeded Adrian's words. They did not need to debate on that matter as their friend already made a firm resolve.

"Catch up quick!" Peridot stated as she started to swim against the current once again.

The Reaper noticed that its food is once again trying to escape. Among the Leviathan species, the Reaper is more instinct oriented which is why it only sees prey. It does not have enough intelligence to even converse which is why the merfolk will immediately go to battle mode when they encounter one. A hungry beast is not something that once can reason with after all.

"Let us see if you can defeat me when I wrestle you in the ocean floor! Nether Domain! Netheros True Form!" Adrian stated.

The surrounding waters that had a current suddenly came to a standstill. A weird three colored smoke suddenly rose from the ocean depths and clouded the vision of the attacking Reaper. The leviathan noticed something strange on its domain as its skill is suddenly cancelled. The waters that it controlled is no longer responding to its wishes.

The Reaper also felt something terrifying within its core as if death itself has come down from the depths of the abyss. The next thing that the Reaper Leviathan knew is that numerous black chains are now attached to its body while a giant shadow suddenly enveloped it.

A primordial roar is then heard that shook the very core of the Reaper as it came from a being as old as time. This roar contained the great dignity of the dragon clan and even carried their might. It is not a normal howl of the so-called lesser dragons but that of a true and pure dragon.

A large dragon head that is five times the size of the Reaper then came out of the smoke and launch a devastating breath attack against the Leviathan. The next thing that the Leviathan knew is that a gigantic scythe is bearing down towards its neck. It can only be petrified in horror as its body could not move nor react from the attack.

"It has been twenty minutes. Has there been no sign of Adrian?" Peridot asked as they kept swimming in the direction that Kabrakan pointed at.

"It sucks that we cannot message each other when underwater but I think that he should be fine. He activated his true form already. We managed to escape but that also meant that if a tough battle were to happen then we cannot rely on Adrian's best attack power.

The trio kept swimming until they could see that they are now before a giant sturdy wall made of corals. The most notable thing is that above the coral wall are numerous merfolk holding weapons. Upon seeing the trio, a group of merfolk suddenly encircled them while pointing their tridents at them.

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"Hold! State your business here overworlders!" The captain of the merfolk guards stated as the guards encircled them and pointed their tridents at the three.

"We come in peace." Levin Cloud stated but Peridot's dragon tail hit his head for his bad joke.

"I come as the representative of the Wilde." Kabrakan stated which made the merfolk guard captain shudder.

The merfolk guard captain then looked at Kabrakan and noticed that he is indeed a terramorph. They also smell like that they did not eat a mermaid's scale to gain the ability to breath underwater which is why they are not hostile.

There have been some overworlders that are catching weak merfolk in order to sell their scales at a high level. Seeing that the trio did not have the smell of a mermaid on them while also traversing the so-called Leviathan Fields, the guard captain reluctantly let them inside.

"We will let you inside, but the dragon mount must stay here." The merfolk guard captain stated as it thought that Peridot is a sea dragon mount owned by Kabrakan.

"Mount! How rude! Even the esteemed masters of the eastern continent will not utter that in front of me." Peridot stated as she started to revert to her humanoid form. She was greatly offended by the words of the merfolk guard captain. It seems that the mindset of a dragon is already imprinted on her mind.

When the merfolk guard captain saw Peridot transforming into a humanoid form, he shuddered a bit as only pure-blooded dragons have that ability. He thought that Peridot is a sea dragon which is a

class of lesser dragons, but he was wrong. The merfolk guard captain hurriedly bowed and begged for forgiveness. Fortunately for him, Peridot is too tired to even mess with him which is why she just brush it off.

"I have already sent one of my men to tell of your situation to the imperial palace. Please wait here for the time being. Still, as expected of the one chosen by the Wilde. All of you came out of the Leviathan Fields unscathed. It is a miracle that you are actually in once piece as even our finest warriors will lose a fin or two." The merfolk guard captain stated which made the three question what these Leviathan Fields are.

The merfolk guard captain explained to them that the Leviathan Fields are the most dangerous area near the merfolk kingdom. It is home to the fearsome monster's species of the sea, the Leviathans. Only those who are lucky can make it out unscathed while those that are not become fish food. The trio gulped upon hearing this description and worried for their friend.

"Should we go back for him?" Peridot asked.

"No. All of us already decided that we will meet in the merfolk kingdom if we get separated. We can just contact him later in real life that we already reached it. Anyways, we already mentioned that we have a demon companion named Equinox to the guards. They will notify as when he arrives." Kabrakan stated.

The two nodded as it is actually Adrian that made that rule since they do not know what might happen underwater. Instead of waiting for them to gather together, it is much better for them to proceed with the mission while the ones lost finds the way. As long as Kabrakan has support, they will continue with the quest at hand.

"He will not be lost right? Among the four of us, he is the one with bad sense of direction." Peridot wondered.

"The path is just straight north so he will not be lost." Kabrakan reassured.

"I am officially lost." Adrian admitted to himself.

He was able to kill off the Reaper but that also meant that his sense of direction was messed up. He got thrashed violently which made him forget the direction that his three friends swam on. The waters that he is currently in has no markings or special landmarks to assess.

The compass of the map is not even working as the world map that he is in possession does not have detailed navigation of the seas below. He asked Kanlaon if he could trace Peridot's dragon aura, but water is not like air that could carry a scent.

"Paradox, do you have a way to reduce the probability of which direction my friends went?" Adrian asked his ego weapon.

"Negative. Master did not ask me to mark the targets which is why I did not take of them greatly. But if you want the direction they swam when the fight started then please turn 30 degrees to your right and swim forward." The Cube of Paradox replied with a robotic tone.

"Let us go Kanlaon!" Adrian commanded as he took hold of his five-meter-long Genesis Dragon.

Twenty minutes have passed but he could not see any traces of his friends. What is worse is that he could not even see a trace of civilization as he is now in an area where there are lots of shining corals. He did not know if he circled or is just terrible with directions, but this is certainly not the way to the merfolk kingdom.

What made Adrian believe that he is in the wrong area is the fact that giant monsters that are the combination of whale and a manta ray are swimming next to him. Each of this great beast are at least forty meters long and fifty meters wide.

Monster Name: Lumen Manta Whale

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 255

Tier: Epic

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is the calmest of all the leviathans and will not attack those that do not harm it. It prefers large plant life and planktons as nourishment. It also has beautiful markings on top of its body that glows which it uses to attract mates. It also has a beautiful cry and is regarded as the ocean's song.

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Adrian gazed in wonder as dozens of large Lumen Manta Whales are swimming in the waters. Some even passed by him and uttered their cry which is extremely pleasant to the ear. The cry was so pleasing that the fatigue that he accumulated started to get washed away.

[You have heard the Lumen Manta Whale's Cry.]

[You will recover stamina greatly for a small duration.]

The Lumen Manta Whales swam as if they are flying in water, and some even did spins. The ones that did a few tricks seem to be males trying to get the female Lumen Manta Whales' attention. It seems that he has stumbled into their mating ritual as it is their season of courtship.

The female Lumen Manta Whales are different compared to the male ones due to the light that they emit. The females emit a pinkish or rosy colored light while the males emit a bright blue light using the unique markings on their skin. Adrian is so fascinated that he just sat on a mushroom looking coral in wonder.

The dance of the male Lumen Manta Whales is majestic in movement as they move in figures or formation. If a female Lumen Manta Whale is interested in a male counterpart, then both of them will dance in unison. If two or more females are interested in a male, then they would compete using songs. The winner will be chosen by the male Lumen Manta Whale, but it is not always the one that has the most beautiful one that is chosen.

The male Lumen Manta Whales will choose the one that could harmonize with its own song instead of the best one. It seems that compatibility is very important for their species. If two males are vying for the attention of one female, then the female can choose which one she wants. The loser will have to try harder to gain the attention of other females that have yet to choose a partner.

"I guess this is what people experience when they watch those water shows." Adrian muttered as he did not expect that one hour has already passed from him just observing.

[You have observed one of the wonders of life.]

[Life Energy accumulated in the body has increased.]

Adrian did not expect such a notification pop up. What he did not expect most is the fact that his life energy increased without consuming items that contain life energy. He did not think that enjoying the view of life or nature would increase his own understanding of life energy.

He just thought that he only needed to collect items that have life energy in order to accumulate enough but he is wrong. He then reflected much on his life that some things are achieved by appreciating the things around you. Sometimes being slow paced and laid back is not bad as it makes one appreciate the small things in life.

"The increase is not minimal. I do not know if I could replicate it again, but I am thankful nonetheless." Adrian muttered to himself as he once again ventured in search for his friends.

"His majesty King Neptune has agreed to meet you, Chosen one of the Wilde. The other two can also come as well to the castle as per his majesty's command. An escort has been assigned and the carriage will arrive soon." The merfolk guard that delivered the message to the royal family stated.

A few moments later, a chariot or what looks like a chariot could be seen fast approaching the group. The chariot is unique because the ones pulling it are seahorses that looked incredibly fierce. The coach is nonexistent as the leash that holds the six seahorse monsters are clamped to a large, closed bivalve.

Monster Name: Regal Seahorse

Level: 240

Tier: Epic

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: Sea monsters that have been domesticated by the Merfolk Royal Family. It is very loyal to the owner and will never harm them. It also has great strength and speed which is a perfect mount for those living in the ocean depths. It can outswim almost all sea monsters and could even escape from a Leviathan species when in outstanding condition.

The Regal Seahorses stopped just in front of the three and the closed bivalve suddenly opened to reveal a beautiful female mermaid. The mermaid has long pink flowing hair and a tail that is not covered in scales but almost whale like. She is also a great beauty that has blessed body proportions

"Princess!" The guards clamored as they did not expect the princess to be the one that escorts the visitors. Even if one of them is the Chosen of the Wilde, it does not mean that someone of her status should be the one that escorts them to the castle.

"Stop with the fuss. We have important guests in our seas. It is normal that I would be the one to escort them to my esteemed father. After all, it would be very rude to not escort the Chosen of the Wilde, Envoy of the Twin Gods and the Ryujin Princess. It will be my great honor as one of the princesses of the Merfolk Kingdom, Atlantis, to do so." The merfolk princess stated.

"It is a pleasure to meet the acquaintance of one of the merfolk royalties. I am Kabrakan, the Envoy of the Twin Gods is Levin Cloud, the Ryujin Princess is Peridot. Please treat us well." Kabrakan stated as he told the proposed lines given by the system.

"Please enter my carriage then esteemed guests. Please call me Ariella." Princess Ariella stated.

"Well then, Princess Ariella...it is a pleasure to meet you." The three stated in unison as they boarded the bivalve.

Upon boarding the bivalve chariot, the upper shell closed in on them. The trio thought that they will be unable to see the outside, but they can much to their surprise. The upper shell appeared to be close, but it feels like it is non-existent. The princess then gave them a detailed tour of the merfolk kingdom before heading to the castle.

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Adrian travelled north of his current supposed location as that is what he heard from Kabrakan before they parted ways. What he did not know is that he is already far of course and headed deeper into the Leviathan Fields instead.

On the way, he encountered different kinds of Leviathan that are a combination of peaceful and aggressive. He encountered a total of three leviathans that posed different types of difficulty getting through their territories.

Monster Name: Coral Hunchback

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 270 Tier: Epic

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is the most undisturbed of all the leviathans and will only attack those that reaches its inner flesh. Due to the massive corals living on its back, it sustains numerous sea life and in turn form a symbiotic relationship with them.

It tends to stick to the ocean floor most of the time but will migrate to hotter waters when the temperature of the seawater becomes cold. It is blind and can only rely on its enhanced heat sensing skin to know where to move.

The Coral Hunchback is like a cross between a stingray and a jellyfish. The corals on its back are alive and are part of its body. It also serves as a function to warm the top part of the body of the Coral Hunchback when the feeler below its body is cold due to the seawater. It does not emit a cry, but it emits bubbles that have viscous material.

Monster Name: Sea Scamper

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 240

Tier: Rare

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is tallest of all the leviathans and will only attack those that crashes onto its long legs that can pierce the seafloor. The large legs act as anchors to its rather large disproportionate body. It does not even notice that it pierces sea monsters with its long legs as it is extremely long.

It prefers waters that are not too hot or too cold. It likes to feed on planktons and seaweeds that arrive on top of its body since it could not stretch its long legs. It rather lives unhindered since the waters it lives does not have other strong predators to even eat it.

The Sea Scamper is a leviathan that looks like an extreme large shrimp that has four long legs. Each leg should be about fifty meters in size while its body is twenty meters in height. It could be said to have legs for days and looked like it would topple over if one of its legs are broken.

Adrian wanted to test the theory of damaging its legs which is why he tapped on it but not even sound reverberated. Whatever material it is shell is should be extremely dense and hard since normal attacks will not be able to scratch it.

Monster Name: Sea King

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 290

Tier: Legendary (???)

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is the rival of the Reaper and is said to be the one with the most strength of all the leviathans. It is difficult to ascertain its personality because it is a temperamental leviathan.

It will not attack those that it cannot see, and it is not as territorial as the Reaper. It only feeds on sea monsters that are half or a quarter of its size. It does not need to eat as much when it is newly hatched but a full grown one has a voracious appetite. It can also go one year without eating by being in a hibernating state.

The Sea King is definitely worthy of its name because of the sheer size. It a hundred meters long and fifty meters in height. It also oddly looks like a mix between a crocodile and a squid. Its upper half looks almost like a dragon due to looking like a crocodile while its lower half is that of a squid.

The pattern on its body is similar to that of a tiger and the scales on it seem to absorb light. It also likes to live in waters that are dark and deep since it lives inside a reef. No other large sea monsters are present in the area which is a testament to its majesty.

Adrian is not attacked by the Sea King as it seemed to be sleeping but he is clearly wrong. When Adrian swam past the Sea King, its eyes suddenly opened but he just pretended to not notice. He thought that the Sea King is not paying attention to him, but he could see the four eyes of the Sea King following his movement.

Adrian kept calm and urged Kanlaon to swim faster but he ordered the latter to stop when they heard a voice. The voice is similar to that of a female and Adrian could hear it in his head instead of his ears. He doubted where this voice came from and searched for the source but only the Sea King is present.

"Was that you?" Adrian asked.

"Yes. Traveller. It is. I that. Have called upon. You." The telepathic voice of the Sea King stated but it is not perfect sentences. There is a sizeable pause between a couple of words which means that the Sea King does not always communicate that way.

"If you are calling for me then you must want something?" Adrian asked.

"Yes. I need. Help." The Sea King stated as it moved its tentacles to reveal three eggs below it.

Adrian saw the three enormous eggs that are the size of his body, but he could also sense that those eggs have a problem. The ones inside the eggs are losing their life force as he could feel that the life inside is blinking in and out of existence.

Chapter 937

The trio is escorted to the castle of the Merfolk Kingdom. It is vastly different from other castles that they have encountered above ground. It is made of different corals that are luminescent but also very aesthetic.

The castle is heavily guarded by not only merfolk but also sea monsters that have been tamed by the merfolk. It is heavily guarded and is grand enough that it encompasses about a third of the whole merfolk kingdom.

"It is big and grand." Peridot exclaimed as the castle is indeed great.

"It had to be as we are a great family with twenty siblings." Princess Ariella replied while the other three are shocked.

They thought that it is needed to make sure that all of them have a place in that ocean. Still, the three did not relax as they are still in a territory with no common allies. The merfolk might be beastkins but that does not mean that all of them will be friendly with other beastkin.

The castle is so big that they did not need to leave the carriage as doors are not needed in the castle grounds that receive audiences. The group arrived at the main hall of the castle with all the merfolk royal family there to meet them. There are also a lot of soldiers there which are more powerful than any of them which made the trio nervous.

The bivalve opened and Princess Ariella introduced the three which the royal family greeted. The trio could feel that the atmosphere is uncomfortable as there is hidden hostility as they do not know

what the three came here for. It could also be said that the guards are ready just in case something unexpected happened as the merfolk are a tight knit community.

In the sea, only your own kin could be your savior which is why they have fostered their sense of community. The seas are difficult enough to survive without the added pressure of the sea monsters and other demi human species.

"Welcome, Chosen of the Wilde, Envoy of the Twin Gods, and Ryujin Princess." The merfolk king, King Neptune, stated in his regal tone.

"Thank you for welcoming us." Kabrakan answered as the trio scanned their surroundings to see every member of the royal family.

If one thought merfolk, they would think that they are half human and half fish. The traditional one would be the upper half is that of a human while the lower half is of a fish but that is not always the case. Merfolk pertains to a group of hydromorphs that have aquatic monster parts and human body parts.

Some of the merfolk princesses have fish upper body parts while the lower parts are that of a human. Some even have tentacles, but they must not be confused with the Kraken or Scylla race as they are of different origins (which is up for debate). The most notable one is the appearance of the king.

King Neptune looks different as he is almost four meters tall with half his body being the fish tail. He is wearing a deep blue armor and even looks like he is a mix between a giant and a merfolk. The number of queens that he has around him number about seven who do not look the same.

"I know what you have come here for, but I cannot give it to you easily." King Neptune stated.

Before Kabrakan could say what they came here for, King Neptune already beat them to the punch. He did not expect an immediate refusal as the Carabao clan was more than welcoming. It seems that prestige is not enough for them to get what they need.

"Can we at least know the reason why?" Kabrakan stated.

"If you have come here for the Splash of the Wilde then I say that you must return above ground. It is the power source of our kingdom. If you retrieve it, then our city will become easily attacked by other sea monsters." King Neptune stated.

"I thought you got another problem that you wanted us to correct which is why you do not want to give it to us." Peridot suddenly exclaimed.

"Please elaborate." King Neptune stated as he raised his eyebrow but there is a clear expression of anger beneath his façade.

"I remember that merfolks are being targeted by many pirates and being sold to the highest bidder. I thought that you wanted us to fix that problem." Peridot stated.

King Neptune immediately exploded in anger because of the sentence that Peridot stated. It might not be a big trade but merfolks are treated as expendable goods by Sea Witches or Dark Sorcerers for the materials that they could harvest from their body.

Even in eastern medicine, there are some pills that could be created using mermaid scales and mermaid tears. The last ingredient being one of the most valuable things in order to create a potion that can make someone reverse their age. The most notable one is the legend of eating mermaid flesh to obtain immortality but that is considered taboo.

This taboo information came to be due to the merfolk race being unable to age at a point as they do not die of old age which is false. The hydromorphs still die of age but they are vastly resilient compared to the other species of Selvaggians due to the area that they live. Living under ocean has made their bodies be livelier and efficiently use all their body's energy to slow their metabolism.

The guards all pointed their tridents at the three when Peridot stated that sentence as that is the greatest weakness to the ego of the merfolks. They are a tight knit community but does not mean they are without faults.

"It has been our problem for a long time and a princess hiding in a lofty mountain should not tell us how to deal with our problems." King Neptune stated in a calm tone, but anger is hidden beneath that very tone.

"The Wilde has chosen my friend over there. It is your duty as protectors of the Splash of the Wilde to give it to him. It is never meant to just benefit your species but all Selvaggians." Levin Cloud added.

"I remember hearing old sailors that encountered pirates that they had a 'great haul'." Peridot kept piling up the agitation as the merfolk king does not want to hand over the item that they need.

In fact, it was already determined the moment that they entered. They were surrounded by more than a hundred guards and the royal family members brought weapons with them in the audience hall. This meeting was never meant to welcome then but steal the other part of the Wilde to help power the merfolk kingdom.

"Guards seize them and get the treasure that they have stolen from our kingdom. Throw them into the dungeon." King Neptune announced as all the guards slowly crowded the trio.

Princess Ariella looked shocked upon seeing this as she did not expect that the three would be imprisoned as she grew up learning the legend of the Splash of the Wilde. Back when she was small, her father would often tell her that a hero will retrieve the divine fragment from then and save their kind.

The hero would raise Atlantis from the bottom of the ocean while also granting it great protections from the leviathans. She was often told that the leviathans will be under their control once the hero comes to collect the divine fragment. She has never lost hope that the one chosen as the hero will help the struggling merfolk.

"Father! This is not what you have told me." Princess Ariella stated as she did not expect that she led the hero she waited for into a trap.

"Guards, bring Princess Ariella to her room and make sure that she does not leave." King Neptune commanded.

"It is just as you said." Levin Cloud mumbled as they have their backs against each other.

"I told you it was too good to be true as the merfolk has never been the welcoming type." Peridot replied.

"Can anyone think of a way we can get out of this?" Kabrakan asked as even he knows that they will die or be defeated with just the merfolk king as his level is 350.

Just as the group is being surrounded and are about to be attacked, loud roars suddenly echoed in the distance. An alarm suddenly sounded which informed the merfolk that are outside to go inside their coral homes. That alarm is to inform every merfolk that a herd of leviathans are coming to attack them.

"This is our chance! Just make sure that you hold your breath." Levin Cloud stated as he suddenly held the hands of the two.

Levin Cloud suddenly emitted a green energy that turned all of them into sea plants as they dissolved into the ground. The merfolk royal family could not believe that they escaped in front of them, but the most pressing matter is the approaching leviathans.

Chapter 938

The alarms are blazing due to the sudden arrival of a Leviathan Horde. One Leviathan can already give a lot of destruction but a horde of them is a nightmare. All the warriors that could come have assembled as they tried to repel the incoming horde of leviathan.

As soon as the number of the leviathans came into view, the faces of the merfolk started to despair as the number is about twenty. It is not just one species of leviathans as there are about five species of them. The only one that is known of the trio would be the Reaper of the Leviathan species.

The four other leviathans are different compared to the Reaper as they live in the deeper waters. They also live in the waters that are almost below zero which is why it is rare for them to actually show up and attack the merfolk kingdom.

Monster Name: Giga Goblin Shark

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 270

Tier: Epic

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is the ugliest of all the leviathans and attacks all those that it could sense and see. It has an elongated nose that made it become known as the Giga Goblin Shark as it has facial features reminiscent of a goblin.

It can swim to almost the same speed as the Reaper, but it has enough strength to kill prey with just one bite. It is not always active as it likes to hide in deep waters to stalk and finally kill its prey. The parts of its body are said to be great ingredients in making potions.

The Giga Goblin Shark looks like an ordinary goblin shark that is at the size of fifty meters. It is also incredibly wide but can detect prey around its body. It would send out electric signals outward

which would make it sense everything around it in a ten-meter length. Just looking at this leviathan makes people get intimidated as it also releases electric signals to disrupt the psyche of those that encounter it.

Monster Name: Mountain Fish

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 270

Tier: Epic

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is the bulkiest of all the leviathans and it also has one of the toughest defenses. Its body is made up of rocks that could be said to harden with each year that it lives longer.

It is said that a Mountain Fish evolves into a Diamond Back Fish when a thousand years have passed. It is not known what it eats as it does not move often. It can lie in wait for a year before it could even eat again. It is said that Mountain Fishes lives in an area of the sea that is rich in minerals and precious stones.

The Mountain Fish is like a stone fish that has expanded to the size of fifty meter while also having the ability to hide in coral reefs. The merfolk is panicking because the Mountain Fish leviathan does not attack other being as it usually just lies in wait for prey. The logic that they have gathered from calm leviathans are now thrown out since those calm ones are coming towards them.

Monster Name: Deep Crimson Octopus

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 270 Tier: Epic

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is the most eerily beautiful of all the leviathans and often swallows it prey whole by covering its whole body with it. It usually just floats about minding its own business, but it is very aggressive when attacked.

If one sees a giant red balloon underwater, then that is a signal that they should find a hiding spot. The Deep Crimson Octopus would swallow prey that is almost twice its size as long as it could attach itself to them. It also likes to feed on other leviathans since it uses a lot of energy trying to traverse the ocean.

The Deep Crimson Octopus is definitely a beast as they looked like large drapes trying to cover the merfolk kingdom. Four of them are coming down from above as half of the kingdom is covered by their outstretched tentacles that looked like an umbrella.

Monster Name: Deep Sea Blob Mega Sculpin

Monster Species: Leviathan

Level: 270

Tier: Epic

Health: 100%

Mana: 100%

Description: A sea monster of epic proportions and is one of the giants of the ocean depths. It is the battling the Giga Goblin Shark as the ugliest of all the leviathans and it often lays flat on the seabed to hide its body. It only reacts when prey in in the area and it releases a noxious gas that mixes well with water to paralyze everything around it in a twenty-meter radius.

It does not have great camouflage abilities which is why it often fails when it is not buried deep or camouflage well. Its stomach can dissolve anything in under half an hour as long as it is not bone. Its body also secretes some sort of mucosal liquid that can dissolve anything that touches it.

The Deep Sea Blob Mega Sculpin looked like a blob of mess and it almost looked like an opaque slime. The only difference it has with a slime is its body being intact. The most horrifying feature that is has is the fact that it looked like it has a dismembered human face. It also liked to open and close its mouth that also releases the noxious fumes in its body.

Some of the merfolk started to evacuate when they say the Deep Sea Blob Mega Sculpin as those leviathan bring untold destruction. Just the mere contact with its skin will dissolve even the sturdiest of coral houses. The merfolk could no longer be completely safe with them coming to their kingdom.

Chapter 939

The leviathan horde is not natural which is why numerous stealthy fighters of the merfolk kingdom are tasked to observe the incoming horde. It might be natural if one species only attacks but a total of five different leviathan species are going to attack them.

The merfolk prayed that those ocean giants will just pass through, but their worries became real when the leviathans rammed their bodies against the barrier. As soon as the royal family is informed of the leviathan horde, numerous merfolk magicians immediately raised the barrier to protect Atlantis.

The royal family knew that the barrier will not be able to hold forever as it cannot withstand the attacks of twenty leviathans. It might be able to hold off about five at most but twenty just meant untold catastrophe. The merfolk residents are even told to evacuate using the hidden passageways that they have created.

The hidden passageways that the merfolk kingdom has are actually rivers under water. Riding those said rivers have fast currents to the point that even the fastest leviathan will not be able to catch up.

The only problem for this hidden passageway is that only one cane be carried every three minutes or else they risk clashing against each other.

"Your majesty! I give a report!" one of the merfolk scouts stated.

"Go on." King Neptune replied as he got dressed in his battle armor and Mythical tier weapon called Poseidon's Trident.

"The twenty leviathans are being controlled by the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla. It seems that she is using an unknown object that could be the Eye of Poseidon. It is a giant crystal orb that looks like a giant blue eye. She is also pouring mana and her blood to activate it using an unknown ritual." The merfolk guard reported.

"How about the three escapees?" King Neptune asked as he thinks that the other divine fragment that Kabrakan might empower the Splash of the Wilde.

"As of now, they are not spotted inside the kingdom. It could be said that they have escaped to the outside of the kingdom grounds. Shall we spare resources looking for them, your majesty?" The merfolk guard reported.

"No need. All our resources will be poured in killing the leviathans. I will deal with the Wicked Sea Sorceress myself." King Neptune announced as he brandished his Poseidon's Trident that made the very water rumble.

About a few meters away from the merfolk kingdom, three unique sea flowers suddenly sprouted from the seabed. Levin Cloud marked this by infusing three seeds with their bloods. He then scattered these three seeds to settle on the ocean floor or else the emergency transfer skill will not activate.

"To think that one of our fears came true. I guess the moderate welcome managed to lower our defenses. Although Princess Ariella seemed to be extremely shocked when her father commanded the guards to arrest us." Kabrakan stated.

"Ehh! Are you having a crush on Princess Ariella? I mean she did look at you with great sparkly eyes. Be careful as your children might become sea cows." Levin Cloud teased but Kabrakan did blush a little.

"Enough of that. Those leviathans seem to be attacking the kingdom." Peridot stated as she pointed out the horde of leviathans that are ramming their bodies on the barrier that covered the merfolk kingdom.

"I can feel the power of a dark god emanating from the direction of the leviathans. It seems that a follower of the dark gods is attacking the merfolk kingdom. What do you think that they want from the merfolk kingdom?" Levin Cloud stated.

"Are they trying to get the Splash of the Wilde?" Kabrakan asked Levin Cloud.

"That could be a possibility as they tend to gather divine artifacts and pollute them with their mana. They would then use it to summon the dark god that they are serving." Levin Cloud answered.

"If that is the case then we need to sneak back in." Kabrakan stated as they thought of a way back inside the kingdom to retrieve the Splash of the Wilde.

"We should time it well as we will not be able to pass through that barrier unless it breaks. It is the kind of barrier that repels those from the outside." Peridot stated as she started to cast a spell on the two to turn their bodies into liquid.

The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla started to talk to the Eye of Poseidon as she started to pollute it with her miasma. She picked up this treasure when she used to be a resident of Atlantis as a royal court mage. She was kicked out because of her obsession to dominate the leviathans by any means necessary.

She even tried feeding her own people to the leviathans even if they were criminals. While she was covertly doing these tests, a voice from the dark abyss came whispering towards her. A dark god that lives deep in the ocean depths. She has never met this dark god before, but she has seen a shadow of it.

The dark god that called for her could be described as an octopus, a dragon, and a human caricature mixed into one body. What made her compelled to be under this dark god is the promise that she will obtain the power to dominate even the most powerful creatures in the deep seas.

As she accepted the power of the dark god that slumbers in the sea, her body started to transform into a more grotesque being. Her starfish lower body started to mutate into a numerous eyed abomination with rows of teeth. Even her human looking head started to be mutated as half her face became an octopus mouth.

The dark god told Ursalla to steal two things in the treasury of Atlantis. She was told to steal the Eye of Poseidon and the Splash of the Wilde. She only managed to steal the Eye of Poseidon as the Splash of the Wilde is heavily guarded.

Chapter 940

"Should we actually help out and kill some of the Leviathans?" Kabrakan asked the two.

"Nope. We are not heroes and also, they are the first ones to be hostile towards us. I am not a great martyr that will forgive those that tried to harm us." Peridot stated.

"I agree. If those leviathans did not attack just now, then we would have been trapped in a place that might not even have sunlight. We would have died though due to the lack of air, but she is not that lucky." Levin Cloud added.

"So, we go to plan 'Steal it and Retreat'." Kabrakan stated as this is the plan that they have concocted if things go south.

"We are not stealing. We are just retrieving something that should be given to us. It is a piece of a divine item after all. They do not own it in the first place." Levin Cloud stated as he explained that they are not doing anything bad.

"You have been hanging out with Adrian too much." Both Peridot and Kabrakan muttered to each other as that is one of the famous lines that Adrian uses to justify some missions.

The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla is starting to grow impatient as the leviathans under her control have yet to destroy the barrier protecting the merfolk kingdom. She decided to become more

proactive as she raised the Eye of Poseidon. It should have been untainted, but it is now filled with miasma which is why the clear blue color it had is now dark blue.

"Show them despair! Wrath of the Dark God slumbering in the Sea!" The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla shouted as numerous tentacles suddenly came out of the Eye of Poseidon.

The Eye of Poseidon did not have this spell engraved inside of it, but it is the result of the divine artifact being poisoned by the miasma of a dark god. All the spells inside of it is now tainted and will call power from the dark god instead of the God of the Seas Poseidon.

The tentacles that came out of the Eye of Poseidon manifested from miasma that came from the depths of the sealed dark god. The dark god can now use the Eye of Poseidon as a catalyst to affect the things around. It is now considered as an artifact that can bring about his full resurrection.

The Eye of Poseidon might be powerful, but it lacks an energy source that can fuel the dark god's resurrection. Since the Eye of Poseidon pulls energy from the god it is connected with, it cannot provide power to unseal a dark god. The Splash of the Wilde is needed for an energy source that will greatly destroy the seal of the Dark God Slumbering in the Seas.

The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla has full support of this dark god which is why she controlled as much leviathans as she can. She will sacrifice the all the merfolk that casted her away for the dark god that she serves. As the dark god that she serves, is just sealed in the area near the Merfolk Kingdom of Atlantis.

The Dark God Slumbering in the Seas is sealed at the Leviathan Fields. Its presence there is also one of the reasons why the leviathans are born. It is also one of the reasons why the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla managed to control twenty leviathans due to the power of the dark god.

At first, only about three tentacles made of miasma appeared and started bashing on the barrier. As time passed, more and more tentacles started to emerge as the dark god seemed to be impatient. After the thirtieth tentacle that slammed on the barrier, it finally broke into pieces, but the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla is extremely fatigued.

Even though she is pulling power from the dark god, she herself also needed to use her own mana. The merfolk assassins thought that they could kill her as she is exhausted but something unspeakable suddenly happened.

The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla suddenly used her tentacles to rip the soul out of a leviathan. The leviathan's soul is then devoured by the Eye of Poseidon. Some of the energy that the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla lost is suddenly recovered. The merfolk assassins that tried attacking her saw this but cannot retreat immediately.

The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla used the smaller tentacles that she created and bound the merfolk assassins. Since the merfolk assassins are caught, they could only lament as they died being eaten by the leviathans. The death of the merfolk assassins became the fuel for the rage felt but the merfolk army.

The merfolk army charged bravely to kill the leviathans as more of their people will become food for these beasts if they do not kill them. Each royal merfolk family member with their guards faced a leviathan while King Neptune himself came to kill the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla himself.

"It seems that casting you out was my worst decision that I have uttered. I should have given the order to kill you when you sacrificed one of my grandchildren to your perverted god." King Neptune stated.

"Cast me out? Do not make yourself delusional. I escaped with all my might after your hounds chased me to the ends of the seas. If you have just agreed with me then Atlantis might have become a powerhouse by now. The Kraken and Scyllas would be bowing down to us with fear!" The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla stated with a maddened toned.

The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla's hatred for the Kraken and Scylla race runs deep as her parents died in the war against them. In fact, Atlantis is a kingdom that has just been made for about two centuries since the merfolk are often driven out by the Kraken and the Scylla race.

The merfolk might be great underwater combatants, but they are not the best. The Kraken and Scylla race are hardcore combatants since the waters that they are born in are harsher. The Kraken and Scylla kingdom is located at the very heart of the Sea of Monsters unlike Atlantis that is just at the edge.

"Once I devour this ungrateful kingdom then I will move onto the Kraken and Scylla races. I will decimate their entire race as revenge for the pain and suffering that they have inflicted upon me." The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla shouted as she released miasma that infused with the bodies of the leviathans.

The already bulky bodies of the leviathans became firmer and increased by half a meter. The eyes of the leviathans turned red as they became berserk. The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla wanted complete destruction of the merfolk kingdom now that she remembered her wicked resolve.

"You think that you are the only one that controls a leviathan!" King Neptune stated as he raised his trident high.

The leviathan field that is right next to the kingdom of Atlantis suddenly started to crack as a monster of epic proportions suddenly emerged from beneath it. A Sea King that is clearly greater than other normal sea kings came from the ocean floor. The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla is not shocked upon this discovery as this is also one of the fruits of her labor.

She managed to steal a Sea King egg from a weakened female Sea King, but it did not hatch with just her help. The blood of the merfolk royal family seemed to be good nutrient for leviathans. This Sea King is nurtured by King Neptune himself when they discovered this fact. It is now one of the most powerful mounts that King Neptune has.

In fact, one of the things that the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla came here to do is get the blood of merfolk royalty. She will hatch the hundreds of leviathan eggs that she amassed with their blood. Just like what she did to one of the king's grandsons when she hatched a leviathan.

"Did you not think that I am not prepared for this?" The Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla shouted as she too summoned a leviathan that is familiar to King Neptune.

The leviathan that she summoned is a Reaper that is two times bigger than an average one. It seems that the blood of the merfolk royal family is not just a normal thing to hatch leviathans. It also has the capability of evolving the leviathan or making it mutate.

"You dare bring that beast! This is good! I will kill you and that beast that fed on the blood of my grandson!" King Neptune shouted as him and the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla started their clash.

Meanwhile...amidst the chaos happening outside, the trio is following Kabrakan to a place inside the castle. He could feel the Splash of the Wilde calling out to him in a somewhat weakened voice. It is crying out as something is trying to pollute it. It seems the Wicked Sea Sorceress Ursalla is not the only one that is a follower of the dark god.