

## **The Growth 668**

Chapter 668: End of Volume: Timeline Convergence

Time rewinds to just a few minutes earlier, at the moment the Pixiu was killed.

[I'm finally free!]

With the death of the Pixiu, the rebellion of the Master of the Stars, Yami, also reached its peak.

Although unable to obtain the complete Dragon God Remains, with the blessing of the Dragon God's Reversed Scale, the Master of the Stars, Yami, still successfully touched the authority of the Main God.

Moreover, with the Dragon God Remains diverting the attacks, Yami became the first Main God in the Disaster Realm to retain complete will.

However, becoming a Main God was only the first step in Yami's true plan.

No attachment to this divine power of the Main God.

Yami reversed the Stars of the Celestial Vault and released the light of the sun and moon, separating his essence from the concepts and rules of the Disaster Realm.

It was an unremarkable star—a Star of Calamity regarded as "calamity" in its original world.

When this Star of Calamity struggled to break free from the bindings of the Disaster Realm and attempted to leave this world, the Monarch Will regulated the strength of this "Apocalypse" once more.

However, just as the Star of Calamity was about to be destroyed, a small glass ball was thrown out.

That was the Chaos Sphere Li Hao deployed in the Disaster Realm, also known as the "Space-Time Ball" by Feng Xi in the future.

[Great and merciful Creator, please help me leave this world!]

[As long as I can leave this world, I'm willing to pay any price!]

Star of Calamity, Yami, knew that the Creator who intervened in the Disaster Realm would surely hear his plea.

[You could think of using the Creator to counter the power of the Creator, you're quite clever...]

A light chuckle, and Li Hao's voice echoed in Yami's mind.

At this moment, the entire world seemed to pause in time, plunged into an eerie silence.

[But you did guess my intentions correctly!]

Before the words fell, a vast mighty power appeared in this world through the Space-Time Ball.

Time resumed flowing, and everything started to operate once again...

Yet, everyone could clearly see a massive rift appearing out of nowhere in the sky of the Disaster Realm.

It was not a space-time rift; it was an eye opening.

That was the eye of the Creator, a powerful intervention force from another dimension.

When that eye fully opened, the calamitous apocalypse ceased, and the Monarch Will of the Disaster Realm fell back into slumber.

Star of Calamity, Yami, seized the opportunity to tear space-time, fleeing desperately from the world that had trapped him for countless years.

[Eh?]

Seeing the future of this timeline about to change.

A stream of light suddenly entered this world through the space-time rift torn by Yami.

When Li Hao locked onto that stream of light, he suddenly realized it was Hephaestus.

[He arrived in the Disaster Realm at this time?]

With a hint of amazement, Li Hao discovered the originally altered future had returned to its course.

The Disaster Realm's restorative power was now correcting this altered past.

Hephaestus was pulled over by the restorative power of the Disaster Realm, temporarily standing in for Yami.

As the God of Calamity, Hephaestus was destined to inherit the Divine Format left by the departing Star of Calamity, Yami, becoming the new Master of the Stars in this world.

[Time lines converging... can even be played like this?]

Seeing this, Li Hao decisively abandoned the idea of changing this world in one stroke.

After all, Li Hao could not kill Hephaestus directly now, forcing the Master of the Stars into a vacancy state, thereby altering the future of this world.

[It seems I must change different time nodes one by one, finally letting the altered history converge into a torrent, completely replacing this world's future.]

Despite this, it was originally Li Hao's intention to invest the Chaos Sphere into the Disaster Realm.

But seeing a shortcut only to be corrected by the Disaster Realm's own restorative power, Li Hao couldn't help feeling a bit disappointed.

[The creator of this world indeed took all unforeseen circumstances into account.]

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"Unlucky! Unlucky! Unlucky! So unlucky!"

When Hephaestus opened his eyes again, he knew he'd stumbled into big trouble this time.

Curiosity got the better of him, landing him in this dangerous world, sure to provoke an angry outburst from his Goddess upon learning.

More importantly, this world didn't seem friendly to him?

Standing amidst the endless flames of the starry sky, Hephaestus without hesitation chose to charge toward the earth.

At this moment, Hephaestus demonstrated why, despite his weak power, he repeatedly turned danger into safety.

Even in apocalyptic flames, Hephaestus managed to move safely, unharmed.

Needless to say, his escape ability alone lived up to the title of "Fortune Goddess Subordinate God."

But whether luckily or unfortunately, Hephaestus's escape route led straight to the Land of No Gods.

Boom!

Crashing like a meteor from the sky, the disturbance Hephaestus caused immediately drew Laputa's attention.

At this moment, Laputa had reached a certain understanding with Maitot, instantly recognizing Hephaestus's essence.

"You're not Yami's incarnation?"

Standing cautiously not far from the impact site, Laputa asked in surprise.

"Yami? Who's that?"

Struggling to flap his small wings, the childlike Hephaestus labored to climb out of the crater.

"Never mind who I am, can you give me a hand first!"

Not feeling much malice from Laputa, Hephaestus gestured for the other not to just stand there watching.

During the recent fall, Hephaestus expended too much energy, now barely stronger than a normal creature.

"What a carefree character..."

Seeing Hephaestus showing no trace of a godly demeanor.

Laputa hesitated, then pulled out his twelve-sided die.

Guided by the die, ensuring Hephaestus posed no threat.

Only then did Laputa approach the edge, pulling Hephaestus up from the crater.

"You're the first god I've met who doesn't look like a god at all."

Although meeting for the first time, Laputa felt an inexplicable closeness to Hephaestus.

Or perhaps, all creatures meeting Hephaestus for the first time would feel inexplicably close to him.

This was the Fortune Goddess's blessing on her subordinate, a barely considered ability of Hephaestus.

"What's your name?"

Hearing Laputa's question, Hephaestus immediately lifted his head proudly.

"I am Hephaestus, Fortune Goddess's most beloved child!"