

# **From Outcast to Overlord: The Unyielding Heir Novel**

Chapter 216 Judgment Unleashed " Devourer Form . Release . " Finified Leander's eyes blazed with sharp , golden light . His pupils narrowed . His coat lifted on its own , even though the air around him held still . The lake beneath his feet suddenly sank , as if crushed by invisible pressure . The space between his soles and the water collapsed into a vacuum , and the air roared outward in every direction . geysers , He lifted one hand , and the lake answered . Eight pillars of water shot straight up like piercing into the sky .

They looked just like the ones the Masked God of War had summoned before , but they moved more naturally . More cleanly . Like the lake responded to him by instinct . The Masked God of War hovered above , still reeling from how his strike had been broken . Now he watched as Leander called the water like it belonged to him , and fear twisted deep into his gut . " You ... You stepped into the Transcendent Realm , too ? " His voice cracked . His eyes went wide . Leander didn't flinch . He just shook his head . "

Transcendent Realm ? " he said with a faint smile .

" Not yet ." Then his voice dropped , sharp as a blade . " But I don't need it to kill you ." Leander's form hadn't changed . Only a faint glimmer of gold flashed in his eyes . Then , he drove his foot into the lake . The surface cracked beneath him , and a deep footprint sank into the water . In the next instant , his body shot upward like a missile , slicing through the air with a deafening shriek . The sky echoed with a sharp , tearing sound as he broke the sound barrier . Leander's speed tore past the limits of the human body .

He raced toward the Masked God of War faster than sound itself . Before the man could even react , Leander's fist slammed straight into his chest . The hit was clean and brutal . Blood burst from the Masked God of War's mouth . The strike sent him crashing into the lake like a falling meteor . Water exploded upward in a towering wave that rained down across the battlefield . 1/4 13:16 Wed , Oct 15 Chapter 216 Judgment Unleashed 只 今 #Finished Wayne , Evelyn , and Taylor froze where they stood . Their pupils shrank . Cold fear wrapped around them like chains .

They had given up every ounce of their power to push the Masked God of War into the Transcendent Realm . They had believed that would be enough . With that kind of power , they thought he would destroy Leander in one move . But now , with a single punch , Leander had sent him into the lake . And they couldn't even tell if he was still alive . Their hearts sank . " Not even a Transcendent can beat Jeff ? What is he ? " someone muttered , voice thin with shock . Jordan stood frozen in the viewing gallery . His face was pale and blank .

Just moments ago , the Masked God of War had floated above the lake , warping the elements with every breath . But Leander had shattered that image with one punch and brute strength . That wasn't just dominance - it was something that should have been impossible . The rankings had placed Leander at the top of the Astria Power Index . But Jordan had never believed any of those names had stepped past the Martial Sovereign level . Even the legendary Gareth had only stood at the edge of transcendence . Jordan had always thought Leander was just slightly stronger than the rest .

But now , after seeing this with his own eyes , he couldn't lie to himself anymore .

Leander had to be something more . There was no other way to explain how he could go toe - to - toe with a Transcendent and win . Leander floated gently back to the lake . He touched down without a sound . His landing felt weightless , almost like he belonged there . He looked at his own hand . The skin over his knuckles gleamed like polished opal . That single strike had come from the power of his newly awakened Devourer Form . He hadn't stepped into the Transcendent Realm . Not yet .

But that form gave him what he needed to stand against it . Especially against someone like the Masked God of War , who had only touched the edge of it through forbidden means . That punch hadn't even drawn on the full power of the form . It was his first time using it . He hadn't found the rhythm yet . And still , it had left the Masked God of War broken and bleeding . The lake churned again . A figure shot upward , coughing blood as he rose . His breathing was ragged . His body trembled . But he forced himself to stand in the air once more .

2/4 13:16 Wed , Oct 15 Chante 218 Judgment Linteashed It was the Masked God of War . " Jeff ! I swear I'll kill you ! " 8200 Finished His voice was raw with fury . Wind tore his mask free and flung it away , revealing a twisted face warped by hatred . His features looked like they had been dragged through fire and frozen in a snarl He had tasted the power of the Transcendent Realm , even if only through a secret technique . But Leander had brought him crashing down with a single hit . He couldn't accept that . A dark bruise had formed in the center of his chest . His ribs were bent inward .

Only a thin layer of innate vitality , summoned at the last second , had saved his life . Without it , he would already be dead . " You really think you can ? " Leander looked over , his voice calm and sharp . A smirk lifted one corner of his mouth . The Transcendent Realm held secrets . It offered power that defied logic . But to Leander , it still wasn't enough to shake him . The Masked God of War's eyes flared with rage . He reached into his robes and pulled out a small orb . It shimmered with a soft violet hue , like stained glass in moonlight .

Inside , a swirling black mist twisted and turned , coiling like smoke . Wayne , Evelyn , and Taylor saw it and froze . Their faces turned pale . " That's the Judgment Pearl ... " Wayne muttered , his voice barely above a breath . As seasoned Arbitrators , they knew exactly what the Masked God of War had in his hand . That orb wasn't just rare - it was sacred . The Judgment Pearl stood among the highest relics of the Arbitration Office . Inside that glass sphere , a swirling cloud of black mist moved like a living shadow .

It held Doomlight , the most secretive force the Arbitration Office had ever cultivated . That power had been passed down since the organization's earliest days and was reserved for only the most important figures within its ranks . But none of them had thought that someone on their level could hold it . The Masked God of War stared hard at Leander . Then he crushed the orb with one quick motion . The black mist curled up his arm , wrapped around his face , and sank into his brow , disappearing straight into his skull . " Doomlight - ascend ! " he roared .

As the energy surged into him , the blood - red glow in his eyes vanished . In its place , two jet- black irises burned with a fierce , twisted glare . They looked almost inhuman ,

like the eyes of something born in darkness . 3/4 13 16 Wed , Oct 15 Chapter 216  
judgment Unleashed 800 Finished His aura exploded outward . The air dropped in  
temperature , and the lake began to tremble beneath him . Wayne and the others  
shuddered . None of them could stop it . They had never seen Doomlight in action  
before . And now that they had , they couldn't look away . " He just got stronger again?

No wonder the Arbitration Office rules from the shadows . This stuff isn't normal . It's  
dark . Way beyond human . " Jordan narrowed his eyes and kept his gaze locked on the  
lake . He couldn't explain what the Masked God of War had just done , but it was clear -  
this next move was going to end in blood . " Jeff ! I'm going to kill you ! " the Masked  
God of War roared . Pillars of water shot into the sky like geysers . They spun violently  
under his control , twisting and spiraling together until they formed something massive -  
long , serpentine , alive with force .

A dragon , made of nothing but water and rage . " War Dragon Palm ! " he shouted . He  
thrust his hand forward . The dragon let out a thunderous roar as it launched across the  
lake . It coiled through the air like a beast let loose , and the waves beneath it slammed  
against the shoreline with deafening force . He poured everything into that strike . There  
would be no second chance . Send Gifts 60 A

Chapter 217 Unstoppable #Finished The water dragon tore across the lake , its roar  
shaking the sky . The strike split the water like an axe through ice , and the sheer force  
of it pushed the lake backward before it even hit . Leander stood still , hair lifting in the  
wind . His eyes never blinked . They stayed fixed on the incoming beast , calm and  
unreadable . The waves crashed behind him as the dragon surged forward . The lake

no longer looked like a lake . It moved like an angry sea . The earth beneath Waterfront Plaza rumbled . The sky felt heavier .

This was everything the Masked God of War had . It was more than raw strength . It was boosted by Doomlight . Even a group of Pre - Transcendents would have been wiped out by it . And he was sure - absolutely certain - that a full Transcendent would have stepped back in the face of this . But Leander didn't step back . His hair billowed , and his eyes were calm and deep as the abyss . He drove his foot into the water and launched himself forward like a missile . A trail of pressure exploded behind him as he ripped through the air , heading straight into the heart of the storm .

Then came the impact . A blast of force rang out across the lake as his body met the dragon's . The crowd flinched . They braced for the sight of him being torn apart . But it never came . Leander didn't shatter . He didn't fall . He tore straight through . He crashed into the dragon , and instead of being swallowed , he ripped clean through it . His body burst out the other side like a cannonball . The water dragon came apart behind him , its entire form collapsing into sheets of falling water . A wall of rain dropped onto the lake , heavy and sudden .

Wayne , Evelyn , and Taylor didn't move . They didn't speak . Their eyes were wide , their faces pale . " That's not real ," Wayne finally said , his voice flat and faint . The War Dragon Palm should have destroyed anything in its way . It could have flattened a house . But Leander had gone through it like it wasn't even there . He didn't block it . He didn't dodge it . He broke it open with his bare body . And just like that , everything they thought they knew about power came crashing down .

The Masked God of War stood paralyzed by fear , but Leander didn't let him breathe , let alone fight back . 1/5 13:16 Wed , Oct 15

Chapter 217 Postoppable 66 Finished After tearing the water dragon apart , Leander didn't slow down . His body streaked across the lake like a shooting star , leaving a blinding white line that cut through the surface for nearly fifty yards . A rush of wind slammed into the Masked God of War's face . Before he could even flinch , a fist slammed into his chest . This strike was heavier , faster , and sharper than anything before .

He had already called up every last ounce of his innate vitality to defend himself . But it didn't matter . Leander's punch shattered the air itself , breaking the sound barrier and cutting through him like a laser through glass . It crushed his shield and pierced straight through his body . His entire frame locked in place . For a moment , the world stood still . The eyes of every onlooker locked onto the lake's center . Some were frozen in terror , others shaken by awe . Leander's arm had gone straight through the Masked God of War's chest .

Behind him , the lake had been split open , a long , deep gash in the surface trailing behind them . " No ... way ... " That was all the Masked God of War could say before everything faded . Even as death took him , he still couldn't believe Leander had done it . He had no idea how Leander had pushed his body this far . How he had reached beyond sound , taken a Transcendent's strongest strike , and returned one that killed with a single blow . The black light faded from his eyes , replaced by a flat , lifeless gray . His spirit had been crushed from the inside out .

Leander slowly pulled his fist back . The body collapsed into the lake like a sack of stone and disappeared beneath the waves . Just like that , a Transcendent Realm warrior had been killed in front of everyone . And Leander did it with one hit . "

Transcendent Realm ? " Leander murmured , glancing down with a blank expression . He used to be curious about that kind of power . He hadn't broken into that realm yet , so he had always wondered . But now , after fighting someone who had reached the edge of it , he finally understood . It was strong . There was no question about that .

But it still wasn't enough to reach his ceiling . " He did it ! He actually won ! " Yvette and Madeline cheered from the shore . 2/5 13:16 Wed , Oct 15 Chapter 217 Unstoppable Finmhed So many enemies had shown up tonight . So many deadly threats . At one point , it had looked like Leander might not make it out alive . But now he stood above it all , untouched . Unshaken . Unmatched . Jordan's knees buckled . His whole body shivered . To him , the Transcendent Realm had always been something unreachable .

Anyone beneath it - Martial Sovereigns , Pre - Transcendents- they were all small and helpless in comparison . But Leander had just killed a Transcendent like it was nothing . Even if he hadn't crossed that boundary himself , it didn't seem to matter anymore .

Leander turned , one hand in his pocket . His eyes landed on Wayne , Evelyn , and Taylor as they floundered in the water . All three went pale . The air around them turned cold with dread . They had given all their power to the Masked God of War . Now they were weak . And Leander could end them like it was nothing .

" I didn't care about the Arbitration Office , " Leander said . " If you all had stayed out of my way , I'd have done the same . " But too bad . You made the wrong call . " Evelyn's



face twisted in horror . She and Taylor both tried to back away , but she broke first , her voice trembling as she begged . " Jeff , please don't kill me ! I'll do anything . I'll follow you , serve you , whatever you want . I'll give you everything . Just don't kill me , please ! " She wasn't trying to act . Survival was the only thing on her mind . Nothing else mattered . Leander didn't blink .

He just smiled - cold , quiet , final . " I let you walk away once . You came back with seven Pre - Transcendents to kill me . So now you tell me . Do you really think you're walking out of here alive ? " Evelyn's face froze mid - breath . She opened her mouth again , but Leander lifted his hand . Fire exploded from his palm , sweeping forward like a tidal wave . It crashed into her , Wayne , and Taylor all at once , burning them away in a single burst of flame . The three Arbitrators burned to ash beneath Leander's Flamebreaker .

Their bodies scattered into thin wisps of blue smoke that curled into the air and vanished . Every one of the seven Pre - Transcendent Realm fighters who came to kill him had fallen . None of them survived . Leander turned without a word . His steps were steady as he walked across the water . Each 3/5 13:16 Wed , Oct 15 Chapter 217 Unstoppable movement left a ripple , silent and sharp , as he headed toward the arena . # Finished The crowd couldn't look away . Their eyes followed him like they were watching a god walk among them .

Grace stared at the figure approaching , and her chest tightened . That was when she finally understood why Leander never seemed to care , why he always looked so distant . Because he could afford to be . He had the strength to ignore everything around him .

Henry had already woken up . He looked toward the lake , and all color drained from his face . His heart sank . The light in his eyes faded , like something inside him had broken . Leander landed beside Yvette , Madeline , and Roselyn . Jordan stood a few steps away .

He hurried forward , bowed low , and spoke with the kind of respect a student might give a master . " I greet you , Iron Sovereign . " Leander gave him a sideways glance . His voice came out cold and steady . " I crippled Henry . You're not going to do anything about it ? " Jordan's body locked up . His face twitched . For a second , something bitter flickered behind his eyes . But then he took a slow breath and shook his head . It wasn't even a question worth answering . Leander had just killed a Transcendent like it meant nothing .

Even if Jordan had ten lives , none of them would last in a fight against him . The idea of revenge was a joke . He wasn't praying for justice . He was just grateful to still be alive . Leander looked across the Barrets , his eyes sweeping through the group like a blade . " I'll remember your family . " Everyone he looked at dropped their gaze . They didn't even try to hide their fear . Leander turned away . " The party's over . Let's go . " He waved toward Yvette and the others . Without another word , they left the hall together . No one in the crowd moved . The silence felt heavy .

It sat on their shoulders like a weight they couldn't shake . Not a single person could pull themselves back from what they had just witnessed . Grace stood rooted in place . Cold wind slipped through the rip in her dress , but she didn't flinch . Her mind was stuck on the same image - Leander , walking alone , unstoppable .

