

## **Virus 41**

### **The God Virus Volume 2 - 41 Secretary Gone Again**

"What is it?" Amara said.

"Do you remember the 'Ghost Theft' incident? no one knows how to explain that too, just like the phones! maybe that incident too was too advanced for us to understand, and thus we can't explain how and why it happened, or track the people who did it..." Detective Lock continuing when Amara interrupted him saying a little angry "That's absolutely impossible and farfetched! Don't accuse him without evidence just because he has a more advanced company and just because the 'Ghost Theft' case is not solved yet!"

"..." Hearing this Detective Lock said after a little pause "Well, you're probably right and also he is a person with deep backgrounds in the government with a secret identity so I too don't think it's possible and also why would a person who can make such technology ever do that? he could've just released one of the phones and become filthy rich. I was just thinking too much as I was investigating the 'Ghost Theft' case before coming to investigate Aizen Vee, so I'm probably thinking too much and connecting the irrelevant as there is also no evidence leading to him, sorry about that."

If he knew that his hypothesis which by some coincidence he had arrived at was absolutely true but he threw away the idea because it didn't make any sense, his eyes would've turned red to the verge of crying.

And if he knew that the person had mostly done the theft because he was primarily bored other than wanting to speed up things a little, he probably wouldn't be able to control himself anymore and truly cry his eyes out.

But still, it's not known if he truly threw away the idea or if he's done that for the moment, maybe he's pretending to do that trying to calm Amara down not to anger her.

Hearing this Amara calmed down as she relaxed saying "okay, so is there anything else?"

It was at this time that Amara's secretary entered the office after knocking with the ordered Meat Buns in hands.

"No, that was all." Detective Lock answered.

"Okay then, please go ahead and eat the Meat Buns then Detective Lock." Amara said.

"Ah... okay." Detective Lock said as he opened the bag of Meat Buns as he started eating them one by one, he was really surprised by how delicious the Meat Buns were, this was the first time he had eaten Meat Buns and he became the fan of Meat Buns from now on.

He couldn't help asking "Have you ever eaten Meat bun, Miss Martin?"

"No... why?" Amara replied confused.

"Then you got to at least try one! here." Detective Lock said as he reached out a Meat Bun.

Thinking it was too rude to leave the hand hanging she accepted saying "Ah... okay, thank you." receiving the Meat Bun she took a bite and the moment she tasted the Meat Bun her eyes shone.

Then she started eating the whole thing and finished it all very quickly, she had become an eternal fan of Meat Bun just like that.

Even though she craved more Meat Bun she was too embarrassed to ask for more as Detective Lock too seemed to be really enjoying it so she didn't.

Five minutes later when Detective Lock was finally done eating he got up and said "Okay then, I'll get going. Is there anything else you want with me, Miss Martin?"

Amara got up as she said, "no... not for now at least, But I'll call you if I had something to say."

"Okay then farewell." He said as he walked out of the office and closed the door.

"Goodbye." Amara said watching him go.

A little while after he was gone, looking at her secretary with shining eyes she said "Go... buy me some Meat buns too!"

The secretary was speechless but knew it was necessary to follow orders "Okay Miss, please wait."

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#### FIVE DAYS LATER WITH VIRUS

In the past five days, he had made and injected himself with the required liquid of the next level of the Purifying Stage.

The color of liquid inside the syringe was darkish white.

The next level of Purifying stage was called Cleansing The Tendons and Ligaments.

And the darkish white liquid which Virus had made did exactly that as it purified it by hundred percent and also immuned it completely.

After injecting it to himself he started feeling pain in specific places of his body but the pain was nothing compared to the last level: Cleansing The Blood.

Five days passed just like that and now he was currently at the highest floor of 4 Times Square, watching a new tech which was just brought here from his island.

This advanced tech was called White-Ray Device and it was abbreviated to WRD.

like the Coffin-like device which was used to give flesh and skin to the robots this device too was Coffin-like with white light shining inside.

And this device was needed for the next level of his Purifying Stage, as unlike the past levels which he just needed to inject himself with the syringe and be done with it just by waiting, this level was not like the past levels.

He needed to sleep inside the WRD until he was done.

But he still needed to make the liquid related to his next level of Purifying Stage but now he had to fill the WRD with the liquid as it would inject the liquid itself in the right times to the right places.

Other than that the WRD's main job was to place the body under White-Ray.

White-Ray was something that was discovered in the future and it had lot's of uses, but Virus needed only one of its uses for now.

So seeing the WRD already made and here, with the help of golden beauty he went beside the MDA as he told the golden beauty to place different things in different entries of the MDA while he gave new commands to the MDA.

After around an hour later the thing he wanted was ready as he took it off the MDA.

The liquid's color was completely white, and this time the amount of the liquid was more than before, unlike the past levels. Taking it out from the MDA he took it to the WRD and emptied it all to a specific place of the Coffin-like WRD.

After emptying the liquid to the WRD now he had to give specific and very complicated commands to the WRD.

And after fifteen minutes of the giving different complex commands to the WRD, the device was finally ready.

But Virus still couldn't go inside it and start the next level of the Purifying stage as around two hours was still left until his tendons and ligaments were completely immune.

So after passing his time and waiting for around two hours by drinking some tea, he was finally ready for the next level of the Purifying Stage, but in the two hours of waiting, he did something else too.

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In the two hours, he was waiting while drinking some tea he told the golden beauty to summon the CEO ugly.

An hour later the CEO ugly was present in front of him.

Looking at his master who seemed to be relaxing and enjoying his time while drinking some soothing tea, he just waited without saying anything, waiting for his master to talk when he was done with what he was doing.

Half an hour later, Virus finally looked up to the eyes of the CEO ugly and said "Release the Cars to the market and when it's on the market and you're done doing the things related to the car company come back and report to me for further orders."

"Yes, Master. I'll do as I'm ordered." The CEO ugly said.

"You can go now." Virus said no longer looking the CEO ugly.

After the CEO ugly left, it now finally time for the next level of the Purifying stage.

Looking at the golden beauty beside him, he said "Lil Belle, while I'm inside the WRD I can't be disturbed or stopped until the process is over, so first of all, don't allow anyone to disturb me at any costs and secondly deal with all the problems that might pop up as you see fit."

"Rest assured master, I won't let a fly get near the White-Ray Device, you don't need to be worried about anything, I will deal with everything accordingly." The golden-haired beauty Bella said looking at his master in a calm way, but inside she was feeling warm and sweet thinking she was the one her master always put his complete trust on.

After that Virus got up and walked beside the WRD but as he was beside the WRD he stopped and said "Oh right, also while I'm inside the WRD I'm gonna be unconscious until the process is over so I won't be able to hear what you say if you talk beside the WRD, put that in your mind too."

Nodding her head Bella said, "Got it master."

After that Virus lay down inside the WRD as the golden beauty closed it.

Even though he was inside the WRD commands were still being given to the WRD outside.

And soon he activated it as it started working and immediately the WRD automatically injected him with anesthetic sending him to a state of induced coma.

There was no need for Virus to manually control the WRD as he had given all the necessary commands to the WRD and now the WRD would work by itself taking different courses and decisions in different situations.

The WRD was now like a surgeon who was operating to the final goal while also dealing with the problems that may occur along the way.

After Virus was completely in the state of induced coma, a kind of white light started shining inside the coffin-like WRD, but this light was no ordinary white light.

This was the White-Ray, a different kind of futuristic ray that doesn't exist in the present time.

The White-Ray had lots of functions which can be used for different reasons and purposes and Virus had programmed the WRD to use one of its uses.

As the White-Ray shone on Virus there were no visible changes on his body as the change was occurring inside the body, under the flesh and muscles, on Virus' bones and skeleton.

The shining White-Ray was making Virus' bones softer as the minutes passed and after fifteen minutes his bones had become very soft, though not to the point it would come out of shape.

The function of softening the bones was what Virus needed right now so he had given the blueprint of WRD to the island ugly to make it.

And the reason why he had sent himself to a state of induced coma was that this process would be terribly painful.

If Virus was awake in the process of softening the bones throughout the body he would have experienced an unimaginable level of pain, which would make him unable to stay still.

If he was awake right now, even though the process of softening the bones was over and the bones were softened to the required level, he would still be experiencing a terrible amount of pain that could not be tolerated because this level of softness was not ordinary for the body and body would recognize it as damage, thus the part of his brain which was in charge of processing and receiving pain would be screaming in pain right now.

Now that the bones were softened to the required level, lots of needles which were even thinner than hair started going inside Virus' body from places where it would not have any danger to Virus.

The needles were being controlled by the WRD and if someone saw them right now they would have thought the needles were a group of moving hairs taking different shapes.

There were hundreds of these thin needles going inside his flesh from different parts of the body bypassing it and entering directly to his bones.

After they were inside the bones, a snow white liquid started being injected inside in very little amounts to different parts of the bones.

Some of the thin needles were inside the cartilages of the body injecting the snow white liquids inside.

The cartilages of the body were not softened like the bones as they were soft enough for the snow-white liquid to take effect as that was also why the bones were softened, so the snow white liquid would be one hundred percent effective.

These snow white liquids kept being injected to different places of the bones and cartilage in small amounts.

Twelve hours passed just like that as Virus was still in a coma and the White-Ray still shining on his body while the hair-like needles were still moving inside WRD going inside different parts of his bones.

Right now, Virus' bones were going through the process of being purified.

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Outside the WRD, the golden beauty was standing beside the WRD completely focused and ready for any kind of unwanted situations or circumstances.

Her favorite sword was in her hands too as there was a serious and cold expression on her face, it was clear if anyone tried to disturb her master in any way right now, she would slay that person immediately without any warnings.

It has been twelve hours since she was standing there without moving, but the WRD seemed to be still working as different writings in that futuristic language kept appearing on its 3D screen.

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While these twelve hours were passing by, impurities kept appearing on the surface of Virus' bones and skeleton as they exited them, but as his body was immune to impurities because of the past levels of Purifying Stage, they were not tolerated and immediately sent to his digestive system.

Other than his bones in his body, the cartilages were cleansed too along with it, this was something that didn't happen at all in the cultivation multiverse, so you could say this was an advantage of purifying his bones in this way.

Though the main advantage of purifying it this way was the hundred percent purification of the bones along with immunity.

The best pills and heavenly materials in the cultivation multiverse could at best purify about fifty percent of the bones and skeleton, and cartilage was not included in this list.

It was also accompanied by an intolerable pain which would make most people wish they were dead.

So there were very few people who could get their hands on such pills other than the peak powers.

And there were even fewer people who could tolerate so much pain before even starting cultivation and experiencing hardships, as the people on this stage were usually kids or young people who have not seen the world yet.

After two more hours passed the process was finally over as the White-Ray turned off and his bones started hardening after the White-Ray was off, a little while later his bones hardness finally reached to its past level, only this time it was completely cleansed.

As everything in his body became normal, the WRD injected him with something else which brought Virus back from his induced coma state.

As his eyelids started vibrating and showing signs of movement, on the 3D screen outside of the WRD a big text appeared along with a sound.

The different commands and texts which had kept appearing on 3D screen for the past fourteen hours finally disappeared only to be replaced by a huge text.

Hearing the sound the golden beauty's attention was drawn to it, as she read the big written text which said, 'Process Done: Purifying the Bones and Cartilages of the body.'

Immediately after that the coffin-like WRD opened as the now awoken Virus sat down inside it.

Seeing the process was finally done and her master was fully awake, a smile crept across the golden beauty's face as she said "Welcome back master, did you sleep well?"

Virus' attention was on his body at the moment, trying to see how he felt, and he realized that other than slight tinges of pain there was nothing else different.

"Master, did everything go well?" Seeing her master not answer the golden beauty got worried inside, thinking maybe something bad had happened throughout the process.

Hearing her voice Virus finally stopped focusing inside his body as he turned his head to the place the golden beauty was staying at.

Then he said looking into her golden eyes "Don't worry lil Belle, everything went just fine."

"That's good then." The golden beauty answered.

"So what happened while I was in a coma?" Virus asked, only to hear the golden beauty say that no one had tried to disturb him.

Now that he had come out of the WRD and his bones were completely purified, Virus only needed to wait so his bones would get completely immune so he would go to the next level of the Purifying Stage.

Also, this level of the Purifying Stage which was the seventh level was called: 'Cleansing the Bones'.

Now Virus just needed to wait for his bones and cartilages to become completely immune before trying the eighth level of the Purifying Stage which was considered the last level of that stage in the cultivation multiverse.

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Three days later the Virus Car Industries was officially on business as they released their cars to the market bringing a small wave of shock to some people, but as they didn't know the cars that well they weren't shocked by much.

People were mostly shocked because the company which had made the most advanced and futuristic phones in the world was now making cars too, and from the pictures of the cars they saw over the internet they were amazed by how beautiful they were made, big touch screens too were placed inside the cars for the purpose of listening to music and some other functions.

Some people who knew more about cars were shocked by reading the descriptions of the cars, and the advanced functions they had.

Though everything considered, people were not alerted as much as when they had released the phones, and after a small wave of surprise everything calmed down.

Also, lots of News channels and programs throughout the world had covered the news about Virus Car Industries.

A middle-aged man was talking on one of the News channels saying "The mysterious company which had recently released the most advanced phones to the market is now into the car market releasing advanced cars, and according to our investigations, the cars seem to be ahead of all the other cars in the market in the technological aspect. This unknown Virus Industries which had suddenly revealed itself to the world by all its mysteries continues to shock the world again by its advanced cars, according to our resources the cars seem to be very cost-effective too!"

There were also other programs which were talking about this mysterious company which had suddenly revealed itself to the world, analyzing how it was possible for them to have such advanced technologies or talking about how much it would take for other companies to reach the same level as Virus Company.

There were even some saying this company's backer and real owner was the US government itself, analyzing that they were always in possession of more advanced tech than they have shown, believing that they had finally decided to show some of their advanced technologies to the world and earn some money from them.

Lots and lots of such a kind analysis were made by the people and the news agencies, but after one or two days, the wave of shock soon disappeared as everything went quiet soon.

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### **TEN DAYS LATER**

The Virus Car industries' cars were starting to get more recognized as the people who bought them started to increase quite a lot.

Seeing how advanced the cars were and seeing their functions along with how comfortable the cars were almost every person who bought a car of Virus Industries would brag to others and soon a lot of people who had heard of the great cars of the Virus Industries were surprised again at how they seemed to have underestimated Virus Company as they had exceeded their expectations.

And thus the buyers of Virus Cars Industries started increasing every day and soon according to numbers they would soon take almost a quarter of Car Market if things continued this way.

Naturally hearing the news some of the other car companies who were only behind the best car companies around the world felt threatened that something like what happened to the phone companies who were now on the verge of bankruptcy would happen to them too.

Some rumors also started spreading all over the internet about the cars not being safe while the risks the people who ride the cars would experience were listed.

And those risks were even put together in a way that would make sense to anyone who read them.

While some believed them, some smarter ones thought this was only rumors spread probably by the Virus Industries' enemies or it was done by the opponent car companies who felt threatened by this new car company who was abruptly going to the direction of being considered the best car company out there.

Other than this the country and the world was almost quiet other than some minor news that drew the attention of the world to itself.

One of such news which brought some rage to the world was the Boston archbishop Cardinal Bernard Law who resigned as a result of the Catholic Church's sexual abuse scandals and cover-up of priest-child molestation.

Another was the news that drew some attention to itself around the world in the science category, which said scientists had compared mouse and human genomes. They had seen that the first analysis of



two complete genomes reveals striking similarities making them hope the finding will hasten the understanding of genetic diseases.

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The golden beauty which was in front of the TV listening to the News and the analysis related to the genomes couldn't help chuckle in mock, thinking 'The world is still researching on Genomes and DNA, not fully quite understanding what they are, while before they even released the first draft of the human genome sequence last year, master had already made himself a body and transferred his whole consciousness and existence inside it, the world is truly pathetic compared to master and master is like a cheat in front of them.'

As she was watching the TV, another news came which surprised her, the news was related to almost all of the major phone companies around the world, saying that they had been releasing at least one type of new phone to the market since the past few days.

And according to the description and functions of the phones along with the investigation done on them, they were as advanced as the phones of the newly founded Virus Industries though they all looked different with a somehow different operating system.

This news shocked and confused the whole world, they had thought that the other phone companies were far behind The Virus Phone Industries, but it seemed they were wrong?

Lots of discussions were going on over the internet on this subject.

One of the best examples was the discussion that was going on in one of the major servers over the internet where people talked about such matters.

"What's going on? wasn't the other phone companies far behind The Virus Phone Industries? I thought almost all of the other companies didn't even have the camera technology yet, and only one of the companies had just released their new phone which had a trashy camera which couldn't even be considered a camera before the Virus Company released their phones to the market. Seriously what the hell is going on?" PenDrive21 said.

"The above PenDrive is right! what's going on?" DragonPool too said.

"..."

"..."

After some irrelevant stuff was said someone replied.

"I feel a conspiracy here!" WorldBoycott said.

"Yeah! Definitely a conspiracy!" PenDrive21 said again.

Then the discussion started heating up as others also got involved as these kinds of thoughts had also popped up inside their heads.

"They have probably stolen the Virus Company's technology and used it on themselves, otherwise how can they for it in such a short period of time?" DrGoody replied.

"Or maybe the Virus company had stolen another phone companies technology, I mean... let's get real guys, how can a company from which we have never heard of before they released their phones to the market, suddenly release such advanced phones, it's literally impossible!" RobotSlayer said.

"In reply to RobotSlayer, come on, how is it impossible, maybe the government is behind the Virus Company as they are finally releasing their highly advanced technology they were hiding until now to the world." Draculamule replied.

Seeing this the RobotSlayer said again "From what I see, something doesn't add up with this Virus Company, they haven't even made clear how or when they have made the phones, they just suddenly appeared out of nowhere and now the number one phone company all of a sudden? suspicious!"

"Who are you really RobotSlayer? Why are you so much against The Virus Company?" Citizen3021 asked.

"Lol, probably a CEO of one of the companies who's on the verge of bankruptcy because of The Virus Company, uncle, go try actually doing something to save your company instead of gossiping over the internet." Lindadell said.

"If you ask me, I would say the other phone companies have definitely stolen the blueprints from the Virus Company by some means, now they are producing their phones!" DrGoody said again.

"But the new phones released by the other companies look nothing like the Virus Company's phones, they look completely different! and some of their options and functions seem to be different too, though not by much." IdolMan1 said.

"Well, we're gonna reach nowhere by talking to each other, our only option is to wait and see how the other phone companies and the Virus Company respond to this, this is going to be so much fun, haha." IHateFighting said.

"Lol, IHateFighting dude, you better change your name, because it doesn't suit you, but you're probably right, as lots of discussions like this are going on everywhere, as everyone is truly confused, the companies would be forced to give some explanations! So let's wait and see what happens." PenDrive21 said.

"Yeah let's wait and see." WorldBoycott said as others also started liking the 'let's wait and see' text.

## **The God Virus Volume 2 - 45 Meeting**

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### **AT THE ALLIED PHONE COMPANIES' MEETING**

"Hahaha, now that we've finished reverse engineering the phones and even made some changes, so others won't recognize the foundation was copied, we're back on business!" One of the CEO's said with a very happy mood as he laughed out loud.

"Hahaha." some other CEOs also laughed along with that previous CEO, while some also agreed loudly with joy saying "We're finally going to at least rival this giant enemy of ours."

As they were laughing in joy, one of the most powerful CEOs whose company was in the United States said with a cold tone. "From now on never admit or confess that we have reverse engineered the phones of that company in front of anyone! Not even your closest family or friends, don't even mention that word here, I'm talking to all of you! understand?"

Hearing him talk like that, as the other CEOs were also quite powerful, they were not satisfied with the way that CEO talked, but as he was the one who had suggested them to reverse engineer the phones and as he was the person who had suggested the whole plan to equal the scales, they still shallowly nodded their heads, though at heart they were still unsatisfied with the way that CEO talked.

Seeing the atmosphere change to a little gloomy, a CEO from Korea said "Everyone, don't be like this, Mr. X is saying that all because of your own sake, in our country things like this happens all the time as even blood brothers betray each other for inheriting the company and use the slightest of weaknesses they find, we even make K-dramas about this! and revealings like this happen a lot, because that person has talked about his or her weakness to one of the most trusted people beside him, so please trust no one as all of us are together in this and please... no hard feelings."

Hearing this the atmosphere really improved a lot as they started agreeing with no hard feelings whatsoever.

"Okay then everyone, now that we are done with our plan to equal the scales, there are lots of doubts toward us, and most people are saying we have copied that company's work, now we have to provide everyone with a logical explanation that everyone would believe, and then turn their fingers towards that company. Now, is there anyone with a good plan?" The CEO of the biggest phone company from Finland said, his company was the company which was selling the most phones around the world before The Virus Industries had appeared.

Hearing this everyone started thinking as silence became dominant inside the conference room, where the meeting was being held at.

Half an hour later, finally, the CEO from Japan talked, breaking the silence, "I have a plan and I think this is the most logical plan we can think of..."

Everyone's attention was drawn to Japan's CEO hearing him talk.

Then US Company's CEO which had suggested the reverse engineering plan said "What is it? Please do tell us. If it's logical enough and something that people would believe, we would use it if everyone agrees."

That CEO from Japan started talking hearing the US major companies words "Well... first let's say the major companies sitting here were in a cooperating relationship since decades ago in secret. Of course, we will say those newer major phone companies which didn't exist at the time had joined us after that, some around ten years ago, while some joined us later."

"And then? Where are you going with this?" one of the less patient CEO's said, this CEO's phone company was smaller than other major companies.

Hearing this impatient CEO interrupting the Japanese CEO, most of the other CEOs couldn't stop thinking 'Impatience, a quality no CEO should have or it might lead to the destruction of the company. And it's probably the reason why this company hasn't become as powerful as us even though they had good technology.'

"Please don't interrupt me while I'm talking." Hearing somebody jump to the middle of his words the Japanese CEO stared at that CEO who had interrupted him with a chilly look in his eyes, as he said with a cold tone.

Seeing the chilly look in the Japanese CEO's eyes, that CEO who had interrupted the Japanese was a little afraid inside but as he had been a CEO for some time now, he was good at hiding his feelings. Even though other CEOs were good at hiding their feelings or sensing what others felt, still, no one felt his fear except perhaps one or two of the CEOs.

After thinking no one had felt his fear, he sighed in relief as he would be like a joke if others felt his fear.

Then with a normal tone like he didn't care the least about how the other person was looking at him, and as though he hadn't felt his cold tone at all he said "Oh, please continue."

After remembering that CEO inside his heart, who didn't even apologize, the Japanese continued "Okay, as I was saying, first we say we had an alliance since a long time ago. Second, we will say we used to share information about how advanced our technology was inside the alliance since then. Third, the information we shared among each other was about the speed by which our technologies were progressing. Fourth, we will say after seeing how fast our technology was progressing, so fast that even before releasing the next model of our phone we were two models ahead of the phone we were going to release, and like that in the long run, we became too advanced to the phones that people see in the market."

He continued. "And finally, we will say as we are tradespeople and merchants and even more so economists, our alliance was just looking for profit over releasing more advanced technology to the world, so in our alliance we all had decided not to release our more advanced or too advanced phones to the market before gaining the profits of the previous models, and just like that our alliance decided to slow things down and release the next models of the phones after we had made enough profit from the previous models."

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"We will conclude by saying that then what all of you see happened, a phone company suddenly appeared out of nowhere which was as technologically advanced as we were, so our alliance finally had no choice other than releasing our most advanced phones as otherwise, we would've faced bankruptcy." he concluded by saying this.

Seeing everyone was a little amazed by his idea while some were deep in thought he smiled obviously very proud of his idea and then he asked "So, what does everyone think about my idea? is it good enough?"

"Let us think about it for a while before talking." The US phone company's CEO said as quietness once again became dominant inside the meeting conference room.

Ten minutes later the silence was broken by the same US Company's CEO as he said "Well, even though there are some problems with the plan but as that's probably the best plan to equal the scales I say that we use it after some more working on the plan. What does everyone else think?"

Hearing the US Company's CEO agree, other CEO's defensive barriers broke as they also thought it was a good idea and probably they couldn't find a better one in a short period of time, so they started agreeing.

The CEO from Korea said, "I agree."

The CEO from China replied, "I feel some holes exist in the plan and I don't think people will buy it, so no."

The CEO from Finland replied, "I think it's a good idea, let's use it."

A CEO which was from England also said "I believe this is the best solution to our problem."

"I agree too."

"Me too."

"I don't know... the plan feels a little off."

"Couldn't think of a better solution."

"Let's just use it."

And just like that, almost eighty percent of the people present in the alliance agreed to the plan, while the twenty percent remaining had not agreed, either because they were doubtful of the plan, rejected it completely, or didn't state their opinion at all.

So as most of the people present voted as positive and agreed to the plan, they decided to use that plan, of course after some polishing, so at least some of the holes disappear.

After they had finally decided and wanted to talk more about the plan, suddenly the sound of ringtone was heard from one of the chairs, the person sitting on that chair was the CEO of England's phone company.

A little embarrassed seeing how everyone stopped talking and now looking at him, he said as he picked up his phone from the inside of his pocket "Pardon me, everyone, even though I put my phone on silence, I made it so that the extremely important contacts and calls would not be on silence and come through... this must be a very important call."

After looking at the screen of his phone, he said "It's a very important friend of mine and I need to answer it, excuse me." as he said that without waiting for anyone's response he picked up the phone and stood up as he started walking outside the meeting conference room.

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### THREE DAYS AGO

It's been a couple of days since Detective John Lock reported his findings to Amara Martin.

Since then he had been thinking about his baseless hypothesis and he has even investigated the 'Ghost Theft' case a lot, but no matter how much he dug, he found no relation between the two Virus Company and the Ghost Theft.

But as a Detective he had a strong sense and feeling for these things, he somehow trusted what his gut was telling him about this.

And this was also one of the reasons he was considered a genius detective, as what his gut told him and felt was usually true.

Now even though he had no proof or evidence for his hypothesis, he still somehow believed that the Virus Company was at least related to the matter of the Ghost Theft, and even if there was no motivation behind the act or even if the evidence were telling him otherwise, he would still suspect the Virus Company.

John Lock had done big and important things for the Martin Family in the past and he still did help whenever the family faced a problem, but there was a reason why he would do so much for the Martin Family, a reason no one other than him and Amara's father knew.

When Detective Lock was only an orphan Amara's father had discovered his talent and thus financed him to study and get to the place where he was today.

He knew he was a genius detective right now mainly because Amara's father had helped him.

And as Detective Lock was not an ungrateful person he had long sworn to himself that he would help Amara's father and his family till the day he dies.

'This Virus Company's entered the Car Market now and the cars are getting more popular each day and honestly, their cars are much better than the Martin Family's cars and probably most of the other car companies.' Detective Lock thought to himself.

Then he continued his thoughts. 'This company's going to be a big threat to the Martin Family in the near future.'

He was now in a dilemma about reporting the matter to Amara's father as he had no evidence and as he had promised Amara to say nothing of this to his father, but after some hesitation, he finally decided.

"Sorry miss," He said in a low voice as he thought 'Even though I promised not to say anything about the investigation to your father... I still need to tell him, as it's not something only about you anymore.'

'But don't worry, I won't tell anything about you telling me to investigate Aizen Vee...now... I need to go to England and report this to Mr. Martin.'

'Even though I have no proof or evidence of my baseless hypothesis and I have a feeling that no such a thing will ever be found, I'll still report this matter to Mr. Martin as it might be of some use to him.'

After that, he packed his things and reserved a plane to England wanting to fly back.

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After reserving his plane ticket, as he was on his way to the airport he called Amara, telling him he was going back to England as he had something to do there.

He was expecting Amara to say something about his depart or ask more questions, but unexpectedly she said nothing other than "Okay, safe trip." before hanging up, which made Detective Lock wonder what she was doing at the moment to be so impatient, to the point of wanting to hang up faster.

After that Detective Lock went to the airport as he took off to England from there.

He was going to England in person because it was something better to be said in person, as he also had something else to do there.

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Mr. Martin, Amara's father, was sitting in his study room in the family's big mansion that looked almost like a castle, the study was filled with books and bookshelves as the whole room was decorated in brown, giving a more ancient feel too it.

In the past few days, he was quite busy following the news of Virus Industries related to cars, and every time and every day, his face was turning grimmer.

This was probably the reaction most of the companies around the same level as Virus Company was having.

At first this company wasn't under Mr. Martin's radar at all and when he was reported by the news of this company, he didn't care about this company at all, thinking it was probably another one of those cheap car companies which would never be able to compete with them and later he thought even if it did, it would still be far behind their long become known around the world name.

But after seeing the reports of cars' power, functions, shape, etc. he started turning serious because the technology used in some of the cars was even more advanced than theirs!

This made him wake up, as he started following the news related to that company to see if things were as serious as he thought it was.

At first, the reaction was not a lot by people as they had almost no expectation from this new car company, other than saying this was that phone company's car branch.

Some people even mocked and ridiculed them seeing how rashly they jumped into another industry, even before having a strong foundation in their own previous industry first.

Some even said they are just biting off far more than they can chew!

Seeing these reactions Mr. Martin was a little relieved, not relieved that they would not be a rival, no, he knew that was meant to happen sooner or later.

What he was relieved about was that it seems people's trust was not that much in the company, so he was relieved to know that it seemed he would have time to prepare and even advance their technology to the same level before they are known enough in the field of the car industry.

But as a couple of days passed he figured that he was mistaken greatly about this and as days passed, people started to realize how good the cars were.

'This happened because lots of weaker stupid car companies started spreading rumors about that company because they realized how good their cars were, but that just made more controversy as lot's of focus was drawn to the cars, making people start talking about how good the cars are!' Mr. Martin thought, very angry at how nitwit some companies can get.

"Just plain STUPID!" he said out loud unable to keep his anger inside.

Now, in just a couple days, the word was spreading as everyone is speaking about how good the cars of that company are and how they have such wonderful functions.

Mr. Martin now knew the time he thought he had was probably gone and he was right!

After that, in the past few days, the selling percentage of his company's cars decreasing even as he was sitting in his room thinking by himself.

He knew he had to do something soon or his company's going to face a crisis soon.

So he appointed someone to investigate that company as he started looking for plans that might be helpful, he wasn't going to do anything extreme at this point, he just wanted to know his enemy well before making any moves.

But oddly he found nothing other than some general things which anyone can find if they investigate.

So he was quite disappointed but had not given up as he started thinking of ways he could stabilize his decreasing selling percentage.

After thinking for so much he still found no way he could stabilize the sells, other than having the same technology as that company or at least close to it.

But he knew that was not possible in a short period of time before his company goes through a big loss, he needed something that would have an effect fast.

So knowing that he won't be able to stabilize the sells in any legal and more moral way like this, he knew he had to be more extreme and destructive in his ways of dealing with the other company.



He rarely tried to destroy another company as he didn't quite feel right about doing that, as he was not a bad person. However, he was a decisive man and a very good CEO and Chairman at that, so if he had to choose between his own company being destroyed or another, he would definitely decide to the latter even if he has to do it by his own hands.

So he started thinking about how he can take down the Virus Industries before it flourishes too much.

But after thinking for many days, he still hasn't found any way that would lead to their destruction.

All the plans he could think was at most going to hurt them a bit but not something serious or irreparable.

So he was in a bad mood these days, as every second he and his company were experiencing loss, and probably an irreparable one at that.

As he was sitting in his study, lost in thoughts of what to do, his study's room was knocked.

### **The God Virus Volume 2 - 48 He Said Love**

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"Come in," Mr. Martin said, then someone opened the door and entered.

The person who entered was a middle-aged man who was wearing a butler suit. He was the butler of the house of Martin.

"Master Martin, Detective Lock has come and he's asking for a meeting with master, he says it's urgent and it might be of some help to a problem the company's facing." The butler said.

"Oh, then tell him to come in." Mr. Martin's eyes shone a little of what solution or help Detective Lock could offer, even though he wasn't that hopeful as this matter was too hard to deal with even for a detective like John Lock, nevertheless, he was a little expectant of what he's going to tell him.

He wasn't surprised that Detective Lock was aware of the problem he was facing, as things like this had happened before where Detective lock became aware of before even he had mentioned it.

Mr. Martin then got up from his study desk as he went and sat in one of the two couches that were standing against each other.

A minute later Detective Lock finally entered saying "Hello, sir."

The Butler, who had entered with John, leading him here, went beside the master of the house and just stayed behind Mr. Martin without saying anything, while Detective Lock sat on the opposite couch.

"John, why do you never listen, just call me uncle at least." Mr. Martin said while pretending to have a grim face.

"Excuse me, sir, I'm more comfortable with sir or Mr. Martin." Detective Lock answered with the same cold sounding voice he always used.

"Haha, you never drop that face and tone of yours, do you now John? Okay, how have you been? And what have you been up to lately?" Mr. Martin said while laughing.

"Thank you, I've been doing quite well, and lately, I've been investigating the 'Ghost Theft', actually that's also what I want to talk to you about Mr. Martin." Detective Lock said.

"Oh, I thought you were gonna talk about a solution to my problem, wasn't that what you said you wanted to talk to me about?" Mr. Martin said and his voice had changed a little like he was a little upset with Detective Lock for bothering him while he was facing such a big problem.

"Yes sir, actually that's truly why I'm here, I'm here to tell you something that might help in dealing with your problem, though it might not help at all." He said looking at Mr. Martin.

"Is that so? Then please tell me more about it." Mr. Martin said while waiting for him to continue.

"So, I was investigating the Ghost Theft and tried to look for suspects everywhere, but there was not even the slightest of evidence left anywhere, it's like there was no evidence there to begin with." Detective Lock said.

"And?"

"And so, I decided to think completely outside the box, I thought, maybe... just maybe the theft that happened was because the technology or the programme used by the thief was much much more advanced than ours, and thus we can't understand how it happened."

"And when I started thinking like this, immediately another company with the same description came to my mind..." Detective Lock stopped talking at this point as he paused and looked at Mr. Martin.

Mr. Martin's eyes were shining with excitement at this point as he said with a louder tone "THE VIRUS INDUSTRIES!"

How could he not understand where he was getting at, at this point, when Detective Lock had said before, that the thing he wanted to say might be of some help to his problem.

And he had been thinking about that company and how to deal with them for days, so how could he not know what was meant when Detective Lock said 'Much much more advanced'.

"Yes, sir. That's the only place my thought goes to, and probably the only conclusion we could get at thinking like this." Detective Lock confirmed.

"But, that's everything I can provide you with sir, as there is no evidence saying that they have done it, and I believe there won't be such a thing too, and that's why I said it 'might' be of help." Detective Lock concluded at this point.

After a little silence and thought Mr. Martin started laughing as he said. "Hahaha, that's more than enough John, honestly common people are more stupid than you think, and they can be easily manipulated into believing things, even if there is no evidence whatsoever, you just need to plant a seed there and it will grow by itself... hahaha, this is good."

"Well, that's all I wanted to say, sir, as long as it helps, then I'm relieved." Detective Lock responded.

"If there is nothing else... I shall take my leave..." Detective Lock said wanting to go, now that he was done with the purpose he had come here.

"No way, you have to stay and at least eat dinner with the uncle, John, I can't just send you away after you've delivered me with such wonderful news. I'll order the Chef to make whatever you want." Mr. Martin said with a happy.

"You know my house's chef is one of the best chefs in the world, and he is an expert in making lots of foods around the world, from almost every culture, so you can tell him what you want with ease." Mr. Martin said with a smile on his face.

Knowing he probably won't let him leave before he did eat something, Detective Lock decided to stay until he is finished eating.

"Go tell the chef to come." without looking behind he just said the word as the butler started moving out of the study after saying, "Yes, Master Martin."

Sometime later an old man entered the room after the butler had opened it for him, together they entered the room as the butler went and stayed standing behind Mr. Martin, the chef stayed standing in a place where both Mr. Martin and Detective Lock could look at him easily.

"What do you want me to cook Boss?" The chef said with an old kind smile on his face.

"Tell him what you want John." Mr. Martin offered.

"Well, actually, there is something I recently came to like... actually love..." Detective Lock said.

"Ohh... is that so, what could make this cold detective of ours use the word 'Love' for, now I'm really intrigued too! Tell us, what is it?" Mr. Martin said while making a surprised face.

With the same poker face and cold tone he usually uses, Detective Lock answered, "It's..... Meatbun."

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After that the chef started steaming meatbuns, this was something he has never made in this house, though he knew how to make one.

Sometime later the meatbun was brought by the chef to the study while Mr. Martin and Detective Lock were talking about some trivial matters.

Seeing the steamed meatbun ready and here, Mr. Martin said "Oh... the food is finally here! let's see how delicious this thing which made you use the word 'Love' actually is!"

As it would probably be uncomfortable for Detective Lock to eat while everyone else was just staring at him, Mr. Martin too joined in, though a part of the reason he joined was because he was genuinely intrigued by the food, he wondered just what kind of taste would make John fall for it.

After the chef placed the dish of steamed meat buns on the table, in the middle of two couches, he went back and stayed at a place where both of them could see him clearly and then started explaining about the food's background, its recipe, and how it was made.

"Help yourself, John! Dig in." Mr. Martin said and then without waiting for Detective Lock to eat the first meatbun, just picked off one of the meatbuns and took a bite from it.

After taking a bite his eyes shone as he said "Ohhh, it has a nice taste, such a balance!"

After that, he started eating a couple more as Detective Lock dug in too.

But what no one knew was that since the moment Mr. Martin had heard of Detective Lock's baseless hypothesis, he had been thinking of what would be the best way to use the baseless hypothesis? He needed a way that would cause irreparable damage to that company.

After they had finished eating the meatbuns, Detective Lock bid farewell and left as the butler guided him outside.

Now Mr. Martin was alone again inside the room, thinking of how to use this great opportunity.

After thinking for about an hour more, he finally decided!

His decision was to not get involved in this directly, while causing the most damage through others, just in case this doesn't work, he didn't want that unknown company as his enemy.

Because if that baseless hypothesis was true, they would be a frightening power and enemy, not someone easy to mess with, they could freaking steal money from all over the world! just thinking about it made him afraid.

Mr. Martin thought. 'I just need to guide others to leave the seed for me. That friend of mine in the phone industry should be in the meeting where all of the major phone companies are going to be present. According to what he told me they have reverse engineered the phones by applying some changes to it so it would be more difficult to tell it was a copy.'

'And they are banding together and putting all their money, power, and connections on this so no one would be able to talk to them or make a move against them, trying to charge them.

'haha, the only thing I need to do is to let that friend of mine know about this, and he along with his allies are sure to use it in the best way possible by putting all their brains together in this.' Mr. Martin finally decided.

Now that he had made his decision he picked up his Virus Galaxy 1 and called a friend from the list.

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#### BACK TO ALLIED PHONE COMPANIES' MEETING

After they had finally decided and wanted to talk more about the plan, suddenly the sound of ringtone was heard from one of the chairs, the person sitting on that chair was the CEO of England's phone company.

A little embarrassed seeing how everyone stopped talking and now looking at him, he said as he picked up his phone from the inside of his pocket "Pardon me, everyone, even though I put my phone on silence, I made it so that the extremely important contacts and calls would not be on silence and come through... this must be a very important call."

After looking at the screen of his phone, he said "It's a very important friend of mine and I need to answer it, excuse me." as he said that without waiting for anyone's response he picked up the phone and stood up as he started walking outside the meeting conference room.

"Hey, Ethan, what is it, friend? I think I told you I'm at that meeting... so you must have called because something urgent and important has happened... tell me what's going on?" That CEO from England said as he walked out of the meeting conference room.

"Hey Jacob, I know you're at that meeting and that your time is tight, so I won't beat around the bush and be straightforward and just tell you why I've called." Mr. Martin's voice was heard on the phone.

"I called because I've got an important piece of news that is definitely going to be very helpful to you and all of the other CEOs at the meeting." Mr. Martin continued his talk.

"Oh, what is it, Ethan? please do tell." The CEO from England said.

"Well, here's the deal... " After that Mr. Martin started telling everything related to the Ghost Theft and how someone who worked for him had come to him, thinking they were related.

Mr. Martin explained how he thought that case was related to that company, even though there was no evidence leading to them, also explaining that there was probably no evidence that would be found after this.

After he explained everything, Jacob's eyes shone with a bright light as he said "This is something big and very good! We can definitely use this, thanks Ethan, I knew I could count on a friend such as you at harsh times like this, then I shall hang up, for now, to go explain everything to others at the meeting. I'll visit you later at a proper time."

"Hahaha, don't worry, then what are friends for, good luck, bye." Mr. Martin said as he hung up.

After the line was cut off that CEO from England's eyes changed to one of complete disdain and contempt saying "Tch, this bastard..."

Then he continued the rest of his words in his mind as he thought 'This bastard is telling me this information just because he doesn't want to get directly involved in this and become an enemy of that company as he's afraid of them, so he's just using me, otherwise I heard that just recently that company's gone into the car industry too, and because of them, most of the other car companies are experiencing losses too. Now that he's experiencing a loss, he must've dug a lot about that company to get to this result. And now that he's found something, he's just using me while pretending to do me a favor... bastard.'

'But whatever, it's true the info he gave me was good enough, this will probably affect our whole plan, even though the enemy seems more powerful than we thought, it's not like he left us with anyway, and all of us together? what that company or anyone else could possibly ever do to us?' He thought as he entered the meeting again.

"Everyone, please stop all the talks about the plan for a moment, I've just received an important and essential piece of news from a close friend of mine! And honestly, this is a piece of very helpful news." After entering the meeting again, he started talking interrupting someone who seemed to be suggesting something about their plan.

"Oh, what is it? This better be good." The CEO from the US company said with a cold and indifferent voice.

"Well, here's the deal! A very close friend of mine just called... " Then he started explaining everything and no one interrupted him while he was explaining, only at one point all of the CEOs' eyes started shining making the room very bright, if the imaginary shining lights in their eyes were real, all of them added together would probably blind anyone who entered the conference room.

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"This is very good! We could definitely use this, let's think about a plan we could use with this info." The CEO from the US said, his eyes were shining too like everyone else.

After The CEO from England who goes by the name of Jacob explained what he had heard from his friend Ethan, everyone thought this was good information, that they could probably use to cause the most damage to the enemy company while showing themselves as victims.

So they started thinking of a new plan and finally after putting all their brains in this, they had a new and better plan.

They completely tossed away the previous plan about being in an alliance which was going to make the two sides of the scale equal.

"Hahaha, this plan is even better than our previous plan, with this we're not only going to equal the scales, heck, we're going to surpass that and reverse the scale!" The CEO from Korea said while laughing.

They spend around two hours to make this plan by the information they had heard from the CEO from England and now, they just needed to execute the plan.

"Okay, then we shall continue as we planned and immediately set the plan in motion, the meeting is adjourned." The CEO from the US said as the meeting was finished.

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### **TWO DAYS LATER**

As Virus was sitting bored on the couch talking to the golden beauty in the highest floor of his 4 Times Square, he said with a smile. "Turn on the TV, it seems I'm not gonna be bored for a short period of time as the entertainment is finally starting."

Hearing this the golden beauty was confused but still followed what his master told him and turned on the TV.

Changing to the channel that Virus told her, she saw that the channel was showing a press conference held by the major phone companies around the world.

Virus just silently watched this entertaining monkey show without talking.

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#### AT THE PRESS CONFERENCE

The CEO from the US was talking while everyone else was just listening.

"Hello everyone, please note that I am standing here as the representative of all of the major companies that have released advanced phones to the world, these companies include..." He started naming all of the companies that were part of the allied phone companies.

"So most of you should have already guessed why we're holding this press conference, as lately we have introduced and released very advanced phones to the market, I'm sure you all of you have lots of questions related to this matter, like how is it possible for us to release such advanced phones all of a sudden, but please be patient and let me say all the things I want to say first and I'm sure most of your questions will be answered naturally. So please don't interrupt me while I'm talking and explaining until I'm finished, thank you."

"Okay, first of all when that company, which I'm sure all of you know, released his phones to the market we all were greatly shocked of how this kind of advanced technology comes out to the market, we thought how could our phone companies continue to live like this? We were almost helpless to do anything, but we didn't give up and decided to hold a conference meeting with all of the major phone companies around the world, looking for solutions on how to live."

Every reporter and journalist was just listening without saying any words so as not to miss even one word that was being said, while also analyzing the words that were said at the same time.

"As we gathered, we started thinking of how to live and then we decided to put all of our knowledge and technologies together, to see what kind of phone we could produce then."

"Anyway after we put all of our most advanced tech pieces and knowledge together, oddly we saw the phones we could produce were almost the same as the phones of that company!"

At this point, every reporter and journalist was surprised by the question of how this could happen?

But remembering the words of the CEO from the US which had said to not ask anything until he was done talking, they decided to just listen for now as lots of more questions started popping up in their minds.

"We were shocked of how could this be! It was as if that company was all of us put together! It was as if that company had exactly copied all of our techs together and made an advanced phone from them!"

"Anyway, we started putting our brains together of how could such a thing be possible? Then, one of us at the conference meeting suddenly said something which shocked us all, what if that company has stolen our technology?"

"At first we didn't want to believe it because how can anyone gain access to all of our technologies together, as this was truly impossible! But then we remembered a similar event that had happened recently! An incident that no one knows who has done or how it was done! Yes, I'm sure all of you are thinking about the same thing as we thought at the moment, the 'Ghost Theft' incident where money was stolen from almost all over the world, no one can explain how can something like that happen just like what happened to us!"

At this point everyone at the press conference and everyone watching the press conference around the world was shocked!

This was truly shocking news! But the more they thought about it, the more it made sense.

The only answer that could explain how this Virus Industries had gotten their hands on the technology from all over the world, from all of the phone companies around the world, to make such advanced phones was that Virus Company was the culprit behind the 'Ghost Theft'!

"Now we don't have any evidence of our claims and that's why we didn't say the name of that company so as not to be accused and sued for slander and libel."

"Anyway, after that we decided to share all of our technology pieces together to start anew, from a place that all of the major companies, whose tech was stolen are equals, because that company has already released our technology to the world, if we don't do this... we won't be able to continue keeping our companies alive."

"But from now on we will separate our ways from each other and whatever advancement we achieve from now on, belongs solely to that company itself and not related to the other companies at all."

"That was everything the major companies whose names I announced earlier wanted to say."