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Chapter 1051: First Red Star - Illusionary Forest (IV)

In the continuation of the scene in the mirror, Mayonaka Yoru is contemplating the past of his unknowing lover. This is the unknown dark side of Esther Dawn, which he discovered in the Illusionary Forest.

The scenes are still unfolding. The strange and passionate sounds coming from Archbishop Dawn's tent drew the attention of the others on the mission. This news had reached Mayonaka Yoru's ears, and he frowned as soon as he heard it. Unlike the subordinates who were afraid of offending their superiors, such as Archbishop Dawn, someone in the same position, such as Mayonaka Yoru, had the authority to intervene.

Mayonaka Yoru opened Archbishop Dawn's tent with heavy and huge strides, expecting a scene that would be imprinted on his memories as nightmares. He was astounded to see his subordinate entangled with a slave-like hooligan. Deep down, he's relieved that it wasn't the man he thought it was.

"L-Lord... Lord... Help... Ahh... Please help me hmm~" The little priest couldn't control his desire, but his heart was leaning toward the person who appeared in front of his eyes. He appears to be a slut who couldn't pick which dick he wanted but appears to want them all.

Mayonaka Yoru looked down at him and kicked him and the man on top of him away. It appears that he was not even treated as someone under his authority, but rather as garbage that happened to fall on him.

"Revolting!"

ARGH! THUD!!!

"Execute them both! Who allowed them to enter the tent of their superior and did such a sickening thing!" commanded Mayonaka Yoru.

"My lord please don't do this! I love you because you never turn your head my way, I can only destroy that man in your heart!!!" The little priest yells, shocking everyone in the area. Such juicy gossip between their superiors, no one would have expected it.

The two revolting couples were terrified, but the hooligan was unfazed, especially after hearing what the idiot priest had just said. He knew he would be executed when he accepted this mission, but the Archbishop with an angel face promised to free his family as long as he was told. That night, his wife and children were released from slavery and returned to their town with enough money to last a few years. Esther Dawn's reward for completing his task and in exchange for his life.

He was well aware that he was not a good person. Before becoming a slave, he was a murderer who met his wife in the Slave Market. He knew that once his children were born, they would be treated as slaves as well, so he wanted to save enough money to redeem at least his wife and become a normal person while also saving his unborn children.

When the little priest approached him and offered him a large sum of money, he agreed to do whatever he desired. Isn't it simply raping a man? He did worse; it doesn't matter if he can get it up or not; there are drugs for that. Who would have guessed that when he returned home from an errand after meeting the little priest that day, he would be greeted by the slave owner and a beautiful young man dressed in a crimson robe? He was clearly a high-ranking official. One who possesses strength, power, beauty, and authority. In the eyes of lower humans such as them, he is an angel descending from heaven.

This cruel angel demanded his life in exchange for giving his wife and children a future not as slaves but as ordinary humans free to live in the sun with their heads held high in the sky. They would be given their freedom, money to spend for ten years, and one year of protection from this angel until his wife is able to live the normal life they have always desired.

Only then did he realize that the beautiful angel in front of him was not a saint, but rather a cruel devil with no heart. Despite this, he accepted the devil's task, and on the same night, his wife was set free and sent away to live as a normal person, escorted by some priests. Then he followed the cruel angel back, and now the reality in front of him is unfolding.

"No wonder that angel did this! Because you are a cruel and indecisive man that even your subordinates dare to plot against him. You know he loves you but... Would that love even last if you keep doing such things and keep on hurting him? Hahaha~"

Everyone was taken aback when Mayonaka Yoru beheaded the hooligan. Mayonaka Yoru, who wore a cold gaze in his eyes, killed the little priest dyed in the blood of his rapist. The strong in his hands gleam with red blood, which he flings away before concealing his weapon.

He commanded the rest, "Clean up here! Don't walk around and go back to your tents!"

"Yes, Your Excellency!!!"

People rush to burn the two bodies and clean up the scene. They can only watch in silence as their superior rushes away as if looking for someone. They knew Archbishop Mayonaka had to be looking for Archbishop Dawn. Mayonaka Yoru only ran in that direction after someone told him they saw Archbishop Dawn heading to the river.

This joint mission of the two Archbishops took place during the winter season. The mission was to eliminate a Noble-ranked vampire in the West, and this vampire was quite high-ranked. As a result, this mission was assigned to the two Archbishops.

During the winter, the river's surface was frozen, but the water beneath was ice cold. Mayonaka Yoru followed the scent from his memory. The aroma of coffee and aged wood. Esther Dawn enjoys spending time in old libraries reading books while drinking coffee. He spends more time in old libraries that are old and musky; the scent lingers on him after spending so much time in those places. Even a faint scent of such fragrance cannot be hidden from a werewolf like him.

He saw Esther Dawn baked with half of his body soaked in the ice river at the edge of the river just behind a huge rock, and he himself was leaning on the edge of the river languidly with his eyes closed as if asleep. Frost can be seen on his eyelashes, and his lips have turned purplish black due to the cold. But, as if he didn't feel anything, the man slept beside the river, his lower body submerged in ice-cold water.

Mayonaka Yoru drew Esther Dawn from the river and wrapped him in his robes. Esther Dawn was wrapped tightly in a red robe, highlighting his white skin and leaving Yoru unsure where to look. The person in his embrace doesn't care what happened to him right now because his entire body has been frozen by the river's ice-cold water.

"Are you crazy?! Don't you know how cold the river is in winter!?" bellowed Archbishop Mayonaka.

Esther Dawn looked at him with an expressionless face and said, "I'm drugged with a twice-strong Aphrodisiac. Unless I cool down, I can only die."

"Aren't you a light element user? Can't you use the Purification Spell on yourself?!" Mayonaka Yoru retorted.

Esther Dawn said, "Purification Spell is a high-tier Spell. Once I used it I wouldn't be able to use my light elements for half a day. What would I do during the mission if I indeed used it? Wait for me to die in one of your plots?"

Mayonaka Yoru was stunned by such direct words. That was his intention, which is why he had one of his servants put a paralyzing powder in Esther Dawn's wine. As a result, he has a good chance of killing him during the mission. Esther Dawn's next words nearly caused the man to yell in disbelief.

Nonchalantly, Esther Dawn said, "Moreover what your servant put in my wine is not an ordinary drug but an Aphrodisiac. Do you wish for me to sleep with some just to cure myself? If so, bring a person over to treat me!"

"What nonsense?! Who allowed you to sleep with anyone but me?! Furthermore, an Aphrodisiac?! I only ordered that priest to put a bit of paralyzing powder, not that heinous thing!" Mayonaka Yoru exclaimed. The more he hears, the more enraged he becomes. He currently believes that the stupid priest he murdered died far too easily. He should not have killed him right away and instead tortured him. "What little shit! I shouldn't have killed him instantly."

"Is there a difference between death and losing your dignity? The latter is a little difficult to swallow. Cough," Esther Dawn said.

His body had been greatly weakened by bathing in an ice-cold river. His body is now cold on the outside and hot on the inside. For the time being, he feels balanced, and he is extremely sleepy. Archbishop Mayonaka became concerned when he saw him in this state. He had intended to let this man die away from his sight, but seeing it with his own eyes is a different experience, especially hearing his breathing slow and low.

Mayonaka Yoru yells, "Don't sleep. The moment you fall asleep you die!"

"Haha~ isn't that what you wanted? What a... Contradictory person..." Esther Dawn can barely open his eyes as he feels extremely lethargic.

"Tsk! Damn it!" Mayonaka Yoru carried away Esther Dawn and brought him into his tent to his bed and immediately summoned all doctors and healers in both groups.

When the others saw the Archbishop naked with only one robe over him and both pale lips and a flushed face, they had already imagined everything that needed to be imagined. Their two superiors must have done something that no one else can say.

Mayonaka Yoru, who was currently in a bad mood, glared at these brainless people who chose to stare but not treat the fragile person in his embrace. He couldn't stop himself from yelling at them.

"I told you to check on him! Are you all deaf!?" Mayonaka Yoru yelled.

The doctors trembled at such menacing voices and approached their superiors with shaking legs.

"Noisy" cough. Cough." Complained Esther Dawn with his eyes closed. He knew that falling asleep like this would lead to death. But he is so tired that he can only keep his eyes closed while still preventing himself from completely falling into slumber.

Mayonaka Yoru reprimands him, "Stop talking anymore. Let them cure you." He didn't even notice that his voice instinctively turned gently and mellowed while the others couldn't be helped but shiver at this scene.

Groans~

"Tsk! You... Someone drugged him with an aphrodisiac! It was those two bastards from before. Treat him or use a Purification Spell!" Archbishop Mayonaka commanded.

The local priests couldn't help but feel helpless in the face of this command. Everyone is aware that Purification is a powerful spell. It can only be cast by a group of bishops, an Archbishop, and above. Since there were already two Archbishops in charge, no bishops joined them for this mission; only a group of priests and deacons, as well as a team of holy knights, came with them.

A brave priest musters his courage and says, "Your Excellency! The only ones who can cast Purification Spell in our whole team are Archbishop Dawn and... you. We, ordinary priests, can't gather that much light element to cast it."

"Useless! I can cast it but that means neither I nor him can heal you after the mission. Are you okay with that? Hah!?" Mayonaka Yoru said.

They can't possibly agree with that. Their adversaries for this mission are the bloodsuckers, who can regenerate as long as there is blood. They are only humans; how can they not be injured while fighting these creatures? The doctors can only recommend the last possible option in this situation.

"M-My lord... Then there is... only one way left." The doctor said.

Archbishop Mayonaka flinched, and Archbishop Dawn, who had his eyes closed, opened them forcefully despite his weakness. His voice had become hoarse as a result of the love drugs, making his tone raspy yet sexy at the same time.

"River... bring...me... back... to the river," Esther Dawn says quietly.

The man who was hugging him had turned completely dark and gloomy. This expression terrified everyone inside the tent, and they couldn't help but take a step back from their two superiors.

Esther Dawn heard Mayonaka Yoru's cold, whimpering voice. His voice was full of rage to the others, but Esther Dawn's ears felt like the man was deeply hurt by his words.

"Do you despise it (me) so much?"

"Archbishop Mayonaka had no right to ask such a question," Esther Dawn said, implying that the man was to blame for the outcome. As a result, asking such a question is a little... foolish.

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Mayonaka Yoru was enraged by the man he was hugging's response because it was not even close to what he desired. His ferocious expression was enough to silence everyone inside the tent. They were all

blaming themselves for not leaving right away after discovering that the first option of casting the Purification Spell was ineffective. They were now being glared at and even yelled at.

Mayonaka Yoru's gaze shifted to the other people in the tent. His stare is so frightening that others can't help but tremble.

"What are you guys still doing here? Scram!"

Chapter 1053: First Red Star - Illusionary Forest (VI) [M]

Warning: Sexual Scenes ahead.

Mayonaka Yoru, moved by Esther Dawn's words, yanked down the latter's waist towards him, his member teasing outside the entrance to his beloved's hole pierced through the root. The intestinal walls, which had been unable to scratch their itch, were suddenly filled with heat and a rubbing sensation. Esther Dawn's mouth screamed uncontrollably as the man above him suddenly entered.

Esther Dawn can't take it anymore. In his body, pain and pleasure were intertwined. As the drugged in his body multiplied the sensation and sensitivity of his body, the bliss from his first time broke through his mental defense. He can feel his insides clamping down on the Mayonaka Yoru member inside him, as well as the size and shape of the thing being thrust into him nonstop. The thrusting motion scraped and rubbed against his sensitive insides, torturing him until his body is filled with pleasure and the pain fades away. It was so stimulating that he couldn't help but cry.

Mayonaka Yoru tore apart his beloved's leg and buried himself as deeply as he could. He made every effort to fuck the man beneath him. The large, thick meat rod was inserted into the small hole and pierced until the juices sprayed everywhere.

"Darling, you see! I can do it. I'll work harder as proof." Archbishop Mayonaka asked while pumping his hips.

"You... Ahh, move slower... Nnm~ too full." Esther Dawn grumbled.

Mayonaka Yoru asked, "Pudding, do you like it?"

"Yea... Great." Esther Dawn opened his teary eyes and stared dazedly at Archbishop Mayonaka. His hands already reached the place they were connected and suddenly smiled, "You are really in me. Hmm ~ it's not a dream. So happy~" He said vaguely.

"Fuck! That's too much, darling." Mayonaka Yoru stopped holding back and fully ate the man under him. They kept doing it until the man under him passed out and the drug no longer had an effect.

When the two opened their eyes the next morning, Esther Dawn, who had returned to normalcy, couldn't help but frown as he remembered what had happened between them the night before. He awoke first, before Mayonaka Yoru, and wanted to leave before he awoke. Unfortunately, he was unable to leave the bed because an arm was clamped around his waist. He can only sigh and pinch the man's nose while pretending to sleep.

A voice hoarse beyond recognition, "Wake up. I know you are awake." Esther Dawn said.

Mayonaka Yoru stopped acting and sat up, but his arm around Esther's waist tightened rather than loosened. Esther Dawn struggled, but he felt numb all over and the man refused to let him go.

"Let go," Esther Dawn said.

Mayonaka Yoru pulled him to his lap and hugged him tightly from behind. He leans his head on Esther's shoulder and whispers an answer.

"No. I don't want to. You want to leave."

"Who is leaving? I want to take a bath!" Esther Dawn said as he pinched the hand around his waist.

Mayonaka Yoru said, "I will take a bath with you. Let someone send warm water for bathing."

"My clothes?"	
"I've asked someone to move everything from your tent to mine. Your clothes included."	
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Esther Dawn was taken aback and didn't know what to do. How did he end up in the same tent as this man simply because of what happened the night before? Isn't he supposed to abandon me after he's done it?

Mayonaka Yoru issued an order via sound transmission, and it didn't take long for a few of his subordinates to bring in a large wooden tub filled with warm water that could fit two adult humans. None of these subordinates dared to raise their heads to meet their two superiors in the tent and promptly left when told to.

Esther Dawn didn't know what to do next and decided to take a bath first before deciding what to do next. But when he tried to stand up, he lost his leg strength and fell back into bed. Mayonaka Yoru gently carried him in his arms and placed him in the wooden tub.

"Call me after you finish bathing." Preparing to leave.

Mayonaka Yoru was terrified of hearing what the man would say now that he was sane and no longer affected by the drugs. He is unwilling to let go, but he is also unwilling to hurt him.

But before he could leave, someone grabbed his hand, which was slightly trembling, indicating that it lacked the strength to continue gripping his hand. So he knew who owned it just by touching it and holding it as gently as he could.

"Do... Do you still need... something else?" Mayonaka Yoru asked.

Esther Dawn spoke, he hurt his throat a bit and it was hoarse for anyone to hear it, and said, "Stay. We need to talk. If you leave, I'm never going to appear before you ever again."

Silence has descended in the area, and the two are awkward. Only after hearing a sigh from Mayonaka Yoru did Esther Dawn raise his head to see the former undressing and entering the tub with him. Despite the fact that the wooden tub could hold two men, Esther Dawn was placed on Yoru's lap, his arm wrapped around his tiny waist. He also assisted in the scrubbing of his hands and back. Esther Dawn allowed him to do whatever he wanted.

Mayonaka Yoru asked, "Why aren't you struggling? If it's now you can leave."

"I don't think so. You are holding on to me so tight I can barely move. Your mouth speaks differently than your actions. There are so many things I wanted to ask but I chose not to. I know nothing of your past but I also know your hatred for the human race. There is only one thing I wanted to ask. Depending on your answer to this question would result in whether I will forgive you or not. So give me an honest answer." Esther Dawn said.

For a brief moment, the arms wrapped around him shook as they tightened even more, allowing Esther Dawn to breathe normally. The man who was holding him said nothing but nodded his head in agreement with what he had just said.

"I'm a human. Are you willing to love me?" Esther Dawn inquired.

Mayonaka Yoru remained silent in response. Obviously, his hatred for the human race is greater than anyone imagined. He knew he was in love with the man in his arms, but... He also despised all humans except himself. He had no idea how to respond to this question.

Esther Dawn spoke, "Just think of me as just a man called Esther Dawn. There is no need to include the fact that I am born human and include me together with the rest. I just wanted to ask if you are capable of loving me still even though I am a human. I am not going to stop your revenge. You can kill my uncle and all his people as you wish. I just wanted to know if you are willing to accept my love for you as a human."

"Only you... among all humans, I accept only you. Regardless of whether you are a human or not, as long as you are yourself I love you." Mayonaka Yoru whispered.

Esther Dawn couldn't help but smile when she heard this answer. He closed his eyes and relaxed his body, leaning defenseless on the man's body behind him. Aside from his family, this is the first man to

whom he has relaxed his guard. Even with Asher Light, he would be defensive at times or refuse to join him until Asher Light promised not to interfere with his business against his uncle.

"That's good to hear. Then... you must take responsibility for what you did..." Esther Dawn said as he fell asleep leaning on his man.

Esther Dawn's defenseless figure filled Mayonaka Yoru's heart with joy. Who wouldn't be happy to know that your love accepted you completely, even entrusting their lives to you to protect? It demonstrates Esther Dawn's love for him and her acceptance of him despite his race. His tears streamed uncontrollably, but he kept his crying face hidden in the crooks of his beloved's neck. Esther Dawn consoled him by patting his waist with her hands and rubbing his face against his shoulder.

"Shss... Don't cry, my love." Esther Dawn whispered but these words just made the man cry harder and hot tears stroll down his neck giving him the warmth this man possessed.

It's difficult for a young couple to hold back. Mayonaka Yoru completed their mission as soon as possible but did not immediately return to the Templar Temple. They took their time and spent more time together as a couple. As a result, when they returned to the Templar Temple, most of the people there were aware of their affair. While Esther Dawn was relieved to learn that the Holy Son had gone missing, she was forced to leave the Templar Temple once more in order to find him.

Mayonaka Yoru, on the other hand, remained in the Temple. Assisting his beloved in locating his imprisoned father, which was mentioned during one of their late-night conversations. The scene on the mirror fades, as does the path of the mirror. Mayonaka Yoru was aware that the end of the path is the goal of this trial. He presided over the trial. He took a long, hurried stride to the end, knowing that at the end of this path was his beloved, who was willing to love him regardless of his past or future.

Esther Dawn arrived at the Flower Garden in the central region after witnessing his lover's painful past there. He expected to wait a long time for Yoru to appear, but who would have guessed that as he took a few steps in the garden, another path opened up and he saw Mayonaka Yoru walking towards him? As he opened his arms, a smile appeared on his face. The couple hugged each other as if they hadn't seen each other in centuries.

Mayonaka Yoru said, "I finally found you~"

"Un. You found me." Esther Dawn said.

The two bump each other's forehead while smiling at each other. There is intense love and affection within those eyes.

From the point of view of Asher Light and Amber Dawn...

They witnessed the same event as their brothers. A rainbow mist and mirrors path as they tread the path watching a part of the past or hidden thoughts their partners had for them nothing can be hidden and everything was there to be seen. Asher Light observes his girlfriend's past, life in a world other than theirs.

The world was similar to their worlds, with the exception that Amber Dawn grew up in a world with more advanced technology than their worlds. There are automobiles that run on gasoline or diesel. There are carriages pulled by horses or moving through spells in their world. What is surprising is that Amber grew up in a world populated solely by humans. Vampires and werewolves were regarded as myths or fictitious creatures. They do not exist as they do in their world.

But Asher Light didn't think this world was better than theirs. Because Amber Dawn had to fight and kill the same race in the world where she grew up. A human-versus-human conflict. It was far more terrible than their wars. Countries fall, people die on all sides, and even children are tasked with killing. This is especially true for children who have never known their parents. They were herded together and trained like dogs. They were taught to slaughter their own species. They could only survive by killing.

Asher Light could only watch as Amber Dawn, eight years old, held her first weapon. A fruit knife that she was given in order to kill another female child with her own hands. With tears in her eyes, Amber Dawn bit her lower lip until it bled and watched as the girl she considered her only friend betrayed her for a piece of bread. She was now tasked with killing her because only one of them could live. Amber Dawn, the young girl, wished to live. So, even though her hands trembled and her face was filled with fear, she did as she was told. She can only murder her one and only friend.

Asher Light frowned as he punched the mirror which didn't even break from the force of his punches.

"What kind of adults are these? Asking a child to kill another child!? Isn't that hell!?"

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As Asher Light observes Amber Dawn's life in Parallel Earth #193, he witnessed how she grew up and adapted to her surroundings. Despite having to take a life at a young age to defend herself mentally, Amber Dawn chose to suppress the memories of that incident along with her emotions and other feelings. However, this suppression ultimately led to her becoming the most formidable Assassin in that world.

Amber Light of Earth has endured battles, killings, and countless betrayals accompanied by pain and suffering. Numerous bounty hunters have sought after her, wanting her head, while enemies have wished for her demise. Some assassins have even attempted to overpower her to prove their strength, but none have succeeded. As the most elite assassin on Earth, there are few who can even come close to moving her.

Despite facing her demise, she fearlessly destroyed the den of those miscreants who created her. Unfortunately, the government saw her as a threat and took action to eliminate her. But even in the face of death, she accepted her fate with a bold smile. Upon awakening, she returned to her true identity as Amber Dawn, with only a few fleeting memories remaining in her mind. Thanks to these memories, she was able to adapt seamlessly to her new form.

He observes that the original owner of the body bullied those who attempted to harm her and imprisoned them all. Those who planned to do worse were all killed by her knife. Her abilities were so advanced that she could be considered as powerful as the world's special humans.

This Holy Son, Asher Light, was too preoccupied with the scenes playing out in the mirrors. After all, this is the past Asher Light was too shy to ask of his girl. He even witnessed the incident in which she discovered him unconscious and wounded in that small alley. He laughed when he learned that she had only saved him that night because he was attractive.

Chuckling, Asher Light murmured, "I should be thankful I was born with this face or else you wouldn't have saved me that night nor we would have met. But that sudden rain and the reason those vampires didn't find me... So it was Lord Luther's doing after all. Did he save me on a whim or did he intentionally send it to Amy's way? Either way, I am grateful."

The scene begins when he awakens from his slumber and falls in love with Amber Dawn at first sight. As he stares dazedly at Amber Dawn, he realizes how stupid he appears. With a pair of red ears on his head, Asher Light couldn't just cover his face in embarrassment.

"Ah~ I look so stupid. No wonder Amy didn't mention how she learned that I like her. So it was because everything was imprinted on my face. Oh god~"

More scenes were shown, including the first meeting of Conri Lycaon and Amber Dawn. He was grateful to his friend for saving Amber from a terrible fall. She almost died that day, and she unhesitatingly accepted her impending death if Conri Lycaon hadn't saved her.

"She is too welcoming of death. This must be fixed!"

As they gazed upon the memories reflected in the mirror, Amber Dawn and Asher Light saw everything that had happened up until the present moment. Nothing remained hidden, and they witnessed it all together. Despite Amber's past as an Assassin and her true identity as the Dawn Family's eldest daughter, Asher accepted her completely. Since the night their paths crossed, they were destined to be together. Asher's goal was the Flower Garden, and he walked towards it with determination, eagerly anticipating the arrival of his beloved lady.

From the perspective of Amber Dawn...

Amber Dawn was amazed by the enchanting sight of a rainbow-colored mist and a vibrant forest. She was delighted to see the same scene reflected in a mirror path. As someone from Earth, this was a unique experience that felt like watching a magician perform a trick. Despite multiple attempts to investigate and explore, Amber Dawn was unable to find a scientific explanation for this phenomenon.

A motion picture played before her eyes. Initially, she failed to recognize the person in the mirror. It wasn't someone resembling her memories. In the slums, a baby with golden hair and eyes was abandoned at a small orphanage. The parents didn't even hesitate when they left the young infant there. Amber Dawn was furious with the utter disappointment of these parents. How could they leave a newborn baby in front of the door, outside the orphanage with only a bundle of cloth around the baby?

If the nun in the orphanage hadn't come to throw the trash for the collection day, that baby boy would have frozen outside the house.

Asher Light, as a child, was unfortunately treated as a monster while growing up in an orphanage located in a slum area. Amongst the predominantly black and brown-haired individuals, he stood out with his luxurious golden hair and sun-like eyes. His abilities were unparalleled, especially with his power of light. Despite being abandoned, Asher Light's potential was undeniable.

The Templar Temple unexpectedly saw Asher Light in the slums and immediately reported it to the Pope. Kenan Light, who was missing someone to devour their abilities, was immediately dispatched to retrieve the child. The Templar Temple razed the slums and killed everyone who lived there. Before they died, those guys treated Asher Light, the sole survivor, like a plague. Why must they die solely because of Asher Light?

As a 'thing' whose power was destined to be drained by Kenan Light, his very existence must be unknown. So there would be no outsiders looking for him in the future, and this act eliminated all possible future events. But Kenan Light had no idea that the fate of the child he chose would be to destroy the 'him' of the future.

Amber Dawn observes Asher Light's life in the Templar Temple. She assumed that as the Holy Son of the said temple, he would be treated as royalty, but she was mistaken. The lower echelons did not matter because they all revered those who stood above them, but ranked ones like bishops, Archbishops, and especially cardinals do not regard Asher Light as their heir but as a dog who had no choice but to obey the Pope's commands.

At the Templar Temple, Asher Light is known by another name - 'The Dog of Pope Kenan Light'. However, individuals like Mayonaka Yoru and the two cardinals who harbor a strong hatred towards the Pope view Asher Light with contempt. They question why he values his life so little and agrees to undertake dangerous missions. In truth, he cannot refuse the missions assigned to him, especially those given by the Pope. One such mission was the assassination of Athan Vladimir, which he failed to accomplish.

As Amber Dawn thought about Athan Vladimir, her younger brother, she felt grateful that Asher Light failed in his mission. Otherwise, she might never have forgiven him for killing her sibling. Asher's childhood was not a happy one, possibly much like Amber's own. However, she had the freedom to decline missions whereas Asher did not. If Pope Kenan Light ordered him to jump into a pool of boiling kava, Asher had no choice but to comply.

Additionally, Asher was unable to leave the Templar Temple, as Kenan had placed a curse on him. If he went against the Pope's commands, he could be killed at any time and place. Fortunately, this curse was lifted when Lord Fenrir Skoll nearly destroyed their world, inadvertently killing everyone in it. It was fortunate that this deadly problem was resolved.

Amber Dawn took notice of the meeting between her elder brother, Esther Dawn, and Asher Light. Despite their initial animosity towards each other, they eventually became friends. Asher Light regards Esther as a trusted confidant within the Templar Temple. It was their shared enemy that brought them together and led them to join the same faction.

Asher Light's gratitude towards Kenan Light disappeared when he learned about what happened to his Senior Brothers. Sadly, all the disciples except for the less talented ones either died of old age or became fossils. Kenan Light drained their powers and took it all away, leaving them with nothing. It's not surprising that Kenan Light still looks youthful - he exchanged his elder disciple brothers' lives for his appearance, even though they didn't want it.

In the past, Asher Light was bullied when he first arrived at the Templar Temple before being reinstated as the Holy Son. As a child without the protection of his master, he was an easy target for his peers, who continued to bully him as he grew older. Eventually, Esther Dawn intervened and taught Asher Light how to defend himself, which brought the two closer together and eventually led to their partnership.

Amber Dawn mumbled, "Those parents are not even to be called parents. How can they just abandon a child like that? Maybe I should be thankful they didn't throw the baby Asher Light in the trash can and leave him at the orphanage. It was because of such irresponsible parents that many children had to suffer."

"Is me saving him the only kindness Ash got aside from my elder brother saving him? Just how cruel this world is? And how much of a bastard that stupid old pope is!? No wonder he ended up becoming a Devil. Such an ambitious and evil person would succumb to the dark side no matter what the circumstances. Anyway in the future Ash has me and the Dawn Family. There is also Conri and Yoru-nii. He would have to be alone in the future. I shall guarantee it."

As Amber Dawn walked down the path, it split to create a clear way for her. At the end of the path, she saw Asher Light standing there with a smile on his face. He had been patiently waiting for her arrival, no matter how long it took.

Without hesitation, she jumped into Asher's arms and he caught her. Amber Dawn understood the pain and lack of affection Asher had experienced during his childhood. She felt the need to comfort and care for him, so she lovingly embraced him and patted his head like one would do to praise a good child.

Amber Dawn said, "You did well. You persevere until the end. Since you are found by me you shall be mine until the end of our lives."

Asher lightly chuckles in happiness and says as he hugs the only treasure that was destined to be his in this life, "Sweetheart, are you proposing? I'm supposed to be the one to do that!"

"Too late since I did it first"," Amber Dawn said as she kissed her boyfriend's forehead which eventually ended up becoming an intense kiss that was halted when Esther Dawn faked a cough to tell the young couple about his and Mayonaka Yoru's presence within the garden.

Cough!

Asher Light said, "Brother-in-laws, you are already here?"

"Who the hell are you calling brother!? You two aren't married yet!" Esther Dawn retorted, making everyone else in the area laugh at the antics of these two men who were good friends.

Chapter 1055: First Red Star - Illusionary Forest (VIII)

The perspective of the last couple, Conri Lycaon and Carnelian Dawn...

The two individuals, Conri Lycaon and Carnelian Dawn were separated from each other, unlike the previous couple. Before entering the forest, Conri hugged Carnelian as they both knew the rules of the final trial. However, it was unfortunate that they couldn't maintain a certain distance between them. This was especially difficult for Carnelian as his soul was injured and his body and soul were not perfectly synchronized.

Fenrir Skoll saved Carnelian Dawn's injured soul by temporarily binding it to Conri Lycaon's soul, preventing it from perishing. However, Carnelian's current vessel is not well connected to the world, as it originally belonged to a child named Athan Vladimir who died in another world. To establish a

stronger connection, Carnelian decided to bond with one of the world's children, and Conri Lycaon agreed to help. This is why they embarked on the trial of mateship.

Conri Lycaon and Carnelian Dawn share a common tragic childhood. One of them suffered the loss of their entire tribe due to the orders of Pope Kenan Light, while the other had to endure the separation of their family with their elder brother leaving to seek protection for them. The burden of their greedy relatives fell upon them, causing intense stress. They blame themselves for not being able to protect their loved ones. Perhaps if the situation were different and their roles reversed, they wouldn't have to bear the pain of their past.

When they first met, things weren't good between them. They couldn't even recognize each other because Amber Dawn had Carnelian Dawn's Imprint Crest on her body after his sister took over and Carnelian Dawn got lost in time and space. Carnelian Dawn's soul got lost in time and ended up in the past, taking over the dead body of Athan Vladimir. To avoid being discovered as someone else, he sealed his original memories and grew up thinking he was Athan Vladimir. As the chosen heir of the Blood Race, he saw Conri Lycaon as an enemy, but he never fought against him. Instead, he always clashed with Asher Light. Despite being attracted to Conri Lycaon at first sight, he never treated him as more than an enemy.

In contrast, Conri Lycaon witnessed Asher Light stab Athan Vladimir in the chest. He would have succeeded in assassinating Athan Vladimir if it hadn't been for the fact that the man sleeping in the coffin awoke at the last minute. If that happened, wouldn't he have lost Carnelian Dawn for good? Conri Lycaon's grip on Carnelian Dawn's hand tightens as he is terrified by the scene, despite the fact that his partner has not complained about the pain.

Carnelian Dawn whispered in comfort, "It's okay. All of this had happened already. I'm still alive, aren't 1?"

"I know. I also know I cannot blame Asher for this. He was only doing his mission and he didn't know who you were. No... None of us realized who you are. I feel so useless. I also mistook your sister for seizing your body and was going to wait for you to reincarnate. Who would have thought you had always been by my side? You also had to suffer the life of Athan Vladimir which wasn't for you." Conri Lycaon said.

Carnelian Dawn held his lover's face and stared into each other's eyes, "You cannot be blamed nor the Gods of our world. That time when I fell into Space and Time, I've seen a lot and also knew how many had failed to return. But because our Imprint Crest retains that my soul was pulled back in our world

though in the wrong timeline. Even so, I am still grateful. I was still able to live in the same world in which you exist and my family exists."

"I promise. After all this time, I will never let you go alone. I will accompany you anywhere in the end whether in heaven or in hell, I will be by your side." Conri Lycaon said.

As they walked through a seemingly never-ending mirrored path, memories of their past flashed before their eyes. Eventually, they reached the end and were greeted by their family - Asher Light, Amber Dawn, Esther Dawn, and Mayonaka Yoru - all with smiles on their faces. It felt like they had finally returned home after being lost in the forest.

Asher Light said, "You guys sure took your time? Did you meet in the forest? How lucky."

"Are you hurt somewhere? Your body is a bit weak right now. Wear this scarf, Car." Amber Dawn said.

Esther Dawn said, "It's good that you two weren't separated. Car's soul is weak without Conri around. The Gods must have noticed and let them walk the forest together."

"Maybe the God of our world would help as he knew Carnelian's situation which is better. You two take a flower so we can leave the forest right away. For some reason, I'm having a bad premonition. I hope nothing happens in our world while we aren't around." Mayonaka Yoru said.

Esther Dawn frowned for a moment and said, "It should be fine. Even though Lord Fenrir might choose to not get involved with Kenan Light, at least he will keep the Academy safe after all the headmaster is still there."

"But this also means that he wouldn't care anything about what happened beyond the barrier of Genus Academy. We should return as soon as possible." Conri Lycaon said.

Asher Light said, "I heard the Blessing Ceremony is done together. We should leave as soon as we finish."

"I want to say goodbye to Leafy and Brother Baishi." Carnelian Dawn said.

Amber Dawn smiled and said, "Okay, we will say our goodbyes together. After all, we might not be able to come to this world anymore after leaving."

It is commonly understood that travel between worlds is only possible for deities. The task of facilitating such travel must be difficult and require immense power, like that possessed by Lord Fenrir Skoll. Mortals would be unable to withstand the journey without Lord Fenrir's protection of their bodies and souls. Despite the challenges, the travelers' experience of this new world was memorable and will remain with them for life.

At the Beast God, Shou's Domain...

Beast God Shou and Elemental Light God Mikaela had overheard the conversation between those who had passed the final test, as well as what Amber Dawn had said. The words Amber spoke were true. Bringing mortals to other worlds is impossible, even for Mikaela and Shou. Only God's Body can birth the path of space and time, and mortals perish in it.

It is evident that Lord Skoll employed certain methods to achieve his goal. His ability to manipulate elements of space and time played a crucial role in his success. While he lacked a natural talent for controlling space elements, his wife was a prodigy in this area. Lord Skoll borrowed her talent and created a portal that connected two different worlds. To safeguard the children's bodies, he halted their time temporarily. As a result, they were considered immortal objects by space and were not destroyed.

Beast God, Shou asked, "What do you think, Mikaela?"

"Connecting to worlds is impossible with just the two of us. But... We have two sovereigns as guests. Let's ask for help." Elemental Light God, Mikaela wants to ask for help. They plan to ask Lord Shen Siwang and Lord Mo Baojun if they are willing to lend them help to make a connection between the two worlds.

Nodding in agreement, the Beast God said, "We can try after the preparation for the Mateship Ceremony is completed."

Back to the World of Vampires, Werewolves, and Humans...

Kenan Light's minions and subordinates were determined to destroy the barrier surrounding Genus Academy. Despite their efforts, the Golden Barrier remained unscathed, standing as a steadfast divide between the land of the undead and the land of the living. Zhi Yue and Zhi Yang, positioned at the highest point of the Genus Academy building, observed the scene beyond the barrier and monitored any changes in movement outside. Their duty was to report immediately if Kenan Light himself appeared, as the barrier would remain impervious to the attacks of his subordinates.

Zhi Yue asked, "A'Yang, why do we have to report to the Lord God if that villain appears? Isn't that man just an aborigine of this world? He is even weaker than we do."

"He might be weaker than us but... The Lords had no intention of getting involved. Once Kenan Light made his move they needed to stay away. If they continue to protect the world against the Main Villain the world will choose them as its protector. We are here to sever my master's connection to this world so we can't get involved with the main villain." Zhi Yang explains.

Zhi Yue asked, "Then if that Main Villain truly appears then the barrier... It would break?"

Zhi Yang nods his head, "If the Protagonists of the world and its Gods don't return on time our Lords will truly watch this world fall. As long as the ending had been reached whether the result is survival or an apocalypse, the soul fragment of Lord Hei would be free as long as they don't get involved."

Sigh~

"I hope those children will return soon. How painful would it be to return home and see their own world destroyed," mumbled Zhi Yue.

At the mansion where Fenrir Skoll and Cassius Ambrosia live...

The mansion was dark, with all the lights dimmed. Cassius Ambrosia was sound asleep, using the fur of Fenrir Skoll's Beast Form as a cozy bed and blanket. Fenrir Skoll, on the other hand, was lost in thought in the darkness. He watched emotionlessly as small black dragons swirled around his hands. These

dragons weren't made of dark elements and lacked the ability to think for themselves. They were simply living creatures that knew Fenrir Skoll was their master. This was a result of Fenrir Skoll's upgraded Devour ability, which he obtained by consuming a fragment from a World Eater.

Xia Jieye, known as the God of the Void, possesses unparalleled control over darkness due to his innate abilities. However, following his rebirth as Ye Xiajie, he gained the ability to manipulate Time and Light Elements. His mastery of Time Elements is unparalleled among the Gods, as they do not possess the ability to control the Laws of Time. While the jurisdiction of Light Element belongs to his brother, Shen Siwang, he willingly allows Ye Xiajie to wield it. It should be noted that this does not mean that the Void rejected Ye Xiajie's brother, but rather that he simply lacks the ability to control darkness.

The contrast between light, which is compassionate, and darkness, which is moody and unpredictable, is stark. Sometimes, darkness may allow his sibling to wield it, but only when in a good mood. Shen Siwang found this arrangement satisfactory, but Ye Xiajie knew that his power to devour was a product of his soul core. He speculated that he gained this ability from Xie Jieye, who lived in a world where he was an Evil Incarnate. Perhaps Ye Xiajie's ability to devour souls and life stemmed from his blood as a Mogui, an evil entity that gains strength by consuming souls.

But when he ate that fragment of the World Eater, he felt his ability to Devour had gotten stronger and it didn't affect him at all which made him uncomfortable.

Lord Fenrir Skoll mumbled in the darkness, "Are you telling me I can devour anything? But only the World Eater is said to possess such ability."

Chapter 1056: First Red Star - Mateship Ceremony Vows

The final trial has concluded. The three couples in a group and another three pairs successfully completed the Trials and were granted the opportunity to participate in the Blessed Ceremony for Mateship. In this world, this Ceremony is considered a marriage ceremony, and only those who were approved by the Beast God and received his blessings are considered true mates. A destined union involving their souls and destiny.

The couples who passed the trials were all teleported outside the forest after picking a flower from the garden in the Illusionary Forest. The single flower in their hands transformed into a bouquet in the hands of the brides. The entire city then joyfully congratulates them.

Great Elder Tuya said, "Congratulations to our couples for completing their trials. As you are willing to accept each other's past and shortcomings you will be able to go on in this relationship. Mateship Ceremony is marriage for eternity. Even after death and reincarnation those who received the Blessing from the Beast God would receive an Imprint Crest shared by the couple; this is the connection of their soul and this would allow the couple to meet each other after death and reincarnation."

"A connection between souls lasts forever which is why the couples who passed must accept the past, and shortcomings and know each other truly. Because cutting off a soul connection can only be done by God. The only way is death under the hands of a God. I hope everyone understands the meaning of mate. Either way, let us congratulate the couples once again. The blessing of two Gods would be given. During the ceremony." Keylan Light said.

Great Elder Tuya announced, "Normally it would take a whole day of preparation to complete the Ceremony but since it was already expected for couples to definitely pass we had made preparations ahead of time. Everyone helps our grooms to prepare for the Ceremony. Help them with their clothes. The Mateship Ceremony shall begin in the afternoon."

"Leave it to us, Great Elder!"

The couples had to be separated by everyone in the city. Because the groom and bride wear different outfits, the couples were separated and required to make their own preparations.

Asher Light, Conri Lycaon, and Mayonaka Yoru were on the same side as the Dawn Siblings, who were on the opposite side. They are joined by three other grooms.

Although they were perplexed by what was going on, the Patrol Leader and a few warriors assisted with the groom's preparations and explained the situation to them.

"Come on, Brother Yoru! Get separated from your bride for a bit. Your mates need to change their clothes too for the Ceremony."

"They are just next door. You are just separated by a curtain. So there is no need to worry too much. Kid, we know you can be too separated from your partner so we created this temporary dressing tent for you. Don't worry, with this much distance your partner is okay."

"Thank you, Senior!" Conri Lycaon said.

"By the way, you need to prepare your vows. These vows will be an oath created by you guys. It is also an eternal promise towards your mate."

"But we haven't thought of it yet, we didn't even know there was an oath during the ceremony." Asher Light said.

"Just say what's in your heart and your partner will answer your vows with another promise. That will complete an oath and the couples will receive their blessings. Be honest and speak what your heart desires."

"What our heart desires" I think I understand now. Thanks, Leader!" Mayonaka Yoru said.

"Just remember even though this is a ceremony to receive the blessing of the Beast God, it is also a ceremony of marriage between you and your beloved. Go change your clothes. It's been prepared by your teacher for you. I heard in your world you wear a suit and your bride wears white. It's been prepared you guys just had to walk on the carpet towards the statue of the Beast God. Once your oaths were made with the Great Elder as the witness you will receive an imprint shared by you, couples."

Under Mayonaka Yoru's lead, Asher Light and Conri Lycaon bow their heads towards the people in the tent helping them with their clothes and even the whole ceremony.

"Thank you so much for your guidance and kindness. We shall never forget."

The original inhabitants of this world were all grateful to these special visitors. They already have a feeling that these visitors are not from their worlds. After all, they knew almost nothing about their world, and the presence of the ferocious beasts surprised them. They clearly did not expect to see dinosaurs beyond the city limits. Nonetheless, no one in the city rejected them.

These people were not only friendly by nature, but they were also quite powerful. They become closer to this small group of visitors in this world where the strong are revered. They accepted them as they were and were accepting of them. So when the Great Elder Tuya asked them to assist with the

preparations for the Visitor's Mateship Ceremony, a large number of people volunteered. These new friends were difficult to come by. They are also willing to assist with their ceremony.

"Hahaha~ don't worry about it. We will make sure your ceremony will be the greatest you can remember in this world. Everyone helps with it, the rest of the dinosaur meat we haven't finished would be cooked for the after-wedding banquet. Most of those were from your guys after all."

The grooms' preparation is straightforward. They only need to dress appropriately for the ceremony. The world's original inhabitants wear their traditional red ceremonial clothing made of beast fur and silk. They dressed in suits of various colors for the visitors. Mayonaka Yoru is dressed in a black suit with silver lining. Conri Lycaon was given a silver suit with a similar design to his elder brother, while Asher Light was given a white suit with gold lining. The grooms' preparation was completed simply by wearing these clothes, and they were all kicked out of the tent to await the arrival of their grooms.

Meanwhile, at the bride's section...

The other male counterparts were also required to dress in a suit and traditional ceremonial garb. The only distinction between them and the groom was the veil and crown that would be placed over their heads. Esther Dawn was dressed in a white suit and cloak, with a silver crown on his head. Carnelian Dawn, on the other hand, was dressed in a silver suit with emerald lining and a white veil. This emerald hue is inspired by the color of his groom's eyes. The other brides had also finished their preparations.

Everyone in the tent was staring at Amber Dawn, who was the only one dressed in a white wedding gown. Everyone couldn't help but stare at the only female bride in this year's ceremony. This is an actual bride in a white wedding gown. Today is Amber Dawn's most beautiful day.

Carnelian Dawn mumbled, "Wow" you're so pretty, Sister!"

"Not bad. The clothes fit you well. Instructor Keylan had chosen this piece quite well." Esther Dawn said. "Tsk! Ash picked a bargain. We should have made it harder for him to pick his bride at your office wedding in our world."

"Big brother, Car, does it not look weird? The only skirt and dress I wore before is my school uniform. Maybe I should wear a suit and pants to match everyone." Amber Dawn said.

Carnelian Dawn said, "You are so pretty in that dress. No need to change it sister!"

Everyone in the tent is divided. It's a shame that everyone didn't get to see this stunning bride. Furthermore, this is a cloth provided by God's messenger, Keylan Light. It would be impolite not to wear it. Amber Dawn finally agrees to wear the wedding gown after a long period of convincing. When all of the preparations were completed. The grooms were tasked with accompanying their brides to the carpet, where they would walk.

Each couple was given a carpet to walk on, and the grooms were told to walk alongside their partners the entire time. When the grooms' partners emerged from the tent one by one, they were greeted with smiles by their grooms. This is the most joyful time in their lives. When Amber Dawn walked out, all eyes were drawn to her stunning white gown. Unlike traditional red clothing made of beast fur, this pure white gown is stunning and one-of-a-kind. In this world, there is no concept of a modern wedding gown.

Many female beastmen fell in love with the white gown. Though females in this world are rare, there are still some unmarried females in the audience. They all fell in love with Amber Dawn's wedding gown the moment they saw it. They also wanted to wear such a lovely gown to their Mateship Ceremony.

The ceremony had finally started. Those who came to watch were asked to stand on either side of the stage. The six couples walk as a pair on their designated carpet, but the goal is only one. The two Gods' messengers awaited them at the statue of the Beast God. They have come to bear witness to the six couples' union. The six couples stood before the statue respectfully.

Keylan Light spoke, "You guys finally made it here. May your love continue for eternity. I give you my blessing."

"Your love may be eternal and everlasting. I also give my blessings to all the couples. Please say your vows one by one." Great Elder Tuya said.

Asher Light and the rest of their group almost didn't know what to say while the other three pairs had no problem voicing their oaths.

Unexpectedly the first one to speak was Carnelian Dawn,

"With the Gods above as the witness, I, Carnelian Dawn, swear here. To love and care for my partner. My love transcends time and space. No matter where I am, no matter what I shall be. Whether this vessel perishes as long as this soul exists, I only have Conri Lycaon in my heart."

"In the lost and forgotten timeline. Whether our lives transect or not. Regardless of being born in a different timeline or world, as long as we can meet I, Conri Lycaon, promise to love and recognize Carnelian Dawn as my one and only Luna. Stay by his side whether in heaven or hell." Conri Lycaon responded.

Once the oath between the couple was made a pillar of light would fall on the couples and hear the voice of the Beast God and Elemental Light God giving them their blessings.

Asher Light follows suit and kneels in front of Amber Dawn kissing her hand,

"I, Asher Light, Holy Son of the church of God Keylan Light. Make this oath with my soul and everything of me, to care and love for Amber Dawn for this lifetime and all other future lives. My princess, I offer everything for you including this soul. Do you accept it?"

"I will accept it gladly. With the world as the witness, I, Amber Dawn, transmigrator from the other world. Willingly come to this world only to meet you here as my destiny and soulmate. I promise to give you my heart and my everything. I shall be with you until the end of our life to the next and thereafter."

The two kissed as they finalized their vows. Finally, Esther Dawn and Mayonaka Yoru looked at each other while holding each other's hands. They vow as one, completing the sentences one had said.

"Regardless of race, standing, and authority. With our past as a catalyst for our meeting, our future will be a sanctuary. All the contradictions and conflicts were a part of our lives. Our fate is our beginning and our end will be our destiny. As long as our souls exist, we will share our love and everything with one another. I, Esther Dawn, and I, Mayonaka Yoru, give our vows to the heavens and Gods above. If we fail to meet these promises, let our souls perish forever to nothingness."

Chapter 1057: First Red Star - The difference of a Mortal to an Immortal.

After reciting their vows, each of the six couples received a beam of light from the sky. The audience, including the couples, knelt down while the Messengers of God, Tuya and Keylan Light, remained standing. Although they were also divine beings, they didn't have their own realm and were instead considered partners to the higher Gods.

The couple hears the resounding voices of the Beast God and the Elemental Light God. Only those who have passed the trials are able to hear them. Therefore, once they find their mate, everyone in the city participates in the trials.

The Beast God had spoken, "Children, thee hadst proveth yound thy loveth is true and we hadst seen to ourselves. Congratulations! May thy loveth be et'rnal?"

"Thee may anon accepteth our blessings!" The two Gods said.

As the pillar of light grew brighter, a special mark appeared on each of the couples. Conri Lycaon and Carnelian Dawn both had an Azalea flower on their left and right hands, which is their original crest. Esther Dawn and Mayonaka Yoru had a night and star imprint that used to be on their backs, but now it's on their chests. Finally, Asher Light and Amber Dawn received an amber-colored sun on their cheeks. These unique marks signify the bond between each couple and have now been restored.

The elemental abilities of Asher Light and Amber Dawn had greatly increased. While Asher glowed brightly in white, Amber glowed brightly in black. They seemed like a perfect match, like Yin and Yang. The other three Aborigine couples also received rare light elements from the Elemental Light God. These elements were much stronger than the previous light elements and could not only heal and purify but also regenerate limbs. This was truly miraculous in this world.

Following the ceremony, a city-wide dinner feast was prepared using the majority of the meat collected during the first trial. The celebration was meant to congratulate and bless the newlywed couples. The party continued for a long time, but eventually, the couples left to spend time together in their own worlds.

Before the banquet had ended, the Great Elder Tuya had made a special announcement, "I would like everyone to remember one thing. Tonight, regardless of what you see or witness, do not approach and cause noise. You can watch but cannot get involved. Keep in mind that the esteemed guests tonight are existence we can never offend. Do not go out tonight. This is a revelation from the Beast God!"

Despite being shocked and confused by the Great Elder's words, everyone accepted them and kept them in their hearts. Little did they know that they were about to witness something unforgettable. As the night wore on and the party came to an end, many party-goers were too drunk or full to move and had to be carried home. Eventually, most people had made it home and gone to sleep, but one final couple made a dramatic entrance.

Shen Siwang and Mo Baojun opted for a private ceremony in the middle of the night, devoid of any audience. As divine beings, they saw no need to have spectators present for their ceremony. Hence, they chose to hold it at a time when most mortals were asleep. Clad in ancient crimson robes made of Phoenix feathers, their attire radiated under the moonlight, while the stars bore witness to their union.

The veiled face of Mo Baojun remained hidden, but his long silver hair flowed behind him like a river of stars. With each step, he created a path of ice for the couple to walk on, while the light elemental fairy manifested a bright pathway for these Esteemed Beings to traverse. They never touched the ground, instead walking on a thin film of ice that covered their path. As Gods of Sovereignty, even their slightest movement could impact or destroy the world.

The evening sky was graced by a splendid sight of a gold dragon and ice phoenix, leaving behind trails of gold and white. Onlookers gazed in awe from their windows, fascinated by the magical display. Asher Light and his companions also witnessed the spectacle from the roof of Elder Tuya's house, despite being prohibited from leaving the premises like other city residents at the moment.

Conri Lycaon commented, "Is this gold dragon a bit similar to the black dragon Lord Fenrir had shown in the academy before?"

"It's not only that. Don't you think that smiling man looks a bit like Lord Fenrir?" Mayonaka Yoru said. All of them had seen how Fenrir Skoll looked as Ye Xiajie when he opened a portal for them.

Asher Light said, "But their demeanor is completely different, this person's aura is holy and full of light. He even possessed a stronger light aura than Instructor Keylan Light and even Lord Mikaela."

"Are they Gods from beyond like Lord Fenrir?" asked Amber Dawn?

Carnelian Dawn said, "They possessed a similar aura to both Lord Fenrir and Headmaster Cassius. Especially the person with the veil, his aura is very similar to Headmaster Cassius."

The youngest Dawn sibling, Athan Vladimir, had met with the Headmaster numerous times in the past. Athan desired to awaken his ability to dominate beings, and the instructors had explained that only the Progenitor of Blood could grant him this ability. Therefore, Athan requested an audience with the Headmaster.

Meeting the Headmaster face-to-face was a different experience than seeing him on stage. The Headmaster's icy and cold aura was not as apparent from afar, but up close, Athan could barely look into his silver eyes, which seemed to see through Athan's deepest secrets. When the Headmaster asked Athan to protect Amber Dawn, Athan never questioned the task and followed through with it. It now dawned on Athan that the Headmaster may have assigned him to protect Amber because they were related by blood.

Carnelian Dawn said, "Maybe Lord Cassius is also like Lord Fenrir, they were beings not of our world."

Suddenly, the children heard a familiar voice butting in their conversation rudely as always. It was Randall Ruid whom they never expected to see in this world.

Randall Ruid said, "Correct. You got it right kid~ Lord Cassius is Lord Fenrir's missing wife. We came to this world to pick him up."

"Don't be noisy. It's a Mateship Ceremony for the Supreme Sovereigns." Luther D'Arcy reprimanded.

The students started to see their instructors there. This is another world different from the original, how can they be here like this when they didn't even see them pass through that same portal they used to get here?

"Instructor Randall! Lord Luther! How can you guys be here!?" The children were shocked.

Luther D'Arcy said, "We're on orders. The Lord ordered them to accompany Sovereign Ruler Shen and Sovereign Ruler Mo in this world where they also completed their Mateship Ceremony. This kind of ceremony is much more useful for Gods than to mortals after all."

"Sovereign? Ruler? Not Gods?" asked Asher Light.

Randall Ruid snorted and said, "Even Gods have a hierarchy. The Gods that own the worlds can only be considered Domain Gods or Martial Gods. They are above Demigods. They are Gods capable of leaving their own plane to go into another world. The Beast God and Elemental Light God are Martial Gods."

"The Deities are below Demigods, they are what you consider as World Saints, Hero, and Demon Kings. As for Demigods you already meet Keylan Light, he is one bit he already became a lesser Martial God, he can't own a world because his power was given to him by Mikaela the Heavenly Laws of your world and your Domain Lord. He can't leave your world without him."

"Above those are God Kings, Mythical, Celestial, Immortals, and Sovereigns. Sovereigns are those who own a whole system that controls universes, worlds, and existence itself. They can decide the end of the world with a single thought and no one can stop them if they truly feel like it." Luther D'Arcy said. "I don't need to explain the details as it's a position you can't achieve no matter what. Maybe the strength of the Martial God can be achieved with hard work but the rank above those can only be achieved by the approval of the Special Entities like the Light, Life, Death, Void, and Chaos."

Mayonaka Yoru somehow understands the explanation but since he isn't a God himself there is no clear difference between Keylan Light and Mikaela's level in his eyes. The only clear difference in strength he knew is between Lord Fenrir and the other Gods.

"Then are you saying that like Lord Fenrir, these two Esteemed Beings are on the same level as them?" asked Mayonaka Yoru.

Randall Ruid said, "Of course! Sovereign Ruler Shen is Lord Fenrir's brother after all. While his wife is Lord Cassius' Uncle."

"What!?"

"Most Higher ranked Gods are from the same similar Bloodline. Especially for Gods whose origin is a God, they were the most powerful." Luther D'Arcy said.

Conri Lycaon said, "Are you saying Lord Fenrir is a born God just like that couple just now?"

"Yeh, we too are born as Gods as well. But we are weaker than those who were born from the Ancient Eon like Lord Fenrir and them." Randall Ruid said.

In the end, people regarded him as a mysterious being. Those born as gods were unlike anyone else - they could avoid death unless they were careless, and their lives were mostly infinite. Asher Light now comprehended why someone might destroy a world in anger, only to effortlessly repair it with a simple gesture.

It's understandable that Lord Fenrir only gave them a fleeting glance. Compared to him, their lifespan was short. They felt lucky to have received help from such a powerful being. It wouldn't be surprising if Lord Fenrir decided to just watch as their world ended, as it wouldn't affect him.

There are two beings - one is immortal and the other is mortal. Their timelines have always been different and they can only cross paths momentarily. The immortal is seen as a mysterious being by others, as they are born as gods and have the ability to escape death if they are careful. Their lives are mostly limitless. Asher Light now understands why someone might destroy a world in anger, only to effortlessly repair it with a simple gesture.

Chapter 1058: First Red Star - Going Back

The students of Genus Academy, who had encountered notable individuals like Lord Fenrir Skoll, Duke Luther D'Arcy, Headmaster Cassius Ambrosia, and Lord Randall Ruid, believed they were the epitome of their respective races' strength. However, they have now come to realize the stark reality that exists between humans and gods. This revelation has been overwhelming, and none of the students can refute it.

As they gazed upon the golden dragon and white phoenix soaring through the dark sky, they were forced to face the harsh reality before them. They knew that the daunting wall ahead of them could only be conquered by reaching their full potential while they still had the chance. They understood that the Gods may not always come to their rescue and that they must rely on themselves to survive. These truths were ingrained in the hearts of Mayonaka Yoru and their companions. To become stronger, they must first acknowledge their weaknesses. This is why Mikaela and Keylan Light revealed the true identities of these revered beings.

Shen Siwang and Mo Baojun weren't bothered by the stares of those around them. As individuals at the pinnacle, being under the scrutiny of many was a regular occurrence. They disregarded the murmurs of the common folk and only had eyes for one another. Similar to Ye Xiajie, they didn't feel any connection

to those who had no ties to them. These commoners were like blades of grass growing in their way, and they paid them no heed.

Shen Siwang said, "Wifey" after this world, which place should we go? This is only the first requirement for the Trial of Marriage, there is still the Marriage of Soul and the Marriage of Dao Companionship. Which one should we go next?"

"Hubby, you are truly enjoying yourself. Don't you think my disciples might die from overworking if we play around for too long?" Mo Baojun said.

Shen Siwang smiled and kissed the slender hand entangled with his and said, "It's fine. I left the God System to our disciple's and sons' care. Our children might be lazy but their partners were informed. We can be away for as long as we want~"

Sigh~

Mo Baojun gazed at his counterpart through his red veil. His silvery irises glimmered like moonlight. Though the veil concealed his face, Shen Siwang sensed the helplessness in his icy eyes. As he looked at him, he saw the affection and devotion reserved solely for him. The Mo Clan's lineage was formidable, and their commitment and fondness for their chosen partner went beyond what others could comprehend.

According to the Mo Bloodline, an individual will only love one person throughout their entire life, regardless of whether that love is returned or not. This love is highly sought after in the universe due to its purity and unchanging nature. Even if their beloved becomes a villain, the Mo Bloodline individual will remain loyal and supportive. Once you are chosen by someone from this bloodline, their love for you will last for eternity.

Like other couples, the two stopped in front of the Beast God Statue. However, they did not revere the statue. Instead, the Beast God Shou and Elemental Light God Mikaela appeared before them, and the couple knelt. Great Elder Tuya and Keylan Light were already kneeling in front of the two Venerable Lords, who appeared to avoid eye contact. They did not want to feel suffocated just by looking at someone, as it was a strange and traumatic experience.

The four gods collectively saluted and paid their respect, "These humble servants greet the two Venerable Sovereigns!"

"Arise! We aren't here for such formalities. Complete the Ceremony so everyone can take their rest." Shen Siwang said.

Mo Baojun had spoken, "Sooner or later. More Gods and Goddesses would come to visit this world. The requirements for the Trial of Marriage include three things to fulfill. Mateship Ceremony is one of them. Your world has such a Ceremony as the most sacred and in this world it is considered no different from marriage. Couples who wish to complete the Trial of Marriage would most likely come here too. We will add your world to the special star class and necessary rules must be implemented as well."

"We knew about your plans of creating a path between your two worlds. Prepare the necessary papers for it so it can be approved. For now, let's focus on the ceremony. We just need to make an oath right?" Shen Siwang said.

Beast God Shou responded, "Yes, My Lord!"

"Please complete your oath, Venerable Sovereigns." Elemental Light God Mikaela said as he bows his head.

Shen Siwang rubs his chin as he already knew and watches how the mortal makes a vow. There were no written words, only words that came from their hearts. He happily hugs his wife and smiles truthfully only for him.

"I shall give you all the light in this existence, all worlds under me, and all my wealth. My life is eternal yet it is all for you. My whole being is almighty but everything shall be under your control. I promise you my soul, this vessel, my everlasting love, and my fate. As long as you are willing to accept this humble me, all of me shall be yours. Once you accept it will be eternally yours. It cannot be returned and it shall be yours forever until the end of all existence. This I, Shen Siwang, made an oath to the Divine Laws above and beyond."

Mo Baojun silently accepted his partner's pledge and nodded in agreement. He lifted his veil with his spare hand, revealing his face and causing a stir among onlookers. He resembled the Winter God, with long hair as white as snow, fair skin that glowed in the moonlight, and phoenix-shaped eyes with

aquamarine irises and silver-lined rims. As soon as he uncovered his face, snow began to fall unexpectedly, bringing new life to the world and causing destruction in its wake. This was a gift from the Tyrant God of Life and Death.

Then they heard a cold voice yet very mellow in the ears, returning another oath for the God of Light who surrendered everything to him.

"With my origin as a creation made from the God of Chaos's breath. The existence of Mo had always been unique. Our love is given to only one in our eternal life, this is given to you. My chosen other half, you shall be the one in this life I vowed, my everything, my love, this soul, and even this vessel is yours to take. It will be yours and only yours until the end of all existences and beyond. My heart that was given to you, will be yours for eternity and I shall be by your side regardless of happiness and pain. If you die I shall follow, if you live I shall stay. Forever as one and my everlasting love is only for you alone." Mo Baojun said.

The couple's Mateship Ceremony concluded with a kiss, witnessed by the Primitive World and its Divine Laws. Congratulations poured in from the world, and for one evening, golden-colored snow fell, possessing the power to heal injuries and illnesses, bring good fortune and blessings, and offer temporary protection from death.

Even Beast God Shou and Elemental Light God Mikaela were stunned by this occurrence. Although the Beast God was in control of the world, it had acted independently and bestowed a blessing that did not come from him, the Domain Lord, but from the star itself. Just as he thought his world had come to life, it returned to its previous tranquility.

Some lucky mortals were able to collect the Golden colored Snow, which would never expire unless used. It was a gift from the world itself, and even the Gods found it exceedingly useful. Shen Siwang and Mo Baojun were each adorned with a crown of golden snowflakes on their foreheads, a matching crest meant only for them.

Shen Siwang felt overjoyed with the outcome and planted a kiss on his wife's forehead. Although they had been together for a considerable amount of time, they had not completed the Trial of Marriage like Ye Xiajie and Hei Anjing, which meant that they could not share each other's abilities as freely as those two. While observing Ye Xiajie's progress on his mission, Shen Siwang saw him using his wife's Space Elements, which he had no compatibility with, and this made him envious as he also wanted to use the Ice Elements that his wife possessed. This led them to undertake the Trial of Marriage.

They were introduced to this world by their eldest grandnephew Jingxia and found it intriguing. They left all their work to their disciples and son and took some time off for themselves. It had been quite a while since the couple had any free time. With the God of Void's return, many things in Vearth were now under control, especially after he opened the abyss and captured the hidden Ye Gui Race in the city. As the God in charge of the Nether System and Netherworld, those who committed illegal acts were afraid of him. His return had significantly reduced Shen Siwang's responsibilities, and he saw it as an opportunity to go on a date with his wife, Mo Baojun.

Shen Siwang said, "That was kind of fun. It's my first time seeing dinosaurs. I am so used to seeing flying dragons that seeing dinosaurs who were only mostly on land is such a new scene to behold."

In addition, it's great to hear that his wife, who typically lacks motivation, has been getting enough exercise. As usual, he effortlessly carried her like a princess in his arms. Mo Baojun seemed completely at ease and even let out a yawn as if he could fall asleep at any moment. Walking down the aisle earlier was already a surprise since his husband usually carries him or teleports from one spot to another. Mo Baojun isn't accustomed to walking such long distances, and this trait of laziness seems to come from his uncle, Hei Anjing.

Mo Baojun said, "I'm taking a nap. Don't wake me up."

"Sleep well, wifey~" Shen Siwang said.

The gentleness within those gold orbs faded into indifference once his gaze shifted from his wife to the Beast God and the others. Like Ye Xiajie, all of his affection was directed solely at his wifey, Mo Baojun, though his neutral holy smile remained.

"Good work. You have done well. If you have any request just give it the necessary papers to report to the God System. I will give you a seal that signifies authority. As long as it wasn't too much, those brats in the Main System would agree." Shen Siwang said.

Shou, the Beast God, and Mikaela, the Elemental Light God, were overjoyed. Even if the Sovereigns did not immediately agree to their wishes, having the seal made it easier to ask for their plan to be approved. Shen and Mo Baojun were about to leave when he caught sight of Mikaela.

"Oh~ before I forgot. You, the Domain Lord of that Star where my brother is. I suggest you return to your world right away. The Main Villain of your world is about to make his biggest move. My brother would mostly choose not to directly get involved. Unless you wish to return to your destroyed world, it would be better to return home as soon as possible. My brother's subordinates will show you how to return."

Suddenly, majestic gates covered in clouds and holiness descended not from heaven, but from beyond, in front of everyone's eyes. Cao Xinsheng, the current Main System, opened it.

He is also Mo Baojun's disciple. His robes and hair were a little unkempt, and he was wearing glasses and looking like a human panda with his dark eyes.

"Master! Lord God Shen! You are finally returning! This disciple is about to die!" Cao Xinsheng said from the opened door.

Shen Siwang, who was carrying his wife as he walked in the sky, threw a lightning bolt to electrify the noisy brat.

"Do you want to wake up your master?"

Cao Xinsheng's wailing had vanished beyond the closed doors, which had also vanished in thin air, only after Shen Siwang and Mo Baojun had passed through them. Randall Ruid and Luther D'Arcy, along with Asher Light and the other children, appeared before the Domain Gods.

Duke Luther D'Arcy said, "It's time to go back."

Chapter 1059: First Red Star - Half Destroyed World.

With Randall Ruid and Luther D'Arcy guiding them the portal to the other world was once again opened. Those who felt their leaving had all come to see them off. Leafy and Baishi who were hiding in the shadows had also appeared to say their goodbyes. Especially Leafy and Carnelian Dawn who started hugging each other while crying. These two had gotten along well as if they were childhood friends.

Great Elder Tuya said, "Don't cry. It's not like you can never meet again. Our Gods are planning to make a bridge between two worlds. It might take a while but... It wouldn't be surprising to have two worlds connected in the future."

"But by that time we would be dead already and... Might not meet as we should?" Leafy said.

Keylan Light spoke, "It shouldn't take too long. With the permission of the Sovereigns, it can be done in a few decades. You brats hug like your lovers. Look at your own mates, they are about to die from jealousy."

Leafy and Carnelian Dawn who were hugging turned around to look at Baishi and Conri Lycaon whose face was gloomy and clearly not in a good mood. Even though they know that the two were just friends hugging for that long still made them envious. Leafy and Carnelian Dawn can only distance themselves from each other laughing helplessly at their jealous mates.

Conri Lycaon and Baishi hugged their lovers and said, "Don't ignore us!"

Others couldn't help but laugh at the antics of these two brats and their partners. The two couples felt a bit embarrassed seeing that everyone was laughing at them.

Mikaela, the Elemental Light God, chooses to stay for a while to go to the God System to report about their request for faster processing. He gave the authority of his world to Keylan Light to control while he was not around. He also made this decision so Keylan Light's fate would be connected to their world. As long as the world exists, so does he.

"Lan'er, Lord Fenrir would definitely choose not to get involved. But I think Luther D'Arcy and Randall Ruid would do so, they haven't completely freed themselves from the identity of their vessels so they should be willing to help you. Ask them for help if needed but don't forget... The protagonists of our world are these children. They would have the strongest blessing during the war you just have to guide them properly." Mikaela said as he explained everything to his messenger and his responsibility while he was away. "I'm sorry. I promise to bring you with me to the God System but the situation doesn't allow me to do so. Next time I will bring you with me, I promise."

"Mika, do you think I can do well? I... I already failed once." Keylan Light said as he gripped the hand that held him.

Ever since he died as a mortal, he had always wondered if taking in the siblings at that time was right. Maybe he should have taken in only Luciel and not Kenan. If so then this kind of thing wouldn't have happened. It was Mikaela's choice to save him who was destined to die that night. That's why even after becoming a God he chooses not to leave their world even though he heard his calling beyond the heavens above. He wanted to stay by Mikaela's side especially now that he had his vessel that is capable of staying by his side.

Mikaela swipes the stray hair hovering near Keylan Light's face and says with a gentle voice, "You cannot do it before. This is because you still have a connection to the mortals as a human. You are already a God. So punishing an existence that caused disaster in our world is your duty. You can do it. I believe you can, Lan'er."

Seeing such a confident gaze from his God, Keylan Light was affected by his gentleness and was determined to protect the world he and Mikaela own. As long as Kenan Light, this human who had become a fallen, perished everything would return to how it is normally.

Kenan Light said, "I will do my best."

Meanwhile, Beast God Shou and Tuya were looking at the two a bit envious. Even though the Beast God had descended, what he is using right now is just a soul projection he didn't have a physical vessel like Mikaela which was created by the power of Keylan Light.

Mikaela said, "I have taught you how we created this artificial body. Your messenger's help is needed though. We need to get going. The faster we leave the faster we can return."

"The portal is open and we can return now. But be vigilant, the air in your world has changed. You might need to purify the air or you might not be able to breathe." Duke Luther D'Arcy said.

Thinking something had gone wrong in their world, Mayonaka Yoru asked, "Did something happen in our world while we are gone?"

"Your world is dominated by the undead. Genus Academy became the sole sanctuary for the living. Kenan Light had also become a Demon God. Because he is still weaker than my lord that he was

incapable of destroying the barrier that was erected around the Academy. You guys need to return soon and start the counterattack." Randall Ruid said.

Asher Light said, "Our world is already dominated by the undead. How can it be this fast?"

"No one knew how the devil learned of your absence. He suddenly started a large invasion a day after you left the world." Duke Luther D'Arcy said.

Carnelian Dawn spoke, "Is it that monster? The one who possessed my body I think he also had something to do with the Pope becoming a Devil."

"I think so. That's possible. I heard that the thing that Lord Fenrir killed that day is just his fragment. Does it mean it still exists?" Conri Lycaon said.

Randall Ruid said, "It does. That thing exists to destroy worlds and it's been something that has existed since the Origin of Time. If it really appears then we and the Lords would definitely make our move. So just focus on your own enemies."

"I'm worried about Mom and Dad. We should go home as soon as possible." Amber Dawn said.

Esther Dawn looked at Keylan Light and said, "Founder, we should go."

Keylan Light nods his head in agreement and looks at Mikaela bidding his farewell. Only then did he, Randall Ruid, Luther D'Arcy, and the children enter the world portal. Once they passed through it the portal had turned into just an empty land. It was as if it never existed at all.

The Beast God Shou pats the shoulder of his friend, Mikaela, and says, "Your child will be okay. With Lord Xuebao and Lord Meizhou on the other side, that world wouldn't be destroyed as long as they make a move."

"It is a question of whether the Venerable Lords are willing to make a move or not. If that Vile existence appeared then they would definitely make a move. I hope nothing else happens while we are away."

Mikaela said.

Beast God Shou said, "Let's leave for Vearth right away. Then return as soon as he gets what we came for. Tuya, I will leave the rest to you."

"Don't worry, Shou. I will protect this world for you." Great Elder Tuya said.

Seeing the Beast God and his adoptive mother flirting with just their eyes, Leafy suddenly butts in and says, "Gramps. Get a body soon so Granny will have someone to accompany her at home. Ever since I married Baishi, Granny had been living alone. Don't you feel sorry for her?"

"My little greeny, don't be so straightforward," Baishi said. He already realized that the relationship between the God's Messenger and the God itself wasn't simple when he saw how the Elemental Light God and Lord Keylan Light interact with one another.

The Beast God, Shou didn't get offended and instead laughed loudly, "Soon, brat. I will be able to have a physical vessel soon thanks to Mikaela and Keylan Light's help. After we finished business we shall create my body. Take care of your granny while we are out."

"Hmp! Leave Granny to us!" Leafy said.

Afterward, the Beast God Shou and the Elemental Light God Mikaela take their leave and head to the Vearth. They can only go there in their astral form and thus Mikaela's vessel was hidden in his space. While the two Domain Gods left their worlds to temporarily ascend, those who had returned home were welcomed by a world of black and barren lands.

Keylan Light and the rest were welcomed by the scene of the former world full of greens to a world full of dead things. Trees had died and turned black as well as brittle. The land was tainted, his miasma had become dry and infertile, and it was so barren that even the grass had turned black as if it was filled with poison. The sky had turned crimson and flying bones in the shape of birds and other flying creatures could be found. The former buildings where humans and the other races lived had turned into ruins of debris and piles of broken stones. Even the largest city in the Central Region is no more and was replaced by a castle made of bones where the devil lives.

Mayonaka Yoru almost couldn't hold back a curse, "What the hell happened here? The city had disappeared, the trees had dried up while the rivers and ponds had turned into a black swamp."

"There is miasma in the air. Don't breathe it in!" Amber Dawn said.

She isn't affected as she is from the Blood Race and can be considered someone from the devil race. The Dawn Siblings are alright thanks to their Vampire Blood. Randall Ruid and Luther D'Arcy are also okay. They are both Gods in reality and this kind of poison doesn't affect them. Asher Light and Mayonaka Yoru felt a bit groggy and dizzy. Breathing in a miasma can cause hallucinations and the worst result is insanity and becoming a fallen or undead.

Asher Light immediately covers their group with a purification spell as well as a barrier. This helps clear up their minds and souls.

Keylan Light couldn't believe how the world he and Mikaela controlled ended up like this. It was supposed to be a beautiful world full of life and peace but all of it was destroyed by just one person.

"How can this be? Why did our world have to end up like this because of one human?" Keylan Light questioned in dazed.

Mayonaka Yoru said, "It's all the Devil's fault again. He shouldn't have existed in the first place!"

"Blame me. I shouldn't have accepted him and this wouldn't have happened at all?" Keylan Light said

Amber Dawn said, "In conflict between races, it was never the fault of one person. All that happened is the consequences of the past actions and now are only results that everyone has made for themselves."

Everyone was rendered by Amber Dawn's words, her words were the truth that no one can deny. It was something not just one person can control and as it was something that involves races and not just one person.

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Suddenly a group of birds made of bones attacked them. All undead beings regardless of their shape are all greedy for the living and even though they are flying the scent of someone alive cannot escape the

undead. That's why they were attacked. The undead creatures had overtake the world and pushed the remaining living beings to the brinks of their extinction. In this world, the undead dominates the living under the lead of Kenan Light who had been reborn as a devil.

Keylan Light purifies the air and strengthens the barrier around them while urging the children and the rest to fly back to the Academy as soon as possible.

"Fly back to the Academy. The barrier will be able to block them!"

Chapter 1060: First Red Star - Before the war.

They were being pursued by a large number of undead birds and barely managed to avoid being surrounded. They were surprised to see so many undead creatures even in the sky, which made them realize how much their world had changed. The former pope, who had fallen from grace, had caused many deaths. Their once-beautiful world was now gone. The children were injured by the attacks from the undead birds, except for Keylan Light, who is immune to attacks by beings other than gods. Despite the protection of Randall Ruid and Luther D'Arcy, the children appeared to be in poor condition.

As Asher Light and the others approached the Academy, the undead birds disintegrated upon touching the golden barrier surrounding it. Despite entering the sanctuary safely, they bore scratches and wounds on their bodies and emitted black smoke due to the lingering effects of the miasma. Asher Light immediately cast Purification and Healing Spells to tend to the injured. Meanwhile, Keylan Light, a Hod, readied a powerful Sanctuary Spell to eradicate all undead within its range. Infused with divinity, Keylan's spell was highly effective against the undead beyond the barrier. As he chanted the incantation, his body radiated a golden glow and angelic wings materialized on his back, lending him a holy and sacred appearance.

The others who were suffering from immense fear saw this glow of light as a sign of hope and seeing Keylan Light and the rest of the protagonists covered with the golden veil of light, made them feel hope for a brighter future with everyone surviving this disaster.

Keylan Light just finished chanting, "Holy Sanctuary!"

The Academy was surrounded by a golden ring, with Keylan Light at the center. When the high-level light spell was cast, it burned and eliminated the numerous undead creatures that had gathered outside the barrier. The undead let out a short shriek upon contact with Keylan Light's spell, and all those within its range were reduced to ashes and returned to the earth.

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Regrettably, the attack only managed to remove half of the undead outside the barrier. Kenan Light easily summoned a fresh set of troops to his command with a wave of his hand. His use of a wide area of effect light spell served as a clear message to the enemies that Keylan Light and his allies had returned.

Mayonaka Yoru saw the result of the spell but still frowned, "It's not enough to kill all of the undead. We need to go out and actively kill them. Those high-level ones barely feel an itch with that spell just now."

"I agree. We need to gather everyone available. At least we need to widen the area where we can live and purify the land. Slowly regaining territory to protect." Esther Dawn said as he glanced at his younger siblings. "You guys go home first. Inform Dad and Mom about our return. As for tonight, you guys will rest, I and Yoru will handle things for today."

"You two haven't rested like us as well. Can't we find someone to take your place so you can also rest?" Amber Dawn said.

Esther Dawn said, "If no one takes the lead, the people in this place will remain complacent. It's enough that we shift in leading so there wouldn't be any problems with commands."

"Don't worry. We can handle it. You need to rest well first before we do so." Mayonaka Yoru said.

Asher Light and three others accompanied Esther Dawn and Mayonaka Yoru to inform their respective families that they had returned. Upon arriving at the Dawn Family mansion, Carnelian Dawn felt anxious about whether his parents would recognize him, as he was believed to be dead. It was difficult to imagine how he could simply return home as if nothing had happened.

Amber Dawn said, "Finally, we are back home. I miss Dad and Mom so much."

"Watch your step. Don't trip over the stairs, Amy." Asher Light said as he escorted his lover back to her home.

As Carnelian Dawn walks, he suddenly stops in his tracks. He's unsure if he should go straight home because his appearance has changed drastically from how Athan Vladimir looked. Carnelian knows that he's not supposed to exist, which adds to his hesitation. Conri Lycaon, his lover, notices his sudden quietness and takes his hand tightly to comfort him. Conri understands what Carnelian is struggling with. After being born, Carnelian had to use his sister's body and go by the name of Amber Dawn. When he died, he was reincarnated as Athan Vladimir and lost all his memories of being from the Dawn Family. This caused problems for his mother, Earl Thana Daybreak. Especially no one recognized each other, they didn't even know that the soul in Athan Vladimir is someone connected to the Dawn Family.

Now that his memories had returned, he also recalled all the things that had happened in the past. All the bad things he did and all the events that he caused and did. He felt unworthy of meeting his parents. Conri Lycaon is worried about his lover. He knew his situation yet he couldn't do anything but accompany him.

Conri Lycaon whispered, his voice full of gentleness and pampering all only for Carnelian Dawn his Luna. "A'Lian, you don't have to worry. Amy and Brother Esther accepted you and welcomed you with open arms. I'm sure Aunt and Uncle would be very happy to have you back."

"Conri, what if... they don't recognize me? Look at me like a stranger. I'm... I'm scared~" Carnelian Dawn hugged Conri Lycaon as if he wanted to hide himself within his lover's eyes.

Conri Lycaon said, "Don't be afraid. I will be with you. How can your parents not even recognize you as their son? They will definitely know who you are."

Amber Dawn and Asher Light were unaware that Carnelian Dawn and Conri Dawn, who were supposed to be following them, had not entered the house. It wasn't until their parents asked about Esther Dawn's whereabouts that Amber and Asher realized the other two were not present. They had informed Thana Daybreak and Luciel Dawn about Esther's and Mayonaka Yoru's plans beforehand. Amber excitedly shared with her parents how her younger brother had been revived due to his soul connection with Conri Lycaon being reconnected. However, when she turned to introduce her brother, she realized that Carnelian and Conri had not followed them inside.

"Mom, Dad, see who we brought home! It's our youngest!! Eh? Where is Car?" asked Amber Dawn as she saw no figure of her younger brother.

Asher Light said, "They didn't follow us back. Maybe they are still outside the house."

Thana Daybreak and Luciel Dawn's reaction was unexpected. They seemed to believe that their youngest son had never been gone in the first place. When their daughter and her boyfriend explained the situation with Athan Vladimir and how the soul inside was their lost son, they were overjoyed to learn that he was alive and had returned home with his siblings. The elderly couple was both surprised and grateful that their other child had finally come home.

Thana Daybreak rushed out of the house upon hearing that her youngest child had returned home. Her husband, Luciel Dawn, followed her and also ran out of the mansion to look for their child. They were surprised to see a young man who looked just like Luciel but with his mother, Thana Daybreak's gentle eyes. When Carnelian Dawn saw his parents running towards him, he couldn't help but feel scared of being rejected, so he hid behind Conri Lycaon.

"Sweetie" is that you, Carnelian? Don't hide, please. Let Mom see you," Thana Daybreak said with her eyes red with happiness and sadness at the same time.

Luciel Dawn also couldn't move away from the child. This is the son he had begged the Gods to save. He was also the child he had lost all these years and failed his responsibility as his father to himself.

"Child, can you let us see you?" Luciel Dawn said. Despite his stern voice, one couldn't ignore the hoarseness in it as if he was holding back his tears.

Conri Lycaon encouragingly whispered to his lover, "It's okay. You can do it, A'Lian."

Upon hearing the voices of his parents, Carnelian Dawn couldn't help but peek from behind Conri Lycaon. With his lover's support, he bravely faced his parents in a new appearance he had just gotten used to and timidly looked at them obviously afraid of rejection.

Carnelian Dawn was holding the edges of his clothes and didn't dare to look straight at his parents' faces but light called for them, "M-Mom... D-Dad..."

Without warning, Carnelian Dawn found himself enveloped in a warm embrace from his parents. Thana Daybreak was especially overjoyed to have her beloved son back home, and tears streamed down her face as she held him tight. Luciel Dawn was equally thrilled and joined in the embrace, hugging both his wife and son tightly. Conri Lycaon, Carnelian's partner, was also pulled into the hug and wrapped his

arms around Carnelian's waist. Asher Light and Amber Dawn arrived just in time to witness the heartwarming scene. Seeing the love and affection being shared, Amber couldn't resist and joined in the group hug with her boyfriend.

Amber Dawn said, "Unfair! I want to hug my little brother as well!"

After everyone had calmed down, the whole family gathered in the living room of their house. Thana Daybreak sat beside her youngest family member and couldn't help but stare at him. She had never seen him in his baby form because he was born in someone else's body. As a result, even living in his sister's body made him very sick and he was unable to use his real abilities, forcing him to live as an ordinary human being. He desperately wanted to help his family and elder brother but couldn't succeed. However, he finally returned to his family with his own body and identity, which was the most important thing to him now.

Luciel Dawn frowned, "Esther and Yoru stayed out to patrol? They didn't even rest properly. I will send someone to take their place and have them come home tonight!"

"Let's have a feast tonight! Invite Lord Keylan as well. We can do the serious work starting tomorrow. You guys should take a rest first before anything else." Thana Daybreak said. "If you are back that means Lord Luther and Lord Randall had also returned. Then things would be okay now even if Lord Fenrir and the Progenitor didn't make a move. Lately, the atmosphere in the Academy isn't great. The parents of the students suddenly stopped their children from going to class to train. It was as if they'd already given up struggling to live."

"Don't mind those cowards. They were all waiting for someone to step forward and take the lead but most of them were devastated by just the sheer numbers of undead beyond the barrier. They've also started worrying about the extent of the barrier. Fearful that it would just disappear one day." Luciel Dawn said.

Amber Dawn said, "Dad, Mom, don't worry. I and everyone will help. Lord Keylan had also received permission to make his move. He will definitely do everything to protect our world."

"We will help too. This is our world as well." Asher Light said.

That night after Esther Dawn and Mayonaka Yoru were forced to return home, the whole family had a big dinner feast shared with everyone. Keylan Light was invited as a special guest. But the other instructors didn't come as they are in need to report to the Lord about everything that happened in the other world.

At the mansion at the edge of the territory owned by the Genus Academy...

Randall Ruid and Luther D'Arcy had just returned to the world but immediately dropped by to report everything that had happened in the Primitive World. They told everything including the completion of the Ceremony between the other two Sovereign Gods. They've also reported that the World Eater had shown no presence in that world.

Fenrir SKoll mumbled, "So he didn't take the bait. I thought he would come to find that child 'Carnelian'. He quite likes the soul of that mortal. What a pity~"

Clearly from his words alone that he didn't intentionally help those children to regain the connection between their souls. His sole purpose in helping them was to use them as bait to fish out the World Eater fragment. Helping them to go to the other place was just something on a whim.

Randall Ruid reported, "Sovereign Ruler Shen said that he didn't find anything amiss in that world."

"Hmp! Did it go hiding just because I destroyed one of its fragments? How useless... Tsk!" Fenrir Skoll said.

Next to him, Cassius Ambrosia was sound asleep. Lately, his wife had been sleeping for longer periods of time, even when he was by her side. He couldn't figure out why Cassius had been so tired lately, but when he checked on him, everything seemed normal. He gazed at his wife's peaceful form with loving eyes. He only showed this kind of tenderness to his wife and children, never to anyone else.

Fenrir Skoll said, "Since there is nothing that can be done, you can do as your vessels are destined to do. Help them if necessary but don't overdo it. Tell the same thing to Yue and Yang. You may leave."

"Yes, Lord God Ye!"

Randall Ruid and Luther D'Arcy were instructed to leave and disappeared into the darkness. The danger beyond the barrier can only be resolved by the world's original residents. Fenrir Skoll and Cassius Ambrosia are the only passers-by present to witness the end of this world. Whether it results in survival or destruction, they can only observe it unfold.