

World Plot 1281

Chapter 1281: x First Grey Star - Octopus have three hearts.

Before leaving the little world, the couple waited for their cubs to wake up from their slumber. When they returned to the group, they saw that much had changed since the two of them had departed. With the exception that Mo Yuhan had taken in half the energy from the orb that he utilized to bolster his power.

The two gods are attempting to prevent each other from succeeding, while the latter is making great efforts to spare the former. The conflict between the Moray Eel God and the Evil Octopus God came to a standstill as a result of these two ways of thinking.

The outcome allowed mankind additional time to become ready. At this point, the four-member Ye family came back into the group. They instantly teleport into the barrier that shields the other hunter and into the middle of the ocean. Mo Xuejing built a unique space rift door, through which he and his family emerged.

Mo Xuejing complained, "You guys aren't done yet!?"

"Not yet, Master. The miasma in the water is too deadly," Leica reported.

Doctor Guang said, "What the... Is that a space rift!? How can it even have a door? Impossible! Space elements!? They truly exist!"

"This is amazing and convenient," Doctor Hei commented, and he secretly went beside Ji Yoonjun to ask him if he was also capable of teleportation. "Junjun, can you also teleport?" he whispered.

Ji Yoonjun glanced at him with an expressionless face and answered, "With a tool with an engraved Space Teleportation Spell, it can do the work. It doesn't work if it's too far away, though."

"Then how far can the two lords teleport? Do they also need to use a tool for it?" Doctor Guang asked as he was simply curious, but curiosity killed the cat.

Ji Yoonjun was hesitant to answer, but it seems that Mo Xuejing overheard their conversation.

Mo Xuejing said, "Tool? What tool? I only need to think where I want to go and can go anywhere. It's not that hard."

"Not hard. So easy~" Ye Jingxia, who inherited his dad's perfect control of ice and space elements, said.

Ye Jieye and Ye Anxia, who couldn't do the same thing, turned themselves mute and looked at their wife and elder brother's arrogance with a helpless smile.

Leica, who was standing beside the two doctors, and Ji Yoonjun whispered, "Don't compare common facts to what these two can do. What they deem easy can also be the hardest for other people. At least for Lord Ye, he never teleported at the exact location he wanted without the help of a tool. These two are special."

"Because of their bloodline, they have absolute control of space. No need to think much. The family of these lords is special itself," Ji Yoonjun added. The bloodline of the Hei Clan made them compatible with space elements; unfortunately, Ye Anxia wasn't born with it.

"Bloodline?"

When Mo Xuejing turned to look around, he found his cousin lying on the ground, panting like a weary dog. It seems like a hundred times heavier weights are on his wrists and ankles than they were when he initially put them on. His weariness remains unabated despite the aura being circulated throughout his body; it merely makes the agony better.

It seemed to Mo Xuejing that he would not accept Mo Yuhan as his family—just a worthless brat. Mo Xuejing walked to where Mo Yuhan was, as predicted, and he grabbed his back collar and lifted him up like a cat.

Mo Yuhan could tell by the expressionless look on his cousin's face that he was not at all happy with where he was at. Despite his struggles, the hand holding his collar was too strong to let him flee.

"C-Cousin? Hehehe~ you're back," Mo Yuhan said.

Tsk!

Mo Xuejing clicked his tongue at how useless the brat is. He brought him in front of his husband, Ye Jieye.

"Husband, cover him with light elements. One that lasts for half a day."

"Okay." Ye Jieye didn't question what his wife asked of him. He gathered enough light elements on his hand and put a wisp on Mo Yuhan's forehead. A thin but pure white film covers the water film that protects Mo Yuhan's body.

With the mermaid's scales as protection and a light elemental barrier, Mo Yuhan's exhausted body began to mend right away. He cast a bewildered glance at Ye Jieye. Though all he had heard was that his brother-in-law had healed Heavenly Guardian Lu Wangle's arm, he felt something different after witnessing and experiencing it.

In contrast to Ye Jieye's light elements, which were repaired by Doctor Guang for a specific amount of time, the latter were evidently purer and stronger.

Mo Yuhan said, "This is amazing!" Beside him, Ye Jieye also cast the same barrier around his children. He immediately felt something bad was going to happen.

"Cousin, what are you doing?"

Mo Xuejing's lips parted in a teasing smile. It is too beautiful and tempting, sending Mo Xuejing into a stupor. However, the words that emerged from those slender lips told a different tale.

"Now that that black aura can't affect you, you can fight with problems, right?" Mo Xuejing said.

Mo Yuhan said, "I... I don't. No. No. No. Brother, that's impossible!"

"Nothing is impossible. You need to at least defeat a god to protect this world. Don't worry, this time your nephew and niece will help you. Off you go~" Mo Xuejing said as he threw the young man in his hand towards the location where the two gods were fighting.

Aahhhh!

Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia gave their father a giddy glance. They are awaiting authorization before taking on those gods directly. Even as young children, they have a great desire for bloodshed and combat because they are descended from the God of Void and Destruction.

Mo Xuejing pats their heads and says, "Play. Don't overdo it."

Permission granted, two tiny figures dash out from behind the barrier, untouched by the eerie aura emanating from the water. Their childish laughter reverberates across the space, blending with Mo Yuhan's cries. This scene left everyone in disbelief.

Ye Jieye wrapped the other hunters with the same light barrier that can ward off poison, miasma, and other harmful effects after taking a quick glance at them. All of them, with the exception of Lu Shang and Leica and the two protagonists who are still in the process of awakening, were granted this protection.

Doctor Guang pointed at himself in disbelief and said, "M-Me too? I can't fight though."

"The black twin one, go and tame a mount for your white two. You two will join as support," Mo Xuejing commanded, obviously not accepting any words of rejection. Then he looked at Ji Yoonjun and said, "You watch over them. If that octopus still has trump cards, you can do as you wish. Keep them alive."

"Yes, My Lord!" Ji Yoonjun said.

Mo Xuejing gave the others a stern, commanding glance. anyone who can see it tremble as his aura has the power to freeze anyone around him. This is the true heir to the Mo Clan, given his distinct appearance and imposing demeanor.

"What are you still looking at? Fight! If you can't defeat that thing, we can't go home. Didn't you come here to train? Fighting a sea god should suffice, right?" Mo Xuejing said.

"Yes, Lord Mo!"

The hunters will then all rush out of the barrier, holding their guns. They will battle to the death because they do not have to worry about the corrosive aura anymore. Mo Xuejing, Ye Jieye, Lu Shang, Leica, and the two protagonists are still at the center of the ocean. The others, however, all step outside the barrier of protection to engage in combat.

The handicapped Moray Eel God was finally able to catch his breath as they joined the battle. To seek the corrupted apostles of the Sea God Lanyu, some human hunters arrived. The tarnished cannot go back to normal, particularly those who are insane. Sea God Lanyu did not let the human hunters cease battling against his former subordinates, no matter how much it hurt him inside.

He decided to watch Cthulhu, who is currently surrounded by people.

Mo Yuhan landed squarely on the large head of the Mad God. Using his cousin's throw as leverage, he stabbed Cthulhu in the skull. His icicles did not soak very far, as was to be expected, but they did puncture the Evil Octopus God's circular head. He was hurt without warning, and the ice elements that remained stopped him from healing. That infuriated the God of Madness considerably.

{AAHHHHH!!! Humans! I will never forgive you! Die. Die. You should all die.

Weaklings that should never have existed. Die for this deity!! }

Mo Yuhan complained, "I'm not the one who threw myself at your head. Oh, shit!"

Mo Yuhan had hurt Cthulhu in the head, and he planned to instakill him. He could hardly break through the thick wall of ice that barred his tentacles. Additionally, the slow freeze had certain aftereffects that somewhat restricted his movements. Two little brats are also present, and they are hurling ice and fire at him. Though it is small, it is far more potent than strikes from other people.

Because Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia's divine bodies are the source of their powers originally. A mortal cannot seriously hurt another god.

Hahahaha~

Ye Jingxia continued to scratch and punch the large target in front of him while laughing. He enhanced both his physical attributes and attacks by using Blood Berserk. Even worse, he applied ice to his palm faster than Mo Yuhan, creating a frost effect.

"This is so fun. I love ripping up big toys."

"Gege, gege, dirty. Daddy will get angry!" Ye Anxia said while jumping around and following her elder brother.

She had a little replica of his blue phoenix flame surrounding her. She would use these tiny phoenixes to parry and stop the tentacles whenever his sibling was struck by them. Cthulhu was getting angry at the sensation of being both frozen and scorched at the same time. In addition, some cunning humans run across his body, aiming for his vitals. He finds it difficult to sleep.

He must also remain vigilant about the location of Sea God Lanyu. After all, this is more lethal than these bothersome individuals' little attacks.

{That's not it. No matter how much you cut off his limbs, he won't die. You must find his heart. He has three hearts. Those must be attacked all at the same time to stop his regeneration.} The Moray Eel God said.

Even with Doctor Guang's best efforts, the damage to him was so great that it was insufficient. Regarding Doctor Hei, his goal is to subdue the tainted apostles. Although it was difficult and nearly impossible to control a mad creature, the other hunters were able to injure them until they were subdued by temporarily stopping their motions.

Mo Yuhan looked at the huge octopus and didn't know where the three hearts might be. "Three hearts? How come it has three hearts!? Where the hell is it then?"

"Focus your aura in your eyes. The heart is one of the sources of qi. You can see it by seeing through the auras."

Looking down from above, Ji Yoon Jun saw the entire battlefield. He had been watching the battle from above, using his arrows to help those who were in danger. He obeyed orders without engaging in physical combat.

As soon as Ji Yoonjun finished speaking, everyone tried to concentrate their qi in their eyes and witnessed an ethereal scene filled with vibrant auras. Mo Yuhan is surrounded by an aura of sky blue, which represents ice components. Sky blue and red auras surround Ye Anxia. Red signifies a fire element. The sky blue and purple aura around Ye Jingxia. Purple represents the element of space.

Doctor Guang is surrounded by both white and light elements, while Doctor Hei possesses a colorless aura, signifying that he is in charge of a special quality that is not present in the primary components.

When everyone looked at the huge octopus in front of them, they saw two glowing orbs that kept moving around his huge body. Both orbs are covered in black auras.

Mo Yuhan said in shock, "His heart can move around his body. How come there is only one? Isn't it supposed to be three?"

Chapter 1282: First Grey Star - Death of Cthulhu

The octopus in front of them only has two hearts, even though they are meant to have three. The others were a little perplexed when they discovered that they had actually only seen two. Why is there a heart missing?

Leica commented, "There are truly only two hearts. Isn't it supposed to be three?"

"If it died after two hearts were destroyed, that means that one heart is long gone. There is no need to find it if it is dead," Lu Shang said.

Ye Jieye said, "They are taking so long that lunch has passed. I should cook a late lunch meal."

"Isn't it just an octopus? They are taking too much time just to kill it," Mo Xuejing complained. His lover passed a tumbler with a Java Chip Frappe for him. "Thank you."

Sips~

When a stone table and a few stone chairs arose in the vicinity, it was a mystery to everyone. Along with Leica and Lu Shang, Mo Xuejing sat down. Ye Jieye set up a makeshift kitchen there and got to work preparing some more snacks and drinks. The other three, on the other hand, keep watching the fun while holding snacks and drinks.

As the hunters engaged in combat and used battle formation to pin their prey in one place, Mo Xuejing made a comment. Additionally, they ensured that there would be no disputes with the region they were

fighting in and helped each other out when things went hairy. Only Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia were using their own methods to combat, among the others.

Even though they do not adhere to any formation, they are nonetheless quite strong. They may return their victim to its former location as long as it moves slightly with only a small amount of power.

Regarding Mo Yuhan, he made every effort to maintain the lines separating conflicts. Anything that crossed the ice he created in the course of his battle with the formidable foe, the Evil Octopus God Cthulhu, would be frozen.

Mo Yuhan asked, "We need to destroy both hearts at the same time? That's all!"

"Yes, I will support you. Just focus on one heart, and I will simultaneously use an arrow to attack the other heart to match your movements," Ji Yoonjun said.

Doctor Hei said, "I will halt his movements. But it might not be too effective—just a few seconds at least!"

Ji Yoonjun said, "That's enough! We will match our timing with you! Mo Yuhan, get ready!"

However, Cthulhu is not a fool. After learning of their schemes, he attempted to destroy everyone by going into a frenzy or even exploding himself. It decided in its own mind. It is preferable to pull as many people into his death as possible because he will eventually pass away. He is utterly callous, not just to his adversaries but even to himself.

{Damn! Humans, you won't get whatever you want!!! }

Cthulhu, the God of Madness, roared, and an aura of strength grew around him. He immediately healed the wounds these hunters had caused him by sucking back the black aura he spread over the sea. The cuts and burns had regrowed the lost skin and flesh, but the frost had returned to normal. The sea's corrosive aura has completely vanished, which is the only positive news.

It became white instead of becoming a pure black octopus.

Leica commented, "Its attributes have changed. Now it's light elements."

"As expected of a God with three hearts, each heart controls different kinds of elements or attributes. Now that it's covered in light elements, the only components that can hurt it are either a dark one or a colorless attribute," Lu Shang said.

Mo Xuejing said, "At what extent could that doctor control his ability? If he could control a god of this level, he would be more than useful."

"Doctor Hei should be able to do it. As long as Ji Yoonjun makes the right judgment, they should be able to win," Leica said.

Lu Shang said, "The problem is whether he would make the right decision."

Mo Xuejing glanced down at the scene beneath his feet, watching as the young guy hovered above the others. He did not say anything, just about to turn his back on everything, until he saw a flash of movement close to the young man's ears.

He was unaware of the words spoken to the young guy, but it was during these brief moments that Ji Yoonjun called out to Mo Yuhan, announcing that he would launch an attack concurrently with his own. Two parties are attacking at the same time, but their targets are distinct.

After determining that Ji Yoonjun had taken the proper decision, Leica and Lu Shang teamed up with Mo Yuhan to demolish the Mad God's two hearts. Being gods, they typically avoid dealing with humans because it degrades them on their side. The move made by Ji Yoonjun is not what Lu Shang and Leica had anticipated. They anticipated that he would reject this choice and take action on his own.

Lu Shang stated, "This is unexpected. Just now I thought he would want to do it on his own. Did I see things wrong?"

"Maybe he changed his mind at the last moment," Leica said.

Cthulhu's body was immobilized by Doctor Hei, and the effect was short-lived—only five seconds. His nose, ears, and eyes bled from the backlash against him, yet the doctor continued and carried out his duty. Mo Yuhan seized the chance and used the ice spear he had just made to stab the enemy in the heart.

Ji Yoonjun timed his release of an arrow perfectly, aiming it at the Evil Emperor God's second heart.

SHRRRIIEEEEKKKSSS~

Cthulhu's body gradually burns to ashes as his two hearts are killed simultaneously. Even with his tremendous existence, he was still subjugated by these humans, whom he detested. He was no longer in pain as he approached death, so his final hours were spent in peace. Like the other gods, he was worshipped as a god before he became the God of Madness.

Because he loves people, he went above and beyond to grant their requests.

However, these people's desires evolved with time. They began pleading with him to murder, demolish, and eradicate people with kind intentions. At first, he refused to grant these requests, but as time went on and people lost sight of him, he grew weaker and weaker, which made it impossible for him to accept.

He began granting those unattractive requests in order to remain alive, but as a result, he was transformed into a fallen god. He is filled with madness and becomes an awful god that all living things in this world fear.

However, he took out one of his hearts and detached it from his body before he turned completely wicked. He severed the link and delivered it to his most devoted follower. The believer's heart provided a means of enabling him to live a life apart from himself, and this believer accompanied him throughout. As the Moray Eel God approached the dying Evil Octopus God, everyone watched.

When Mo Yuhan attempted to stop him, his cousin materialized behind him and restrained his shoulder. It was unexpected that the others' shadows were constrained, making it difficult for them to move as well.

They can only watch as Cthulhu fully transforms into a human in his soul form, which is now slowly fading.

{Lanyu, this is the last time I can call your name. Also, I will cut off your connection to the heavens. These restraints are the things that prevent your ascension. Once you get out of this world's chain, live the rest of your life as you wish. It's just that I can no longer fulfill the promise I made. You are now free.

I will protect you for the last time.}

{What are you? talking about? W-Wait!!!}

Sea God Lanyu desired to take on human form in order to preserve Cthulhu's dwindling soul. Sadly, there is not even a trace of a man's soul left in this world, thus it is too late. He did not understand the words the man had said for him, for whatever reason. Still, he was unable to contain the anguish in his heart.

His divinity had exploded, as if something inside him had been let loose, and this radiance had destroyed all limitations in this realm.

It so occurred that his heart was the source of this potent holiness. Lanyu had successfully changed from his half-humanoid shape to a full-humanoid one under the intense golden light around him. His chest radiates a powerful aura of divinity that envelops and shields him. It is clear that he had no control over this power, but it serves to shield him.

The skies were naturally infuriated by Lanyu's abrupt ascent. The idea that the heavens were attempting to destroy Lanyu startled him, as he was unable to comprehend anything. Abruptly, heavy, black clouds engulfed the sky inside the central area. There is a constant rumbling noise and a visible streak of lights inside the ominous clouds.

Rumbles! Rumbles~

{Why am I getting punished? Didn't I complete my mission to destroy the evil god? } The Moray Eel God screamed in disbelief.

When Lu Shang, Leica, and Mo Xuejing saw this, they pulled everyone out of the way of Sea God Lanyu and back through the barrier Ye Jieye had built. They witness the confrontation between the Moray Eel God and the Heavenly Tribulation.

Mo Yuhan asked, "Cousin, what is wrong with him?"

"All beings that are capable of reaching ascension to become a real god will have to suffer a Heavenly Tribulation. If one is successful, you will be reborn with a god's flesh and blood. Your soul will be divine, and the restraint of your world will be gone.

In short, you will be able to leave this world and go anywhere you like." The one who answered was unexpectedly Ye Jieye, who just finished cooking and reappeared beside his wife.

Mo Xuejing asked, "What will happen if he fails?"

"His everything will be gone and his soul will be destroyed. Everything will return to nothingness." Ye Jieye answered and added, "That one should be alright. What protected him is an ancient god of this world, and his heart is a treasure itself. That must be Cthulhu's last heart. I don't know why it appeared in that eel instead."

Before Sea God Lanyu could comprehend what was going on, a dense lightning bolt struck his head. Startled, he neglected to defend himself, but a powerful light of divinity radiated from his breast, enclosing him and shielding him from the lightning that descended from above.

{Huh? I'm not hurt. Why?}

A sudden warmth welled up in his chest, and Lanyu could not help but glance down. He noticed how brilliantly the heart next to him was glowing. He had no idea that he even had this heart. He was also unaware of its source. An unbearable ache rocked his skull, as though something imprisoned inside had exploded. Something had come back to him from the distant past.

A portion of his memory was sealed by the heavens upon his elevation to sainthood.

There was just one land and the wife ocean prior to the land becoming divided into danger zones. People lead regular lives. Due to their weakness, they look to the sea for cover. The only natural god on the planet, the Overlord, resides within the ocean. compassionate and kind to people who are beneath him. He maintained law and order in the water and shielded the land from the sea.

He was revered by mankind and could grant certain requests. But as time went on, these people's circumstances began to improve; they were able to live independently of one another, and they stopped being protected by others. The one and only god's protection was forgotten, yet some evil people attempted to take advantage of his existence.

They slaughtered those who wished to view him as a good God and stripped him of his followers. Ultimately, by granting this terrible human's wants, the god became contaminated and perverted from the inside out.

Chapter 1283: First Grey Star - The Forgotten Ancient God

The one and only natural god was on the verge of demise. His supporters started to turn on him one by one, even in the water. The youngest remains the only one. A tiny Moray eel was saved by the Ancient God, who raised it until it hatched and was born on world. But over time, human waste contaminates the ocean, devastating the environment.

{Little one, you should leave like the rest. I can no longer protect you like before.}

"No! I won't leave! If even Lanyu leaves, the Lord will be alone. I won't leave!" The little Moray Eel said.

{But I'm dying. I can't even protect you from these corrupted auras, and I am afraid they would harm you as well. Little one, be good. You must leave.}

"I won't leave. I'm not listening. Lanyu is staying here with you!"

Over time, some of the ocean's water gets tainted, weakening, infecting, and eventually killing people who love it. The ancient deity tried to protect the water, but he became weaker as his spirit progressively grew darker and gloomier, and he had nowhere to escape. He was dying a slow death. Just when he thought he would die by himself, this small Moray eel stayed by the old god's side.

He did everything in his power to keep the child safe, despite his condition. But he is too feeble to do anything more.

{Little one, can you run an errand for me?}

"But... Lanyu doesn't want to leave. Can Lanyu not go?"

{But this is the only way to save me. Don't you wish to cure me?}

"I want to cure the Lord, but... Lanyu doesn't want to leave your side." This little Moray Eel suddenly fell in front of the ancient god.

The god panicked, and he caught his last believer. As he was afraid, staying by his side also corrupted the little one's mind, who was much weaker than he was.

{LITTLE ONE! No. No! This can't happen. I will not allow you to die.}

The old god planted one of his hearts—the source of his divinity—with this small follower after excavating another. The tiny one was too weak, so he could only send the small Moray Eel away, but the divinity in his heart healed the little one and cleansed his corruption. He threw himself far away from this contaminated location by controlling the water to shield him from the contamination.

The only way to save his child is to do this. After all, the evil within him began to spread far more quickly than it had previously the instant he lost one of his hearts.

{Live, my last believer. Once I am gone, the Ocean will only have you as its last god.}

He tore up the terrain, divided it into numerous areas of danger, and created a massive fissure in the ocean floor. The primordial deity absorbed all impurities from the sea and took refuge at the trench's lowest point. How long the ancient god had lain in slumber is a mystery. The Ancient God was no longer the natural deity adored by the sky when he awoke the next morning.

But out of all the lunacy that other believers had bestowed upon him, a wicked god was born. That is how he got the moniker Cthulhu, the God of Madness.

Back to reality...

The sea god Lanyu had no idea that he would be the last person to worship the ancient god Cthulhu. His eyes streamed down his face in uncontrollable tears. He is not an idiot, after all. He realized that he had killed the only family he had in this world by being exploited by the skies. Finally, without the gods' restrictions on his soul, Lanyu recalled everything that had been taken from him.

He had always been puzzled as to why he was never really harmed by someone with Cthulhu's level of power. The manner in which the malevolent deity has treated him has always baffled him.

The evil god has destroyed everything or anybody that irritates him. For some reason, the heavenly guardian did not really try to pursue him, and he was not even scared of Heavenly Guardian Fei in this danger zone. Never before had the Heavenly Guardian Fei been this close to the sky. He had worked hard to earn his strength, and he had used his own hands to exact his retribution.

The heavens ignored his pain and never offered him assistance. For this reason, Heavenly Guardian Fei never trusted the sky and disregarded orders to destroy the Evil Octopus God.

Thus, Sea God Lanyu had been given this mission. Who would have guessed that God was playing tricks on him? With the master's heart, he was the rightful ocean god. However, the skies never stop telling him that he is not intended to be the true Ocean God. Su Jin, the recipient of the Ocean Pearl, appears to have been this someone.

The Ancient God had been stripped of his power when he was corrupted, and this Ocean Pearl was only the husk of his former strength. Cthulhu's power was stolen by the skies, which is why he had always desired it, an insatiable fixation.

Sea God Lanyu's hate turned into a demon god when he realized that the heavens were manipulating his fate to slay his only family. However, the master's heart within him calms his thoughts and shields him

from the inside out. Despite Lanyu's lack of control over this divinity, this gold heart will always guard him—even from himself.

RUMBLES~ BOOM!

{Why... Why are you stopping me? I want to destroy the heavens that force me to kill you!} Sea God Lanyu said with his hands above his chest.

As he was talking to himself, Sea God Lanyu was struck by another strong lightning strike. He was safely shielded from the thunder's turmoil by the barrier surrounding him. The thunder above his head continued to rain, seemingly intending to destroy him, but it was unable to breach the barrier surrounding Sea God Lanyu, even after his demonization ended.

There was a connection between the Ancient God Cthulhu and the Heavenly Laws of this universe. One exists to use unmatched power to balance the planet, while the other exists to keep it safe. They are both products of the world and might be viewed as siblings. But as the old god came close to passing away, the skies ignored him. Its goal was to rule the world by itself.

The world has changed in the absence of the Ancient God's protection. It was overrun by foreigners.

There are two: the Ruin of Time Dungeons and the Tower of God. This is something that has been introduced by an outsider to rule this world. These things have been sown and raised in this globe without the Ancient God guarding the planet itself. The skies could no longer control it already. The Heavenly Laws of this universe had really become weaker after being reset once.

Instead, the outsiders grew more powerful in silence.

For this reason, Su Jin and Lu Ming, the two main characters, were called upon to strengthen their positions. They can only defend their world once they reach a certain level of strength. Su Jin received the ocean pearl from the Heavenly Laws for the same reason. He desired for him to succeed the old god. Sadly, the power contained in that pearl is only a semblance of the Ancient God's might.

Cthulhu's true strength was bestowed upon Sea God Lanyu, his final adherent, who now detests the heavens for forcing them to murder their master.

The final attempt by the Heavenly Laws to eradicate all evidence of the Ancient God is the unexpected arrival of the Tribulation Thunder. However, their power soon equaled. There will never be another ancient deity born on this earth unless he destroys the sea god Lanyu.

Su Jin's greatest chance of becoming a hero is if he manages to obtain the power found in the Ocean Pearl; otherwise, Lanyu inherits all remaining divinity.

The Tribulation Thunder continued to fall on Lanyu, but as expected, there were no effects. The Heavenly Laws had finally spoken, and the arrogance in his words was unparalleled.

{Alas, m'rtal! Wherefore thee not just kicketh the bucket and giveth yond divinity to one of my own children!? yond pow'r isn't did suppose to falleth to someone of thy calib'r.}

Translation: [Damn, Mortal! Why don't you just die and give that divinity to one of my children!? That power isn't supposed to fall to someone of your caliber.]

Sea God Lanyu retorted. His hatred for the heavens had been ingrained in his soul. He shouted back at him.

{This is the heart of my lord. He is the rightful God of this world, not a selfish piece of sh*t like you are! You are the one who should be doomed!}

{Gaze thee tongue, m'rtal! The only real god in this world is supposed to be Beest. Yond ancient god is not supposed to be born, and t's auth'rity shouldn't have been mine. That gent is dead, and everything of his shouldst be gone. Once thou art dead, yond divinity shalt become mineth!}

Translation: [Watch your tongue, Mortal! The only real God in this world is supposed to be. That ancient god was not supposed to be born, and its authority should have been mine. He is dead, and everything of his should be mine. Once you are dead, that divinity will become mine!]

The other mortals in the region were taken aback when the sky spoke. All mortals were under his jurisdiction, yet Ye Jieye's barrier functions as his own personal territory. Even this world's Heavenly Laws had no power over those beneath his wings inside this barrier.

Lu Shang commented, "This is not my first time seeing a Heavenly Law acting like this. But seriously, this is an embarrassing scene."

"What can you expect from a lower-class world? But truly, this kind of Heavenly Law should be disciplined," Leica said as he suddenly turned to look at Ji Yoonjun and said, "This world is your mission. What is your occupation?"

Ji Yoonjun fell on his knee and answered, "This little one is a stabilizer. But it seems that there are errors in this world, and the Ancient God isn't supposed to die."

"That ancient god is long dead, but his successor obviously had no attachment to this world. After he completed this tribulation, he would most likely leave. What should be done, honey?" Lu Shang asked. He is an executioner. He can kill any god and destroy worlds, but... Repairing it is beyond his skill set.

Ye Jieye, who is also a repairer, commented. "There is only one way. First, Heavenly Laws cannot exist. It doesn't have enough intelligence and has been influenced by outsiders for too long. You need to create another set of Heavenly Laws that is incorporated with the true wills of this world's descendants."

He turned to face Su Jin, Lu Ming, and Mo Yuhan. These two are the only ones that might be linked to both the Ancient God and the Heavenly Laws. Additionally, there is Mo Yuhan, who has a connection to the above realm. These three should be able to stabilize their world if they cooperate.

Ji Yoonjun looked bewildered. "But these guys are too young and still mortals."

"They can grow up and become gods in the future. Since their love for this world exists, they would be a better choice than that arrogant thing. You're a stabilizer. Your job is to remain in this world until it completely functions normally," Ye Jieye said.

Ji Yoonjun said, "Yes, this humble one accepts the command from the sovereign."

"Go do your work. Let these two support you to remove those Heavenly Laws," Ye Jieye said. Leica and Lu Shang immediately understood their task after being pointed out by their lord. After all, the death of the Heavenly Laws can cause chaos in the world.

"Yes, my lord!" Leica and Lu Shang responded.

The others, however, will have to wait until Sea God Lanyu has finished ascending. The scene of a god battling the skies is currently being watched by all; the other mortals were already asleep when the heavens spoke. It was just Doctor Hei who had suddenly rejected it. To stay awake, he treated himself with his own pheromones.

He used all of his efforts and was so exhausted that he had to go to sleep. He remained silent the entire time, so no one saw that he was awake. However, he overheard their chat, which only served to confirm his enlightenment.

Doctor Hei's thoughts, 'The truth of this world is crazier than I thought.'

Chapter 1284: First Grey Star - Leifa

The more lightning struck the Sea God Lanyu, the more intense his tribulation grew. Sea God Lanyu is struck by thunder that is thicker and more potent. The tint of the white lightning had altered till the last three strikes. It went from white to purple. This terrible purple thunder lightning has the power to reduce all gods and demigods to ash.

Because he still lacks a god physique, Sea God Lanyu may be killed by this lightning.

Rumbles~ rumbles~ rumbles~~

{Hahaha! If it's not true that I did want them to kick the bucket, then they can only kick the bucket! Thy life is under my own control! }

Translation: [Hahaha! If I wanted you to die, then you could only die! Your life is under my control!] The Heavenly Laws stated.

{I won't be your slave anymore! When I ascend, you will be destroyed by me!!!}

However, the barrier surrounding Lanyu thickened and expanded, forming eight tentacles with Sea God Lanyu at their center, as though reacting to the purple lightning. It was Cthulhu's silhouette that now emerged, guarding Lanyu as its center. Even Sea God Lanyu is taken aback by this scene, which was not anticipated. Regarding the Heavenly Laws, they have lost all sense of reason.

{Thou art just a m're eel! a weakling yond did suppose to die because of corruption. Something like this shouldn't have kicked the bucket a long time ago! yond pow'r is suppose to beest mineth. T's were supposed to beest! thee just has't to taketh t hence from me!!}

Translation: [You are just a mere eel! A weakling that was supposed to be due because of corruption. Something like you should have died a long time ago! That power is supposed to be mine. It's supposed to be! You just have to take it away from me!!]

Rumbles! BOOOOOOM!

The heavens are still full with angry words. Its contempt for the sea god is nearly overwhelming. A few thick tentacles comprised of divine forces cut and halted the purple thunder that descended. To extinguish the purple thunder, two tentacles were offered as sacrifices.

{Argh! Alas, bugs! thee cockroach! How hard it is to kill them!!! I shall forsooth kill you! Thee might not, but disappear!!!

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Translation: [Argh! Damn bug! You cockroach! How hard is it to kill you? I will definitely kill you! You must disappear!!!]

{You're dreaming!!!} Sea God, Lanyu, and the Moray Eel God retorted.

Rumbles~ RUMBLES~

Once more, the purple lightning changed. Its aura was far more menacing than it had previously been, and others were astounded by its ferocity. The purple lightning turned to a red hue, giving the impression that blood had been spilled across the sky. This is the second of Sea God Lanyu's recent trials.

The heavens beyond this earth will honor his ascension as long as he successfully defends himself twice more.

{I'm going to kill you. Thee shouldst be ext'rminated! Thee shalt not exist! I, the heavens, deny your existence!}

Translation: [I'm going to kill you. You should be exterminated! You shall not exist! I, the heavens, deny your existence!]

The sky had already descended into madness; this red lightning might wipe out a god. Heavenly Laws, a lower-tier world, is incapable of having such power.

Those on the sidelines were stunned; they were stunned even before the purple flash of lightning occurred. Even reddish-brown lightning now surfaces. This kind of lightning was limited to advanced worlds, such as Cultivation World.

Ji Yoonjun was afraid. Even he could have been destroyed by a lightning trigger of this magnitude. He looked around instantly and realized that the lords were wearing grave expressions.

"A Crimson Leifa! Even I can get destroyed by this kind of tribulation. How can a lower-tier world control such a powerful law of lightning?" Ji Yoonjun said.

Lu Shang said, "Something is wrong. The heavenly laws of this world can barely control a purple leifa (lightning tribulation), but it's impossible for them to control a crimson leifa!"

"Whoever is interfering and lending its power to the Heavenly Laws of this world might not be simple! This Crimson Leifa can't fall. This can cause serious errors in this world when that happens. This world can only be scrapped," Leica said.

Ji Yoonjun said, "But we cannot interfere with someone else's tribulation. That's against the Divine Laws of Vearth."

"We're not going to interfere in the tribulation. But we need to isolate this world for a while from them," Lu Shang said.

System Yang and System Yue could only appear to assist them because they sensed the danger of the current circumstances. These two systems appear more like ancient cultivators than like contemporary humans in our world.

Zhi Yang said, "Use a huge space barrier with the Space Array principle on it to isolate the world. But how can you be sure that there won't be anything more powerful than this Crimson Leifa? This is just second to the last lightning tribulation of that Sea God."

"A'Yang, are you saying his last lightning might be even worse?" Zhi Yue asked as he looked at the darkening color with a red hue flickering as if charging for the next strike. He felt shivers just thinking about it. "If that's true, then this world is..."

"We can't hesitate. First, stop the Crimson Leifa from affecting this world. As for the worst scenario, we can try using our divinity to block it for the last moment. If that isn't going to work, we can only pray that the lords will make a move," Leica said.

Lu Shang made the decision to make their move, "Spread. Five-point star, Red Isolation Space Barrier."

"Yes!" The other four responded.

Rumbles~ Rumble~ BAMMM! BOOOOOOOM!

The Crimson Leifa's pressure eventually caused the barrier surrounding Sea God Lanyu to break. The last six tentacles had been eliminated this time. A few red flashes of lightning struck close to Lanyu, destroying most of the trench and causing the waters to evaporate, along with everything in its path.

Two tiny red Leifa that Sea God Lanyu repelled killed a great deal of corals and other adjacent living things.

SIZZLES~ SIZZLES~ BOOM! BOOM!

The Anairam Trench's entire central region was devastated, and the danger zone was impacted. The noises of lightning striking the ground had ceased, and so had the water inside the danger zone. That Crimson Leifa had caused internal damage and blood to cough up from Sea God Lanyu. He was unaware that the Crimson Lefa's effects had been limited to the Anairam Trench.

Everyone standing at the edge of the danger zone has left. The sight of the water dissipating instantaneously the second a red flash of lightning struck the sky alarmed even Heavenly Guardian Fei. He gave the order to leave the hazardous area right away, and nearly everyone else was ejected from it with the exception of Heavenly Guardian Fei.

Heavenly Guardian Fei was palely frowning as she floated over the water. He notices that the water in the trench has completely evaporated and that a hole has been made in the ocean. All that was left were ruins and burn marks. When the land's walls crumbled and filled the trench, some debris also blocked the entry to the danger zone.

Heavenly Guardian Fei mumbled, "How can this happen? The danger zone has been locked up. I must report this to the capital. The Ye Family is stranded inside after all." He altered his attire and transformed his tail into human legs. Heavenly Guardian Fei headed out right away to report what transpired in the danger zone to the other Heavenly Guardians.

Anairam Trench's Core Region...

With the exception of the small region that Ye Jieye guarded, the entire territory was in ruins. The ground is covered in innumerable craters, fissures, and dust. The minute the Crimson Leifa collapsed, all of the sea water in the region vanished. The entire danger zone was cut off from the outside world by the wall that Lu Shang and the other four had built.

It barely hangs on as more fissures start to show up nearby.

Darkness now shrouds the entire area. total darkness with hardly a glimmer of light. Ultimately, the entire region had been submerged behind the broken stone barriers of the excavation. The only light present at the moment comes from the lightning striking the thunderous clouds surrounding Sea God Lanyu.

Sea God Lanyu mumbles, "Last one. Just one more. As long as I defended the last lightning, I will be able to ascend."

Clap!

This applause was too evident in the abandoned, silent space. But after this one clap, the darkness persisted and the central area was lighted by an unidentified light source. Not that a fire had been started, but like everyone's eyes in this area had been trained to focus in such total darkness. The God of Void, who ruled over all darkness, was the only one who was able to accomplish such a feat.

The core area had undergone significant modification. It turned into a desolate area quickly, consisting only of rock and dust. Different sized and shaped craters break. Everything had been obliterated, not even a single coral or seaweed.

Only the awoken Doctor Hei saw the awful thing out of all the humans in the neighborhood. The sea god, surrounded by a golden halo, is struck by lightning that falls from the sky in the colors white, purple, and red. Because of Ye Jieye's barrier, he was insulated from the pressure of the lightning.

But he was astounded by the thunderous noises, explosions, and lightning strikes that occurred both before and after his eyes and ears. Now he turned to face their surroundings, which had entirely transformed from a plethora of marine plants and coral reefs along with other living things to being nothing more than a desolate area covered with nothing but devastation.

Doctor Hei mumbles, "What the hell? Is this the end of the world?"

Even his gentle mumbling was heard in such a quiet place. It appeared as though the Anairam Trench's central portion had turned into a barren wasteland with nothing but rocks and dust. Nothing alive was discovered.

Notifying the others, Mo Xuejing saw that Doctor Hei was feigning sleep. But he was not shocked when Doctor Hei stopped pretending to be asleep because the impacts of the hardship in the neighborhood are too great to ignore.

"No longer pretending to sleep?" Mo Xuejing asked.

As if he had been caught lying, the guy rubbed his face, but he also realized from Mo Xuejing's tone that he was not shocked that he was awake. He must have realized for a long time that he was pretending to sleep.

Ye Jieye gave him a glance and said, "His strong will and his unique ability might have canceled out Leica's aura when he made others fall asleep. Not bad."

"Is it alright for him to witness such a scene?" Mo Xuejing asked. He knew that mortals aren't allowed to know the truth of the world, but this mortal seems to be unaffected.

Ye Jieye said, "They said he is an enlightened one. He already knew most of the secrets of this world. Knowing more doesn't seem to be a problem."

"A'Ye, do you think that little one can survive?" Mo Xuejing asked.

Ye Jieye answered, "Before I saw the Crimson Leifa, I was sure he would survive, but now it seems that one helping the Heavenly Laws wanted this world to be destroyed."

"World destruction? No, that can't happen. Our cubs are still here, as are our grandfathers and our clan. This world can't end yet," Mo Xuejing said.

Ye Jieye smiled at his beloved and kissed his forehead. He whispered, "Okay, baby. Your wish is my command." This pledge alone indicates that the God of Void decided to become involved in this. As long as the last lightning is stronger than what their subordinates can handle, he will move. It is impossible to destroy this planet as his dearest yearning is for it to keep alive.

Chapter 1285: First Grey Star - Sea God Lanyu's End of Tribulation

Everyone involved in this tribulation had different reactions as the final strike of the tribulation lightning for Sea God Lanyu's ascension began to collect. Some people are concerned about it, including Ji Yoonjun, who was hoping that things would not get worse, and Sea God Lanyu, who is the intended target.

In silence, the two systems and the two wardens watched, waiting for the last bolt of lightning to fall so they could respond appropriately.

A pair that remained composed and unconcerned during their wait were Ye Jieye and Mo Xuejing. Doctor Hei, meanwhile, is drenched in cold perspiration and staring anxiously at the faded colors of the black clouds. The clouds turn from scarlet to a shade darker than charcoal gray. The expressions of Ji Yoonjun and others are more repulsive the darker the cloud cover.

There are stages to thunder's anguish. The strongest colors are black, blue, purple, red, and gold, while white is the weakest.

Usually, White Leifa were just ordinary hardships brought on by the ascent of gods and demigods. High gods are represented by a tribulation with purple leifa, god-kings with red leifa, mythological gods with gold leifa, celestial gods with blue leifa, and immortal gods with black leifa.

It is only possible for someone to become a sovereign if they were born as one, or if they become the other half of a born sovereign, such as Mo Baojun, the other half of Shen Siwang.

Furthermore, every sovereign has the ability to build its own planet. In the case of close-knit sovereigns, they co-create the world, as exemplified by the creation of Vearth by Shen Siwang and Ye Xiajie, or the Cloud World and Ancient World by the God of End and Origin. Regarding the Tyrant God, Mo Baojun, he is the one who made God and the Nether System on Earth.

However, it is clear that Sea God Lanyu's lightning trial is a hoax. After all, the adjustments made by the Heavenly Laws went above and beyond what was typically required of ascended gods in the lower realm. All he should have to deal with is a white leifa trial. He broke the law because he believed that the Heavenly Laws wanted to kill him and because someone cruel was supporting his conceit.

This backer had the power to summon the darkest shade of Leifa, the greatest level. The suffering that was reserved for those gifted with the ability to live forever. However, a low-tier world like this one can be easily destroyed by this black leifa; it cannot fall into this world or it would be annihilated entirely.

Ji Yoonjun turned pale while looking at the darkening clouds. "B-Black... That's a Black Leifa!"

"Um! This is a bit dangerous. Let's just call Milord for help. Lord Hei is also good. Maybe chaos is not bad itself," Zhi Yue said as he panicked. He obviously had no power to stop such tribulations that could even turn an immortal into ashes.

The Chief Warden and Zhi Yang can most likely block it, but they would be half dead afterward, and as for the rest of them, they would definitely turn into ash.

Zhi Yang patted his alter ego's head and said it with his usual doting expression. "Yue'er, don't be afraid. The Lord God is here."

"Let's descend. This isn't something we can handle," Lu Shang said as he covered the rear and let his comrades descend before him. Besides him, Zhi Yang was also quite vigilant. This lesson is quite random and unpredictable. It can strike without you knowing, or it can strike you not at all.

The God of Void did not even register that his followers were backing down. His wife is still the object of his flirtations, and he is really indifferent to the post-apocalyptic landscape that lies on the other side of the barrier. Their minions had returned, but he did not recognize it until he felt individuals approaching the barrier.

He noticed the black thunder forming above their heads as he peered upward.

Ye Jieye said, "A Tribulation for Immortals. Something of this level, there are only a few who can cause it. That one in Mo Clan is too lazy to care about this, so it wouldn't be him then. It can only be the bastard from the tower."

His expression darkened slightly as he began to believe that the man atop the tower had some sort of connection to him. This implies that he will be responsible for everything that occurs here as karma, which is really bothersome to consider.

"That bastard is making me clean up his ass," Ye Jieye mumbles as he pulls out the sleeping black dragon from the small world.

A groggy black dragon appeared in thin air, it was quite big and didn't fit in the barrier, so except for its head, most of its body was curled outside.

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Mo Xuejing pats the head of the sleepy dragon. "Why did he look sleepy?"

"It was scared off when something wanted to eat it alive. So it turns its fear into appetite. After eating too much, it becomes sleepy," Ye Jieye said. "He can eat that lightning and get stronger."

Mo Xuejing said, "That's good. Roi, go eat that black thing."

"Stop. You can only eat after it strikes that eel once," Ye Jieye said.

Roar!

Nearby, Sea God Lanyu, encircled by a fissure in the golden barrier, was experiencing some weakness as a result of internal injuries. However, he was aware that he had to continue since, should he drop his defenses, he would perish. Shutting his eyes, he collected all of his energy into his heart.

The gap in the ancient god's barrier was fixed, and it became thicker and stronger, as his heart began to light brightly once more.

The Heavenly Laws are about to lose their minds in the meanwhile. He found it incomprehensible that this mortal might perish regardless of his actions. He made the decision to make use of every power he had borrowed from that dealer. It was unaware that the Venerable itself intended to use him in order to destroy this planet and take possession of the globe it possessed.

{This deity can't understand! Why can't they kick the bucket!? Wherefore did they not just kick the bucket!? Thee shouldn't have existed! I shalt 'rase thy existence nay, matt'r what!}

Translation: [This deity can't understand! Why can't you die!? Why don't you just die!? You shouldn't have existed! I shall erase your existence, no matter what!]

Lanyu, the Sea God, lacked the strength to respond to the haughty remarks from the skies. Even though he is giving it everything he has, he concentrates more on defense. His hands come together in prayer, and his heart glows even more. He is praying for that one existence that has kept him alive to this day rather than for the Heavenly Laws that lie ahead of him.

All he can do is stare as the black thunder, shaped like a dragon, crashes down over his head. Despite the terrifying sight of the thunder dragon's mouth advancing toward him, he experienced serenity

rather than terror in his heart. The only comfort he finds is the knowledge that he will always be able to go to the hereafter with his lord. He hopes, at least.

However, as he was ready to close his eyes, he became aware of a quiet giggle next to him.

Chuckles~

This deep yet ethereal and kind voice felt so familiar to him, making Sea God Lanyu's heart beat fast.

{Don't give up until the end, my precious little one. I'm by your side and will always be with you. Never be afraid.}

Abruptly, Cthulhu's entire human silhouette from his soul materialized behind Sea God Lanyu. The young convert let out a happy cry upon seeing this familiar-looking face, yet he was unable to touch him at all, no matter how close he got. Sea God Lanyu can only look on as his Ancient God, his eight tentacles grasping the black thunder in the shape of a dragon, reaches out a hand towards the heavens.

Another black thunder blasted them after the first one was squeezed out. This time, Cthulhu's soul form gave his tiny believer a hug and bided his time. He was aware that the cultivators would take care of the remaining blows if he managed to stop the initial one.

ROOOOAAAAAARRRR~

There was an enormous, gorgeous dragon that roared loudly above. Roi began consuming it as he flew toward the clouds of heaven's torment. The manifested copy of the Heavenly Laws is this tribulation cloud. It is a component of the sky. Therefore, the Heavenly Laws suffered the agony of being devoured alive as Roi, the Black Dragon, gnawed on food.

The clouds began to scream in excruciating anguish, but the Dragon was unforgiving, treating them like cotton candy. One by one, it bit until there was nothing left.

{AAAAHHHHHHH!!!}

Burped!

The swollen black dragon soared down after finishing its meal, and its master let him go back to the small world to recover and process his food. After the tribulation clouds cleared, Sea God Lanyu's body was hit by a golden light pillar. He was unexpectedly enveloped in a golden cocoon beneath everyone's gaze, starting his own divine metamorphosis.

The region is filled with the blessings of the skies. Everything that exists in this area, both alive and nonliving, is gradually recreated and given birth to by it.

Under this light, everything was restored to its previous state, even the evaporated seawater from when the tribulation had started, and even the apostles of the Moray Eel God who had been made insane and executed were brought back to life.

Those who were observing were indifferent, amazed, or relieved. The Ye family, who had gone to reheat their late lunch, which is now an early dinner, can relate to the final one in particular.

Ji Yoonjun muttered, "He succeeded. Though the red and black leifa was something unexpected and not included in his tribulation, he still defended it well. What will his cultivation be after coming out?"

"Considering he passed the Purple Leifa tribulation, he can be at least a high god, though he had the possibility of being a god-king after coming out," Leica said.

Ji Yoonjun said, "That's quite amazing."

"Even if he became a god, if he chose to revive that ancient god in him, he would only become a normal God afterward. That heart in him wasn't his after all, and it's the only medium to revive its original owner," Lu Shang said.

Ji Yoonjun asked, "Do you think he will choose to revive him as well?"

Leica pretended to not hear the last two words and said, "He will. But he will need to work for the God System to gather the resources to recreate the body."

"Forget about him. The Heavenly Laws can no longer touch him. There is no need to care much about him. I am more worried that those two brats haven't woken up despite all those troubles," Lu Shang said. He was talking about Lu Ming and Su Jin.

Leica said, "We can still wait for a bit. Doctor Hei, wakes up the rest of them. Tell them to eat and prepare to leave later."

"Y-Y-Yes!" said Doctor Hei, appearing more submissive than previously. He could not have known what he had seen. Like walking into a different planet. He was both afraid and amazed by it.

While the others wait patiently for the others to eat and wake up. Things are not looking good in the capital. Every time there was an increase in the frequency of glitches from the ruins of time, more people died. Even worse, taking down the monsters that emerged from the space holes will take time as payback or retaliation. It was not just aging this time.

It has to do with their training, recollections, and experiences. The majority of celestial guardians have convened because the situation in the city is so bad.

Capital City, Imperial Palace...

The Heavenly Guardians were welcomed to King Wang Xingmo's castle, and the alterations to the Ruins of Time entryway were meticulously arranged. The creatures' frequent escapes from that uncharted world had become routine, and they happened at random times with no set schedule.

In the middle of the night, when everyone is sleeping, or in the morning, when everyone is eating breakfast, monsters can arrive out of nowhere. They lost more hunters and knights as a result of this.

Heavenly Guardian Gu said, "We can only evacuate the citizens. It is dangerous for them to remain in the city."

"I agree with Lao Gu with this. We can hardly fight seriously with too many people to protect," Heavenly Guardian Lu Wangle said.

Heavenly Guardian Mo Xinyue said, "But the outside isn't that safe either. That former hole in the sky and that strange lightning as if it can slash the heavens above. Both of them happened outside the city."

"There is an option of moving them to the towns under our jurisdiction, but... with all of us in the capital, what will we do if a beast riot happens?" Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang said.

Wang Xingmo spoke, "Please calm down. If the danger zone is also dangerous, we can only ask the citizens to move to small villages and towns outside the city. It would be closer and away from the other danger zones."

"There is also that option, but..." Heavenly Guardian Mo Xinyue said, but before he could continue his words, someone forcefully opened the door, revealing a humanoid version of Heavenly Guardian Fei.

Heavenly Guardian Fei said, "Help me! The entrance of my danger zone was blocked! My house was hit by lightning."

"What did you say!?" Everyone exclaimed with the news Heavenly Guardian Fei had delivered, causing another commotion in the palace.

Chapter 1286: First Grey Star - Schemes within the Capital

Heavenly Guardian Fei said, "Help me! The entrance of my danger zone was blocked! My house was hit by lightning."

"What did you say!?" Everyone exclaimed at the news Heavenly Guardian Fei had delivered, causing another commotion in the palace.

Everyone seated on the palace throne was in disbelief at Heavenly Guardian Fei's abrupt arrival and the news he gave. They were unaware of what had occurred in the Anairam Trench until they heard the specifics from this foolish fish.

Heavenly Fei described to them in detail how the water within the ditch suddenly ran out in an instant. The multicolored lightning he saw emerging from the core region is the reason behind it. It had more detrimental impacts than natural calamities. This colorful lightning had a single lethal thread.

Regardless of their class or rank, a large number of oceanic elements run out of the core region, which creates panic in the mid and outer regions. As a result, many hunters suffered injuries.

The Heavenly Guardian, who guards the danger zone, initially believed that a beast riot was taking place, but the quantity of these animals was insignificant in comparison to what transpired in the Mountain Ranges. In addition, the majority of them are hurting and dying as though there were some sort of madness occurring in the middle of the sea.

The walls on the outside area leading to the entrance had crumbled, and he wanted to investigate it himself. Heavenly Guardian Fei was forced to put the needs of the living ahead of the circumstances. He would have assumed that the walls would fall in and obstruct the entry once the individuals outside the trench were secured.

He did not give much mind to what was going on in the core area since he reasoned that maybe that dangerous pair was involved. All that concerned him were the others, particularly his subordinates, who had been trapped in the trench when it collapsed.

Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang stood up and hit the back of Heavenly Guardian Fei's head angrily.

"So it's not really an emergency! Stop scaring us. Don't you know we can hardly move people away from the capital right now?"

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"Owie~ I still need a bit of help, especially from doctors and healers. There are a lot of injured people in my place. Eh? What do you mean you can't move? Something happened?" Heavenly Guardian Fei asked.

He was a closed fish in his own land, seldom hearing anything from the city. Until he was called, and there was a good reason, he would not have gone to the capital. Thus, he was unaware that there had been a recent issue involving the ruins of time.

Heavenly Guardian Lu Wangle said, "Let's just cook this stupid fish!"

"I agree!" Heavenly Guardian Mo Xinyue said.

Heavenly Guardian Fei hugged himself and said, "I'm not delicious! Half of me is still human. You want to become cannibals!"

"Monsters had started coming out of the Ruins of Time. It's becoming frequent lately, and most of them cause a curse that involves time when killed. This is the third wave already. So we don't really have people to help you out. It's better for you to find my grandson's group. In their group, there are two highly skilled doctors and a healer.

Just find them in your zone after unblocking the entrance," Heavenly Guardian Mo Xinyue suggested.

Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang said, "While you're at it, once you find this old man's grandson, tell him what is happening in the capital and if he knows how to solve it. Inform him that the Seal on the Ruins of Time is loosening faster than he anticipated."

"I don't mind leaving, but can you at least give me some tools and materials for curing humans? I don't have much in stock," Heavenly Guardian Fei said.

King Wang Xingmo nodded his head and said, "I will arrange it. Please inform Lord Ye and his wife about our situation. We don't know when we will fail to destroy the open or when the seal will be broken."

"I will inform them as soon as I find them."

Heavenly Guardian Fei took the items the palace had prepared for him and left right away. There were too many injuries in his place, so he did not spend too much time in the capital. He only makes a personal visit to notify and record lightning strikes on his property. There had never been an event like that colored lightning in human history.

He personally reported about it since he thought there might be any unreviewed records regarding it.

In the palace's throne hall...

The gravity of the information on Heavenly Guardian Fei is remarkable; if they were not preoccupied with technical difficulties in the Ruins of Time realm, they would definitely look into it. flashed purple, red, and black lightning. While these events may seem like bizarre occurrences, the tape that Heavenly Guardian Fei gave them cannot be disputed.

Wang Xingmo said, "Though I am worried about this colored lightning, the things at the dungeon are urgent. But I will send people to check the palace's forbidden library about it, just in case."

"I agree with the plans to evacuate the citizens. But to avoid chaos in the villages and towns, I will send a few officials to oversee them. Since they are asking permission to live on other people's land, they can't act tyrannical about it. They shall be punished if they break this rule."

"I still have some young ones in my clan. They can help supervise what is happening outside the capital and look after the citizens," Heavenly Guardian Mo Xinyue said.

Heavenly Guardian Gu said, "There are only young ones left in my clan. The adults will remain in the capital with me. But I will send the children out with my son to help with regulating the citizens as well."

"Then I shall do the same thing," Heavenly Guardian Lu Wangle said.

Heavenly Guardian Xian Wu said, "You can send some to my town. There is a wide area outside my territory. They can camp there until the things here subside. As long as they aren't afraid of a sudden beast riot, well, you can send as you will."

"Same as above. It's okay as long as they don't bother my town's people. They can if they want to die though. My town is full of hunters; they can protect them if something happens in the Death Forest, but they aren't allowed to live in the town. My people hate outsiders after. Letting them stay for a few days wouldn't matter.

Months would be too much to bear. If some of your citizens are okay with that, then let them come to Numen Town," Heavenly Guardian Mu Zang said.

There was no attachment between King Wang Xingmo and the people, as the Heavenly Guardians were aware. They were concerned that the dictator would force the common people to battle the monsters even though they were weak opponents, which is why they proposed the idea to evacuate the capital's residents first.

"Okay, let's do as you said. I will send a decree to the city as soon as this meeting is finished. But what should be done to those who don't want to leave?" Wang Xingmo asked.

Doctor Sen raised his hand and said, "I'll try to convince them. Give me a day. If they try to be convinced, then... do as you will."

"Agreed!"

"I am asleep, agree!"

"Me too."

"Same here."

Finally, the conference was adjourned when the arrangements were finalized. After their return to the battlefield, the players started giving the hunters and knights on the field instructions. Those who had clans in the city temporarily returned home and gave orders to their families. Numen Town was the destination for the children and those incapable of fighting.

It is not a destination that the people of the capital would pick. This village has a reputation for booting guests who stay too long.

They can be regarded as a half-family because the young lord's spouse is a member of their clan. Nevertheless, they will still opt to dwell outside the town, with the exception of children who are unable to defend themselves and will reside within. Just like the Mo Clan, the Lu Clan followed suit.

Gu Clan ordered his people to disperse and stay outside of the danger area with the residents of the other villages. Since the majority of his people are fighters, they can be allowed to stay in the town or villages in exchange for serving as guards.

Upon learning that the previous prime minister and monarch were in Somatic Town, a few locals were also received by Heavenly Guardian Xian Wu and Doctor Sen. The majority of these men back Wang Xingyun and Fu Zin. They then headed to Somatic Town.

The capital can be considered abandoned after barely three days. While a few decide to stay, the majority are hired guns from back alleyways. These are Wang Xingmo's hidden people. Nobody is aware of his preparations. More mercenaries entered the city after the people left. Since they have some idea of why these people are here, the Heavenly Guardians of Lu, Mo, and Mu do not really care.

Wang Xingmo had sat on the throne for months, yet the struggle for it has not even come to an end. The Second Prince Xingju, who is still missing, is a rival for the throne.

In the Tower of Gods...

Second Prince Xingju had assembled a few people, some human and some from a different race. He had finished getting ready to battle for the throne. These people were standing behind Second Prince Xingju, who was facing the throne.

{So your preparations are done. That's good. You can make a move when Ye Jieye returns to the capital this time. When he does, you can fulfill your contract with me. Just don't let your guard down. After all, for me, everything is a game.}

Second Prince Xingju said, "I know. I will definitely bring to you what you want. But that is the territory of the Mo Clan. Didn't you say there is another god there? Won't he catch me if I've done such a thing?"

{Don't worry. He doesn't care about discarding one. As long as you don't do anything else but take what you need, they won't care at all, even if you kill yourself in front of them.}

There was a hint of laughter in his voice. Although he was being caustic, Wang Xingju was not too bothered by it. There is one thing that confuses him, the Mo Clan is supposed to have just one god, right? Why does he say "them" so much? Even if the Second Prince inquired about it, he knew that the man would not respond. He made the decision to forego asking and to launch his plan's initial phase.

He desired that some of his people become part of the hunter-knight community on the battlefield where the Ruins of Time are situated. He has only one chance to bring his father and the officials behind him to ruin.

The Second Prince looked at the darkening sky from the open window of the tower. For some reason, the changes on the moon gave him a creepy feeling, but this also felt like a new beginning for him. But what he didn't know was that the man on the throne was looking at him with dullness and boredom in his crimson eyes.

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Obviously, he had gotten bored of this little game of his and was only waiting to get what he wanted, so he played along with this Second Prince Xingju on the surface.

Tun Shizhe's thoughts before once again closing his eyes. {I wonder how this thing will react when he sees someone who isn't supposed to be there appear in that place. Whatever, as long as I get what I want, the others don't matter.}

He recently set fire to the covert letter he got from Nameless, the demon. Like the Second Prince, the country's current king had gotten in touch with him once and let the other pawn affect the course of events.

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Everyone finally looks at the three individuals who have not emerged from their meditative condition after they have all had enough sleep and eaten. While the last one has been sitting in a lotus position with his eyes closed, still not fully enlightened, the first two are within the Ocean Pearl, and the third is inside his golden cocoon.

The bubble that withdrew the water had replaced the barrier that had been formed around the group when the threat had passed. Having just gotten up from their slumber, Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia began to run around once more. They had Doctor Guang and Mo Yuhuan as playmates this time.

Some hunters are contentedly observing as their young lord and princess play tag with the two grownups as they trot around.

Hahaha~

Happy chuckles resound throughout the freshly made space. With the two lords around, everyone felt safer as the threat had subsided. When Doctor Hei saw Satan's horse during that horrible lightning ordeal, he dared not inform anybody else from their side for fear of upsetting the two gods. It is preferable to act as though he had no idea. Therefore, playing with kids greatly calms Doctor Hei.

Panting like a hound, Mo Yuhuan was still incomparable to Ye Jieye's two kids, despite his unexpected boost in strength. He had spent hours rushing around without stopping, but he had failed to catch either of the two cubs.

"Tired~ dying~" Mo Yuhan said as he fell face first after rejoining the group.

Lu Shang looked at him with disdain and said, "Stand up as you rest. You won't be able to stand back immediately if you lay down now."

Mo Yuhan stood solely on his two quivering legs at the sound of his instructor's severe voice. He dared not ignore her advice because he feared being defeated. The other hunters made an effort to stay out of Mo Yuhan's eye, which was pleading for assistance. They had just been released from training.

They were still hurting and numb from the training, and they did not want to be punished with more of it.

Mo Yuhan glares at his comrades, "Traitors!"

"Don't shout! Stand straight! Control your breathing!" These three commands were like military instructions; Mo Yuhan could only follow them with tears in his eyes.

This innocent little master stares in the direction of his cousin. Regretfully, Mo Xuejing is occupied with flirting with his spouse, sharing snacks and cakes from the stone table in front of them. Desserts had been made using the other sweet ingredients that their two cubs had collected. The stone table in front of this pair is now laden with a variety of vibrant appetizers.

With nothing else to do, Mo Yuhan can only follow instructions.

None of the three in the unusual circumstance were still awake when darkness fell. The group's only option was to set up camp here. The recently resurrected apostles of Sea God Lanyu were all vigilantly defending their master. They were aware that their Lord would resemble the mythical ancient god once he emerged from this cocoon.

Their Lord had to finish evolving before they could let anything happen to him.

The group started building a few bonfires and began preparing their own meal. Ye Jieye made the decision to cook only for his spouse and kids. He is not concerned about the others. He merely provided them with a few ingredients, the majority of which were harvested from the Death Forest. The remaining ingredients were those they had hunted on their route to this location.

For dinner tonight, a feast was prepared.

While everyone was in the middle of cooking, Lu Ming's side of the room suddenly experienced a significant temperature surge. Lu Ming, in the middle of it all, was not harmed in the slightest, even though the young man was suddenly engulfed in crimson flames.

"Fuck! He is on fire!"

"Should we throw water on him?"

"Maybe throwing him outside the bubble will do the work."

Everyone was in a panic due to Lu Ming's unexpected and strange state. However, Lu Shang forbids the others from coming into contact with Lu Ming because the flames around his younger brother are not like regular fire. It is composed of its aura and will undoubtedly burn anything that comes into contact with its host.

Lu Shang said, "Don't touch him! He is in the middle of enlightenment!"

"But if the fire continues to spread, the space we are in now wouldn't be enough," Leica said

Mo Xuejing spoke, "No worries. I'll make the bubbles bigger. Just stay away from the brat and let him complete his enlightenment."

The bubble, which was the size of a small house, expanded to the size of a massive dome with a single snap of Mo Xuejing's finger. The others decided to sit further away from Lu Ming because there was so much room around them, and she was giving off this red fire that seemed to be alive.

A sudden breeze covers the meter around Lu Ming, just as they believe this weird fire is about to put an end to things.

Doctor Guang commented, "An enlightenment for both fire and wind. He is good. Just how high is his potential?"

"Unfortunately, the location is not good. He might fail his enlightenment," Ji Yoonjun said.

Doctor Hei asked, "Is it because we are underwater and he is trying to be enlightened with fire and wind?"

Lu Shang wanted to make a move but stopped at the last second when he saw that his Lord was looking at him.

"Milord?" he tentatively called, as if gauging his master's attitude.

Ye Jieye said, "Bring him out of the bubble if you are going to help him. Dust would fly around if you helped him."

Mo Xuejing frowned the moment he heard dust flutter about his expressionless face. He was not very sensitive to dirt before, but these days he can not stand even the sand floating in the water. When Lu Shang saw the frown on Mo Xuejing's face, he knew why his milord had raised his voice. Ye Jieye wished to avoid causing his spouse any discomfort.

Lu Shang bowed his head and said, "Thank you, Milord. I will bring him out."

Lu Ming was able to leave the bubble and float thanks to his mastery of his wind. They had all been supplied with the scales that Ye Jingxia, the young lord, had handed away. They have a slim chance of drowning because they have that mermaid scale. After the brothers emerged from the bubbles, Lu Shang called for wind in the central area.

The water in the central area was driven out for the second time.

A powerful wind blew out the damaged walls and stones at the entrance to the Anairam Trench, pushing the block out. Fortunately, Heavenly Guardian Fei did not order them to congregate at the door lest they trigger another collapse. Those trapped inside the trench were forced out by the fierce wind. The fact that some of the beats were released like a fountain from the trench caught me off guard.

The reason that transpired right now was even unknown to the human hunters and fishers.

Fortunately, a spatial barrier was discovered at the entrance to the Anairam Trench after it was discovered that the core region was not entirely connected to the other sections. Whatever occurred in the heart of the sea would not have much of an impact on the other region unless it had caused a powerful blow similar to the wind Lu Shang had unleashed or another lightning tribulation.

That being said, a disaster-class scenario such as the ones stated is another matter entirely.

Lu Shang assisted his younger brother in gathering enough wind elements for his enlightenment, and as was to be predicted, Lu Shang's actions caused the wind surrounding Lu Ming to intensify. Fire and wind go well together. The breeze intensifies the fire.

As additional wind elements gathered, the flames around Lu Ming also grew stronger, creating a massive fire lion resembling Lu Wangle's horse, but with golden-red fur because of the gifts from heaven that he had gotten for being one of the world's heroes.

Groaarr~

Others' reaction to such an enlightenment scene:

"The bloodline of Lu, in Young Master Lu Ming had fully awakened!"

"We have another strong hunter from our clan!"

"The Lu Clan is blessed!"

Lu Ming opened his eyes gradually, taking in the alterations in his surroundings. At last, the flaming lion emerged from his meditation condition, and the wind tornadoes gradually vanished too. Lu Ming rose, feeling revitalized.

"Okay! I'm good. I can defeat that octopus now! Huh? Hah? Where is this place?" Lu Ming looked around as he noticed the changes in the surroundings he last remembered.

The coral dome has vanished entirely. More opulent recently grown corals exist, shining like precious stones. Had he not noticed the massive ocean floor drifting nearby, he would have assumed he would be sent somewhere else. His older brother gave him a blow to the head.

"Ow! Why did you hit me, big brother?" Lu Ming asked.

Lu Shang said, "Have you calmed down? The Cthulhu is gone. It was killed by Yuhan and the other hunters. You had suddenly entered a meditative state for a night and two days, finally waking up right now. How do you feel?"

"Eh? Yuhan fought that huge Octopus!? Cthulhu? Is that the name of the Evil Sea God? Ah~, I'm okay though. I feel so refreshed and my wind ability has leveled up but...

Fire ability remained the same. Something in my head told me that I must get something in the danger zone, Active Volcano Island, to get stronger. Can I go there?" Lu Ming asked.

Lu Shang observed Lu Ming and saw that there was nothing wrong with him. He responded, "Sure. You can go, but wait for Xiao Jin to wake up. The Ocean Pearl had been given to him, and he also entered enlightenment on his own."

"Really!?" Lu Ming said with delight.

The only concern he has is that Su Jin is just a regular person. He should be able to grow stronger and live longer like him now that he has the ocean pearl with him. After all, the average human lifespan is just roughly one hundred years, compared to the lifespans of ability users.

"So? What really happened?" Lu Ming asked in bewilderment, as what he was seeing was completely different from what he remembered.

He was certain that a significant event had to have occurred. The massive octopus's bodies were nowhere to be found, and the area's damage had disappeared as if it had never happened in the first

place. However, there were some damaged coral reefs and enormous seaweed that had been removed before he entered meditation. These have since disappeared.

In addition, there is that luminous egg nearby, encircled by large marine creatures, standing around it like guards.

Lu Shang sighed and said, "Ask Yuhan to tell you the details while you eat."

"Okay, big brother!" Lu Ming said as the brothers returned inside the bubbles together.

"Bro, you missed a lot! Hahaha~ don't worry, I will tell you everything!" Mo Yuhan said.

After training, Mo Yuhan went straight to his sworn brother and informed him all that had happened. Naturally, after everything was prepared for supper, this was done. All they have to do now is wait for Su Jin to awaken. They have nothing to do with the God who is currently undergoing a metamorphosis into a mortal.

Chapter 1288: First Grey Star - God of Sea, Lanyu I

Anairam Trench's Core Region

Everyone set up their own tents and got ready for bed after dinner. Considering that Su Jin had not yet awoken from his meditation, they could depart from this spot. The only option available to them is to spend one more night here. After dinner, the remaining hunters went to bed right away. They are all exhausted from the training they did before supper.

So they decided to spend the entire evening sleeping.

Even Mo Yuhan, who had just eaten, was exhausted and dozed off like a pig. It was up to Lu Ming to set up their tent and haul his sworn brother inside. However, he chose to stay by the bonfire and watch over Su Jin on the ocean below rather than go to sleep like the others. Guarding for the night was Lu Shang's other decision.

Thus, the brothers awkwardly sat next to the bonfire. After all, the Lu Ming of today is not like the Lu Ming of yesterday. The brothers had never made up in their past lifetimes, which the present Lu Ming was aware of.

Lu Shang said, "Waiting here for your lover is alright. Active Volcano Island is not an easy place. What are you looking for in such a place?"

"Actually, I don't know exactly what it was. But maybe like Su Jin's Ocean Pearl, there is something in that zone that can greatly increase my ability to control fire. That voice was urging me to get stronger, saying there is some kind of calamity about to befall all living things in this world. I myself couldn't understand why that voice kept on saying that. Isn't brother and brother Ye still here?

What kind of calamity do you guys can't fight against?" Lu Ming explained.

Lu Shang didn't speak right away and stared at his younger brother. Lu Ming noticed his elder brother's gaze and felt that something was wrong with it.

"Did I say something wrong?" Lu Ming asked.

Lu Shang said, "My body is a borrowed vessel of a God. It can be said that his restrictions are the same as mine. A'Ming, I cannot fight with you to protect this world during the calamity. Not only me, but your brother Leica, Ji Yoonjun, and Lord Ye as well. This is because we are forbidden to do so."

"What will happen if you help us?" Lu Ming asked. Suddenly, he felt his brother's soft eyes grow distant and turn away from him. God must have assumed control and been inhabiting the body of his elder sibling.

Warden Lou answered his question. "We will be forced to leave abruptly, causing injuries in this vessel's soul. Unless we finish our mission, we cannot leave. Once that happens, your brother will fall into a coma and maybe not wake up. But as long as the world doesn't reject my soul and I leave after completing my mission, he will be okay. Leica and Ji Yoonjun are in the same situation."

"What about Brother Ye, then?" Lu Ming asked.

Lu Shang said, "The Lord only listens to his wife. If you can convince his wife, he will make a move. But Lord Mo doesn't seem to care about anything aside from his husband and children, so don't expect too much. Moreover, Lord Mo has already helped Mo Yuhan increase his strength so he can be of help to you. I don't think he will choose to interfere more."

"But Doctor Hei said, Brother Ye made a move when that... What was that? Black Leifa? Didn't he help block that dangerous lightning? Isn't that the same as getting involved?" Lu Ming asked.

Lu Shang said, "His wife asked him that this place can't be destroyed. After all, once that black lightning falls, the whole ocean will be gone and their sleeping children will be affected. If Young Lord Jingxia and

Princess Anxia aren't around, they might not move at all. In their eyes, the lives of others don't mean much."

Lu Ming had seen enough to know that the Ye family kept their distance from everyone else, even within their own clans. They never engaged with them directly. After eating dinner with the others, he even got the impression that Mo Xuejing was becoming icier and perhaps even more uncaring than he had been in the past. When they became separated from them, something had to have happened.

It seemed like we were witnessing the emotionless Mo Xuejing of the past, yet in the presence of Lord Ye and their kids, this Mo Xuejing was just human.

Lu Ming said, "I do not have the guts to ask him anyway. Sigh~ if this is the case then... Going to the Active Volcano Island is the only way. I should just increase my strength as much as I can."

"Don't worry. I will ask if I can use my vacation to accompany you and Xiao Jin with Leica on Active Volcano Island after this trip. He should allow me to accompany you guys at least," Lu Shang said.

Lu Ming said, "Thank you."

He said nothing, not wanting to give away who was talking to him as his brother, or the one inside of him, or perhaps both. He decided to only express his appreciation to them. He felt that if he had searched for his brother in the past world, their connection might have been restored in that timeline, even though his brother in this universe was supportive of him.

Regrets cannot be treated with medication, unfortunately.

The brothers stayed up all night talking and watching over the group. Suddenly, in the dead of night, the entire central area of the Anairam Trench was bathed in light. It appeared as though a sun had emerged from the ocean's depths.

"What's happening? How can there be such a strong light in the middle of the night!?" Lu Ming looked around and was about to look at the glowing thing directly; his eyes were covered by his elder brother.

Lu Shang said, "Don't look at it! Mortals can't look at gods directly!"

With the exception of the Ye family's tent, everyone had nearly woken up due to the abrupt burst of light. Ye Jieye enclosed their tent with a dome of darkness so that his children and spouse might sleep without being awakened by the sudden light. Still, he emerged outside the tent to see how things were going.

He was wearing a silk black nightgown similar to his wife's white one, and he was leaning against the dome, staring blankly at the shining golden cocoon.

Argh~ Urk!

"My eyes. My eyes! Ahhh!"

"It hurts. It burns!"

"My eyes are melting! Save me!"

"Don't look at it!" Leica shouted, warning the rest of the group, but it was already too late, as half of them had their eyes burned for trying to look at the god directly.

Before Lu Shang alerted them, a few hunters ventured to peek and discovered their eyes were burning. Fortunately, Doctor Guang had awakened as well and was mending their eyes.

The gods in their company were the only ones among them who could look up and witness the birth of God. Since Ji Yoonjun had never seen the birth of God before, he was particularly intrigued. Reborn and observing one is not the same as the other, after all.

Leica noticed Ji Yoonjun's reaction and said, "First time seeing one become God?"

Ji Yoonjun nodded his head and said, "I immediately ascended after I was reborn as one. I had no attachment to my former world after all. I took away everything that is mine when I ascended. So this is what it looks like for one to become a god. Divine laws descend from the chaos, helping the birth of a god."

"Yes, no one knows where the chaos is. Maybe it came from space or somewhere else, but the divine laws it gifted are what support one to be a god. This little one seems to be a sea god or a water god. Well, now he is a real god of the sea," Leica said.

Lu Shang saw that this sea god was also endowed with another divine commandment. However, the Ancient God's heart was circulated instead of being delivered to the Sea God Lanyu. This indicates that two gods are being reborn simultaneously, with one lacking a vessel of his own.

"Two gods," the chief warden mumbles. "A Sea God and an Evil God."

"The evil one doesn't seem to have a body. To recreate one, the sea god must help him do so. The only way is to gather the materials to create a body. But he is both a good and an evil god; which system should he work for?" Ji Yoonjun said.

Ye Jieye saw into the God of the Sea's newborn soul. He can see the compatibility this deity possessed, and because of the Ancient deity's heart, Sea God Lanyu leans more toward light characteristics.

"He can join the God System. With how pure his qi is, joining the Netherworld will taint his soul. He wouldn't be able to bear to live in the Nether System. The one inside him is compatible though, but he doesn't have a body. Just send him to his brother. If he has questions, you can answer them.

If he wants to ascend to the upper realm, send him away. His connection to this world has been cut already. He no longer has the right to get involved in this star." Ye Jieye returned to his tent after saying these words. If the new god is compatible with his domain, he would have to check the background of the newly born evil god.

"Please leave the rest to us." Leica and the other two saluted the Lord God after saying this.

No mere malevolent deity can set foot in his realm. It has to be utterly wicked and has attachment to his or her former life. For instance, a strong individual who became bad in order to exact revenge on his family or a loved one. As an evil, his sins are pardonable.

However, the Lord deity of the Nether System would have dealt with an evil deity before it could reach Vearth if it had little self-control, was driven by a high bloodlust, and enjoyed killing. Su. He and his brother have constructed a universe that cannot accommodate a dangerous existence that could turn into a ticking time bomb. Their children and relatives do, after all, reside on Earth.

It would be simpler because Sea God Lanyu is a benevolent god. He can be imbued with the divine laws via the God System. In addition, he is able to determine if he is qualified to join the God System. Only gods with strong attachments to things like power or a goal they would labor toward their entire lives are eligible to work for the God System.

The God System's employment requirements permit the objective of obtaining materials to reconstruct a person's body. This means that, like Ji Yoonjun, this newly born deity can probably enter Vearth and serve the God System.

When the golden cocoon vanished entirely, Sea God Lanyu's appearance was drastically altered. At least his looks were no longer simple and more lovely than when he was a mortal. Not only has his aura changed significantly, but so has his presence. Behind him lies a halo of gold and a holy aura, and for some reason, his cultivation rose significantly as he ascended.

He was reborn as a great god similar to Ji Yoonjun rather than as a common god.

Sea God Lanyu's vision has taken a sharp turn. He can regulate his vision, making objects appear clearer even from a distance, and he can look into the entire star. This is the eye of God, and it belongs to God

as a whole. He would also develop the capacity to see through objects. Mortals only possessed elemental qi. They lacked a celestial aura.

His apostles were thinly veiled divine beings, barely deserving of note.

However, his eyes could not help but widen in disbelief as he looked down and saw Lu Shang and the others. He perceives a dense, strong holiness around Lu Shang and Leica. He senses that this man beside the couple is just as strong, if not stronger than him.

Sea God Lanyu's thoughts upon seeing Leica, Lu Shang, and Ji Yoonjun: 'As expected, there are Gods in this group. If not, then they wouldn't be able to help me defeat him.'

But the divinity emanating from the black dome was what scared him. It is a divine aura, yet it is pure blackness, not like his or anybody else's. That dark dome exudes a powerful sense of oppression as well. Sea God Lanyu feels a chill and hears a deep, chilly voice that warns him of impending doom before he can respond.

Chapter 1289: First Grey Star - God of Sea, Lanyu II

Sea God Lanyu was startled out of his spot by an abrupt heaviness, and he landed loudly on the ocean floor. His apostles were taken aback since they had not anticipated this. Their lord was being carried inside the barrier containing the humans, despite their wishes to approach him. Sadly, despite their best efforts, they were unable to breach the barrier that appeared to be a bubble.

Sea God Lanyu was unable to speak. Even though he was now a god, he felt weak and undifferentiated for some reason. He is not at all comfortable. Preceding his comprehension of his circumstances, a kind and attractive man extends his hand in an attempt to assist him in standing up.

Leica asked, "Are you alright? You should avoid peeking at the lords for too long. Lord Ye gets jealous so easily."

The hunters in the area stare at Sea God Lanyu.

"Is that God?"

"Wow~ he looks so gorgeous!"

"Is he a man? He looks more beautiful than that Heavenly Guardian mermaid called Fei!"

"Stop pushing! Can't you see the instructor glaring!?"

Lu Shang shouted, "Disperse! What are you gathering here for? Go back to sleep! Or you wanted to have a late training instead!"

"N-No. No. We're going to sleep!"

"I just came out to pee."

"I don't want to train. I don't want to train anymore!"

Leica assisted Sea God Lanyu in getting to his feet. Lu Shang, meanwhile, was shooing the others away and ordering them to keep their distance from the visitors. The Sea God's aura was too strong to be disregarded, and as for the apostles, it forced them to cease beating at the barrier.

Doctor Hei also took away his slanderous twin brother, whose eyes gleamed at the sight of the sea god, after the other humans had scattered.

Doctor Guang said, "Let me go, Hei! I want to see it. Let me see the Sea God!"

"Don't be an idiot, brother! You cannot approach God abruptly. You'll get punished," Doctor Hei said as he was pulling his twin brother back to their tent.

Pouting, Doctor Guang was dragged like a sack of potatoes on the ground, leaving traces of the line of his legs pulled along.

"Boo~ can't I just meet him once? That's a real God, right?" Doctor Guang said.

Doctor Hei glanced at Ji Yoonjun, who shook his head and said something to his brother. "As if there is a fake one. No! Try it tomorrow."

"Eh~~ fine. hmp!" Doctor Guang said as the twins disappeared into the tent.

Leica said, "A'Ming, Yuhan, you guys also take a rest. We will do the guard duties."

"Okay, bro, let's go!" Mo Yuhan said.

Lu Ming struggles, "Stop pulling! You'll tear my clothes!"

Mo Yuhan shoved his brother back inside the tent as well. He believed that no matter what was said next, the two of them could not listen. All those who remained were gods, something that Sea God Lanyu also observed. This group of gods consists of three or more. Since mortals are unable to see through gods, the human was unaware that they were gods when he first came.

However, now that he is a god, he can readily distinguish between mortals and gods. The three in front of him were, at the absolute least, gods. With the last one having the same strength as him and the other two stronger than him.

Sea God Lanyu greeted the ones in front of him. "Greetings to the Venerable Ones."

"No need to be so official. You are a God yourself after all. Though you have received some information about the beyond, there are still some questions in your mind. We can answer your question if you have any," Leica said.

Working as someone who could speak instead of his master, Lord Hei, made Leica feel nicer than the cold-blooded Lu Shang or the quiet Ji Yoonjun. Even if he converses with strangers, his master handles all of his interactions.

After realizing that these people were gods, Sea God Lanyu momentarily paused but quickly realized that they would not support mortals or anything from this world. Gods are classified according to the information he acquire from beyond. Low-level gods, often known as deities or demigods, are identified by their white auras. That was his pre-ascension state.

This type of god is considered the weakest of all; they can even be less powerful than the celestial laws governing their planet.

A fully realized God is the weakest of the Heavenly Laws in terms of strength. To put it briefly, they are the combined wills of all people, not actual gods, yet they may take on any shape at any time they want.

They resemble a set of data in each world, to put it briefly. A Heavenly Law can occasionally reincarnate as a fully sentient being, but this is uncommon and needs a catalyst to happen. Since they share the same soul, they require a companion or saint who can watch over the world while they are gone. This companion must never betray them in any way. If one passes away, the other will follow.

So, soulmates are two beings that share a single soul.

Highgods are gods above gods. They have an aura of light gold. At this level is the God in Ji Yoonjun's body and the Sea God Lanyu. They are regarded as moderately powerful divinities in Vearth. God kings are at the level above. They have auras that are either green-gold or green-black.

Good gods are the only ones with green-gold auras, while only bad gods can have green-black auras.

Many benevolent and evil deities coexist on Vearth, albeit they serve distinct purposes. The former are mostly employed by the God System, while the latter are wardens for the Nether System. Mythological gods follow god kings; they are primarily blue and may be distinguished from evil gods by pairing them with either gold or black. The gods of the heavens come next.

The majority of the heavenly gods of Vearth are skilled fighters and are referred to as war gods. They entered several planets to battle other races seeking to take over other realms.

These gods are few in number and regarded as elders. They had an aura of crimson that varied in tone; the darker the aura, the more potent the heavenly deity. There were no other gods with a more intense crimson aura than Hei Anjing when he was merely an executioner. However, it diminished as a result of wounds he sustained while collecting the God of Void's soul bits.

Similar to the other cultivation stages, celestials can have red-gold and red-black auras.

Warden Yun Ming is a celestial god. When he was still the god of fate, he was only a mythical god. But after living hundreds of years in the Nether System, his cultivation greatly increased after he was pardoned. He received merits for doing his missions, which not only washed away his sin but also greatly increased his cultivation.

There are immortal gods after celestial gods. Such gods are quite uncommon. After sovereign gods, they may be considered the strongest gods. In contrast to sovereign gods, who originate, immortal gods represent the pinnacle of divinity's attainable cultivation. Their aura was purple, which is a sign of grandeur and strength. This is Chief Warden Lou's level.

The only number of gods that are capable of reaching this rank is manually counted.

The sovereign gods are entities that have their origins within them. Similar to the God of Origin and the God of End, their origins are unknown. They were said to have been produced by the universe. Thus, like them, those made by their hands can likewise be regarded as sovereign gods.

Hunluan, their son, is also a sovereign. He is the God of Chaos as well. Shen Siwang, the God of Creation and Light, is another. Regarding his spouse, Mo Baojun, he was able to reincarnate as the sovereign God of Life and Gods after gaining one of the authorities from the God of Void because half of his soul had been merged with Siwang.

The way it works is that Hunluan, the God of Chaos, is the offspring of the Origin God and the God of End. Hunluan created a world out of loneliness, but negativity was his source, and this being was born to devour anything, including itself.

The God of Origin and the God of End created the darkness (Void) with the power of life and death and the light with the power of creation when Hunluan and the World Eater destroyed each other. This is to create a balance between the good and the evil, the light and the darkness.

More worlds were formed, and empty universes were filled by the Gods of Creation and Void. They then built a house they named Vearth. Numerous races, including humans, dragons, elves, spirit races, demons, and more, were born out of the planets they built. Some of these lesser entities achieved ascension as more time went by.

A selected few were allowed to reside on Vearth, the world of the God of Creation and Void.

Once the God of Void died, he gave his power to the other half of his alter persona, an immortal god by the name of Mo Baojun. Having this power aids Mo Baojun in his development into a sovereign deity, much like his spouse Shen Siwang. The God of Void was reborn shortly after the incarnation and is now known as Ye Xiajie.

He reconnected with the child he had saved at the end of his life, now an adult member of the Sovereign of Life and Death's family. Once more, their futures intertwined, as though their beginnings and ends had been interwoven from the start.

Back to reality...

Noticing the faint color of darkness mixing with shades of purple and red, Sea God Lanyu was a bit confused, but this didn't stop him from showing his courtesy towards his seniors.

Sea God Lanyu asked, "Are seniors from the world beyond this one?"

"Hm. There are lots of worlds beyond this one we are in. It can be said that we came from the Upper Realm called Vearth, the world where only Gods live. That will also be your first destination after ascension. Once you leave your world, that will be the first world you can enter. Going into other worlds wouldn't be allowed until you go there once.

Because all worlds are under the control of Sovereigns in Vearth," Leica explained.

Sea God Lanyu mumbles, "Upper Realm. Vearth. World of Gods."

The others didn't stop Lanyu from thinking of things about the world beyond. They waited patiently, as they knew how shocking it was for a newly born god to hear this information.

Sea God Lanyu asked his second question. "Can you guys revive someone?"

As if expecting this question from Sea God Lanyu, Leica smiled. "I can't, but someone in Vearth can. Especially for your case, in which a fragment of that person's soul lives in you. To revive him, first you must make his soul stronger, and second, you must gather materials to recreate his body. Those materials can only be found in Vearth."

As soon as Sea God Lanyu heard that he could revive his ancient lord, Cthulhu, he showed an expression that didn't fit a god. He acted so happily that no one would mistake him for a sentimental being like mortals.

"Really? What do I need to do?!" Sea God Lanyu asked with urgency in his voice, mixed with excitement after finding some hope to regain his only family.

Lu Shang spoke, "It's simple. You just need to work. In Vearth, most things are based on points. These points can also be called merits. There are job openings in Vearth, and you need to work hard with enough points to at least do anything you want. The materials you need to create a body need a lot of points.

So do your best."

"Work. Points. What kind of work can a god do? Look after the world or something?" Sea God Lanyu asked.

Ji Yoonjun said, "You are not stupid. That's right, the work of a god involves worlds. Well, you will understand the rest once you reach Vearth. There will be someone to guide you once you get there."

"How can I go to Vearth? Moreover, should I go now? Isn't this world in danger?" Sea God Lanyu asked. The other three gods were a bit stunned to hear that this new god still cared for this world that not only controlled him to kill his family but also wanted to kill him.

Chapter 1290: First Grey Star - Mo Xuejing's open dislike for the stupid fish.

Lu Shang, Leica, and Ji Yoonjun gazed at the newborn God with mild amazement as the Sea God observed the state of this earth. They had no idea that he would still be interested in this world, which had only brought him sorrow.

A bit curious, Leica asked, "Do you still care about this world?"

"No. My attachment to this world is only with the ocean. The place where I was saved and born is also the only place where my lord died to protect it. I hate this world, but I hate the heavens of this star the most. Unfortunately, in the waters, my servants are still alive. I had already watched them die once.

If this world is gone, would they have to die again?" Sea God Lanyu explained.

Leica asked, "Are you asking for a way to protect the sea when you're gone?"

"Is there something I can do about it?" Sea God Lanyu asked.

Leica said, "There is a way. But this involves someone with enough potential to become a low-tier god and protect the ocean in your place instead. For your information, none of your apostles had the potential to become a demigod."

"I need someone that can become a demigod. How about that one?" Sea God Lanyu pointed at Su Jin inside the Ocean Pearl.

Everyone knew that the Sea God wanted Su Jin, the good-hearted man, to guard the ocean for him, but would Su Jin be content to spend the rest of his life beneath the water, given that he is a human?

Lu Shang said, "Humans aren't comfortable with living underwater. If you want someone useful, the stupid fish that protects this danger zone is a good choice. That thing is an introvert and a shut-in; unless the ocean dries up, he will continue to live in the ocean."

Heavenly Guardian Fei, the fish the chief warden is referring to, is the foolish fish. Despite their strength, Heavenly Guardians are still human. In addition, this guardian resides in the ocean and is a mermaid rather than a person.

Sea God Lanyu thought back to the stupid half-fish that Cthulhu had permitted to survive. His master does not appear to despise one who possesses a human upper body. It is merely that the mermaid has a haughty disposition. It makes one want to give someone a slap whenever he speaks.

However, as Lu Shang had previously stated, choosing an aquatic person to guard the ocean is preferable to selecting a land-born person.

"Oh, not a bad choice. If it were Heavenly Guardian Fei, he would have all the time to protect the ocean. You just need to give him some rewards he would love to have."

Leica believed his sweetheart's proposals were sound. Heavenly Guardian Fei is notorious for his sand sculpture personality in addition to his poisonous tongue. He is occasionally scared to pursue death and will rely on anyone who can be helpful to him. However, it appears that this foolish death-seeking fish mentality has significantly decreased as a result of Lord Mo's pounding.

Ji Yoonjun, who heard about the allegations but did not meet the foolish mermaid, agrees that this man is a wise pick. Even if he ascended, he would not leave this world because he did not have any major life desires or objectives. It is actually preferable for Heavenly Guardian Fei to take on the role of Heavenly Law in this realm.

Despite his apparent mental health issues, he is the kind of person who stays still until someone pushes him.

Speaking about the devil, this morning the one being discussed abruptly showed up. Heavenly Guardian Fei took a glance around the recently altered core region because this place was entirely different from what he remembered.

Heavenly Guardian Fei's mind is in chaos. 'Eh? Isn't there only a coral dome in here? What is this? A castle! How come it is more luxurious than mine!?'

It's even glowing. What the hell!?'

He swiveled his head, trying to find the Ye family, or more accurately, where his scales were. He gave those two human cubs his scales so he could use them to help find them if they got lost. He gave plenty too for a large gathering. About that big, luxurious castle, it was built in a single night by the apostles of Lanyu, the recently born sea god.

All of these sea kings have a large number of servants, who reside on the edges of the areas that make up the mid and core-regions but do not reside in the core region itself, so this kind of work can be done.

Overnight, many of them collaborated to build an enormous underwater castle. There is also a backyard full of young jellyfish and edible sea anemones. In the meantime, the adults were getting ready to make some seafood BBQ for lunch today, and the two cubs took pleasure in playing outside.

Heavenly Guardian Fei mumbles, "How weird. I can't feel my scales inside this castle, but it's within this vicinity. Hm?"

He scans his surroundings, feels around for his scales, and at last notices a group of people in the back of such an opulent castle. There were several scenes taking place at the same time as Heavenly Guardian Fei was greeted. There was a large bubble in the garden that prevented water from getting into this particular spot.

In the backyard corner, a few human hunters and children are engaged in some physical training and sparring. The men named Lu Shang and Leica were the ones issuing the harsh directives.

Mo Xuejing assigned the two doctors and Ji Yoonjun to assist with the culinary prep. They had to assist with cleaning and chopping the ingredients since they wanted to enjoy his husband's food. The three of them were now at the bubble's edges, cleaning and washing some fish outside the bubble that contained them. Cleaning the crabs, clam shells, etc.

The two cubs in the group, on the other hand, had long since taken to using a tiny net in their hands to play with the baby jellyfish that were around them. These young jellyfish were constructed of sugar and resembled the candies that the brats had previously consumed. Since Daddy Mo Xuejing only handed them a little net, their chances of catching many jellyfish are slim.

Additionally, they received stern warnings not to overindulge in sea anemones (cotton candy) prior to meals.

While the couple was engaged in the cooking, the newborn deity was taking care of the cubs. The strong couple will not care too much as long as he prevents Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia from leaving the bubble without authorization. In addition, Sea God Lanyu was acquainted with the types of identities that this pair held. Enormous deities manifested in physical form.

He knew he would not be here for very long, of course.

Sea God Lanyu said, "He is here."

"Took him long enough. Let him in," Ye Jieye said, knowing that he was talking about that stupid fish.

The moment he saw Heavenly Guardian Fei, Mo Xuejing, the overly protective daddy, instantly hid his cubs behind him. There is something deeply unpleasant about the way he looks at the mermaid.

"Why the hell are you here?" Mo Xuejing asked. His dislike for this stupid fish is clear.

Heavenly Guardian Fei felt helpless and said, "I won't harm them. Before... um, it's just a joke. Moreover, they are obviously more powerful than I am. L-Lord Mo, have some mercy on this weak fish."

Hmp!

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Mo Xuejing ignored the mermaid and crouched in front of his cubs. He started giving them strict instructions.

"Babies, you see that stupid fish. If he dares to come over to you two, you can throw your most powerful attack. Turn him into an ice cube or burn him to crisps. Do you understand?" Mo Xuejing asked.

Indeed, Ye Jingxia and Ye Anxia were aware of the Uncle Mermaid, but just like their father, they were afraid to disagree with him. All they can do is look pitifully at their Uncle Mermaid and nod their adorable little heads. As Heavenly Guardian Fei met the two human cubs' sorrowful stares, he could not help but desire to smash his past self.

He would not have to be viewed as a threat by this family if he had not drawn the wrath of Mo Xuejing before.

Ye Jieye, meantime, was too busy cooking to look twice at that silly fish. Ever since they arrived, this mermaid has been scuttling away from them, seemingly terrified that he might descale them. He understood that whatever news he brought might not be good now that he had shown there acting as though something serious had happened. Regardless, he does not give a damn.

The God of Void said to Heavenly Guardian Fei, "Wait after the meal to talk."

"Yes." Heavenly Guardian Fei didn't dare to decline, as he knew that the one with real power in this group is this cook who can make heavenly meals. He can only sit in the corner, watching the scenes unfold before him.

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Ignoring the guest, the others carry on with their own activities. It was only Heavenly Guardian Fei who remembered that this guest was the most suitable candidate to become the new Heavenly Laws of this world when she heard the two young men, Mo Yuhan and Lu Ming, conversing last night.

Last night, before everyone went to bed,.

Sea God Lanyu, Ji Yoonjun, Leica, and Lu Shang had a lengthy discussion. When it was over, they parted ways to head back to their designated sleeping areas. After completing his rebirth, Sea God Lanyu had a

full schedule for the evening. He went by Mo Yuhan and Lu Ming's tent, where they were surreptitiously listening to their talk.

Mo Yuhan said, "Bro, it seems that you are chosen again. Though I don't know exactly what a Heavenly Law is, at the least it seems to be something connected to this world."

"I know about it. The Heavenly Laws are like the lord of a world. This world has one. I suddenly awakened the third element of light because of its blessings. But now I have a feeling it is gone. But it seems that a new god was born in our world."

Lu Ming was aware of the truth about the world, gods, Heavenly Laws, and more because he had lived a previous life. However, in contrast to the original Ji Yoonjun, he did not decide to fully reject this world's authority. Since he was aware that Su Jin would return to this world and take Ji Yoonjun's place as the new protagonist shou. He decided to remain with him here.

Lu Ming said, "I know a lot about this world since you gain a power that isn't restricted by this world. I can tell you what I know. But I'm sorry to disappoint you. I had no intention of once again tying myself to this world, and neither Xiao Jin nor I will choose to stay. He will most likely want to find his brother in the end. I have to accompany him."

"Though I don't understand much of what you mean, if you are going to leave, you better bring me with you. I'm your brother after all," Mo Yuhan said.

Lu Ming chuckled and bumped fists with his sworn brother. "Of course. We can bring you with us after this world has stabilized."

Outside the tent, Sea God Lanyu was stunned and speechless. He had planned to speak with Lu Ming about staying in this realm as a protector. He was so invisible to the two mortals that they carried on conversing outside their tent.

The Sea God initially believed he could persuade Lu Ming to continue serving as this world's Domain Lord (Heavenly Laws), but after learning of their objectives, he decided to disregard them.

A free spirit with aspirations beyond this life cannot be contained. He was aware of this since he himself is one, and he had no desire to prevent these kids from achieving their objectives.

Sea God Lanyu mumbled as he recalled what Lu Shang had suggested just now. "Maybe that mermaid is indeed a better choice than these kids." He disappeared in thin air and melted with the ocean. His whole presence had temporarily merged with the ocean and informed the whole world about his birth.

That night, the news about the newly born sea god was known to everyone in the sea, and those on land were also informed about it.