

## **Mechanic 1441**

### **Chapter 1441 Uneven Distribution of the Spoils**

Crack!

The gigantic Pivotal Snake coiled around the World Tree and bit it.

Although it was only an illusory Virtual Life Form and could not harm physical objects, the Pivotal Snake's method of harming the World Tree was an Information Form channel that only targeted the Mother Tree's will. The World Tree's main body struggled frantically, trying to break free from the Pivotal Snake. However, the waving roots could not touch the Pivotal Snake's virtual body at all.

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Due to the conflict between the two sides, the galactic alliance army had split into three parties. One was the three Universal Civilizations' direct troops that wanted to destroy World Tree's main body, and the other was the Beyond Grade A forces who provided cover for Black Star and obstructed the three Universal Civilizations. The final party was the remaining allied forces who were fighting seriously and were shocked by the 'chaos' on the two sides.

They did not know what was going on. Why did the other two suddenly drag each other down? The galactic alliance army was in chaos, but the conflict between the three Universal Civilizations and the Beyond Grade A organizations did not affect Han Xiao's process of subduing the World Tree.

Han Xiao's energy continued to seep into the depths of the World Tree's main body. The will of the Mother Tree had already been completely destroyed by the Pivotal Snake, and there was no way to stop his assault.

Amidst the spiritual entanglement, illusions flashed past Han Xiao's eyes, and he saw the history of the World Tree's growth.

When it was weak, it was worshiped by certain races and was offered all kinds of sacrifices. The will of the Mother Tree slowly took shape during this process, providing convenience to the races under them while guiding them to expand outward. After completing the accumulation, the World Tree then embarked on the bloody path of rising up, becoming a Universal Predator. One race after another became vassals, and civilizations became food. Gradually, it started to grow, and its abilities became richer and richer.

Countless memories appeared before Han Xiao's eyes. In a daze, he seemed to see a small tree sprout growing rapidly, eventually covering the sun and standing on top of the starry sky. Countless wormholes appeared between the tree branches, each leading to a different world. Endless cosmic radiation storms swept past, but it was like a breeze, only able to make the lush leaves sway slightly. Trillions of Blessed Race and Believers were spread out on the roots, worshipping sincerely. This scene gave off a majestic and mysterious feeling. Buzz!

Suddenly, Han Xiao's eyes cleared, and he stepped out of the illusion. A new existence had appeared in his senses. It was the World Tree that had successfully formed the Soul Connection.

At this moment, the will of the mother tree finally reached its limit, and it was completely devoured by the Pivotal Snake. The next moment, the World Tree's main body stopped struggling and lost any ability to move independently, turning into a dead object. Han Xiao's body trembled, and a stream of information flowed into his mind. It contained the various abilities of the World Tree, as well as the control rights. Although the authority of the Tree Kings was high, they were still the subordinates of the World Tree, while Han Xiao's authority was above the Mother Tree and was not under any restrictions.

The surging new energy flowed into Han Xiao's body through the soul connection, providing him with a new enhancement, pushing his energy level up.

Hiss...

Han Xiao could not help but take a deep breath. His entire body was filled with energy. Just as he was about to take back the Pivotal Snake, he realized that the Pivotal Snake did not stop. Instead, it dived into the World Tree and merged into it.

Han Xiao looked at the interface and saw a new suffix in the name of the World Tree.

(World Tree (Complete Form))! "Hmm? Could it be that the Pivotal Snake was not only a natural enemy, but it could also fuse with the World Tree and complete it?"

Han Xiao was shocked.

This ability did not appear on the attribute panel of the Pivotal Snake. He had only seen it now.

Just as the Pivotal Snake fused into the World Tree, Han Xiao noticed a change. He had just formed a Soul Connection with the World Tree, and it was only the shallowest layer. It was still very weak, but at this moment, the Soul Connection was suddenly strengthened, and it became many times stronger.

If his previous invasion progress on the World Tree was 10%, it was now more than 80%!

“Could it be that the Pivotal Snake can help the controller better control the World Tree?”

Han Xiao’s heart skipped a beat.

Suppressing the surprise in his heart, Han Xiao felt the power of the World Tree. He could not be more satisfied. The World Tree’s independent will had been cleared, and it had become a tool without any thoughts. It was completely controlled by him and could be used at ease.

Due to the devouring and conversion characteristics, the World Tree could be regarded as a growth type of Universal Treasure. However, he did not need to start from zero because the World Tree had already matured. Controlling it was equivalent to gaining the loyalty of the entire World Tree Civilization!

The power of this thing was countless times more terrifying than the inheritance of the Underworld that Hila and Aurora had!

“Cannot blame the three Universal Civilizations for wanting to destroy my goal...” Han Xiao turned to look at the battlefield. His eyes flashed, and he suddenly activated the authority of the World Tree to recall all the World Tree fleets. The World Tree fleet, which had been fighting back fearlessly a second ago, suddenly stopped fighting. Without saying a word, they turned around and flew into the roots, turning back into their information form and entering the mother tree world.

For a moment, the battlefield was much emptier, and only the galactic alliance army was left.

Originally, the members of the World Tree were all filled with the desire to fight to the death. However, the moment the will of the mother tree disappeared and Han Xiao replaced the control, everyone’s hostility disappeared. Just as they were feeling lost, a new mission arrived. They would not disobey the orders of the World Tree and immediately ceased fire and retreated.

“No matter how tragic the counterattack was, they were just a bunch of puppets. With the owner changed, they have to listen obediently...”

Seeing this, Han Xiao sighed. However, sympathy was sympathy, and he would not foolishly let the World Tree Civilization go free. This was the World Tree’s own foundation.

Seeing that the enemies had left, the galactic alliance army was stunned. They then looked at Han Xiao beside the tree and were overjoyed.

“We won ?”

“We’re still alive!”

“Hahahaha-I knew I could trust Black Star!”



Countless soldiers were overjoyed, and the atmosphere of excitement and surprise quickly spread throughout the entire army. Every combat channel was filled with wild cheers, and even many players who had yet to spend all their revivals were affected and cheered along

However, when most of the fleets stopped firing, the direct troops of the three Universal Civilizations still did not stop firing at the World Tree itself.

Without the obstruction of the World Tree fleet, the direct troops of the three Universal Civilizations had a clear way. This scene immediately caused the cheers to stop, attracting the shocked gazes of countless comrades.

“Oh? You still haven’t given up. Do you want to pretend you know nothing and try to destroy the World Tree one last time while I haven’t notified you?”

Han Xiao narrowed his eyes. He knew what the three Universal Civilizations were thinking

He suddenly waved his hand, and a thick psionic barrier surrounded the World Tree to block the attacks of the fleet.

At the same time, Han Xiao shouted in the channel.

“You can stop the fire. I’ve controlled the World Tree.”

After waiting for a few seconds, the Pope’s solemn voice suddenly sounded in the channel.

“Since that’s the case, let’s destroy it. It’s still a threat to the world!”

“There’s no need. I’ve already subdued the World Tree.”

“It’s not enough! Only by destroying it will we be able to completely eliminate the hidden threat! Even if it’s you, we won’t be at ease!”

“Do you want to cast us aside so soon?” Han Xiao said with a smile that was not a smile.

“You’re mistaken. We’re only doing this to maintain the peace of the galaxy. No one in the galactic society wants to face such a disaster again!” the Pope said with a deep voice.

Han Xiao shook his head. “Stop it. Don’t make the situation too ugly. We just won. Do you want the other allies to see our internal strife?”

Before the Pope could reply, Marbruce interrupted.

“Black Star, this is the only thing we can’t compromise on! You’re the one who should stop. You’ve already made enough contributions, don’t be stubborn! Let go, you’re still the Universe’s Hero of the Final War!”

“Looks like you won’t regret it until things are too late…”

Han Xiao shook his head.

As soon as he finished speaking, the expressions of the three leaders and the officers turned grave.

They knew that Black Star would not give up so easily, and they were already prepared for a conflict to break out. However, their goal was only to get rid of the World Tree's main body. Although they were suspected of burning the bridge after crossing it, their goal to get rid of the hidden threat could be accepted by others. In their opinion, if Black Star went on a killing spree against them, it would definitely incur the wrath of the masses. The reputation that he had accumulated during the war would immediately collapse, and the allies of the other civilizations present would also stand on their side to resist Black Star together.

Thus, despite being nervous, the three of them were not afraid of Black Star fighting back. In fact, they were even looking forward to this development.

However, the next moment, the three of them widened their eyes.

Han Xiao did not make a move. Instead, he raised his hand and patted the World Tree. The huge World Tree shrank rapidly and turned into a green stream of light that flew into Han Xiao's palm, disappearing in front of everyone.

"This..."

Marbruce and the other two were stunned.

The battle with the World Tree fleet previously had given them the impression that the mother tree could not move, so they felt that they had the upper hand. Thus, the three of them would rather take the risk of angering Black Star and gather their forces to destroy the World Tree.

However, the three of them did not expect Black Star to be able to store the World Tree and do something that the World Tree Blessed Race could not. They could not react in time. What was there to destroy now? In fact, Han Xiao could not do this in the beginning. It was all due to the Pivotal Snake strengthening his Soul Connection exponentially, crossing many stages. This allowed him to unlock more functions, including putting the World Tree into the Transcendent's inner space.

Strictly speaking, the inner space was also a type of secondary dimension. It could also allow the World Tree to take root in it. This way, the inner space would receive a huge enhancement and become extremely tough. Furthermore, there was no need to care about the weakness of the enemy targeting the World Tree's main body. It was equivalent to carrying the mother tree with him. It was very convenient.

Han Xiao had originally planned to use other methods to force the three Universal Civilizations to stop, but the direct conflict was unavoidable, and it would damage his reputation more or less. However, with this new ability, he changed his plan at the last minute and made the three Universal Civilizations lose their target. This would save him a lot of effort.

Just as the three leaders were at a loss, Han Xiao's remote projection appeared in the strategic command center.

"What do the three of you say now?"

The faces of Marbruce and the other two flickered. They did not respond.

Only when the World Tree's main body was exposed in front of the army would they have a chance. There was no chance now. As for letting Black Star take the initiative to hand it over... the three of them knew it. No matter how arrogant they were, they did not think that they had that much face.

"Black Star, you've succeeded. You must be very happy now..."

Marbruce had a complicated expression on his face. His tone was bitter, and there was a hint of unwillingness and mockery.

"Yes, I am indeed very happy. The war has finally ended, and everyone is cheering. Are you not happy about this?" Han Xiao raised his brows.

The three of them had solemn expressions.

It would be weird if we were happy. Who knows if we have just left the tiger's den but entered the wolf's den again...

Seeing this, Han Xiao smiled and did not continue teasing them.

Since he had already taken advantage of them, there was no need for him to pretend to be innocent. There would be plenty of time for him to settle scores in the future. He did not plan to argue with the three of them about what had happened just now. This was not the right time.

This time, Han Xiao changed the topic and said, "Alright, let's not talk anymore. Let's get down to business. I have a plan, and I hope you guys can cooperate." "...What plan?"

The three of them were surprised.

We just won, what is Black Star planning?

"Don't leak the news of us defeating the World Tree Civilization. This Galactic Alliance Army's composition is complicated. It's best to control them for the time being."

"Er... What are you planning?" Marbruce was confused. Han Xiao smiled and said,

"Haven't you guys been trying to find out who leaked the information? I said it was a third party, but you guys just don't believe me. I just happened to obtain the Information Form Warning Network technology from the World Tree. I don't have to explain the effects. You guys have already experienced it. This way, you might be able to find traces of a third party. What do you guys think?" The eyes of the trio lit up.

#### **Chapter 1442 Further Scheme. The Things Are Still There, but Men Are No More the Same Ones.**

This proposal was very constructive, and the three leaders immediately took it seriously. After pondering for a while, they quickly came to a conclusion with Han Xiao and told the strategic command center to call back the three Universal Civilizations' direct troops. Their goal was to destroy the World Tree, not to fall out with Black Star. Although they were not willing to let Han Xiao subdue the World Tree, there was nothing they could do.

Marbruce and the others could only suppress the fear in their hearts and wait for a targeted plan to be discussed in the future. In any case, there was nothing they could do now. They could not really start the

second round of the war with Black Star... Who wins and who loses was secondary. There was a third party who might still be eyeing them from the dark.

Even if they were going to fall out with each other, they should at least wait until they had a direct descendant of the Transcendent Grade. Wuornos was their greatest hope, and he might advance one day.

The direct troops of the three Universal Civilizations stopped firing and silently withdrew from the encirclement. The tension on the battlefield quickly dissipated.

The brief confrontation between Han Xiao and the three Universal Civilizations had stunned the soldiers of the Galactic Alliance Army. They realized that the conflict between the two sides had reemerged, and they were extremely nervous. They were afraid that an internal conflict would break out as soon as they won. Seeing that both sides had stopped fighting, countless people heaved a sigh of relief. They only felt that their emotions were in turmoil, and their entire bodies felt a little weak. No matter what kind of conflict there was, the three Universal Civilizations were the main force in resisting the World Tree, and Black Star was the hero who changed the battle. They were all heroes in the war. They had just joined forces to defeat the foreign enemy, and now they were turning against each other in front of everyone. It was hard to accept. No one wished for their joy to turn into sorrow.

However, the World Tree was not destroyed but subdued by Black Star. This reality made many people feel strange.

Although Black Star had contributed too much to the war, this last wave made them feel like Black Star was using them to achieve his goal... Of course, there might be a reason for Black Star's actions, but the impression he gave everyone was still rather complicated.

However, they did not think too much about it and quickly threw this thought into the back of their minds.

The conflict between Black Star and the three Universal Civilizations was a conflict between the big shots, and it was not their place to worry. At this moment, these front-line combatants only wanted to enjoy the joy of victory and the joy of surviving the calamity.

"We won!"

"Long Live the Dynasty!" For a moment, the cheers of countless soldiers echoed in the combat channels.

The officers did not stop them and allowed their soldiers to vent their emotions. In reality, they were also excited and could not help but celebrate with their subordinates.

On the other side, Han Xiao deactivated the Supreme Heavenly Venerate and retracted his troops. He passed through the direct troops of the three Universal Civilizations that had given up on stopping him and returned to the army formation of the Beyond Grade A organizations. Many Beyond Grade As immediately surrounded him.

"That was close. I thought the three Universal Civilizations were going to act arbitrarily and start a civil war."

Sun Hunter wiped his non-existent cold sweat.

Kasuyi casually analyzed, "That won't happen. They still have a very good understanding of the situation. We're clearly on Black Star's side, and Black Star has the World Tree Civilization's troops. The three Universal Civilizations won't dare act recklessly. They know what the outcome will be, and they won't seek their own death."

"Speaking of which, Your Excellency Black Star took too big of a risk this time. We didn't know about your plans before this..."

Some of them mumbled softly, and many of the association members looked at Han Xiao with strange looks. These people did not know about this beforehand.

Because there were spies from the Super Star Cluster in the association, Han Xiao did not want to leak the news in advance. Therefore, he only told Kasuyi and his confidants about his plan to subdue the World Tree, and he told the entire association to prevent the three Universal Civilizations from trying to get the World Tree.

Therefore, not long ago, a portion of the association members was still in the dark. Even if they had doubts, they did not confirm it. They could only follow the original plan and work together with their teammates to create obstacles for the direct troops of the three Universal Civilizations, giving Han Xiao time and creating opportunities.

To be honest, if Han Xiao had stated his goal of subduing the World Tree from the start, many Beyond Grade As would not have been willing to help him. They would have been like the three Universal Civilizations, more inclined to completely destroy the World Tree. After all, the World Tree was quite similar to the Underworld, but its power was much higher. It could control an individual's thoughts. Even if Black Star was 'one of them' for the time being, who knew what the future would be like?

If one day, Black Star's ambition reached its peak and he wished to use the World Tree to devour everyone, what would they do? They did not think this was improbable, killing intent would rise when one held a sharp knife. Black Star had no such thoughts in the past because he did not have the World Tree. Many Beyond Grade As had to consider their own safety and were secretly afraid. Seeing the complicated expressions of many Beyond Grade As, Han Xiao did not mind. He smiled and said,

"Everyone, there's no need to worry. I subdued the World Tree because of other considerations. One of my intentions is to make use of the World Tree's power to make the three Universal Civilizations hesitate and consolidate the safety of our Beyond Grade A Association after the war. This way, we can completely make the three Universal Civilizations give up on suppressing us. Only then can we put down all our worries."

Manison nodded slowly and agreed.

"This is similar to my original plan. However, we were not strong enough back then, and it was not the right time. My idea was too far ahead. Now that our forces are expanding rapidly through the war, the time is ripe. The strategic significance of the World Tree is actually the same as the Virtual Mutiny Virus, but it is more suitable as a strategic deterrence weapon so that the three Universal Civilizations will no longer dare to attack us."

Manison then gave Han Xiao an appreciative look, as though saying 'we are indeed the same type of people.' He was also afraid of Han Xiao's threat after obtaining the World Tree, but if he was in that

position, Manison would have made the same choice. The situation now was similar to when he snatched the 'Virtual Mutiny Virus'. However, he had failed, and Black Star had succeeded.

Upon hearing this, some of the association members could not say anything no matter how unhappy they were. It was mainly because what was done was done. There was no point in objecting.

Seeing this, Aurora changed the topic and said with a smile, "We won this war. Everyone, be happy."

Hearing this, everyone relaxed and smiled... No matter what, now was the time to enjoy the victory, they still had to give face to the healer.

"We've finally dealt with this powerful enemy. We can take a break now."

"Heh, I've been exhausted all these years. Don't wake me up until I've slept for a month."

"After enduring the tough times, a beautiful tomorrow is waiting for us."

The Beyond Grade As were relieved of their burdens and chatted with each other.

At this moment, someone thought of something

"By the way, Black Star, when do you plan to revive the recently killed Beyond Grade As?"

In the past year of the war, a few more Beyond Grade As had died in battle. Han Xiao had yet to revive them, and their names were still on the Soul Comfort Monument.

"After some time, I still have some things to do, so I can't leave for the time being, especially when it comes to the establishment of a civilization... The timing, location, and people are all in our hands. I've convinced the three Universal Civilizations to temporarily track down a third party. Taking advantage of this buffer time, we'll let our people complete the final preparations for the transformation of the association. When the time comes, everything will be in place."

Han Xiao replied casually.

He took out the technology of the Information Form Warning Network and convinced the three Universal Civilizations to search for a third party. On one hand, he did not want the enemy to continue hiding and benefit from it. On the other hand, he also temporarily shifted the focus of the three Universal Civilizations and bought time for the final stage of preparations for the transformation of the association into a Civilization.

The two plans were carried out side by side, killing two birds with one stone. This way, he would be busy, and he had to hurry up. For the time being, he did not have the time to study how to complete the Virtual Creation.

However, when talking about the Sanctum Revival, Han Xiao thought about the problem of the Iteration.

He had once planned to reveal the information about the Sanctum to the three Universal Civilizations when the time was right, and they would work together to figure out how to survive the Iteration. In the past, the time was not ripe, but now that the World Tree was in his hands, he truly had the foundation to work together as an equal. This plan could also be officially put on the agenda.

If he remembered correctly, there should still be a related mission in his interface.

Because of the World Tree's alchemy-like material transformation ability, he did not have to bother collecting the materials for the Sanctum Key in the future and could create a new key at any time. To him, most of the Sanctums were a backyard that he could enter as he wished, so he was not afraid of the three Universal Civilizations studying the Sanctum together. The other party did not have such a unique condition.

"This is really the case of overwhelming advantage..."

Han Xiao was secretly overjoyed.

With the World Tree Mechanism working together with the Sanctum, the benefits were unimaginable.

He inwardly decided that once the situation stabilized after the war, he would show his cards to the three Universal Civilizations and pull them to study the Sanctum together.

Rather than letting these people spend their energy on how to deal with them, it would be better to let them figure out how to deal with the problem of Iteration, lest they waste resources for internal conflicts.

'My actions will definitely move the Galaxy...!

Han Xiao shook his head.

For the sake of the peace of the universe, I am really giving it my all. It's not right for me not to receive a few tons of medals.

This time, Ames came over with a strange expression. "You've made a huge profit this time. The entire galactic society suffered heavy losses in the war, and trillions died in the war. In the end, you became the biggest beneficiary. What do you think?"

"What? Are you trying to wake up my sense of shame? You've found the wrong person." Han Xiao shrugged and said calmly, "I ended the war early and saved countless lives. The dead are gone, and the living are still alive. What do I think? I have a clear conscience."

Ames spread out her hands. "Alright, there's nothing wrong with thinking this way. After this war, you will be extremely respected, so you won't be as busy as before, right? How about it, make some time to accompany me?"

Han Xiao was tempted.

But at this time, Jotina suddenly appeared and interrupted.

"Lord Dragon Emperor, the Army Commander doesn't have that much free time. Don't keep pestering him. It will only make him troubled."

Hearing this, Ames raised her brows and looked over. Jotina did not back down and glared back. Their gazes met in midair, and the air was filled with the smell of gunpowder. Han Xiao felt a wave of killing intent, and his mouth could not help but twitch. He quickly flew to the side, not wanting to be involved in the battle between the two women.

The two of them glared at each other. One side was calm and dignified, while the other side was aggressive. There was a clear provocation in their eyes, and neither side backed down. No one cared about Han Xiao running away.

“Sigh, it’s all my fault for being too outstanding...”

Han Xiao sighed helplessly.

He flew to the side alone and thought for a while before taking out the Heart Tree King’s Spacetime Amber. After obtaining the World Tree, Han Xiao had completely understood the mechanisms of the Tree King and the Tree God. He realized that the Ancestral Tree King had left him a mess.

The Beyonders’ Vestiges were completely burned, the Crowns were completely destroyed, and their military strength was greatly depleted. The high-level combatants were almost completely wiped out, and the World Tree Civilization had suffered great losses. It would take many years for them to recover.

However, Han Xiao did not mind. After all, if he had not beaten the enemy into such a miserable state, he would not have had the chance to subdue the World Tree.

However, Han Xiao originally had an idea. If the timing and price were suitable, it was not impossible to sell Wuornos a Beyonders’ Vestige in the future.

Now, he had no way to give it to Wuornos even if he wanted to. Wuornos had once again missed the opportunity to advance to the Transcendent Grade. Han Xiao could only say that it was destiny...

“Right now, the only undamaged Tree King Crown is on the Heart Tree King. This guy has become my only heir...”

Han Xiao shook his head and laughed.

Although the members of the World Tree were brainwashed and loyal, they were not puppets without self-awareness. They had independent thoughts and had their own lives. His entry into the World Tree Civilization did not affect these things. In a way that was easy to understand, his control of the World Tree was equivalent to using his own will to replace the will of the mother tree. To the World Tree Civilization, the two had similar meanings.

Therefore, Han Xiao also needed to find someone to manage the World Tree Civilization. Due to the ‘waste’ of the Ancestral Tree King, for a very long time, the World Tree would only have one Tree King qualification. The Heart Tree King was the best choice.

With this in mind, Han Xiao did not hesitate and unsealed the Amber.

Pop!

The Heart Tree King broke free from the seal and retreated without another word. His body glowed, and he was about to self-destruct.

After being trapped in the Spacetime Amber for so many years, the Heart Tree King had always regretted not being decisive enough. He had told himself countless times that as long as there was a chance to unseal it, he would immediately free himself.



However, just as he was about to self-destruct, the mental network of the World Tree connected to him again. The message that came made the Heart Tree King suddenly stop moving, and his expression became extremely shocked.

“The World Tree Civilization... lost ””.

He quickly received the information in his mental network and finally understood how the war had progressed while he had been sealed for all these years. “The Ancestral Tree King, the Secret Tree King, the Fortitude Tree King, and the Subduing Tree King... They all died, along with the Tree King Crowns. I became the Tree King that survived in the end...”

Just like that, the World Tree Army, which was at its peak, was wiped out. His familiar comrades were all wiped out, and even the entire civilization belonged to someone else. They had a new master... After more than ten years, everything had changed. For a moment, the Heart Tree King was stunned on the spot. His heart was filled with complicated emotions.

Han Xiao did not interfere with the Heart Tree King’s acceptance of reality.

“I’m sure you already understand why I let you out. I need you to help me manage the World Tree Civilization. It might not be a bad thing for you. As long as you do a good job, you will be the only Tree King for a long period of time. I will not interfere too much with your management. You will only be below me and above all others.”

The Heart Tree King looked at Han Xiao with a complicated expression.

He did not expect that the moment he woke up, the culprit who had sealed him back then would become his boss. Due to the mind control of the World Tree, the Heart Tree King could not show any hostility toward Han Xiao. “...I understand. As you wish.”

The Heart Tree King sighed and lowered his head to agree. He had no right to refuse.

Han Xiao nodded and clapped his hands. The Heart Tree King turned into a green stream of light and entered his body, returning to the mother tree world.

After doing this, Han Xiao looked back at the excited crowd and smiled. He did not participate but changed into King and disappeared.

### **Chapter 1443 New Situation and Relief**

While the Galactic Alliance Army was celebrating, the upper echelons of the Super Star Cluster Alliance were discussing the short confrontation between Han Xiao and the three Universal Civilizations, which gave them some excitement.

“External pressure was the adhesive for internal cracks. Now that the adhesive is gone, the rift between Black Star and the three Universal Civilizations will only grow larger. The conflict will happen sooner or later. However, unlike back then, the Beyond Grade A organizations are now like the sun in the sky, and they have also obtained the inheritance of the World Tree. The three Universal Civilizations can no longer restrain them.”

The leader of the Star Arc knocked on the table.

The upper echelons of the Super Star Cluster felt the same. They were gloating yet at the same time a little worried. "The galactic society might have won the war, but all the real benefits fell into Black Star's hands. Although the war has ended, it is only the beginning of the reshuffling of the galactic structure. The new structure will be formed in the chaos. A character like Black Star will not miss this opportunity. He has the reputation of a war hero, and the three Universal Civilizations cannot stop him at all... This will be the trend!"

"Now that Black Star has the World Tree, his organization will rapidly expand. He doesn't even need to form an alliance with us, and he can fight on par with the three Universal Civilizations. Will he still value our agreement?"

"It should still be the case. The World Tree has suffered a huge loss, and Black Star might not be willing to turn hostile in the short term. It's definitely better to pull in external help than to do it alone. Furthermore, from his past actions, Black Star actually does not have the ambition to steal the ruling rights, nor does he have the intention to unite the entire Galaxy under him... Of course, the hearts of people are hard to predict, and this judgment might not be correct. It can only be used as a reference. On the other hand, the three Universal Civilizations have also suffered a huge loss, and they don't want to fall out with Black Star."

"Sigh, I feel a little pessimistic. If there are no new external conflicts, Black Star and the three Universal Civilizations might have a battle in the future. From the perspective of the entire galactic society, we defeated the World Tree and obtained the spoils of war. This is our strongest period in history, but internal conflicts cannot be resolved. Are we going to die by our own strength?"

"Don't talk nonsense. The three Universal Civilizations aren't really headstrong. As long as Black Star doesn't have the intention to rule alone, the three Universal Civilizations will still give up their opposition under the threat of absolute strategic deterrence and accept Black Star as a member of the ruling circle. Having two supreme factions might be the new normal in the future."

They carefully analyzed the possibilities of the future.

The leader of the Star Arc listened for a while and said, "Under such circumstances, we should find a new way to deal with ourselves. The original agreement was for us to work together with Black Star to fight against the three Universal Civilizations, but things are different now. The three Universal Civilizations need to rope us in to fight Black Star. It's not suitable for us to side with Black Star."

"You mean to cooperate with the three Universal Civilizations?"

"Of course not. What I mean is that we have to work together with both sides. The three Universal Civilizations will fight Black Star, and we will be a huge bargaining chip. The three Universal Civilizations won't treat us the way they did in the past, so the suppression will naturally be nullified. The tables have turned, and they will lower their heads and beg us to work together. This time, we can really use the proper way to obtain a chance to develop freely. Maybe the three Universal Civilizations still wish for us to become stronger... However, we have to make the situation into a new balance, so we can't easily side with either. Only competition can bring benefits. Monopolizing or dictatorship is not possible."

"Hmm, that's true. Not to mention the three Universal Civilizations, Black Star is also a dangerous individual who represents individualism. If he ascends, he will definitely give the Supers more privileges,

which will allow him to lead the galactic society. He might not even be as good as the three Universal Civilizations. Furthermore, he has the World Tree, so he's also a time bomb."

Suddenly, someone sighed and muttered,

"Black Star, oh Black Star... such a person is really too difficult to deal with. He's always seeking greater benefits and never relaxes. He's really someone who does big things. If the person leading the Beyond Grade As was not the way he is, the three Universal Civilizations might have suppressed them long ago. How could they have developed to this

stage?"

Hearing this, everyone sighed. The image that Black Star had left for them was strong and ruthless, able to seize every opportunity to expand. Even if they did not consider his individual strength, they were still afraid of such a person. They could trust each other when they were teammates, but turning back into competitors was torture.

The news of the Galactic Alliance Army defeating the World Tree Civilization was temporarily locked down by the three Universal Civilizations and Han Xiao. They controlled the quantum network base station to filter out any information that might leak.

Since they were worried that it would be difficult to control the troops once they were disbanded, the victorious Galactic Alliance Army temporarily stayed in the secondary dimension to recuperate. Regarding this order, the various troops were still rather cooperative, but they could not stay on standby all the time. Thus, the plan to find the third party infiltrator required to be performed as quickly as possible. The players were not restricted at all. The 'Galactic Alliance Army ending the war and Black Star subduing the World Tree' incident had already been recorded in Galaxy Chronicles and was extremely popular.

Han Xiao's heroic act of uprooting the World Tree spread across all the forums. Although many players could not help but complain that they had watched another round of CG, they were still very happy to be able to participate in such a large event.

However, the players were only active on the forums, and the news that was occasionally spread through the communicator had been intercepted. Therefore, the galactic society was completely unaware of the Galactic Alliance Army's victory.

The situation that countless galactic residents were aware of was the moment when the World Tree evacuated the invaders. They were still uncertain about this, and there were many different opinions online. As for the Star Alliance spies who could only gather intelligence from the public network, they naturally did not know about the World Tree Civilization's defeat. They were still patiently waiting for the World Tree Civilization's 'big move', completely unaware of the impending disaster.

In the Central Galaxy, somewhere in the desolate universe belt, the secret base of the Star Alliance lurkers.

"I wonder what the World Tree is planning. It's been a long time since there's been any movement."

"I see that the Galactic Alliance Army is gathering in the Central Galaxy. The World Tree Civilization is probably going to attack the Central Galaxy."

“By the way, we are also in the Central Galaxy. Will we be affected? Should we evacuate?”

Inside the base, a group of observers gathered together and whispered.

The Observer Captain was a little hesitant and said, “The probability of the desolate universe belt being targeted by the World Tree is very low. No one has visited this place for many years, so it should be safe... However, the World Tree might also send people to infiltrate and build some strongholds. That way, we will also have the risk of being discovered by others...”

“If we act rashly, we might get exposed. Other places might be more dangerous. Let’s stay,” one of the team members suggested. “...Alright then. If our base is really discovered, we’ll start the self-destruct sequence and sacrifice ourselves.”

The Observer Captain’s tone became solemn.

These observers who had infiltrated the territories of the three Universal Civilizations were all carefully selected death warriors. In order to prevent any information leak about the Star Alliance if they got captured, they had long been prepared to commit suicide. The self-destruct device they buried was enough to blow up the entire planet and erase all traces.

“You guys continue to pay attention to the news. I’ll go sort out the intelligence for this week and send it to my hometown in a few days.”

The Observer Captain stood up and was about to leave the room.

Ding!

However, all of a sudden, everyone’s movements froze, as if time had stopped.

A certain area in the room rippled, and Han Xiao walked out.

“Hehe, it’s the Lorese. It’s exactly the same as the visions given in the Explorer. Looks like I found the right one.”

Han Xiao looked at the Observer Captain, and his eyes sparkled.

In order to prevent any accidents from happening, after he returned to the main universe, he directly consumed the materials and used the Virtual World to create a temporary Information Form Warning Network. He quickly completed the installation and set the parameters before activating it.

If he had not used that, he would still have been left in the dark. Once he used it, he received a shock. The information state alert network gave him a lot of abnormal signals. He had the impression that the entire explored universe was like a sieve being spied on by countless enemies, and he was shocked. After some adjustments, he finally understood that this technology was used in a normal civilization, and it was very easy to churn out false reports. Since the World Tree Civilization existed as a single entity, there was no such problem. This was the difference in technology. The World Tree Special Express was a perfect match for this Information Form Warning Network. Although the three Universal Civilizations did not have such mobility, the Multi-Dimensional Sky Opening Transportation Device could be used as a replacement, so Han Xiao did not waste too much time traveling.

After some selection and adjustments, he removed most of the false reports and confirmed some real external signals, most of which were from secondary dimension life forms.

Han Xiao visited a few signal areas and only now arrived at the base of the Star Alliance's infiltrators. He immediately confirmed that this was the real mastermind. The process was much smoother than he had expected. He had controlled the entire base and all the enemies before he even appeared.

"Let me see your background."

Han Xiao's eyes lit up, and the shadow of the World Tree appeared behind him.

As the World Tree merged into the space, it was stained with Han Xiao's energy, and the entire tree turned into a bright blue electric arc. A few translucent roots shot out like electric whips and penetrated everyone's chests.

The next moment, the figures of these observers turned illusory at a speed visible to the naked eye, and waves of energy entered Han Xiao's body through the roots.

With the World Tree in his hands, Han Xiao had no intention of interrogating these people. As long as he could turn these spies into members of the World Tree, he would be able to obtain all the intelligence from their memories and turn them into 'guides', imitating the methods of the World Tree.

Not long after, these Star Alliance observers fused into the roots. Han Xiao snapped his fingers, and a few roots arched their bodies like snakes. With a puff, they spewed out a large number of lightning sparks, reforming their bodies.

Han Xiao narrowed his eyes and received the memories of these people. There was a lot of information about the Star Alliance inside.

"So that's what happened. The Star Alliance has been hiding for many years... Hmm, this civilization doesn't seem to be that strong."

Han Xiao pondered.

The third party had already been found, but they still had to discuss with the three Universal Civilizations how to deal with it. They had to see if they could destroy the Star Alliance or merge them into the explored universe. After all, although the Star Alliance was not strong, they had reached the standard of a Universal Civilization. The three Universal Civilizations had already suffered heavy losses, and they still had to consider the cost of starting another war. The three Universal Civilizations had been the targets of the invasion before, but now that they had the chance, they definitely did not mind changing their roles seamlessly and turning into the invaders. After all, the Star Alliance was the one who had plotted against them, so they could not be considered innocent. The damage caused by the World Tree's full invasion could naturally be blamed on the Star Alliance.

Han Xiao withdrew his thoughts and sized up a Planetary Alliance spy. "Continue hiding and maintain contact with the Star Alliance. Don't do anything without my orders."

"Understood. We will do our best to help you steal the intelligence of the Star Alliance!"

Many of the lurkers turned into fanatics.

“...Sigh, with the World Tree mechanism, who would believe that the user is not a villain?”

Seeing how passionate these former Star Alliance loyalists were about dealing with the Star Alliance, Han Xiao felt strange. He shook his head and disappeared.

Not long after, in the joint office of the three Universal Civilizations, Han Xiao brought the news of the third party being captured. “You’re right. There really is a third party interfering, and they’ve been hiding for so long. If not for the Information Form Warning Network, we wouldn’t have found them...”

As Marbruce and the other two looked at the information that Han Xiao had brought, their expressions kept changing. Sometimes, they were angry, and sometimes, they were glad. With the evidence before them, they basically believed that the mole was not from the Super Star Cluster or any other ally. After browsing through the information of the Star Alliance, the three of them discussed for a while and came to a consensus.

“The Star Alliance is very far away from us, but once we obtain the spatial coordinates, we can use the Multi-Dimensional Sky Opening Transportation Device to send our troops over, just like how the World Tree Civilization was dealing with us. Therefore, we have the initiative... We are inclined to destroy the Star Alliance and take it as our vassal. However, we should hold back for now. We have just experienced war, and we still need some time to recuperate.” Han Xiao raised his brows. “How long are you planning to rest?”

Louis pondered and said, “It depends on the situation... However, time is on our side. Although the news of defeating the World Tree Civilization can’t be sealed forever, you have already controlled the spies of the Star Alliance. You can make use of them to send fake intelligence and fabricate the battle situation, making the Star Alliance think that we are still fighting the World Tree Civilization.”

“The prerequisite is that the Star Alliance does not have any other methods to monitor the galactic society...” Han Xiao paused for a moment and spread out his hands.” However, with the Information Form Warning Network, this possibility can be eliminated.”

“In any case, try not to alert the enemy,” Marbruce said with a deep voice. Han Xiao nodded and suddenly commented.

“The association and I will not accompany you in the battle of invading the Star Alliance. You can deal with them yourselves. I’m only responsible for these spies.”

The eyes of the three of them flashed, but they did not say anything immediately. They quickly analyzed the situation in their minds and felt that there were pros and cons.

In this World Tree War, the three Universal Civilizations did not gain anything in the first place. The World Tree Civilization had been taken away by Black Star, and they did not even have the slightest bit of technology or resources. If they could swallow the Star Alliance, they would be able to reap some benefits.

Since Black Star was not participating in the battle, he would not share the spoils of war. Han Xiao had the World Tree, and he was the best at snatching resources. The three of them had to be wary of him.

Without the help of the Beyond Grade A Association, the war would be a little more troublesome. However, the three Universal Civilizations were not to be trifled with. They could not defeat the World Tree, but the same could not be said for the Star Alliance.

However, the three of them were worried that Black Star or the Super Star Cluster would try to assassinate them while they were at war with the Star Alliance. It was very risky... Who knew if Black Star had such plans?

For a moment, the three of them were caught in a dilemma and did not know if this was a trap.

Han Xiao glanced at them and guessed their thoughts. He pursed his lips. He had only helped the three Universal Civilizations because he had been thinking about the calamities in his previous life and wanted to resist the World Tree.

Do you still expect me to help the three Universal Civilizations expand their territory?

It's already good enough that I didn't replace you. Be content, little brother!

Now that the threat was finally resolved, the galactic society could enjoy many years of peace. Han Xiao was satisfied.

Ever since his arrival, the World Tree had been the sword of Damocles in Han Xiao's eyes. It was the biggest psychological shadow and the source of his anxiety. For a very long time, he could only keep this secret alone and work hard to get rid of it. He did not dare relax, and the pressure was difficult to speak of to others.

After persevering for more than a hundred years, he had finally removed the threat of the galactic society. He no longer had to worry about the safety of his friends. He was relieved and wanted to retire and truly relax for some time.

#### **Chapter 1444 Abyss of Misery**

The three Universal Civilizations were finally relieved after the Star Alliance's infiltrators were captured. They quickly returned to the fleet and no longer blocked the news.

Very soon, the explosive news of the Galactic Alliance Army destroying the World Tree Civilization spread throughout the entire galactic society in the shortest time possible. Countless galactic residents on the refugee planets were shocked.

Not long ago, we were still in a passive state, enduring the full invasion of the enemy. Our future was filled with pessimism, and we were in a constant state of panic. However, before we were even mentally prepared, the tables turned in the blink of an eye. Suddenly, they told us that the war had ended, and everyone was safe... Brother, we just woke up, we haven't even brushed our teeth!

The galactic residents were stunned.

However, as the official media of the three Universal Civilizations revealed the entire process of the war and confirmed that this was not a rumor, the entire galactic society finally recovered from the shock and only felt endless joy.

Under the shadow of the World Tree Civilization, the entire galactic society had been forced to change its way of operation, disrupting everyone's lives. Countless people turned from free and casual galactic residents into refugees avoiding the flames of war. The wartime policies had tightened the resource supply and livelihood rights of the people, and the difference was huge. This change had lasted for almost twenty years. From the perspective of a civilization or a high-level Super, twenty years was just a short time. It was just a small wave in the river of time, but to ordinary galactic residents, this was almost a generation.

Any change in the era would be amplified on the individual. In the past, the three Universal Civilizations and the World Tree Civilization were in a stalemate, and no one could see the bright future of the war. Countless galactic residents pessimistically thought that this kind of life would continue forever, and tomorrow would not be any better. At least two or three more generations would have to suffer in the flames of war.

However, at this moment, the light of dawn tore through the dense fog and shone into everyone's lives. This beam of light came from the countless soldiers who had sacrificed themselves at the frontline, from Black Star, who had single-handedly turned the situation around.

On the 17th of April, year 799 of the Galaxy Calendar, different races on countless planets were cheering in different languages.

Countless galactic residents called this day the 'turning point of time', representing the end of the war and the destruction of the World Tree.

As the victors, the three Universal Civilizations received the praise of the entire galactic society. In the promotion, the three Universal Civilizations did not cover up Black Star's achievements:

Before the war broke out, he had been maintaining internal checks and balances to reduce internal conflicts. In the early stages of the war, he had led a group of Beyond Grade As to defend against the foreign enemies without any hesitation, and he had also personally taken the risk to gather crucial intelligence about the World Tree. During the preparation stage, he had been training the seeds of potential and nurtured a new batch of Beyond Grade As. One man stood alone in the shallow layer dimension, preventing the World Tree Civilization from advancing and forcing them to give up the battlefield that was the most dangerous to the three Universal Civilizations. He had found the World Tree's main body first, forcing the World Tree to give up the invasion, and single-handedly lifted the curtains of the final battle, turning the long-term war into the final battle...

With so many achievements, Black Star's glory in the war could not be concealed at all. His presence was extremely strong, and countless galactic residents recounted Black Star's contributions in detail. The reverence that gushed out from their hearts was like a warm current that warmed the hearts, and it was like an uncontrollable soul trembling, penetrating every bone and nerve.

Although this was a little unfair to the normal soldiers who had sacrificed themselves at the frontline, after seeing Black Star's deeds from start to finish, many galactic residents felt that the pace of the entire war was controlled by Black Star. He adjusted the general direction of the war, and the Galactic Alliance Army was more like a 'tool' that only carried out his will.



Because of the huge contributions, Black Star became the recognized 'Chief War Hero' of the galactic society. His reputation skyrocketed, exceeding all the previous records. He was truly like the sun in the sky, gaining the respect of the entire galactic society and receiving fanatical support.

As for the Beyond Grade As, they also received a large amount of reputation and received countless praises. This was especially so for the 'sacrificed victims' on the Soul Comfort Monument, who received more respect and became more popular.

Before the World Tree War broke out, Beyond Grade As were regarded as the privileged class of the galactic society, and they had been hated by many galactic residents. However, these Beyond Grade As fought a bloody battle and protected their safety, and the galactic residents were sincerely grateful.

Due to the wartime policies, most of the population of the various Star Fields had been concentrated on different planets. Now that the flames of war had been extinguished, the three Universal Civilizations had also begun to relocate batches of refugees, slowly leaving the wartime state and returning to normal society.

Central Galaxy, Planet Aquamarine.

In the huge open-air landing field, teams of spaceships with the Black Star Army insignia were parked neatly. The doors of the spaceships opened, and the people of Planet Aquamarine lined up in a long line. Following the orders of the army members, they stepped onto the starships that were returning home one after another.

The constant fear and anxiety made everyone look haggard and tired, but it could not hide the smiles and relaxation on their faces. They were full of hope for a beautiful tomorrow.

In the office of the government building, the white-haired and wrinkly Bennett stood in front of the floor-to-ceiling window. He looked down at the dense crowd in the square and saw the tired and excited expressions of the Planet Aquamarine citizens.

"Only time can heal the wounds of war..."

As he spoke, Bennett turned around and looked at the statue of Black Star, which was the city's landmark, with a gratified look in his eyes.

"Black Star... you really did it. I knew I could always trust you."

Bennett smiled as though he was relieved of a burden.

He was already indifferent to many things, but he was still proud of having an old friend like Black Star.

At the same time, in the Floating Dragon Island above this planet.

A spaceship slowly entered the dock, and the hatch slowly opened.

Harrison walked out of the spaceship and stepped onto the platform. His eyes immediately locked onto Jenny, who was waiting for him.

As their gazes met, everything around them seemed to turn into nothingness. They only had each other in their eyes, as if a lifetime had passed since they met.

Harrison strode forward and kissed Jenny's shiny forehead before pulling her into his arms.

Jenny only struggled for a moment before hugging Harrison's back and whispering, "You still know to come back?"

"...Sorry, I had a reason to leave. I..."

"Alright, I'm not blaming you." Jenny interrupted him and said, "I'm just thanking Black Star. If he had not found the World Tree's main body and completed what you wanted to do, you would never have returned."

"Indeed." Harrison released Jenny and scratched his head in embarrassment.

Jenny glared at him and said, "Speaking of which, you've also reached the top in a single step. Now that you've got me, you're in-laws with Black Star. Although I don't get along with Black Star, I can't deny that he's already standing at the top of the universe. With him as your backer, you can do whatever you want in the future."

"This..." Harrison was a little embarrassed.

Jenny snorted, lowered her head, and touched her lower abdomen. Then, she raised her fist and pretended to be fierce. "You have to treat me better in the future, okay? Otherwise, my sister and my brother-in-law will find you and beat you up. See if you can take it!" Harrison shuddered.

Although he was not dating Jenny because of her identity, he could not help but break out in cold sweat at the thought of the two Gods in Jenny's family.

Harrison felt that the more he talked about this, the more dangerous it became. He quickly changed the topic, coughed, and asked, "Erm, I'll be staying on Floating Dragon Island from now on."

However, Jenny rejected it and shook her head. "There's no need to stay on Floating Dragon Island. I plan to resign from the Chief Supervisor position of the Floating Dragon." Harrison was shocked. "What's the matter?"

"I've worked overtime for so many years, and I'm already tired. Ames won't manage it, and I was worried before. Now that she's together with Black Star, she doesn't need my help anymore."

Jenny's tone was complicated. She was still dissatisfied with Han Xiao, who snatched her sister away, but it was not her turn to object.

As she spoke, Jenny paused for a moment, looked directly at Harrison, and said in a soft and shy tone, "Plus, I know that you like to explore. I hope that you and I will be happy together. I can't stop you from pursuing your hobbies just because we're together. So... can you take me out to explore in the future?" Harrison was stunned. Then, he was overjoyed.

"You're so good to me..."

He looked at Jenny's face, and his heart palpitated. He could not help but slowly move closer to her. Jenny's face turned red, and she slowly closed her eyes.

Just as the two of them were about to touch each other, a deliberate cough sounded beside them.

“Ahem!”

Like a sudden clap of thunder, the ambiguous atmosphere was instantly broken. The two of them snapped out of it as if they had just woken up from a dream. Both their faces turned red, and they quickly looked in the direction of the sound. Aesop had appeared beside them at some point in time, and his eyes were on them.

“When did you arrive? You’re already so old, don’t you know not to disturb others!” Jenny was furious and embarrassed, so she fired first.

Aesop could not be bothered with her. He walked over to Harrison, sized him up, and smiled. He patted Harrison’s shoulder with great force, feeling extremely gratified.

“Good lad, you’re much more reliable than that bastard Black Star.”

Harrison, however, knew Aesop. He smiled bitterly and said, “Don’t make fun of me. How can I be compared to Lord Black Star?”

“Heh, why can’t you compete? At least in terms of reproduction, you’ve already beaten him by one step. If he had half your skills, I would have gotten a grandson a long time ago. Black Star is clearly a greenhorn himself, but he still acts like he’s very strong. I wanted to impart him some experience out of kindness, but he actually shunned me.” Aesop was furious when he said this.

Harrison did not know what to say, so he said helplessly, “Stop fooling around. Black Star is someone who does big things. Why would he waste his energy on such a small matter...”

“Hmm? Small matter?” Jenny’s ears twitched, and she caught the keyword.

“Oh no, that’s not what I meant. I...”

Before Harrison could finish, Aesop grabbed his neck and pulled him down.

“I think you’re much more pleasing to the eye than Black Star. Let’s go, I’ll teach you a few moves. I guarantee that you’ll be able to subdue Jenny...”

“Get out of here. Don’t disgust me.” Jenny gave Aesop a kick and dragged Harrison away.

In the unexplored universe, Star Alliance capital.

In the office, the leader of the Lore Civilization and the other leaders of the Star Alliance gathered together. A virtual screen was suspended in front of each of them, showing the same information.

“The Observer team has sent this period’s battle report. Have you all read it?”

The leader of the Star Alliance looked at everyone and asked.

Savignes nodded and said with a smile, “I finished reading it right away. It seems like the three Universal Civilizations won’t be able to hold on under our influence.”

Hearing this, many people smiled.

The leader of the Star Alliance smiled and lowered his head to read the information.

“The World Tree Army attacked the Central Galaxy and focused on destroying the refugee planets, causing all the refugees on the 1,783 planets to be sacrificed. The civilian casualties are estimated to be between 15 trillion and 25 trillion...”

“The Federation of Light’s mother planet was attacked by a large force of the World Tree, and the defense forces managed to repel the invaders. However, the mother planet was severely damaged. Although the upper echelons were unharmed, many of the middle-ranked officials and important people died.”

“The Galactic Alliance Army and the World Tree invaders fought a battle at Silver Arm but were ambushed. Eight Beyond Grade As died on the spot.”

“Due to the disadvantage of the battle and the suspicion of being spies, the Super Star Cluster Alliance carried out the evacuation plan and did not want to participate in the battle. The three Universal Civilizations strongly opposed it, causing internal unrest in the Galactic Alliance Army. It seems like they have broken

up...”

Although he had already read it once, after listening to the leader of the Star Alliance read it, he could not help but smile with joy, his heart filled with the joy of revenge.

Finally, the leader of the Star Alliance read through the ‘intense battle’ that Han Xiao had made up. He paused for a moment and said with a relaxed tone,

“It can be seen that the battle between the three Universal Civilizations and the World Tree Civilization is extremely tragic. Furthermore, the Super Star Cluster Alliance was plotted against by us and was mistaken as a traitor who leaked the information. With both internal and external threats, the three Universal Civilizations will definitely lose if this continues!”

As soon as he said that, many of the people present smiled gloatingly.

Some of the Star Alliance members who did not support the plan were silent.

After reading this report, everyone came to a conclusion—the three Universal Civilizations were definitely living in the depths of hell and were heading to their end!

This was a sure win!

#### **Chapter 1445 Establishment of the Supers Holy Land**

Somewhere in the explored universe, the Avengers’ fleet was slowly moving.

Inside the cabin, Pangon and the others were watching the news of the three Universal Civilizations’ victory on the virtual screen.

Looking at the countless galactic races in the image, the Beyond Grade As present had complicated expressions.

“Humph, the three Universal Civilizations became the winners, and the galactic society escaped the calamity. Pangon, are you satisfied now?”

A Beyond Grade A stood with his arms crossed, his tone dissatisfied.

Pangon was expressionless. "There's nothing to be happy about."

"Is that so? But why do I feel like you don't mean what you say? Don't forget what our goal is! To be honest, if you have given up on revenge, you'd better disband early," another person said coldly.

This group of people had been planning to take revenge on the three Universal Civilizations, and the galactic society was celebrating their victory. Of course, they could not be happy. They only felt frustrated.

Facing Pangon, who did not have a firm stand, everyone naturally did not have a good expression.

Pangon remained unmoved and said calmly, "If you have the time to talk nonsense, you might as well think about our next move."

"You still have the face to say that? This war was clearly a very good opportunity for revenge. If not for you not allowing us to cause trouble, we would have long..." "We were beaten to death by Black Star long ago." Pangon cut him off and slowly said, "Judging from the current situation, the conclusion is that even if we had caused trouble, we wouldn't have been able to change the outcome of the three Universal Civilizations' victory. This is because the key factor that determined the war wouldn't have been affected by us at all... Therefore, if we had taken advantage of the war, the outcome now would have been our annihilation. You all should be glad that I saved our lives."

Hearing this, everyone was frustrated. Every time they talked about this topic, Pangon would use similar reasons to convince them, and it was not easy to refute.

Right at this moment, Pangon suddenly changed the topic and said, "Don't you guys think that this new internal conflict is the best environment for us to develop? The reason why I didn't agree to create trouble in the war is because of this. If the three Universal Civilizations lose, we won't have to do anything. But since they won, they will form a new balance with the Beyond Grade A Association and the Super Star Cluster Alliance, and we will have more room to maneuver..."

That's why I've always emphasized that we have to have the foresight to foresee the changes in the future. We can't just look for a chance."

Pangon spoke calmly.

Everyone had strange expressions.

This sentence sounded right, but coming from a Pugilist, it felt weird...

After taking one last look at the galactic refugees on the news, Pangon turned around and left the room.

When he turned around, the corners of his mouth curled up slightly but then disappeared. He said calmly,

"Stop looking. Let's go. Their joy has nothing to do with us."

The migration of refugees from the various Star Fields was going on like wildfire, but one day, explosive news once again caused a huge shock in the galactic society.

On this day, the Beyond Grade A Association officially announced the establishment of a civilization regime called the 'Supers Holy Land'. The civil nature association was promoted to be the Civilization's Elders Association. All the Beyond Grade As in the association were members of the Elders Association, and some of them with Black Star as the leader were the main decision-makers.

The nature of the civilization was the nation of immigrants that was common in the galactic society. It expressed that it would publicly accept all Supers with good credibility as citizens of the Supers Holy Land, regardless of race. Its slogan was 'Building a Resplendent Nation Exclusively for Supers'. The Beyond Grade As were the leaders of the Supers, and like the wind vane, it was enough to guide a portion of the Supers to join the alliance. Furthermore, Black Star, the only Transcendent, had even more appeal to the Supers.

Of course, there were more substantial benefits. As long as one became a citizen of the Supers Holy Land, they could obtain the Super knowledge of the various classes through official channels and apply for customized training programs to help raise their level. In addition, official citizens could also choose to enjoy the protection of the Underworld. If they were unlucky and died or died of old age, they could choose to continue living as Hero Spirits. If they advanced to Beyond Grade A, they could directly enter the Elders Association and enjoy the Sanctum Revival for free.

Other than that, there were also various detailed rules and regulations, as well as terms of civil rights. They were jointly created by the professionals of the various Beyond Grade A organizations, and they referenced the systems of many galactic civilizations and made adaptive changes.

The location of the Supers Holy Land was in the Flickering World, occupying almost half of the territory. There were also some Star Clusters that had yet to be explored, located at the outermost edge of the explored universe. However, this was not the only territory. The desolate universe belt outside the Flickering World border was also included in the Supers Holy Land's territory.

The World Tree's 'regurgitation' mechanism had to be mentioned here. It could transform countless planets, and the barren area could also be transformed into a prosperous Star Field. Therefore, the Supers Holy Land could be said to have obtained a territory that could continuously expand outward and was not restricted.

The first batch of citizens was from the various Beyond Grade A races or civilizations under their jurisdiction. They were currently migrating over, and the members of the various Beyond Grade A organizations were the first to enjoy the benefits. As long as they were willing, they could obtain the identity of a Supers Holy Land citizen. If they were not willing, they would not be forced. These people built the framework of the Supers Holy Land.

This was clearly taking advantage of the entire universe, and any civilization would face the risk of losing their Supers. However, the three Universal Civilizations did not stand out to oppose it. Instead, they sent a congratulatory message, congratulating the establishment of the Supers Holy Land in the name of the Galaxy Central Civilization Court and accepting the Supers Holy Land as a new member of the Civilization Council.

Both sides had reached an agreement a long time ago-the Beyond Grade A Association would obtain the status of civilization after the war. The three Universal Civilizations had already contacted Han Xiao during this period of time, and even if they were unwilling, they had no choice but to fulfill the

agreement. Among them, half of the Flickering World and many Beyond Grade A races had successfully migrated, which was all the benefits that Han Xiao had obtained. The three Universal Civilizations had many concerns, but they still agreed.

Before the joy of winning the war faded, the galactic residents had a new topic. The birth of the Supers Holy Land attracted the heated discussion of the entire galactic society.

Although many galactic residents had guessed that the Beyond Grade A Association would make a big move after the battle, due to the lack of information, they had not expected the Beyond Grade A Association to make a move so quickly.

Not only the ordinary people, but the entire Super class was shocked!

The attraction of the Supers Holy Land to the Super classes far exceeded that of any civilization. Just the benefits of the Underworld and the Sanctum Revival alone were enough to move countless people. In addition, there was also free public knowledge and free training

After enjoying the taste of superpowers, it was basically impossible for them to be satisfied with the current situation. Most Supers had the ambition to improve their own level. The treatment of the Supers Holy Land was enviable, and they did not have obligations like when joining a Beyond Grade A organization. Although the Supers had special privileges in the galactic society, they also had all kinds of concerns. Under the tacit understanding of the advanced civilizations, many low and middle-grade Supers had to sell their lives for all kinds of resources and knowledge. This was one of the ways for the advanced civilizations to maintain the balance so that the Supers would not become unstable factors of Galactic Society.

Now that the Supers Holy Land had shouted the slogan of 'building the holy land of Supers', it caused a huge commotion. The Supers no longer hesitated and immediately joined the alliance.

Before the World Tree War, they might have been afraid of the authority of the three Universal Civilizations, afraid that they would no longer be able to live in the galactic society. Just like how the three Universal Civilizations had suppressed the Beyond Grade A Association back then, many people did not dare join the Beyond Grade A organizations. Now that the political position of the Beyond Grade A Supers Holy Land had been recognized, Black Star was no longer the ordinary Beyond Grade A Super.

Everyone could see that the Supers Holy Land and the three Universal Civilizations had reached the same level, and it was impossible for the same thing to happen again. Therefore, many Supers no longer had any concerns. Even if the galactic society banned them, they could just live in the Supers Holy Land in the future, what was there to be afraid of!

At the border of the Flickering World.

Han Xiao was floating in the desolate universe belt, and the power of the World Tree was flickering with electric arcs all over his body. Facing the dark space, he waved his hands rhythmically, as if he was playing a symphony.

Under his command, roots tore through space and slowly took root. At the same time, the ends of the roots seemed to spout bubbles as they scattered the transformed planets in the galaxy to expand the

territory of the Supers Holy Land. Behind him, a group of Beyond Grade As were watching the scene of changing stars with shock.

No matter how many times they watched this scene, they were still shocked and awed.

After a while, Han Xiao finally finished modifying this area. He retrieved the power of the World Tree, turned around, and flew in front of everyone.

“Maintain this large territory for now. It should be enough.”

“As long as you’re happy...” Everyone had mixed feelings and did not know what to say.

Han Xiao turned to look at Aurora and asked, “What does the galactic society think of the Supers Holy Land?”

“About one hundred and twenty billion Supers have applied to become a Supers Holy Land citizen, and this number is still rising rapidly,” Aurora said. “It’s a little small, but it’s just the beginning. Many people are still hesitating. When we completely stabilize, the population will skyrocket.”

Han Xiao nodded casually.

During this period of time, he had been going everywhere, meeting with the leaders of the various organizations, reaching a consensus, and finally establishing the Supers Holy Land.

Establishing a civilization was very cumbersome, and all kinds of structures needed to be perfected. However, Han Xiao only needed to control the general direction and simple diplomacy. The details were filled in by the professional subordinates of the various Beyond Grade A organizations.

Because of the general trend, even the three Universal Civilizations did not make things difficult for him anymore. The creation of the Supers Holy Land was even smoother than Han Xiao had expected.

From now on, the Beyond Grade As were officially united, and they would be able to move around in the universe under the banner of the Supers Holy Land. The structure of the galactic society had truly become three-way. Han Xiao had fulfilled his promise to the Beyond Grade A Association.

Many Beyond Grade As became the upper echelons of the Elders Association in the Supers Holy Land. Among them, Aurora was promoted to be Han Xiao’s assistant and replaced Kasuyi’s position. This personnel change received everyone’s approval. In the entire Beyond Grade A group, only Aurora could convince the masses.

This was also Kasuyi’s intention. He had originally planned to explore the unknown universe after the battle, and Han Xiao had also changed his position according to his request. Because Oathkeeper was traveling with Kasuyi, the Holy Accord was also empty, so Han Xiao made Beiger the acting leader of the Holy Accord and took over the job from Oathkeeper.

Beiger, on the other hand, did not mind being a mascot-like acting leader. However, Han Xiao did not really care about the Holy Accord anymore.

Now that he had obtained the World Tree that could convert resources, he no longer needed the Holy Accord organization to help him collect the Sanctum Keys. His main goal was to fulfill his previous promise and leave a place for the Beyond Grade As who wanted to retire.



Han Xiao turned around and looked at Psyker who was hiding in the crowd.

“The one with seven eyes. Haven’t you always wanted to relocate your race? Move your Star Pupil Civilization to the Supers Holy Land. No one will suppress you here.”

“Really? I don’t believe it.”

Psyker had strong doubts.

Even today, his Black Star PTSD had yet to be cured, and he felt that Han Xiao was up to no good.

Han Xiao rolled his eyes and ignored him.

At this moment, Hilbert walked out of the crowd with a group of revivors and said with a smile,

“Black Star, I wonder if the Supers Holy Land-realm welcomes our joining?”

Hilbert had always had the thought of leaving the three Universal Civilizations to join the Beyond Grade A Association. Now that the war was over and the Beyond Grade A Civilization was established, he had finally made up his mind. He brought along some of the direct descent Revivors who also felt that they did not owe the three Universal Civilizations anything; their motive was naturally the unlimited Sanctum Revival guarantee.

Seeing this, Han Xiao smiled.

“The three Universal Civilizations are even more furious now. If you make such a choice, it might invalidate the ‘retirement benefits’ that you gave up your lives for. Are you sure you want to do that?”

“It doesn’t matter. We’ve all died for the three Universal Civilizations. We don’t owe them anything anymore. It’s time to live for ourselves.” Hilbert smiled.

“In that case, the Supers Holy Land welcomes all of you.”

Han Xiao nodded.

According to this trend, the future Supers Holy Land might really be able to get all the individual strengths in the universe.

At that time, the Supers Holy Land would become the sanctuary that all the Super classes yearned for. Almost all the civilian Supers who had awakened naturally would gather there, and the other civilizations would only have the Supers that were cultivated by the direct descendants. From another perspective, this would also increase the security of the galactic society, helping the various civilizations to consolidate their rule, and creating a more stable environment for the galactic residents.

Sigh, as expected, I still have peace in my heart. The three Universal Civilizations don’t understand me.

Han Xiao shook his head and sighed.

#### **Chapter 1446 Handing Over Positions and Farming Authority**

There were only a few direct descent Revivors who chose to join the Supers Holy Land, and most of them chose to stay in the three Universal Civilizations. Even so, the difference between the high-level combatants on both sides was still quite large.

However, Han Xiao was no longer afraid of openly poaching from the three Universal Civilizations. Ever since he subdued the World Tree to end the war, many problems that he had been facing had been solved. For example, the three Universal Civilizations had never given in to the Ultimate Knowledge Transmission right.

“The three Universal Civilizations knew that they would not be able to stop the Supers Holy Land from becoming a sanctuary of individual strength, so they compromised with me in the end...”

Han Xiao’s eyes swept past everyone and suddenly locked onto Karlot, Evans, and the other new Beyond Grade As.

Karlot and Evans’ potential did not need to be strengthened, and their futures were naturally limitless. However, because the World Tree War broke out many years earlier than in his previous life, they did not have enough time to grow. Even with his nurturing, it was not easy to make up for the lost time, and they were far from reaching the theoretical peak of their ability.

Therefore, in this war, the two of them did not perform too well, but it was undeniable that they would still be extremely valuable in the future.

In Han Xiao’s opinion, since the Beyond Grade As had shouted the slogan of ‘Holy Land of the Supers’, they had to have new injections of Supers, and they could not let the production of Supers stop. Although the current peak Beyond Grade As had a long lifespan and were distinguished, it would not do if there were no new generations of experts. They had to let the galactic society see the ‘individual strength nurturing ability’ of the Supers Holy Land that exceeded any organization.

Although there might not be any chance for Han Xiao to make a move in the future, he still needed a new generation to hold the fort for the Supers Holy Land. Han Xiao had already treated Karlot and Evans as his right-hand men and the future pillars of the Supers Holy Land.

The construction of the territory was completed. Secret Master and the other Mages summoned the transportation door and sent everyone back to the main planet of the Supers Holy Land.

The main planet of the Supers Holy Land was called ‘Planet of the Deities’. It was located at the back of the Flickering World and had statues of all the Beyond Grade As of the Civilization’s Elders Association. Black Star’s statue was the most eye-catching and was the landmark of the entire planet.

Countless spaceships gathered on this planet from all directions, leaving behind streams of light like a bright galaxy. These were the various Supers who had chosen to join the Supers Holy Land and came to pay their respects to the statues of the various Beyond Grade As.

This area was originally a defensive area built by the Galactic Alliance Army, but after the war, all the troops stationed here left, and this area had a new owner. Every Beyond Grade A had their own residence here. After returning, they left to do their own things. Now was the time to migrate their forces to the Supers Holy Land, and most Beyond Grade As were very busy. Han Xiao returned to his office. Aurora, Hila, Feidin, and the others from the Black Star Army followed him for a small meeting.

“The framework of the Supers Holy Land has already been built. All that’s left is to fill it up. There are some personnel changes that I need to explain to everyone.” As he spoke, Han Xiao looked at everyone, his gaze landing on Nero.

“As the highest leader of the Supers Holy Land, it’s not suitable for me to continue leading the Black Star Army. Nero, I’ll leave the army to you for the time being.”

Hearing this, everyone turned to look at Nero with different expressions.

“Ah, this isn’t appropriate. I’m not mentally prepared.” Nero was shocked, stammering, “You, you built this organization from scratch, and now you’re handing it over to me. I’m afraid I can’t bear such a responsibility...”

Han Xiao raised his brows and scolded, “What are you thinking? I only want you to be the acting Army Commander. I will be the Army Commander in name only and will not interfere with the daily affairs of the army, but you still have to report to me.”

Now that he had become the Supreme Leader of the Supers Holy Land, he needed to avoid the outside world. If he continued to lead the Black Star Army, it would be easy for others to have ideas, and it would also increase the army’s ego. Although Han Xiao was not afraid, he would avoid it if he could. It just so happened that he also wanted to relieve some of his burdens and make himself more relaxed.

After all, with his Transcendent Grade and the power of the World Tree, he no longer needed external organizations to support his position.

“Then I’m relieved.” Nero heaved a sigh of relief.

He could not be blamed for being cowardly. There were too many Beyond Grade As in the army. Although he was Black Star’s godson, he still could not hold on.

Furthermore, the name ‘Black Star Army’ was already renowned throughout the universe. Nero was afraid that he would ruin its reputation if he stood too high. However, it would be much easier if he only worked.

Han Xiao turned to look at Aurora and said, “The same goes for you. Now that you’re the second-in-command of the Supers Holy Land, you don’t have to continue being the Deputy Army Commander of the Black Star Army. You can hand over your position later.” Aurora was unwilling. “What happened to the promise of staying in the army as long as I’m willing to stay?”

Han Xiao shook his head and laughed. “Your identity is no longer suitable. You don’t have to carry everything on your shoulders. Even if you’re not in the army, our relationship won’t change. As the saying goes, a person will always strive for greater things. The Black Star Army was just a phase of your life. It’s already over.”

“Humph, big liar.”

Aurora turned her head to the side.

Helpless, Han Xiao turned to look at Hila and asked, “What about you? Have you thought about what I told you? Do you want to take on the position of the Supers Holy Land’s Esper Department’s Chief?”  
“Sure.”

Hila nodded.

“Alright, then hand over your positions in the army with Aurora.”

Han Xiao nodded as he spoke out.

The Supers Holy Land was divided into five important departments, led by the corresponding Beyond Grade As.

Hila's performance in this war was clear to all. Coupled with the characteristics of the Underworld, no one had any objections to her taking over the Esper Department.

Originally, Han Xiao wanted Manison to be in charge of the Mechanic Department, but since Manison had rejected him, he had no choice but to give up and let Kant manage the Mechanic Department. The Mage Department was managed by Milizaus, and the assistant was Secret Master. The head of the Pugilist Department was Sierron, and Han Xiao planned to replace him with Karlot in the future. The best candidate for the Psychic Department was Kasuyi, but he was traveling far away, so he replaced him with a peak Beyond Grade A Psychic who had been following the association for a long time, with Feidin as the assistant.

After a series of changes, the high positions of the Supers Holy Land were given to the various contributors.

Many of them were 'former members of the Black Star Army'. Han Xiao told them to hand over their positions in the army and did not force them to be tied up with the army. Although these people did not mind following him, he still had to give them face. As upper echelons of the Supers Holy Land, it would not be good to keep the title of Deputy Army Commanders. It would also make it seem like the Black Star Army controlled the decision-making power of the civilization. Although he had the qualifications to be a dictator, he did not need to show it.

On the surface, a batch of Beyond Grade As leaving would make it seem like the upper echelons of the Black Star Army had lost their strength, but in reality, it was not much different to Han Xiao. In the past, he had wanted to gather a large number of experts to strengthen the Black Star Army, but now he had to do a reduction. His position had changed greatly, and just because these Beyond Grade As were not in the army did not mean that they would not listen to him.

This time, Hila crossed her arms and said straightforwardly, "You have to teach me how to enter the Transcendent Grade."

"I can't teach you now. Wait till you reach the bottleneck."

Han Xiao waved his hands.

He arranged many army Beyond Grade As' positions. After dealing with the last person, he thought for a while and looked at Aurora.

"Right, let Sorokin out. I have something to talk to him about."

Aurora curled her lips, but still did as she was told. Balls of gentle golden energy condensed into a physical body, gradually turning into Sorokin.

Sorokin opened his eyes and looked around before looking at Han Xiao. "Hmm? Isn't the war over? Why did you call me out?"

Han Xiao rubbed his knuckles and said, "I have a good deal for you. As long as you're willing to agree to a few rules and not cause trouble or mess around, I will allow you out of the Underworld and to keep moving outside."

Hearing this, Sorokin was suspicious.

"Since when do you treat me so well? Tell me, what do you want me to do?"

"The Beyond Grade A Association has established a civilization called the Supers Holy Land. I'll tell you the details later. I hope you can be an upper echelon in terms of economy or business and display your strengths. How about it? Are you interested?" "There's such a good thing." Sorokin's eyes lit up. "Just tell me if you're willing."

Han Xiao said casually.

Of course, there was no shortage of professionals in the Supers Holy Land, but Sorokin was the one who knew how to make money the best among the Beyond Grade As. Han Xiao felt that throwing him in the Underworld would be a waste of his talent, so he might as well get Sorokin out and make use of him.

Anyway, with his current position, he was no longer afraid of Sorokin stirring up any trouble.

"No problem, you don't have to worry. With me around, I will definitely make this Supers Holy Land's economy flourish, become stronger, and create glory!" Sorokin immediately agreed.

Since he had nothing to do in the Underworld, he naturally would not reject such a rare opportunity to 'relax'.

As for the enmity between him and Black Star, Sorokin had already accepted his fate over the years. He was a smart person and would not take it to heart.

Han Xiao nodded with satisfaction. Just as he was about to say something, his communicator suddenly rang.

Beep beep beep...

He took a look. It was a call from the Dynasty Ruler, Marbruce.

Han Xiao waved his hand and signaled for everyone to leave. After everyone left, he picked up the call.

"What have you called for?"

"Black Star, we plan to hold a grand ceremony on January 1 of the 800th year of the Galaxy Calendar to celebrate this victory, to commemorate the lives sacrificed in the war, and to honor the heroes. Your Supers Holy Land should participate as well, especially you. The entire Galactic Society sees you as a hero, so don't be absent."

"I'll be there."

Han Xiao nodded in agreement.

This war was indeed worthy for the three Universal Civilizations to hold a grand ceremony, and the date they chose was also very meaningful. The first day of the New Era... It was probably not for the convenience of the students to memorize that they chose

this date.

After chatting casually for a while, Han Xiao told them about the choice of Hilbert and the others. However, Marbruce's reaction was very calm, as though he had expected it. It was a pity that Han Xiao did not see how furious he was. After hanging up, Han Xiao calculated the date.

"There's still half a year left before the ceremony. This period of time is enough for the Supers Holy Land to gain a firm foothold. After the ceremony, I'll have a lot of free time. I'll then enter the Sanctum and revive those unlucky people who died in battle... I'll also find out all the information on the message board."

Because the World Tree had solved the problem of the Sanctum Key, Han Xiao naturally thought of a plan, which was to use it to enter and exit the Sanctum and unlock all the information on the message board.

In theory, this was completely possible.

However, this would require a lot of time, so Han Xiao decided to wait for the situation to stabilize before implementing it.

"Speaking of which, I wonder what the players have been doing recently..."

Han Xiao opened the interface and looked at the players' forums. Most of the topics discussed in the posts were related to the victory of the war and the Supers Holy Land.

Now that the war had ended, the players had nothing to do. Although Han Xiao had put up the Dungeon Crystals of the 'World Tree War' series, most of them still had nothing to do. They had just experienced the end of a main storyline mission, so many of them could not be bothered to do side missions for the time being

In addition, the fifth Pro League was already in the preparation stage, attracting the attention of the players. Therefore, Han Xiao did not have to worry about the players having nothing better to do.

"The universe is peaceful and society is stable. Everything is improving... Tsk tsk, I haven't had such an easy time in a long time."

Han Xiao heaved a sigh of relief and felt a sense of satisfaction.

On the other side of the Planet of the Deities Manison's mansion.

Manison casually played with the pile of cards and looked at Kasuyi who was deep in thought. "You've already decided to travel far and found a new life goal. I haven't congratulated you yet."

"After living for so long, I have to find something to do. There are no secrets in the explored universe to me. Finding the unknown is more fun." Kasuyi casually threw out a card and smiled. "Speaking of which, I didn't expect you to reject Black Star's invitation and give up this position."

“Aren’t you the same?” Manison did not comment.

“I don’t want to work because I have to travel far away, but why don’t you want this authority if you are staying here? This isn’t like you.” Kasuyi raised his brows.

“I have other plans.” Manison glanced at the cards, took out a card, and pretended to play it. However, after thinking for a while, he stuffed this card back in and changed to another card. He did not stop talking and said, “I plan to study in seclusion for decades. I don’t want to be distracted elsewhere... Furthermore, with Black Star around, I will never be able to surpass him in the eyes of Mechanics.”

“Indeed.” Kasuyi sighed. “Being in the same era as him is the misfortune of all Mechanics.”

Manison looked up at him and knocked on the table. “You’re not a Mechanic, why are you so emotional?”

“To be honest, if I were you, I would have directly taken Black Star as my teacher. Learning is not embarrassing.” Kasuyi shrugged.

“You talk too much. Hurry up and play.”

Manison snorted. Although his relationship with Han Xiao had improved quite a bit, and he was willing to listen to the other party’s orders to a certain extent, asking him to lower his head again? Impossible!

Supers Holy Land established a new structure after the war. After preliminary observation, a large number of Supers from different civilizations entered the territory of the Supers Holy Land from various Star Fields. After approval, they received official citizenship. The work efficiency of a Beyond Grade A organization was known to be very high. As the various projects were quickly completed, the Supers Holy Land that had only been established for a few months started operating efficiently. On the other hand, the entire galactic society was still in a daze and needed a lot of time to adapt to the new situation.

The Super Star Cluster Alliance also made use of the birth of the Supers Holy Land to get rid of the suppression they had always been in and finally enjoyed the treatment of normal advanced civilization, obtaining a certain degree of freedom to develop.

After the war, the situation gradually stabilized. The entire galactic society was trying to adapt to the changes after the war, and in the blink of an eye, it reached the end of year 799 of the Galaxy Calendar. The three Universal Civilizations held a celebration ceremony as scheduled.

### **Chapter 1447 Support and Entry**

Year 800 of the Galaxy Calendar, 1st January.

Central Galaxy, New Era Planet.

A few months ago, in order to hold this celebration, the three Universal Civilizations started manually modifying this planet, turning the desolate and dying planet into a celebration planet. They named it ‘New Era Planet’ to commemorate their hundred years of experience, especially the victory of the World Tree War.

Looking down from space, there was a huge building that looked like a tower on the New Era planet. At the top was an open-air square platform. This was the venue of the celebration, and there were rows of floating seats around it.

Countless spaceships were hovering in the air, covering the sky. Countless galactic media outlets had arrived to broadcast the scene. This time, it was also a full broadcast of the various Star Fields. However, the number of viewers could not create a new record. Because of the war, many people had lost their lives. However, the viewership ratings had reached a new high, and almost every family stayed in front of the television to watch the broadcast.

Anti-gravity hovering cars rose from the ground and flew to the venue. The invited guests took their seats one after another. The representatives of the various civilizations, the military, the Beyond Grade As, and so on were all important people in the galactic society. As the guests entered and waited for the ceremony to start, the venue quickly became lively.

The Beyond Grade As beside him chatted casually, but Han Xiao did not participate in the conversation. He took out his communicator and looked at it. The galactic media had already started broadcasting, and the cameras swept across the venue. It seemed like they knew what the audience wanted to see, and they would pull it to his face from time to time, capturing every masculine detail.

“Tsk, always taking pictures of me. Am I that pleasing to the eye?”

Han Xiao smacked his lips without any shame.

Kasuyi, who was sitting at the side, nudged his waist with his elbow and chuckled. “It’s a pity that you haven’t revived those Beyond Grade As who died in battle. They’re going to miss this celebration.”

“I did it on purpose. In a while, when we pay our respects to the dead, if we see those victims alive, it would spoil the atmosphere.” Han Xiao paused for a moment, and with a strange expression, he added, “Besides, you don’t want to see Dillon speak on such an occasion, right?”

“... That’s true.” Kasuyi shivered.

Han Xiao shook his head and stopped talking.

In the past half a year, his Supers Holy Land had stabilized, and he had a rare holiday. His mental state was pretty good, and he was enjoying himself.

Although the ceremony this time was just a formality for Han Xiao, it was quite meaningful for the galactic society. They wanted to comfort the wounds left by the galactic residents in the war so that they would have the courage to look forward to the future. After all, a normal person’s life required a sense of ceremony.

Not long after, the leaders of the three Universal Civilizations personally arrived. The venue gradually quietened down, and the audience watching the broadcast held their breath.

Under the watchful eyes of the crowd, Marbruce slowly walked up to the podium. His expression was solemn as he scanned the audience.

“The universe is vast and boundless. Countless unknown civilizations are like stars in the sky, bringing life to this world that should have been dead. We are also one of them, living in a corner of the universe,



constantly reproducing... In the past hundred years, we have experienced many hardships, internal conflicts, technological disasters, and foreign enemies..."

Marbruce explained everything in detail, including the Crimson Tide, the Flickering World, the Intelligent Plague, the World Tree War, and so on.

The past hundred years could be said to have been like a storm, and Black Star is a character that could not be avoided talking about. He had an extremely strong presence on the galactic stage as he was part of most galactic events. The past hundred years were like the history of Black Star's rise.

Many players who were watching the broadcast listened with great interest. When they thought of Bun-Hit-Dog's 'Black Star Army' series, they could not help but feel honored. It was as if they were there on scene the whole time. No matter how great Black Star's achievements were, the image of Black Phantom still lingered in the minds of many of the hardcore players. With their support and witness, he grew up step by step like a child. "...We've survived through all the tough times in the past. Today, we've finally entered a peaceful New Era. This can't do without the contributions and sacrifices of the pioneers. They used their lives to exchange for a stable new life for us..."

Marbruce's expression was solemn. He took out a speech and slowly read it. "The 31st Galactic Alliance Army Fleet No. 31, the original 'Iron Flag' fleet of the Crimson Dynasty, blocked the World Tree Civilization. A total of 8.8 million people were wiped out."

"Galactic Alliance Army Fleet No. 477, former Federation of Light 'Glimmer' fleet, met the World Tree Vanguard troops at the Flickering World's defense frontline. They had 11.2 million people, and only 403 are left."

"Galactic Alliance Army..."

Marbruce's tone was solemn as he read the shocking death statistics.

As the numbers of the sacrificed troops appeared one after another, everyone present and the galactic residents in front of the screen became solemn.

Many people only knew that there were many casualties in this war, but they did not know the details. Only now did they get a clear idea.

Everyone mourned for a few minutes before Marbruce continued to speak. The atmosphere was solemn as he conferred the honors to the victims who died in battle. After all the sacrifices were conferred, it was time to reward the surviving war heroes. Only then did the atmosphere become more relaxed and lively.

One by one, the war contributors took to the stage, and the leaders of the three Universal Civilizations consecutively awarded honors. Most of them were military officers, and all the Beyond Grade As had a share. The previous Revivors who had transferred to the Supers Holy Land also received different Medals of Honor. Even the Super Star Cluster Alliance, which normally could only be bystanders, also received different medals.

The three Universal Civilizations had expressed their sincerity. They did not talk about factions today, only about merits.

Lagi actually wanted to express himself freely, but when he felt Han Xiao's gaze on him from where the latter sat, he obediently followed the speech prepared for him.

This segment lasted for a long time, and it was finally Han Xiao's turn.

Marbruce coughed and said brightly, "In the World Tree War, Black Star made too many contributions and provided us with a large amount of intelligence. In the end, he turned the tables and gave us the opportunity to end the war in advance. His contributions are irreplaceable. All the members of the Galaxy Civilization General Council unanimously decided to award Black Star the Galaxy Medal!"

Pa pa pa!

Everyone applauded loudly. Black Star's reputation in the Lawful Faction was already off the charts, and almost everyone was sincerely congratulating him.

When dealing with the Intelligent Plague, Black Star had already received a Galaxy Medal, and now he had received a second Galaxy Medal. The Galaxy Medal was the highest honor in the galactic society, and it would not be given a second time. However, Black Star was the only person who had received it twice, and he had already created history. However, they were not surprised at all. Black Star deserved this honor. Other than the Galaxy Medal, there was no other award that could match his contribution.

Amidst the applause, Han Xiao stood up calmly and walked onto the stage.

"Thank you for your contribution to the galactic society," Marbruce said sincerely.

On the other hand, Louis and the Pope patted Han Xiao's arms to show their closeness. Han Xiao would not refuse to give them face in such a situation. He nodded and received the Galaxy Medal from the three Universal Civilizations' leaders.

According to the usual practice, the person who was awarded the award had to give a speech. Han Xiao had prepared a speech long ago, and it was all just for show.

He walked to the podium and was about to speak when he suddenly paused.

Countless lights flashed in front of his eyes, and countless galactic residents were looking at him from behind the screen. The guests around him quietened down and stretched their necks. The faces of the different races were filled with the same anticipation and hope. They held their breaths and waited for him to give a long speech.

Seeing this, Han Xiao was a little dazed. He looked down at the medal on his chest and subconsciously rubbed it.

He hesitated for a few seconds and gave up on the long speech. He shook his head and said in a solemn voice.

"...I hope that there will be no more wars in this universe. I hope for universal peace."

The venue hesitated for a moment, waiting for Han Xiao to continue. However, Han Xiao nodded at the crowd after he finished speaking. Seeing this, the people present all applauded.

The process was carried out step by step. After Marbruce's impassioned speech about 'looking to the future', the ceremony finally ended smoothly.

The entire galactic society was jubilant. It was as if their souls had been baptized, and they were filled with new motivation for the future. A few days later, in the conference room of the three Universal Civilizations.

"The Star Alliance is still the same as before. According to the spies that were instigated by Black Star, the upper echelons of the Star Alliance believe in their intelligence and are very excited."

"However, we still have to be careful in case the Star Alliance sends out new spies. If that happens, we'll be exposed." "That's right. Black Star has already informed us. He said that he will disappear for a period of time to revive a batch of Beyond Grade As in the Sanctum. We have to be careful during this period. Don't let the Star Alliance see through our trick."

The three of them discussed softly. Black Star would not be able to helm the Supers Holy Land for the time being if he went to the Sanctum, but the three of them did not have any other thoughts about him. They were only worried that the Star Alliance would see through their plan if Black Star was not around.

"After more than half a year of recuperation, the army has recovered a little, but the loss of Supers is quite severe. There's no way to compete with the Supers Holy Land. Sigh..."

"However, Black Star said a few days ago that he was willing to develop the Sanctum with us in the future. I wonder if he's lying."

The three of them were confused.

Now that Black Star had the upper hand and his position was stable, there was no need for him to share the information about the Sanctum with them. They did not know what Black Star was planning.

"I don't think so," Marbruce said hesitantly. "The Sanctum Revival is an important trump card of Black Star's, so how can he share it with us? If he really did that, he definitely has a bigger plan."

Louis shook his head. "Let's not talk about him for now. It's more important to deal with the Star Alliance. Although they have fallen into our trap, we can't hide it forever. The more time passes, the more suspicious they will be. When do you think it's better to take action?"

The Pope pondered for a moment before saying, "The galactic society can't take another round of war. If we act rashly, the praise we have now might turn into criticism... I think we should at least wait for the galactic society to stabilize for three to five years before we act. Anyway, time is on our side, so there's no need to rush. Let's wait until we recover." The three of them discussed plans on when to start a new war.

Half a month later, somewhere in the Supers Holy Land.

Han Xiao floated in the universe without anyone around him.

He had already spoken to the three Universal Civilizations and the Supers Holy Land. He would enter the Sanctum today and begin his plan to increase his authority.

In the inner space, the World Tree moved slightly, materializing a Sanctum Key and quickly burning it. The next moment, a ray of light shot out from his palm and turned into the light door of the Sanctum in the universe before him.

“I hope this plan works...” Han Xiao calmed himself down and flew in. His body was gradually engulfed by the light.

### **Chapter 1448 New Secret and Different Paths**

It was the familiar tunnel of light again, and the familiar blur...

After some time, Han Xiao regained clarity.

Han Xiao’s vision suddenly became clear. Looking around, he could still see the familiar scene of the First Sanctum. The white world was endless, and countless light spheres floated in it, these were the Information Form collective body that recorded information of Iterations.

“It’s still blurry, but it’s a little lighter than before...”

Han Xiao was no stranger to this feeling. After all, he had been here many times and was already a frequent visitor. He looked down at the back of his hand. The Sanctum mark was shining brightly, one level higher than last time.

“Let’s revive those unlucky fools first.”

Han Xiao did not waste any time. He skillfully sacrificed the mediums of the Beyond Grade As that died and activated the Sanctum Revival function.

Very soon, rays of light appeared out of nowhere and gathered from all directions, forming a Sanctum revival mark that floated in front of Han Xiao.

Han Xiao pointed with his finger, and the Sanctum revival mark seemed to turn into liquid. It flowed along with his finger and stopped on the back of his hand, turning into a complicated tattoo. He extended his consciousness into it and checked on the reviving targets. He confirmed that all the people on the Soul Comfort Monument were inside.

After doing this, Han Xiao let out a sigh of relief. He calmed himself down, brought out the Sanctum’s message board, and looked at it.

His authority in the First Sanctum had increased once again, and more content appeared on the message board compared to the last time. Han Xiao compared it according to his memory and saw the records of Celestial Star Alliance in the fifth last paragraph. Only then did he focus and look at the last paragraphs carefully.

The last four paragraphs were the ones with the most empty content. He had read them twice in the past, but he had only obtained two pieces of valuable information. One was the ‘Information Form Stripping Plan’ mentioned in the fourth last paragraph, and the other was the last paragraph which indicated the continuation of the previous Iteration’s plan. It mentioned some ‘unknown device’ and ‘control terminal’.

This time, Han Xiao realized that some of the content in the last four messages had been filled up. There were some messages that he was concerned about in the second last and last paragraph. [... transformation plan failed, but the principle has been proved to be feasible. The reason for the failure is that there is no crucial true-state medium to establish connection with

needs to be improved next time. The Information Form Materialization device has been manufactured and loaded into the template, which may cause information alienation in the process of and present in the following in the form of 'distorted' unknown...) — was the message in the second last paragraph.

[... The existing true-state mediums are not enough to complete the transformation plan of the previous iteration. We need deeper

connection to build a stable bridge... We decided to add a control terminal in the Information Form Materialization device to reduce the processing cost of the Information Form Materialization device...] — was the message in the last paragraph.

“Hmm, this...”

Han Xiao's eyes sparkled.

The second last message was from the 'previous iteration' written in the last message. Looking at the content, the latter had inherited the former's plan.

The 'unknown device' and 'control terminal' mentioned in the last paragraph had also been unlocked. They were the 'Information Form Materialization device' created by the iteration who left the second last message.

In addition, these two pieces of information threw out a new concept, 'True State'. Han Xiao was secretly surprised. With his current level, there were very few things that he did not understand at the technological level. It was actually his first time seeing this term.

Han Xiao tried to use the term 'index function' with the Sanctum authority, but the Sanctum mark did not respond. Generally speaking, the index function could only be activated by a precise search of a single iteration or the civilization's name.

“Looks like I have to continue to farm for more authority and unlock the civilization names of the last four messages.” Han Xiao nodded to himself. The name of the civilization mentioned in the last four messages was still empty, and he did not have the authority to check it.

After memorizing this information, Han Xiao closed the message board and began to search for technological information in the First Sanctum.

Although he had yet to finish researching his gathered resources and was not lacking in technology, he was already here... After his clearance to the Sanctum increased, the upper limit of his memory capacity also increased. After quite some time, Han Xiao finally filled up the capacity and returned with a full load. He did not stay any longer and opened the Sanctum channel to leave.

After passing through the tunnel of light again, Han Xiao's body suddenly felt lighter, and he had already returned to the main universe. The Sanctum's light gate behind him disappeared.

Han Xiao opened his communicator. Only thirty days had passed.

“The flow of time is getting closer. The next time will probably only take twenty days.” Han Xiao’s eyes sparkled.

The message board of the Sanctum seemed to be universal, and it was the same no matter which Sanctum it was. Therefore, he only needed to focus his firepower on gaining authority in one Sanctum. If he increased authority in all the Sanctums together, it would take many years. Han Xiao thought about it, changed into King, and teleported to the main planet of the Supers Holy Land. He flew to the huge square where all the Beyond Grade A statues were placed.

At this time, the square was bustling with activity, and there was an endless stream of people. They were all Supers from all over the world. Upon seeing Han Xiao arrive, they were stunned for a moment before being pleasantly surprised.

“Look, it’s Black Star!”

“It’s the real deal!”

“I’m your admirer. Can you give me an autograph...” The pedestrians were excited, and they swarmed over like crazy fans. Among the Supers, Black Star was almost everyone’s idol. At least eight out of ten Supers were his worshippers, no different from a great personage. Han Xiao smiled at them and waved his hand. A gentle breeze blew, and an invisible force field spread out, covering an area like a transparent barrier, blocking all the pedestrians.

The pedestrians who were further away also heard the commotion and came over. There was a sea of people outside the barrier, and very soon, they formed layers after layers. They looked at Han Xiao curiously and guessed the reason for his appearance.

Han Xiao did not explain anything and activated the Sanctum revival mark. Rays of light surged and condensed into balls of light, gradually turning into the bodies of the Beyond Grade As that had died.

The reason why he displayed it in front of the public was to let the public see the actual scene of the Sanctum Revival and increase the attractiveness of the Supers Holy Land. This was a plan that he had come up with during the meeting a few months ago. In the future, the Sanctum Revival would be carried out publicly. Before farming the Sanctum authority, Han Xiao planned to revive these unlucky fools first. On one hand, he wanted them to return as soon as possible, fulfilling his promise.

On the other hand, he wanted the three Universal Civilizations and the other organizations to see that his time in the Sanctum was shortened, telling them that he could return at any time. Although those annoying people might not have other intentions, Han Xiao felt that it was best to avoid this possibility, lest these advanced civilizations felt that he had disappeared for too long and wanted to cause trouble again.

Very soon, the light in the square solidified, and under everyone’s gaze, this batch of dead Beyond Grade As revived with confusion on their faces.

“Haha, I’m alive again. Praise Black Star!”

“Where is this? Why haven’t I seen it before?”

“What era is it now? Has the World Tree War ended?”

The group of revivors looked around curiously before their eyes landed on Han Xiao.

“Alright, the war is over. We won. Ask Aurora and others about the details.”

Han Xiao waved his hands casually. This was not the first time these people had revived. The advantage was that he did not have to explain the situation from the start.

He turned to look at Dylan and said, “I’ve fulfilled my promise and allowed you to regain your freedom. You’d better keep a low profile in the future. Otherwise, if others want to kill you again, I won’t stop them.”

Dylan’s face twitched.

Restoring his freedom should have been a happy thing, but Dylan felt a little weak.

When he was the Hero Spirit of the Underworld, he did not have to worry about anything, so he was even more unrestrained in his words. He let himself loose and scolded whoever he wanted, and he offended many people.

Other people could not be bothered to argue with a ‘dead person’ like him, but now that he was alive, if they came to settle the score, he would suffer heavy losses...

For some reason, Dillon felt a little reluctant to part with the feeling of being an Underworld Spirit...

Han Xiao did not say much to the others. He turned around, teleported, and disappeared. Without the force field barrier, countless pedestrians swarmed over. These revivors did not understand the situation and almost drowned in the sea of people. They quickly rose into the sky and left.

Halfway through the flight, Aurora, who had already noticed the commotion, arrived with a group of Beyond Grade As on the main planet to welcome the revivors.

“Congratulations on reviving. Come with us to understand the situation,” Aurora said. Ever since she was elected as the second-in-command of the Supers Holy Land, she had been maintaining a big sister attitude, as if this would give her some ‘prestige’ bonuses. However, in the eyes of the Beyond Grade As who had the first impression of her, she was still cute and adorable. Even if Aurora deliberately put on an elegant and dignified appearance, it did not have any deterrence at all.

The revivors nodded and followed Aurora toward the core building of the Supers Holy Land.

Just as Dylan was about to follow, he suddenly felt a hot and vigorous bloody intent coming from the side. Two thick, firm, and flexible muscles clamped his arm like a huge mouth. At the same time, his shoulder was grabbed by someone, and waves of enormous strength were transmitted, grabbing him tightly and not letting him move.

Dylan turned around and saw Sierron appearing beside him. Sierron put his arm around his shoulders and leaned over with a wicked smile on his face. “Yo, you’re finally alive. Come over here. We have a bunch of guys who want to have a good chat with you.”

Dylan turned around stiffly, only to see a group of Beyond Grade As staring at him with a teasing look in their eyes.

Gulp...

Dylan swallowed a mouthful of saliva, and cold sweat appeared on his back.

As the saying went, it was easy to go from frugal to extravagant, but it was difficult to go from extravagant to frugal. At this moment, Dylan realized that being a Hero Spirit was indeed more 'comfortable'...

Han Xiao only appeared for a short period of time. After completing the Sanctum Revival, he immediately opened the Sanctum again and started the process of farming his authority.

Currently, the matters of the Supers Holy Land were all being managed by Aurora and the Elders Association. The external environment was very stable, so his disappearance did not have much of an impact.

As the days passed, it was finally time for Kasuyi to set off. Most of the Beyond Grade As respected this comrade of theirs and they all came to see him off on the day he left.

After the battle with the World Tree, most of them had become comrades and their relationship was much better than before. As for Kasuyi, who was kind to others, he was quite popular. At the dock of the Supers Holy Land, a long-distance spaceship with the highest technologies was docked. The hatch opened. Kasuyi and Oathkeeper had already packed their things. They stood in front of the gangway and said their goodbyes.

"The unexplored universe is filled with unknown dangers. The two of you must be careful," Aurora said on behalf of everyone.

Kasuyi smiled and said, "It's alright, we have Black Star to back us up anyway... Haha, it's just a joke. With our abilities, we won't fall into danger so easily."

"If you guys go, you probably won't come back for a long time. There will be no news of you. Sigh... I won't be able to find you to play cards anymore." Kant was a little sad. "It's fine. Our Supers Holy Land may not have much of anything else, but we do have many card players." Kasuyi shook his head and smiled.

At this moment, Manison walked forward and patted Kasuyi's shoulder. He did not say much and simply said, "Goodbye, old friend. Have a good journey."

"Thanks. I also wish you success in your seclusion." Kasuyi stopped smiling and nodded.

Not counting Black Star, his relationship with Manison was actually the best among everyone. The two of them had known each other for hundreds of years, and they were old acquaintances.

Most of the people who saw off Kasuyi were Beyond Grade As of the current era. On the other side, Oathkeeper was surrounded by the first batch of revived Primordial Ones of the Holy Accord.

"Back then, we made the Holy Accord together, and our comrades died one after another. You are the only one who has lasted till now. None of us expected you to really complete this work." "It's been hard on you all these years. If not for you, we would still be sleeping."



“Although you did not reveal yourself in our active era, we now know that you might be the best among us.”

Many Primordial Ones sighed.

Oathkeeper was expressionless. He waved his hand and said, “Let’s not talk about the past. I’m just fulfilling the promise I made back then. There’s nothing worthy of praise... Unfortunately, although we’ve really achieved our wish and successfully revived in the future, the era no longer belongs to us.”

Beiger sighed and said with a reluctant tone, “Sigh, no matter what, we are still grateful for your actions. When you miss us, take a look at the Primordial Ones card set that we gave you. This is the first-generation discontinued card set that we ‘kindly’ requested from the Wayne Card distribution group headquarters...”

“I will keep it well.” Oathkeeper was speechless, but his usually serious face still revealed a smile that was hard to notice.

After bidding farewell for a while, Kasuyi and Oathkeeper looked at each other.

“Let’s go.”

The two of them nodded at everyone before boarding the spaceship.

Buzz

Everyone watched as the spaceship slowly began to move. It glided along the orbit and took off into space. With a sudden acceleration, it disappeared into the depths of space, leaving only a trail of flames behind.

Manison retracted his gaze and left without saying goodbye.

He decided to enter a long period of seclusion from today onwards. He would isolate himself from the rest of the world and focus on his research.

Compared to taking shortcuts, he preferred to rely on his own intelligence, and this had never changed.

At the same time, in the Temple of Ten Thousand Gods. A fleet was already ready.

“Your Excellency Wuornos, have you decided? Are you really going to the unexplored universe?”

The priests surrounded him with complicated expressions.

“I’ve already discovered that the key to the path ahead is hidden in the depths of space.”

Wuornos looked at the galaxy with deep eyes.

Just a few months ago, he finally dug out his hidden perception and sensed the location of the Beyonders’ Vestige in the galaxy. Like the bright Venus, it guided him from afar.

In the end, he decided to follow his intuition and leave the explored universe, heading to the unknown area to search for the opportunity to enter the Transcendent Grade. “In that case, we will respect your choice... The Pope told us to specially send a message. He said that he hopes when you return, you can become the first direct descendant to become a Transcendent.”

“Tell him that he will get what he wants.”

Wuornos replied calmly and walked into the spaceship.

The next moment, the Arcane Church fleet slowly set off, heading toward the unknown.

### **Chapter 1449 We Are People Who Have Experienced Tumultuous Times**

Supers Holy Land, in a certain lifeless sector.

A ball of colorful energy floated in space, its shape changing unpredictably, like a cloud being kneaded by an invisible force. All kinds of high-energy particles flowed through it, like electrical signals being released during neuron activity. The entire energy ball was like a small nebula-shaped energy field brain.

Evans floated in the middle with a serious expression, carefully controlling all kinds of energy to perfect this nebula brain.

However, all of a sudden, the energy nebula started to expand uncontrollably, and the neural bridge that was built from all kinds of energy collapsed.

Just as the energy nebula was about to explode, Evans’ Esper Ability Domain opened up. The violent energy suddenly stabilized and quickly shrank, turning into a dazzling light sphere the size of a human head before being absorbed into Evans’ body.

“Sigh, I failed again...”

Evans sighed in helplessness.

Ever since he witnessed the battle between Transcendent Grade Supers, he had always felt that his strength was insufficient. He had been driven ever since to pursue that unbelievable power.

Originally, after the war ended, everyone had started to take a break, but Evans was one of the few people who did not relax and had been busy developing his Esper Abilities.

On one hand, his motivation was his own pursuit, and on the other hand, Evans still remembered Black Star’s high hopes for him. He was not willing to waste his hard-earned potential and wanted to reach Black Star’s level.

On the other hand, EsGod was very glad about this. He thought that Evans was keeping his promise to help him beat Black Star up and always taught him things to guide Evans in his cultivation.

“I hope to increase my strength as soon as possible. His Excellency Black Star told me that he hopes I will be the main pillar of the Supers Holy Land in the future. I cannot disappoint him...”

Evans clenched his fists and encouraged himself.

Just as he was about to give it another try, he suddenly sensed something and looked in a direction.

The stream of light approached, and a spaceship arrived in hyperdrive, hovering not far away. A burly figure flew out. It was Karlot. “Eh, so it’s you. I was wondering why there was another high-energy reaction zone in our territory.”

Karlot was surprised to see Evans and took the initiative to talk to him. "Er, hello." Evans hesitated for a moment before nodding

Although the two of them were both members of the Black Star Army, they did not interact much with each other. They only knew each other's basic situation and could only be considered as colleagues.

"What are you doing here?" Evans was curious.

"I was looking for an extreme environment to temper my body. The spaceship sensed a high-energy reaction, so I came over. So, you were training. No wonder."

"Oh, I see..."

The two of them were not familiar with each other, so they bit the bullet and chatted for a while. When they realized that there was nothing to talk about, they gradually fell silent.

However, neither of them left. The atmosphere slowly became strange.

When the two of them were in seclusion, they had always thought that they were the only seeded players who had received special treatment from Black Star. However, after leaving the mountain, they were surprised to find out that they were not the only ones. Such a relationship made the two of them have strange thoughts about each other. On one hand, they were curious about the other party's background, and on the other hand, they were curious about what Black Star saw in the other party... This mentality was akin to two top students in a class receiving special treatment from their teacher, and they subconsciously felt competitive...

After a long time, Karlot coughed and broke the silence.

"How about... We spar?"

"...Sounds good."

Evans and Karlot's eyes met in midair, and sparks seemed to fly.

Black Star Army headquarters, Fleet Commander's Office.

Herlous sat on the sofa with his legs crossed. He looked at the Sunilian in front of him and pushed the wine glass on the table.

"Drink some?"

"No need, Your Excellency Herlous."

Herlous did not mind. He sized up the Sunilian and nodded.

"You must be the Sunil leader of this generation. Not bad, not bad. The previous leader mentioned you to me before. He said you're very smart and capable."

"You flatter me." The leader nodded.

The Sunilians were Herlous' race. Ever since the rise of the Black Star Army, Herlous, as the earliest elder, had a lot of authority, and he provided many resources to the race.

Therefore, every generation of Sunil leaders would come to visit him. This generation was no different.

“Since you’ve become the leader, do your best.”

Herlous encouraged and looked at the young Sunilians behind him. He raised his brows.

“These are...”

“Your Excellency Herlous, these are a few young men with potential among my immediate family. They wish to enter the Black Star Army to train. Please take care of them,” the Sunil leader said respectfully.

Herlous sized up the few of them, and the youths immediately stuck out their chests and raised their heads nervously.

Seeing this, Herlous shook his head and said, “The army has changed its leader, and Nero is now in charge. However, the standards are still as strict as ever. I can make them official members, but whether they can climb up will depend on their own abilities.”

“Thank you, Your Excellency.” The Sunil leader bowed. Herlous waved his hand, indicating that there was no need for formalities. After a pause, he suddenly changed the topic. “From now on, leaders of your generation should stop visiting me. You should be more independent. You should leave me out from now.”

The Sunil leader’s body trembled slightly, and his expression was complicated. However, he did not say anything, lowered his head, and left with his men.

After the group left, another person walked in. It was Sylvia. She had been eavesdropping outside for quite some time. “Not bad. You’ve finally decided not to use your position for personal gain,” Sylvia teased.

“Nonsense. I’ve always been thinking about the army.” Herlous rolled his eyes.

“I was just joking. However, I’m very curious. Why aren’t you helping the race anymore?” Sylvia blinked.

“They can’t always rely on me, or else they will become dependent sooner or later. After close to a hundred years, the habits that have been cultivated from generation to generation have already started to show signs of this. I can’t just ignore it.” Herlous shook his head and said with a deep voice, “Furthermore... Black Star was able to tolerate me in the past, but now that the authority has changed hands, I have to be sensible in the future.”

Sylvia curled her lips and did not speak. She stood in front of the window with her hands behind her back and looked at the bright galaxy outside. Suddenly, she sighed and muttered,

“In the blink of an eye, it’s been a hundred years...”

Herlous also turned to look out the window and sighed. “That’s right, it’s been a hundred years... We actually followed Black Star to this point. Sometimes, it feels like a dream. If Black Star had not invited me back then, I might have spent the rest of my life in my own little pub.”

“If I hadn’t met him...” Sylvia’s tone paused, and she shook her head. “Maybe I would have died in some corner of the universe long ago. The life we have now is not something we can hope for...”

The two of them looked out of the window quietly and did not speak anymore. They quietly savored their memories.

In this peaceful era, time passed even more silently. In the blink of an eye, another few months passed.

On this day, in the conference room of the three Universal Civilizations.

“Recently, the direct Beyond Grade As have been restless. The expansion of the Beyond Grade As is too shocking.” “Thankfully, Clotti, Oulou, and the others have stabilized the situation. Otherwise, the direct line of descent might have turned to the Supers Holy Land.” The leaders of the three Universal Civilizations sighed.

The Supers Holy Land had broken the old structure. As the original beneficiaries of Supers, they naturally could not feel comfortable, but they could only silently endure the waves of impact.

“Speaking of which, Black Star did not appear during this period of time. Hasn’t he already completed the Sanctum Revival? What has he been busy with recently?” The Pope was curious.

“Who knows? Anyway, I can’t get any information.” Marbruce was helpless.

“It’s not a good idea for him to disappear for so long. If the Star Alliance sends in a new infiltrator, and Black Star happens to not be around, we might get exposed.” “Speaking of which, if Black Star is willing to help, as long as he controls the leader of the Star Alliance, we will be able to win easily. It’s a pity that he doesn’t want to help.”

“Heh, with Black Star’s personality, there’s no such thing as an absolute deal. I think the price is not enough. As long as some conditions are made, he should still agree.”

“That makes sense, but he has a huge appetite now. We have to think of a way to convince him...”

Just as the three of them were discussing how to pull Han Xiao to help with the Star Alliance a remote projection suddenly appeared in the room. It was Han Xiao. The three of them were shocked. “Black Star? You... you’re back. Why didn’t you inform me...” Marbruce was halfway through his sentence when he suddenly realized something. He frowned and said with dissatisfaction, “Hey! Did you hack into the Dynasty’s database again?”

Han Xiao ignored Marbruce’s dissatisfaction and looked at the three of them with a strange gaze.

“I’m here to share the information of the Sanctum. We can develop it together. If you’re not happy, I’ll leave.”

The three of them were stunned.

“Are you serious? Are you really taking us to develop the Sanctum?”

Louis’ tone was filled with doubt and disbelief. He had thought that Black Star was joking.

Han Xiao nodded but suddenly changed the topic.

“But before we work together, I have something to tell you... Don’t be afraid of what I’m about to say...”

“Afraid?”

The Pope found it funny and did not think much of it.

“We’ve even experienced an enemy like the World Tree. What else can we be afraid of? Just tell us. We’ve seen all kinds of storms. We won’t be scared.”

Han Xiao raised his brows with a playful expression.

### **Chapter 1450 I gradually understand everything**

“Alright, what I’m going to say next is the truth about the transition of the entire universe. It’s more important than anything you’ve experienced in the past and present. I’ll say this in advance. If you have any schedule later, clear it all.”

Han Xiao saw the look of disapproval on their faces and shook his head.

“The truth of the universe?”

The three of them looked at each other. Seeing that Han Xiao did not seem to be joking, they could not help but be skeptical.

Han Xiao snapped his fingers and summoned a virtual screen that was playing the virtual image of the birth and death of the universe. He then explained, “When the universe comes to an end, everything will return to nothingness. The phenomena like the heat death of the universe and the Big Crunch are the result of many scientists’ guesses or foreseeing of the universe. All kinds of signs and experiments show that these are all very likely to be the correct doomsday models, but this is only under normal circumstances... The direction of our universe does not follow the most primitive laws of nature. Long ago, our universe was modified by a final civilization, and the fundamental laws of the Information Form changed. On the day of the end of our universe, what awaits us is not the heat death of the universe or the Big Crunch, but a phenomenon called the Great Reboot.”

“The Great Reboot?”

The three of them were confused.

It was not that the scientific research community did not have similar speculations, but it was not the mainstream theory. Without conclusive sources, most of the evidence came from unknown items created by the information state disturbance. For example, the Virtual Mutiny Virus from back then was suspected to be from a civilization before the Great Reboot. However, it was not enough to be ironclad evidence, because it was not certain if it was an earlier civilization or a civilization from the unexplored universe. Thus, Marbruce and the other two were not unfamiliar with this term. They were only confused as to why Han Xiao was so certain of the existence of the Great Reboot. Han Xiao looked at the three of them and said slowly,

“The ‘Great Reboot’ I’m talking about is different from what you guys understand... The final civilization’s modification of the underlying laws of the universe has caused the universe to deviate from the laws of the natural end. Therefore, the time of the end has been brought forward by a lot, and every Great Reboot is a brand new Iteration. New civilizations reproduce in the universe that has returned to zero. However, due to the shortening of development time, the strength of each of the iteration civilizations is infinitely lower than the Final Civilization that had initially established the Great Reboot.”

“So, this is bad news?” Marbruce pondered. “If that’s the case, all civilizations will develop from the

beginning, and no one will be able to survive the end of the universe and reach the so-called... what did that popular phrase say, transcend worldliness?"

Han Xiao shook his head and said, "This is the main point I want to talk about. Although the Great Reboot causes the universe to return to zero, things from different Iterations will be passed down to the new Iteration through special means, and this medium is the Sanctum that all of you are longing for."

The three of them were stunned.

Han Xiao continued, "The initial goal of the final civilization to modify the universe was to continue their civilization through a reboot. They failed, but it was not a waste of effort. The Sanctum was their legacy. It was originally a reserve storage for life tinders, but a special Information Form Mutation appeared during the changes of the Iterations and became the Sanctum today. This is the only thing that is known to not disappear during the Great Reboot.

"The purpose of the Sanctum is to store the Information Form state of the development of every Iteration, and during each Great Reboot, a portion of Information Form will be randomly integrated into the new iteration of the universe. Therefore, when the universe is rebooted, it will not be completely zero. Instead, its underlying laws will constantly undergo changes in the Iterations. In this way, the achievements of each iteration will be passed down to the later iterations. For example, the current secondary dimension world is the inheritance of a past Iteration and not a natural phenomenon."

"So, you're saying that... the universe we're living in now is not the most primitive universe but a world that has been changed countless times? The Sanctum is equivalent to a... uh, processor?" Louis probed.

Han Xiao nodded. "More or less. Generations of civilizations treated the Sanctum as a way to get through the Great Reboot, so the Sanctum continued to develop all kinds of new functions. The Sanctum Revival is just one of them. The most important thing about the Sanctum is that it stored all the information of the Civilizations of the earlier Iterations, as well as their last words before the end of the world, all for future generations to refer to. This is a long relay that spanned countless Iterations, just for someone to break this cycle one day." Hearing this, the three of them were shocked. Although Han Xiao's tone was very calm, when they thought of the scene of generations of civilizations working together toward the same goal, they could not help but be stunned by such a grand undertaking. However, two seconds later, the three of them came to their senses, and their breathing suddenly became heavy.

At this moment, they suddenly realized that if what Black Star said was true, the information stored in the Sanctum would be an immeasurable amount of wealth.

As for Black Star, he could have held onto this wealth alone. If he did not say it, they would never have been able to get a share of it. However, he chose to say it instead of developing it himself. Was he that selfless?

It was precisely because they had thought this through that the three of them were even more shocked. For a moment, they fell silent, silently digesting the shock in their hearts.

After a while, the Pope said hesitantly, "You want to work with us to develop the Sanctum, is it because you want to get through the Great Reboot? Although what you just said is indeed quite shocking, let me

be direct. The so-called Great Reboot should be very far away from us, right? Isn't it too early to worry about this..."

Hearing this, Han Xiao smiled faintly. "You think it's early?"

"Hmm..." Seeing this, the Pope could not help but widen his eyes in shock. "Could it be that the end of our universe is coming, and the Great Reboot is here?"

The other two trembled in shock and disbelief.

"It wasn't easy for us to defeat the World Tree Civilization, and we enjoyed a rare moment of relaxation. I didn't expect..." Marbruce had mixed feelings.

However, Han Xiao shook his head and said, "You're mistaken. It's still too early for us to reach the end of this iteration."

The three of them heaved a sigh of relief.

However, before they could completely relax, Han Xiao suddenly said something shocking, stunning them.

"But you've already been rebooted."

As soon as he finished speaking...

The Pope was stunned.

"What do you mean?"

"Four times." Han Xiao raised four fingers and said slowly, "Our universe has been rebooted four times... In the previous iteration, you guys were the final civilizations. You guys used an Information Form Stripping Plan and successfully passed the Great Reboot, but you did not really enter the new universe of the next iteration. Instead, you guys became a sealed dark universe that cycled and restarted on its own... In other words, you guys have died a few times, but you don't know it yet!"

The three of them were dumbfounded.

During this period of time, Han Xiao had been trying to gain access to the First Sanctum. Every time he went in and out, the time he spent became shorter and shorter. When his access reached level fifteen, the flow of time finally converged. The time ratio of the main universe to the Sanctum was one to one, and the contents of the message board were finally unlocked

At this point, Han Xiao finally understood everything. The messages from the bottom fourth to the last paragraph of the Sanctum were all left by the 'three Universal Civilizations!

The Celestial Star Alliance was located in the fifth last paragraph, and it was the iteration just before the three Universal Civilizations. The fourth last section was the new iteration after the Great Reboot, and the three Universal Civilizations were the final civilizations developed by the new iteration. During that period, there was no such thing as the World Tree. The three Universal Civilizations slowly multiplied, and they finally discovered the Sanctum and learned all the information about iteration.



Because the previous Celestial Star Alliance's plan was very desirable, the three Universal Civilizations inherited it and improved it, forming the 'Information Form stripping plan'.

However, the three Universal Civilizations at that time knew very well that with their accumulation, they did not have the absolute confidence to survive the Great Reboot and did not want to risk it all. Therefore, the true goal of this plan was not to completely overcome the Great Reboot but to buy more time for themselves. They wanted to strip away the Information Form state of the entire universe and try to imitate the operation of the Celestial Star Alliance. They wanted to exist in the secondary dimensions and the dark side of the universe in the New Iteration era and continuously reboot.

However, the difference was that the three Universal Civilizations followed the mindset of the Celestial Star Alliance and made almost perfect improvements. Thus, they successfully peeled out the 'Information Form state' of the entire Iteration and formed a closed dark side universe in the next Iteration. It existed based on the Information Form state and was like a 'virtual' world, 'developing side by side' at a faster time flow. It was like a parallel line, difficult to intersect with the 'real' Iteration's main universe and difficult to interfere with each other.

After Han Xiao found out about the contents of the message board, he sorted out the time relationship. If the Celestial Star Alliance was the first iteration, then the three Universal Civilizations would be the final civilizations of the second iteration. They would activate the information form stripping plan and turn into the dark side universe of the third iteration, and the third iteration would be the true current iteration.

It was also at this point that Han Xiao realized that the Sanctum would not leave any information form empty shells for the current Iteration, and there was no such thing as a 'tombstone'. The three Universal Civilizations and the World Tree Civilization that he saw in the Sanctum were actually the second iteration remains. There was no content inside because they had been 'stripped' and became the dark side universe of the third Iteration.

However, the cycle of the dark side universe was not the same as the Celestial Star Alliance. Instead, it formed a 'small reboot' pattern. The three Universal Civilizations of the Second Iteration used the characteristics of the Sanctum to add new patterns every time the universe was rebooted, allowing the dark side universe to be included in the influence of the Sanctum.

What was different from the 'Great Reboot' was that every 'small reboot' in the dark universe did not return to zero but was formed based on a fixed Information Form state template, which meant that there would definitely be organizations like the three Universal Civilizations. Before the three Universal Civilizations came into contact with the Sanctum, their development trajectories were the same. Han Xiao called this situation 'dark side Iteration'.

Therefore, every time the dark side universe went through a small reboot, there would be an improved version of the dark side Iteration. It was just that there was a chance for 'Information Form Mutation' to occur. The three Universal Civilizations used this method to buy themselves more time, and they obtained more opportunities to test their luck.

However, this plan could not bring about eternity. After some calculations, there was an upper limit to the information form stripping plan. Their dark side universe would only exist in the third iteration at most. If they were to go through the Great Reboot and enter the fourth iteration, then their dark side

universe would disappear... unless they could enter the real iteration main universe from the dark side universe and turn from 'virtual' to 'real'.

Therefore, after the three Universal Civilizations successfully entered the dark side universe, their goal was to break the seal of the dark side universe and return to the real main universe of the third Iteration.

The third last to last messages on the Sanctum's message board represented the three dark side Iterations of the dark side universe. Currently, Han Xiao was in the fourth dark side Iteration, and these four dark side Iterations had all happened during the third Iteration.

Since the Sanctum was not affected by the Iterations, the three Universal Civilizations used the message board of the Sanctum to record the experience of each trial and error. They made 'themselves' of the next dark side Iteration improve the path according to the previous experience, as well as create some key devices to improve the situation of the next dark side Iteration. This was the origin of the World Tree.

The three Universal Civilizations had added an Information Form Materialization device when they were in the second dark side Iteration (second last message), but in the third dark side Iteration, an information form mutation occurred. From a mechanical device, it turned into the World Tree with life force and went berserk... This was what Han Xiao experienced when he was a player in his previous life.

In the end, the three Universal Civilizations of the third dark side Iteration still opened the Sanctum and understood everything. Thus, they left behind the control terminal of the Information Form Materialization device. In the current fourth dark side Iteration, the Information Form mutation occurred and inherited the nature of restraint. But there was a change in its manifestation which became the World Tree's natural enemy, which was also the Pivotal Snake.

On the other hand, in the second dark side Iteration, the three Universal Civilizations had used the Information Form Materialization device that had yet to mutate and failed in the end. They had discovered that the reason was that there was a bridge that lacked the 'True State'. Han Xiao had also figured out the concept of the 'True State', which was actually the Information Form carrier that existed in the true universe.

In other words, the dark side universe had to form an Information Form connection with the true universe. Only by being able to interfere with each other would the Information Form Materialization device work. Therefore, the three Universal Civilizations of the second dark side Iteration launched a plan, trying to change the underlying laws of the next dark side Iteration, causing the two 'parallel lines' of the dark side universe and the true universe to deviate and finally intersect.

In the end, when the third dark side Iteration arrived, the underlying laws of the dark side universe changed, and they successfully projected themselves into 'reality'. They successfully obtained a part of the Information Form carrier of the true universe, which was the existence of 'players'. Through 'log in', these individuals who lived in the true universe turned their 'True State' into 'information form state' and were pulled into the dark side universe to form the Information Form interface. This was everything that Han Xiao and countless players had experienced in his previous life.

However, the World Tree went berserk in the third dark side Iteration. After the World Tree War in his previous life, the three Universal Civilizations obtained the Sanctum pathway from the Holy Accord Organization and learned everything. They inherited the heritage of countless civilizations, and their technology improved by leaps and bounds. At a level that the players could not come into contact with, the three Universal Civilizations came up with a new plan. They gathered the power of civilizations and built the 'control terminal' of the World Tree. At the same time, they lowered the cost of the World Tree going berserk in the fourth dark side Iteration. Other than that, due to the players' version updates, the three Universal Civilizations of the third dark side Iteration felt that the 'True State' bridge was not stable enough, so they decided to spend a lot of resources strengthening the 'True State' connection with the next dark side Iteration.

Because the dark side universe and the true universe had already formed a preliminary Information Form interference, the three Universal Civilizations decided to build a stable interference bridge instead of intermittent bridge-like logins. The only targets they could choose were these individual Information Form records that had already been logged into the dark side universe, so they randomly selected a target to enter the dark side universe completely, forming a stable connection.

As long as this idea was correct, the dark side universe would be able to reverse-transform the 'Information Form state' to the 'True State' through this interference bridge, break free from the seal, and return to the true universe... In a more understandable way, it would be like installing a carrier bag for the so-called 'reality', which contained the entire dark side universe and the entire Galaxy World.

This was the truth that Han Xiao had learned from the Sanctum, and what happened after that was not recorded on the message board.

After knowing all of this, he had a rough guess about what happened after that. He suspected that the reason why he had 'transmigrated' was actually because he had been randomly selected as the 'stable interference bridge' that strengthened the Information Form entanglement between the dark side universe and the true universe.

His own Information Form state had been completely captured, and he had come to this dark universe from the 'reality'. Therefore, his 'real' self had disappeared, and he no longer had any information about himself. He had never seen his other self, who should be a 'player', all these years. Han Xiao suspected that this was the reason.

As for the dark side universe of the fourth dark side Iteration, it caused the time of the true universe to regress by ten years. Han Xiao did not know the reason, but he guessed that it was because the third dark side Iteration had more Information Form interference with the true universe when it was 'capturing' him, which affected the other party's time. However, he did not know if this was a reversal of time across the entire universe or only across a small area. However, from another point of view, this was also proof that the dark side universe used the 'True State' to create Information Form entanglements that could already cause a substantial change to the true universe.

Now, Han Xiao had roughly pieced together all the reasons from the Sanctum records and his own guesses. In his opinion, this series of guesses was more than seventy percent reliable.

Han Xiao hid part of his speculations and explained the secret.

After hearing all of this, only shock and disbelief could be seen on the faces of Marbruce, Louis, and the Pope. They looked at Han Xiao with their mouths slightly open, completely dumbfounded.

“This, this...”

The Pope was dumbfounded.

Although they were the rulers of the three Universal Civilizations and had seen countless storms, the information that Han Xiao had just given them had already exceeded their acceptance range. After a long time, Marbruce turned to Louis and said with hesitation,

“Um... did you understand?”

“I didn’t either...” Marbruce replied blankly.