

Chapter 18: The Final Battle

Ivan was already at the Schwein Hotel. He decides to defeat Uugoh along with Warakia and Araya.

After what just happened in Minnesota, he was that close to beating the Atlanta Falcons. He let himself and Coach Green down. That would have been his and the coach's first appearance in the Super Bowl. People outside the Vikings' organization were becoming suspicious of how he was to go 8 years without receiving a single injury. Later, he was indefinitely suspended from the NFL after he found out he was tested for performance enhancing drugs. Uugoh was able to pick him up; he was able to redeem himself in MageCorps. He didn't pick up him to help MageCorps, he chose him because of his bid for power. This battle was personal for him, Utan, and all the people that lost faith in him as a football player.

Ivan: This all ends here.

Inside, Uugoh and Araya were able to sense his presence. Araya was able to feel something different from Ivan.

Marty: (surprised to see that Utan wasn't able to make it first.) Ivan?

Ivan: Yes, Uugoh.

Marty: It's ok, Araya. Continue and get him out. (looks at Ivan.) I'm not fighting against you, I want Utan.

Ivan: Too bad. (becomes angry at him.) YOU'RE NOT FIGHTING HIM; YOU'RE FIGHTING ME NOW!!!!

Marty was surprised to see him rush over to attack him.

Marty: Whoa. What's up with you, Ivan? I didn't know that you were in a hurry to die. (he kicks him but he didn't feel anything from that attack. He was punched straight in the stomach.) So, he reinforced his body? (vomits blood.) That was a big mistake. (he was sky uppercutted by him.)

Ivan wasn't going to give him a chance to do anything versus Uguh. Araya was able to find out Uguh's weaknesses and comes to his aid. He attacks Ivan only to see that even his arm couldn't penetrate through Ivan's steel defense.

Ivan: It's over for you this time, Uguh.

Marty: Why you - - - don't get too cocky. You haven't beaten me yet.

Araya: He has.

Marty: Araya, how dare you?

Araya: You're just playing right into Ivan's hand, you weakling.

Marty: Why you - - -

Araya: Not to worry; I got something for him.

Ivan senses that aura coming from him. Araya uses this to destroy Ivan, but he was able to evade the attack and dislocated his right shoulder.

Marty: That's impossible. How?

Ivan: I was hoping that you were going to use that caliber of magic. Due to my reinforcement ability, I was able ionize the amount of energy you were able make to increase my power.

Araya: So, that's it? No matter; even if you do defeat us, you still have Zepia to deal with.

Ivan: Even if I do, I'm still going to defeat him and free those two, in the process of defeating you as well.

Marty: Well then. Try it.

Then, someone cuts the chains from Sion and Kilita; it was Nicholas. Then, Utan, Ryougi and Shiki Tohno appeared.

Marty: Utan?

Utan's eyes turned red. He, Shiki, and Ryougi were able to cut Araya. The mark made on Araya looked like a star.

Utan: Before you die, tell me again, Araya. Why are you here on this great earth?

Araya: True knowledge.

Utan: Where can I find it?

Araya: Only within ourselves. (he looks at Ryougi and disappears.)

Marty was becoming angry at Utan.

Marty: WHY CAN'T YOU JUST DIE?!!!!!! WHY CAN'T YOU JUST FUCKING DIE?!!!!!!!!!!!!

Utan: (grabs his fist as he tried to punch him in the face.) You're evil. That's why I can't and won't die. (his grip and his aura was being stronger.) I'M HERE BECAUSE OF YOUR INTENTIONS; YOU WERE PLANNING TO RELEASE A DANGEROUS DEAD APOSTLE. THAT'S WHY I CAN'T DIE, UGOH!!!

He defeats Uugoh with the same attack he used to defeat Nanaya. (Gokusatsu Tetsujin Hadouken) Uugoh was knocked off the building by his attack. Everyone saw that from Utan.

Utan: (was upset.)

Satsuki: Utan.

Kilita: (awakens.) Utan? Utan, is that you?

Utan: Kilita?

Utan was happy to see her alive. Out of nowhere, Utan sees Utari attack Kilitia. He was battered by Lancer's last attack on him with his left shoulder broken.

Utan: Utari?!!!

Utari: Surprised to see me?

Utan: No. that was what I expected from you, Utari. You're not that person that'll die easily; I'll change that.

Utari: (gets out the Shroud of Magala.) If I'm going to die, I'm going to take you and your sister to hell along with me.

Satsuki: Leave her alone, Utari.

Then, he had some nails thrown at his body. It belonged to Zeke.

Utari: Zepia? Why?

Komane: Zepia?!!

Utan: Rider, Arcueid, and I felt that presence from him.

Zeke: Yes. Now, I'll make sure that you'll fear it.

Utari: No, Zepia. I want to destroy Utan. We had a deal!!

Zeke: You didn't live up to your end of the bargain; you performed your duties here incompetently.

Utari: No!

Zeke tears Utari limb from limb. Everyone was in shock and disgust. When he was able to devour him, Zeke becomes. It was almost like he was a butterfly coming out. It was an august and repulsive sight. Someone with a cape like Dracula comes out of Zeke, it was him. (Zepia Etlam Oberon)

Zepia: I wonder who will be my next victim.

Zepia eyes in on Kilita and extends his nails to kill her. but Nathan was able to stop him. He was able to penetrate through Nathan; his nails weren't able to reach Kilita.

Sion: Nathan!

Utan comes to see if he was alright.

Nathan: Utan, I'm sorry.

Utan: No, you didn't do anything wrong. You risked your life to protect me and everyone here. Your death won't be in vain.

Nathan: Thank you. (dies.)

Satsuki: Utan. (he punches her in the gut.) Why did you - - - (he sees him eye on Zepia.)

Utan: Take my sister and get away from here. (he releases his aura.)

Zepia: Oh, so you're eager to die?!!

Utan: Of course not; you are.

He fights Zepia within his reality marble. Komane and the others were unable to help him.

Komane: Great.

Satsuki: (notices that Sion was missing.) Where's Sion?

Ivan: She must be in his reality marble.

Satsuki: We have to save her.

Maiya: No. You'll just return back here. If there's anyone capable of defeating Zepia, it's Utan.

Utan was gaining an advantage against Zepia. Becoming overpowered by Utan, he calls Sion to attack him. He forgot that Zepia bit her.

Utan: Zepia, you really are a coward!!!!

Utan rushes over to kill Zepia before she could become consumed by Zepia's bloodlust. It was too late for him; he was stabbed by both Sion and Zepia.

Zepia: I'll make you agree to your death.

Sion: Even if we have to suck your blood dry.

Satsuki: No, Utan!!

Time stopped, Utan sees that he was stuck in place along with Zepia and Sion. He sees that he's in the Elysian Fields.

Utan: Huh? What happened? Where am I? (then, Sion and Zepia disappears.)

Maren: I'm disappointed in you, Utan.

Utan: (thinking silently.) It's that same gray figure. (speaks.) Who are you?

Maren: You should be asking that question. This happens to be your world. Now, he wishes to destroy it along with you.

Utan: No, I can't die. Even if it's just a fantasy or a reality, I'm just a lost odyssey - an outcast to humans. They don't understand freedom - - - not even the Akitsuki.

When he said "Akitsuki" every female that was in the Elysian Fields was looking at Utan.

???: Why do you say that?

He sees that it was the Akitsuki. He was in shock as he came to Utan; it was as he was a child feeling her presence.

Akitsuki - The Crimson Moon: This happens to THE True Ancestor. He has the same eye color as Arcueid and his hair was extra long. (Take note that this is a female, here.)

Utan: It's you.

Akitsuki: . . .

Utan: So, it was true. All this time. (he felt guilt for what just said.) I'm sorry, Mother Earth.

Akitsuki: There's no need for you to apologize. Why do you call yourself a lost odyssey? Is it all because of Arcueid - - - you challenged her power and you wish to be her equal?

Utan: No. Everything I've been fighting for caused damage in your name. If you really are Arcueid, I'm - - -

Then, he was stabbed by D-Sakura and Utari from behind.

Utari: That's all I needed to hear. I'll be happy to drink her blood. (laughs.)

Utan: Utari!!

D-Sakura: Why are you holding yourself in contempt? You're afraid that she's going to kill us by our dark desires.

Utan: Shut up!! I - - - I - - - (felt his body becoming weak when he looked into D-Sakura's eyes.) I don't have any - - - I - - - I am - - -

D-Sakura: You're too soft. She doesn't care about you. These people actually want you to go down to earth and be miserable.

Utari: If you're not willing to fight against the Akitsuki and put an end to your fears - - -

D-Sakura & Utari: We'll just take that power away from you.

Their eyes turn red all over like Zepia. Then, Yugri appears.

Yugri: Utan, don't tell me that you're going to be killed by them?

Utan: Grandfather?

Yugri: Yes, it's me.

Utan: Why have you returned?

Yugri: You should be asking these people that question. Why do you fight for them?

Rin: Is it by our recklessness?

Rider: Is by our temptations and appeals?

Ryugi: Is it by our intentions to win but not to lose?

Akiha: Is it fueled by our ambitions?

Saber: Is it by our faith?

Fujino: Is it by our kindness?

Azaka: Is it by our amenability?

Touko: Is it by our hostilities towards evil?

Satsuki: Is it by our mercy?

Arcueid: Is it by our equality?

Komane: Is it by our connection?

Kilitia: Is it within our blood?

Utan: . . .

Idris: You're still fighting with reason instead of your heart. You're letting them down.

Utan: No. You're wrong.

Maiya: Not only that you're letting them down, you're letting the entire world down. You're going to let them take that away from you?

Utan: No. I can.

Maiya: Fight, Utan!

Azaka: Fight, Utan!

Rin: Fight, Utan!

Everyone: FIGHT, UTAN!!

Utan: No. I can; I WILL!!!! (his aura was skyrocketing to a point that Zepia and Sion got off of him and Satsuki was blown away.)

Zepia: What? He still has some power left? How? (feels something inside of him striking fear.) Sion, kill him!!

Sion attacks Utan. He expels the bloodlust within Sion when he was able to get into her soul. He holds a bright red wisp in his hand and destroys it.

Zepia: Why won't you just die?!!!!

Zepia becomes afraid of him. His eyes were like the rainbow of all the gems' colors.

Utan: Vampires like you can't understand. You don't even have a soul to understand how I was able to obtain this power to destroy people like you. This ends here, Zepia.

Zepia: YOU'RE RUINING MY SHOW!!! MY NIGHT!!! IT MUST GO ON!!! (attacks Utan.)

Zepia was becoming weak and was slowly being disintegrated by his aura. He gets out his Jeweled Axe Sword and uses the Kukuro Juji Zan to defeat him.

Utan: Your show's been canceled.

Zepia: How were you able to defeat me?

Utan: Simple, you have something that you've lacked the moment I saw you - - - character. That's what makes everyone in this world different.

Zepia: I lost because of that?! I'll return. You haven't seen the last of me.

Utan: Yes. I'll definitely beat you, as many times as I like the next time I'll see you again.

Zepia: I bet you'll live long enough to see me. I'll be waiting for you. (he laughs when he disappeared.)

Utan: I'll be waiting. (he falls out.)

Everyone was in shock when he defeated Zepia. Arcueid carried him back to Akiha's mansion along with the others.