

Third Hokage - Rui Hyuga

Journeys Fate

Rui Hyuga was born into The Land of Fire, and into the Main Branch of his two brothers, Kato Hyuga and his eldest brother, Jōji Hyuga. He was named a child of prophecy. He would have no right to choose his path and the Hyuga Clan would force upon him punishment and abuse for not being as perfect as they envisioned him to be. Rui had grown up in silence, wanting to change the Hyuga clan as a whole, and find a type of link within the village allowing him to escape the grasp of the Hyuga, a job that could keep him away from them. He found it to be corrupted and started to develop a large hatred for the Hyuga and their ways, waiting to have the opportunity to rewrite the Hyuga clan's history and traditions.

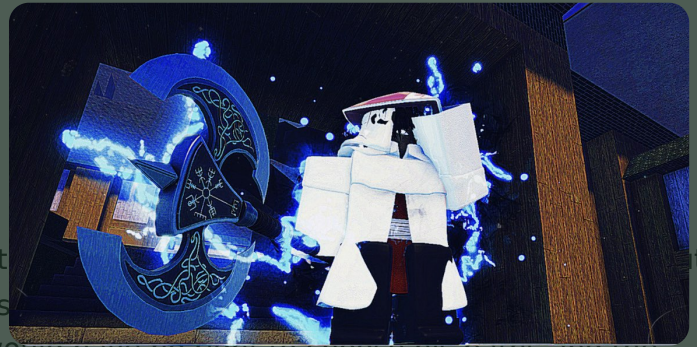
Family Feuds

Rui obtains the title of Jonin even before all of his brethren and hides his philosophy and plans he'd have to change the Hyuga clan for eternity. His father, Matsuya Hyuga had already been prepared to get rid of Rui due to his lack of discipline and respect for the Hyuga clan. Eventually him and his brothers are called upon and a fight breaks out between Rui and his father. Rui Hyuga, as a non-Main Branch member and as an immigrant of Konoha was forced to have the sacred Cursed Seal that many of the Side Branches of Konoha have.

Rui and Matsuya start to clash, Matsuya's skills already dulled with the aging of his body. Rui eventually tells his brothers to leave immediately as they rush out the facility. Rui and Matsuya end up destroying the whole compound during their fight as this was what a fight between Father and Son. Matsuya eventually wears himself out as Rui uses a strange technique that's seemingly self-taught and impales Matsuya in the chest straight through his heart, with no second thoughts. Unfortunately for Matsuya, his eyes couldn't adapt to Rui's speed.

Narukami's Will

During an expedition with [Kumogakure](#), Rui went unconcerned. He woke up to a Battle Axe positioned directly above him, lined up exactly and precisely with his body. The axe begins to explain to Rui how he had been in a state of suspended death for a year in the real world, and that



Personal Details

NAME	Rui Hyuga
BORN	17 B.V.E
AGE	25
KILLS	427
VILLAGE	Konohagakure
QUOTE	"Choose your path, kill or be killed."
STATUS	Alive
LEADERSHIP	
IN OFFICE	8 V.E - 13 V.E
PREDECESSOR	Carter Uchiha
SUCCESSOR	Neru Namikaze

the domain he had arrived in was an interstice between the outside world and the core. Rui tries to ask what the "Core" is, but the Axe just says it's the source of chakra. The Axe introduces itself as "Narukami" a vessel of natural chakra made from the mixture leaking chakra natural chakra and dead shinobi nearby that was forged into a blade. Narukami explains how it needed a vessel to connect to sustain sentience. It explains how chakra is a living thing and that it was able to form a consciousness from the unique circumstances Rui was placed in. Narukami explained the other Shinobi that still lived couldn't control his power in their current state... It explained that the battle axe was forged by an old blacksmith to be used as a potential vessel for natural chakra, but he couldn't find a way to gather it. However, the natural chakra that formed during the expedition and the dying shinobi's chakra mixing gave the axe the ability to finally contain the chakra in the form of lightning. Narukami told Rui that he had bonded with him on a spiritual level, and it could not be undone unless Rui is killed.

The Third Hokage

Years later, Rui had served long lasting years as an Assistant for Lord Second, [Carter Uchiha](#) and the returning Lord First, [Vane Senju](#). He had returned to the Hyuga Clan only to rebuild the compound he once destroyed and killed his father in and restore peace to the Hyuga Clan for now. The Village starts to exponentially get larger, and villages start to fall to rock bottom as the Konoha Empire was established, all had been good, but Vane Senju then goes missing, and unheard from.

Weeks go by, and finally the hidden leaf had chosen a leader, as Rui expected to be appointed next after Vane's disappearance someone else was appointed... Shock Uchiha was named the 3rd Hokage and the village's people suddenly become silent? Whispering and rumors started to spread. Propaganda started to be made, and everyone wondered why Rui hadn't obtained his title. Vane Senju finally makes his return addressing the situation as the true leader was always meant to be Rui Hyuga. An argument starts in the hidden leaf and civilians start to protest for Rui Hyuga to be appointed the real Third Hokage. So of course, battle breaks out between Lord First, Lord Second and Rui vs Shock Uchiha. With a long-lasting battle that seemed to would never end. Shock finally throws the hokage hat to Rui, giving him his position, although leaving Rui silent and observant. Shock Uchiha than disappears rouging from the hidden leaf and Vane Senju formally naming Rui Hyuga the Third Hokage. Slowly but surely his eyes became more lifeless and dull as if the fruitful spirit that lied within him like his eyes were unripened fruits. All that's left, is his cold glowing white stare.

The Splattering of Blood

After the Death of Vane Senju, when all hope was lost and The Will of Fire was snuffed out, a new hope came. Rui Hyuga as passed on the Torch by Vane Senju and ignited the flame once more bringing prosperity and restoring Konoha's power and title of "The Strongest Village." of its time leading arguably one of the best versions of Konoha. During his reign off and on war began between what used to be a strong alliance, Sunagakure and Konohagakure. With a surprising

return of Shock Uchiha conflict had begun. Sprees of killing, murders, and blood were paved all across the Shinobi World.

Eventually, The First Suna-Konoha War had begun. During the battle Rui Hyuga tapped into the upmost perfect version of twin lion fists and built up a large fire inside the people of Konoha with just his words, Konoha being the underdogs of this war progressively started to destroy the competition with the honorable mentions of Rui Hyuga, Dan Hyuga, Shock Uchiha, and Ikari Uchiha showing that they are the true faces of Konoha. Sunagakure eventually retreated with the efforts of Konoha and its Faces of the Village.

Years later, peace had been restored to Mainland or so the Shinobi world thought. Konoha and Sunagakure would create an "Alliance" after the death of Musashi Kurogane and the destruction of the new Iwagakure. Though this was a strong alliance, it wouldn't last long the inevitable repeated itself and the cycle continued. The Second Konoha-Suna war started as conflicted had risen due to Konoha's new improved relations with Iwagakure. Rui Hyuga would wait for his opportunity to strike if his men were struck upon first as he had always gone by. Eventually, Sunagakure had made a move, killing a close friend of Rui's named Renji Kurogane. With this, Konoha fully prepared its launch on Sunagakure ending it once and for all. Battle had begun between Konoha and its group of allies and Sunagakure. Hours upon bloodshed and tear drops, Tall Yome, one of the strongest mainland beings to exist had eventually fallen as Konohagakure claimed his head. With Konoha's actions they avenged the Second Hokage, Carter Uchiha's death and went on to prosper, with this Rui Hyuga would go on to Claim Tall Yome's blade as souvenir and proof of defeating the First Kazekage. Rui Hyuga continues to reign and draws up plans for Konoha's future as one of their biggest threats was out of the picture.



Rui dawning spoils of war

The Fall of the Scarlet King

After generations of prosperity, Konoha faced a new threat—one that had lingered since the days of Vane Senju: the Cult of Kumogakure. Nero Namikaze launched a mission to eradicate the cult once and for all. As Rui Hyuga attempted to pull his men back, the cult was already on the move, and battle erupted. Shinobi fell left and right, including Rui's own family member, Zeno Hyuga. Just when hope seemed lost, Rui tapped into a second wind he called “Mind over Matter.” A white aura surged through his body as he leaped into the fray against two cult members. Instead of retreating, Rui stood his ground, defeating one and forcing the other to flee. His bravery bought precious time for reinforcements to arrive, including his cousin Dan Hyuga and Ni Miyajima, the Tsuchikage. They fought valiantly against Ayaka, who fled as her forces were decimated.

Witnessing the devastation caused by Ayaka and the Kumogakure cultists, especially the abduction of Narukami, Rui resolved to confront the cult head-on, determined to either return victorious or die in battle. Rumors circulated that Ayaka planned to attack Iwagakure in retaliation for Konoha's defense. When Ni Miyajima found himself fighting alone, Rui joined the fray, battling with unwavering resolve on one leg. Despite the odds, he stood tall, inspiring fear in the hearts of his enemies and hope in the souls of his allies. As the battle raged on, Rui gave his final breath, defeated by Ayaka. His last words echoed through the chaos: “Don't Let the Will of Fire Dim.”

Kento Uchiha would retrieve the body of Rui, wearing the armor as homage. He left behind his sister, Dakota Hyuga, his son, Axtra Hyuga, and his cousin, Dan Hyuga. He would also have taught many coming to be prominent shinobi, including Y'mir Yuki. Although many viewed him as a tyrant, he kept his belief true and fought in repentance, to save the family he struggled to protect. Regardless of if he was a Tyrant, he was an honorable one at that.



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