

Unlimited Power - The Arcane Path (Completed)

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While by night, Leon was obtaining combat experience, by the day he was increasing his speed and stamina while trying to learn the Seal spell . Like always, time was something Leon couldn't afford to lose . So, he decided to increase the efficiency of his training . Try to do that while trying to learn a dangerous spell like Seal was a bad idea, but it wasn't when the question was to increase his speed and stamina . So, to increase his speed as soon as possible, Leon decided to run while carrying weights on his legs and arms .

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‘Hello, it’s been a long time . Are you busy at the moment ?’

‘No, I’m more or less free now,’ Leon said and then decided to stop his daily practice to learn Seal .

‘Well, I just contacted you to inform you that the nations of Africa became our allies . We negotiated with them and then accepted the alliance when we sent a few water mages and some magic weapons to help them in the battle against fire monsters . ‘

‘So, until now, they had difficulty against that type of enemy ?’ Leon asked .

‘Yes, just like in North Europe, you found several types of ice monsters, and in Brazil, you found several insect-like monsters, the Africans had a lot of dungeons which spawn fire monsters . ‘

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‘I see... so it’s not only alien technology but the metal used to create the engine is also from another world . ‘ Leon rubbed his chin . ‘Still, that took quite a while for you guys to notice that . ‘

‘Well, the appearance and texture of the engine looked like regular steel, but after doing some tests, we concluded it wasn’t the same . The metal is much more resilient and lighter . ‘

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‘The possibilities are endless, but everything starts once I learn the spell . ‘

Two weeks passed since then, Leon and his friends already got used to the weight of the steel weapons, so they asked for heavy ones . Although Leon had planned to let them rest their muscles for one week, he ended up creating the new weapons since they were so eager for them . It was all because their strength increase by ten points in just a few weeks, and that was something that only happened a long time ago .

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Thank you very much, but you know, it is kind of obvious when you think about it, Leon said . Why would a creature like you help us behind the scenes ? Because you want to use us to make yourself stronger . Just like us, you are from a planet that suddenly got invaded by monsters, you have come a long way since you have the power to travel between planets without relying on the purple crystals . Since I'm not hearing any sound coming from this world, it looks like you also have the power to control time . Still... you are a weakling in the grand scheme of things, that is why you are trying to intervene with humans .

... As expected, I don't like you . The dragonnewt furrowed his eyes . You think of yourself as too smart and never shut up .

Am I wrong ? Leon asked .

... I will leave you alone now for you to enjoy your new environment . The dragonnewt looked at Leon viciously . As much as I want to rip you to pieces myself, I have better things to do . Try not to die too soon .

As if he was a mirage, the dragonnewt slowly disappeared, and then suddenly, things got noisy . Even though Leon was in an alley where there were no mosquitoes, he heard the sound of a thousand mosquitoes buzzing near his ear .

What the heck is this...

Leon covered his ears, but it didnt help him . It looked like the sound was being transmitted by mana . Leon didnt have much time to think about that because the inhabitants of that world started to appear and looked directly at him . They were skinny and shorter than humans, but thanks to Mana Dominion, Leon noticed that they had a lot of mana . They were a lot like humans, but they had a blue gem in their forehead .

I guess they noticed my presence due to my mana... it seems they are not happy to see me .

Leon dropped his guard for a second since they looked like humans, but the stone on their forehead made him understand that wasnt the case . Well, maybe that was the cause since they were looking at him as if he was the alien invader .

While Leon was thinking about what to do, he felt several presences approaching . He didnt see them, but he felt that they had a lot of mana . Even more, than Leon had... it wasnt a good idea to stay and talk .

Leon created some earth under his feet and then started to fly, he had no destination for the time being, but he knew that he wanted to go a place where he couldnt see the inhabitants of that world . However, before he could even start looking for a place, he saw several figures flying and fastly approaching Leon . Those were the people Leon felt the presences...

Tsk... I will have to be a little violent .

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Those three slowed down, and it looked like they didn't have all that much health . Still, Leon could see several other figures coming all over the city toward his direction . That wasn't good, Leon hurriedly looked to all directions, but saw nothing but those colossal skyscrapers . Even though he flew over several kilometers at his top speed, he couldn't see the end of the city .

'Tch... not good... huh?'

Leon frowned when he saw a big cloud in front of him, he wasn't flying that high in the sky... then again, he was in another world, so perhaps that place clouds could appear in low altitudes . However, Leon had to confirm if that was indeed the case, and since he was in a bad spot, perhaps that was the exit he was looking for . Leon approached the ground again while he created a passive steel pillar; he built it rather fast since he didn't have to worry about the shape . He just focused all his mana and then transformed it into steel, a thirty meters long, and two meters wide steel pillar appeared, and Leon fired toward the ground in the middle of an alley . A big impact could be heard miles away, for a second, Leon thought he had dropped a gigantic bomb in the city since a massive wave of dust appeared and covered the whole region . The nearby buildings trembled and even cracked, but Leon paid no mind to it . Ignoring the dust, Leon approached the place his steel pillar hit, and there he saw a hole with no end in sight . In fact, Leon still could sense his pillar falling .

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‘I guess this place also got destroyed by monsters... but the situation here got far worse . I guess the people of this world used some crazy chemical weapons to fend off the monsters . ‘

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