

Unlimited Power - The Arcane Path (Completed)

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Leon looked to the hole and didn't see any sign of someone coming down to chase him . However, the situation wasn't that good . The mist was near the ground, but even in the distance, Leon couldn't see any sign of sunlight . It would be hard to find anything in such place, monsters and dungeons wouldn't be an exception .

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It didn’t take long before Leon could feel his nose burn and then to start to bleed . Even though he had the Poison Resistance, he would die if he breathes that for too long . Fortunately, the nosebleed ended once he activated Regeneration . That being said, the thick smell of something wet and salty was enough to make Leon feel dizzy nonstop .

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Using blasts of wind, Leon managed to find several pieces of metal in all directions . Unlike their current state, it seemed like before the monsters appeared, the inhabitants of that world used metal to build almost everything .

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It was like sweeping under the rug . Regardless, if those guys were smart enough to make their whole population adept of magic to the point where they can create such a humongous city much above the grounds, they must have a reason...

‘No plants or vegetation above and no plants or vegetation below... it is like I’m in a dystopian world . Speaking of which... I wonder what that stone on their foreheads does . It stores vast amounts of mana, or it just amplifies their power?’

Leon was quite interested in why they had that, but once he thought about it, it became kind of obvious that was something they came up with to survive . Either if that stone stored mana or increased their powers, they would have an easy time defeating monsters if that was something they always had . Leon concluded that they implated that in themselves and kind of forced their bodies to evolve... since they divided the world into two parts, it was evident that they did some harsh things to survive .

‘No animals and no monsters so far... no signs of corpses or bones either . It looked like the problems we faced a few years ago; they faced several decades ago . Yeah, I’m wasting time here . I should just fly and occasionally use the wind to show the terrain below me . ‘googletag.cmd.push(function()
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Although Leon could see that he was stepping in some destroyed technologic devices, they were damaged beyond recognition . Besides, it wasn’t like Leon was some kind of genius who would make them work so easily . The chances of him finding something useful were close to none, so it was better to give

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Just when Leon thought of that, he heard the sound of some objects hissing through the air at fearsome speeds . Activating Mana Armor on time, Leon managed to avoid any damage, but the wave of attacks didn't stop . His mana was decreasing at fearsome speed, despite that, Leon had time to see the objects that almost hit him .

‘Stone knives?’

Leon frowned, those easily broke after being hit against his Mana Armor . Besides, they weren't being controlled by Telekinesis . Looking at the directions the attacks came from, Leon fired a wave of wind to dispel the mist, and then he saw them . They had humanoid forms, but they had awesome bodies and bulging muscles . They looked like humans, but all of them were at least two meters tall, and their skin was dark-blue . Leon saw that one had boobs, and the other hadn't... a man and a woman looked at him surprised .

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‘You call them weaklings, but they can kick your ass, right?’ Leon asked .

‘They are weaklings...’ The big guy said . ‘Even though they are stronger and even have the numerical advantage, they used tricks to chase us away and lock us here . They are a bunch of cowards who don’t have what is necessary to survive and always chose the easy way out to solve their problems . ‘

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‘... How do you know that is my goal?’ Leon asked .

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Leon frowned when he heard that, certainly, it wasn’t suspicious in working together, but it was kind of weird hearing something so reasonable from a muscular guy that looked like could crush Leon to bits using a single hand .

You call them weaklings, but they can kick your ass, right? Leon asked .

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‘All right, let’s visit your leader,’ Leon said . ‘But I must warn you, if this is a trap, I will drop a meteor in your camp . ‘

‘I understand . ‘ The big guy said .

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‘Why are you apologizing?’ Leon frowned . ‘I invaded your lands, after all . In any case, can’t you guys escape from the gravity trap? I can’t imagine anyone living a good life down here . ‘

‘It is indeed difficult, but we found a way to escape from the mist,’ Hammath answered . ‘If we try hard, we can jump high enough to escape from those effects, or we can climb the pillars, but none of us know how to fly . So, we can only escape for a few seconds . Besides, if we try to go to the upper world, we will be killed on the spot . ‘

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‘Yes, that is possible . ‘ Hammath nodded . ‘However, we have to consider our natural talents . Warriors like us would have a hard time learning how to fly . Besides, our mana pool isn’t that large . ‘

‘Can’t you just meditate to solve that?’ Leon frowned . ‘You guys can always increase your mana with status points, too, right?’

‘Yes, but it is inefficient,’ Hammath answered . ‘I heard that the people who were alive seventy years ago could increase their mana the way they wanted, but the next generations got influenced by their parent’s status . A son of a

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Although Leon's presence alone was enough to make everyone scared, Ava wasn't doing anything to calm down her friends... Instead, she was nowhere to be seen . Thanks to it, it didn't take long for some armed individuals to appear as if they were ready to fight . Fortunately, Hammath appeared and stopped the guards before they could start a fight . Although Leon didn't react, he was prepared to use his staff because the guards who approached looked far more dangerous than Hammath... Leon concluded that after seeing their eyes . Those were the eyes that had stared at death hundreds of times .

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‘He is a traveler... from another world . ‘ Hammath answered .

‘A traveler who didn’t buy a ticket and didn’t want to travel...‘ Leon sighed and looked away .

‘He doesn’t have the mana crystal in his forehead...‘ The guard frowned . ‘So, the rumors are true... to think one of them would survive the world above...‘

Being stared by eyes full of fear, curiosity, and confusion wasn’t that pleasant . Besides, Leon didn’t have time to waste . So, he stepped forward .

‘I’m in a hurry...‘ Leon said . ‘Where is your leader?’

‘Sorry,’ Hammath said . ‘Is grandfather busy? I want to let Leon talk to him . ‘

‘Today’s meeting just ended . ‘ The guard said . ‘He is free . ‘

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Although the village leader's house was big, it was just because several meetings were held there . The place was wide, but it didn't have anything inside of it, not even chairs . The village leader was just sitting on the lifeless brown ground cross-legged, and his eyes were also closed . As if he was meditating... Regardless, although he was supposed to be seventy years old, Hammath's grandfather didn't look much older than Leon . If he had to guess, Leon would say he was thirty years old . He had some scars here and there, but he had a healthy complexion . Maybe it was because they didn't have much water, but he was bald . But that was the last thing Leon noticed, when he opened his eyes, Leon saw in his crimson eyes, the experience of a veteran of many death battles .

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Leon frowned when he heard those words . He didn't recall doing anything that would endanger Earth . If anything, he was working to avoid that humanity destroys itself... but then again, he never thought about the planet . Considering that mana could make almost everything and was a source of powerful energy, he concluded that his world was safe, but its inhabitants weren't .

'What are you talking about?' Leon frowned .

'Before that, tell me . When the monsters and dungeons appeared in your world?' Gurr asked .

'Are you seriously start this conversation answering a question with another question?' Leon frowned again . '... It happened almost five years ago .'

'Five years... if one of the harvesters brought you here after such a short amount of time, then perhaps your world still has a chance...' Gurr said .

'Listen... mana is a source of energy like no other . It can accelerate the production of food, make living beings stronger, and even prolong the life of those who have it . But there are several downsides to its use... the people of your world will soon learn that .'

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‘It will be easier to understand if I tell the history of this planet...’ Gurr said, grabbed a little of the lifeless earth near him, and let it fall .

That planet was called ‘Miebos,’ and in their language, the word meant ‘grey’... they called it that because a great part of that world was covered in ice . Leon didn’t have time to check, but it looked like the sun of that planet was quite distant from that world . That was why the temperature was low, and a long time ago, ice covered almost everything .

Eight percent of the Miebos surface was made of water . The remaining twenty percent was land... covered in snow . Then a group of people had an idea... the idea was to create their own sun . That happened two hundred years ago, and although at that time their technology wasn’t that impressive, the inhabitants of that world managed to send to space a satellite that could collect vast amounts of solar energy . Then they used it to melt the snow of the planet . Although they could eat meat from the animals of their ocean, it looked like it wasn’t easy to fish in that world, since several creatures inhabited that unknown part of the world . Regardless, their plan had been a success, after getting rid of the snow, they finally obtained the chance to cultivate their lands... and thus, the age of prosperity of Miebos began .

In one hundred and thirty years, the inhabitants of that world progressed so much that they even managed to sent a few astronauts to nearby planets and even created bases there . Science progressed to the point where parents could even decide the color of their children’s eyes... but around the time the first flying cars got popular, the monsters and dungeons appeared .

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‘Out of nowhere?’ Leon asked . ‘Didn’t you guys notice anything weird that may have caused that?’

‘At that time, no . ‘ Gurr closed his eyes . ‘But we noticed later why those creatures and mana appeared in our world . Those appeared at the very moment we begun to run out of natural resources . ‘

Leon frowned when he heard that . Although some people have been discussed over the last decades that that kind of thing would soon happen on Earth, it didn’t look like that had happened five years ago . Then again... Leon lived in a rich country, and his family was reasonably well-off . So, even if that kind of problem appeared in several parts of the world, it would take a while for him to notice that .

When the monsters appeared, Gurr was a member of the police force of the capital of the world . Surprisingly, even though the land was quite vast, there was only one country, and coincidentally, the destroyed city Leon saw before was the devastated capital . Although the place was several decades ahead in terms of technology in comparison to Earth, it didn’t last more than a few days when dragons attacked .

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‘Yes, the same thing happened here . ‘ Gurr nodded .

‘Did the dragons disappear after a while?’ Leon asked .

‘Yes,’ Gurr answered .

‘Do you know why?’ Leon asked .

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'Well, that does make sense... the dragons I saw were only beasts that craved for destruction . They weren't that smart, but if they become smart like humans... is that dragonnewt an evolved dragon or son of one ?'

That was probably the case, that guy transported Leon to another world instead of getting rid of him . Considering his behavior, it was because he couldn't, nor because he didn't want it . That means the dragonnewt could only act in that world under some restrictions... while the harvesters couldn't . As for why Leon had no idea... but he was pretty sure that guy was supposed to be way stronger than the harvesters .

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‘Yeah... so you are saying that mana in the worlds can create places like wormholes and connect distant worlds?’ Leon frowned . ‘That is crazy, but...’

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Leon had no idea how many people lived in Miebos, so it was hard to know if the Earth had more or less than forty years before the harvesters could appear . By the look of things, considering that dungeons could evolve and new ones could appear, it looked like soon using mana to survive wouldnt be an option, would be a necessity, and that only would give the chances to more powerful creatures invade Earth . Leon couldnt let that happen by any means necessary, because if the world gets destroyed and the human race is decimated, he would be the cause .

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That also made sense, so Leon bit his nails in annoyance . Gurr was mocking him for his choices, but in the end, Gurr's choices also led his people to live in that kind of place where the food was scarce, and water wasn't clean... if Leon was a fool, Gurr wasn't much better, and that only annoyed him even further .

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That way of thinking was the exact thing that made Leon put Earth on its path toward destruction, but in the end, it was the only thing he could do . Dragon hearts would increase his physical strength too, but he doubted that even by eating those and training his body like a madman would grant him the power to travel between worlds by leaping . Maybe learning how to fly and increase his Ice Resistance would grant him the power to cross the outer space, but he

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