

Unlimited Power - The Arcane Path (COMPLETED)

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'Even though Leon had made his choice

at the last moment

he hesitated in doing that. Summoning a copy of himself was one thing

but bringing some back from the dead was another. Even though it was just for a short time...'

'In the end

Leon ended up summoning Donan from his mind. Much to his surprise

Leon had to use far less mana to make Donan appear. Using Mana Magnetism alone was enough to maintain his form. Regardless

Donan opened his eyes widely when he saw Leon in front of him.'

"You... why are you back so soon?" Donan said

visibly surprised. "What place is this?"

"This is a dimension created by the spirit of the time

Sekundez

" Leon answered. "Right now

I'm trying to complete a trial to obtain her power. Anyway

what is the last thing that did you remember?"

"... You and the harvesters leaving my world

" Donan answered after frowning for several seconds. "You said that you would help them but also would keep an eye on my world."

"Ah... that makes sense

" Leon said. "Well

I'm not really sorry by saying this

but you died

and my power alone created your current existence."

"... What?" Donan asked

shocked.'

"I spent some years in the harvesters world

and after I killed them

I returned to Miebos and discovered about your death

" Leon explained. "According to Darya

your organs suddenly stopped working because they aged too fast. The doctors of your world didn't know the cause

but most likely

the Dark Aura was what killed you. You didn't have a body strong enough to withstand such power-up."

"What kind of nonsense is that?" Donan asked; he was pale like a ghost. "Do you think that you can fool me?"

"Deep down

you know that is true

you are getting nervous because you know that

" Leon said.'

"You are lying!" Donan shouted and activated Dark Aura.'

'One of the problems of Mind Summoning was the fact that it wasn't like the other summoning spells. Whatever Leon creates with it

it wouldn't obey him. So

Leon could be attacked

and to make matters worse

whatever tries to attack him

it would consume his own mana.'

'However

in the end

Leon didn't have to do anything. He just cut the link between his mana pool and Donan

and that made him disappear. Before summoning him again

Leon decided to create a statue of mithril that had the same height and dimensions as the real Donan. That would help him understand that Leon was telling the truth.'

'Leon summoned Donan again

and he frowned when he noticed that Dark Aura was no longer active. He frowned even more

when he saw the mithril statue between himself and Leon.'

""As you know

creating something with so much mithril takes time

" Leon said. "Do you think I can create something like this in the blink of an eye? Even if you think that

do you think it's wise to pick a fight with me?""

""No... it can't be..." Donan fell on his knees

" Why so suddenly?""

""It wasn't suddenly. You eventually noticed that you were dying

and because of that

you prepared Darya to take your place

" Leon said. "Although that kind of action didn't erase the fact that you played with her life for many years

at the very least

you had the decency to warn her to keep a distance from that bastard's dungeon."

"... Is she alive?" Donan asked after he bit his lips.'

"I don't know... the last time I saw her

I was going to face your boss

" Leon scratched the back of his head. "I want to believe that she followed my advice and didn't follow me

but I can't be sure."

'Leon started to wonder if it was a good idea to act so nonchalantly like that in front of someone who was dead. Although Leon could keep Donan alive

it wasn't the same Donan that once existed. It was the Donan that Leon interacted with. So

he had no reason whatsoever to keep him alive for more time than the necessary. In any case

it took a while for Donan to process everything. Although it would be easier for Leon just to read his memories

he didn't want to treat even him as a tool.'

"... What do you want from me?" Donan asked once he accepted the fact that he was dead.'

"I want three things from you

everything you know about the shadowy figure

I want you to teach the skills that you have

and I want you to help me train Darkness Resistance

" Leon said. "Unfortunately

this isn't a negotiation

so you only have one option. I'm sure you can understand that given than I brought you back from the dead... even though it is just for a short time."

"... You probably know much more about him now since you lived long enough to obtain the power to... do this

" Donan looked away and saw Leon's elemental skeletons defeating ogres. "He only told me a few things... he wants to hunt the creature that developed the system and to do that

he needed all the mana in the universe. I decided to follow him because his enemy was the one who put every single creature in the universe in a battle royal for survival."

'For a power-hungry bastard like the shadowy figure

Leon imagined that he would thank whoever created that weird system

but after hearing that

Leon couldn't help but frown. Leon was one hundred percent sure the shadowy figure was a bastard who deserved to die

but at the very least

according to Donan

he wasn't an idiot who was just seeking power to stand above others. Still

that was hard to be sure because Donan died and was probably fooled by the shadowy figure.'

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'Although that perhaps wasn't one hundred percent true

since the shadowy figure didn't force Donan to use Dark Aura

the possibility was still high. Still

even if the shadowy figure lied

his methods didn't change. He used many sentient beings and played with their lives... For all intentions and purposes

he caused a lot of problem for Leon

and that was enough to make Leon wants to kill the bastard.'

"What about the technology you obtained from him?" Leon asked.'

"I never understood how that worked

I made several individuals study the relics he gave me

but we never discovered anything about it

" Dona said

with his head down. "He gave me three massive crystal-like rocks and said that I should hide it in the most secure place since those crystals worked together. All I know about them is the fact that they create a barrier around our continent

creates a Poison Mist underground while it also increases the gravity several times. The last power of the crystals is the power to drain the mana of everyone under its protection constantly. No one notices that effect because the drain only happens when the individuals' mana is full or when they try to use spells."

"I already knew that..." Leon let out a long sigh. "Anyway

he said that he would attack my planet once the dungeon connects the worlds appear

but he never did. Do you know why?"

"No... maybe he just tried to taunt you

" Donan said. "Although he is powerful and can force the connection between several worlds

I don't think he can keep so many connections... Did you manage to return to your world before it got destroyed?"

"Yes..." Leon rubbed his chin.'

'Thanks to Mana Eyes

Leon could tell if Donan was lying or not. For some reason

he didn't even try to Leon. Maybe it was because he used Appraisal and noticed that Leon was much stronger than him now and could tell if he lies.'

'Regardless

Leon was more interested in why the shadowy figure would taunt him. The most obvious option was to make Leon get stronger and then absorb his mind. But why would he do that considering that he made the galactic snake move toward Earth? The impact of such a massive creature would probably destroy the world... Still

Leon couldn't even tell if the shadowy figure made the galactic snake attack Earth. There was also the possibility that Leon himself

without intention

made the snake attack the nearest planet that had some trails of his mana.'

'Once again

Leon decided to forget such questions because there was no way he would find the answers in that dimension. Although he had a lot of free time

he didn't want to spend it in conspirations.'

"Well

I guess this is enough..." Leon said. "It is time for you to teach me some skills."

'Although Leon was acting as if it was only obvious

he was feeling a bit weird since he decided not to become like his enemies but was still somewhat forcing Donan to help him. Despite that

Donan taught him several skills. Although his explanations were sound

he was doing without showing a bit of interest.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Stalking.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Backstab.'

'Cost: 10 mana and ten stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Backflip.'

'Cost: 10 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Leon

more or less

knew that

but it looked like he still could learn several basic abilities. Although he couldn't imagine himself using skills like Backstab and Backflip

he practiced them for those sweet-sweet status points.'

'It has been a long while since he talked with someone

but it looked like he chose the worst person to talk to. Donan was telling everything Leon wanted as if he was a robot without will. Although it was hard to blame him given that his entire existence was on Leon's hands

that was a bit annoying... then again

Leon would feel like he would become even more pathetic if uses Mind Summoning to create someone from his past just to keep him company. Regardless

thanks to Donan's situation

Leon had a lot of time to think and have other ideas.'

'''Since Donan costs me less mana

it means that the weaker the existence

the less mana I will have to spend... perhaps I can summon the me from the past when the monsters appeared. Well

I will try that later."

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon's Skin.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon's Eye.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon's Vitality.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Poisonous Enchantment.'

'Cost: 200 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Acidic Enchantment.'

'Cost: 200 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Mirror Image.'

'Cost: 100 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'It was only evident that Donan would have only a few skills that Leon didn't have

but fortunately

he had quite a few interesting ones. Dragon's Skin increased his endurance and mentality by ten points per level

so Leon felt quite satisfied with it since it increased his survivability. As for Dragon's Eye

Leon would be able to see what kind of things his enemies were feeling... anger

envy

sloth... it only resumed as the seven deadly sins

but it would be useful. As for Dragon's Vitality... It was a passive skill that increased Leon's health passively. The skill would level up every time Leon's wounds are healed

so he didn't have to worry about using it.'

"I already knew that

but... I really defeated Donan purely by chance."

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'According to Donan

the shadowy figure gave him the knowledge of how to learn only Dragon's Heath. However

according to Leon's experience

it was clear that there was a version of that skill that increased his mana and stamina passively. Although at the level max

those skills would only increase his health

mana

and stamina by ten thousand points

it was more than enough for him to find a way to learn the others.'

'Regardless

the other skills would be useful

but Leon wouldn't focus on them for the time being. Once Donan ended the lessons

his eyes were more dead than before. He was just looking at Leon

waiting for him to cancel the spell.'

"... May I ask you a favor?" Donan asked.'

"I will do everything in my power to protect her

" Leon replied.'

"I don't think you have any use for it

but you will always have my gratitude

" Donan bowed.'

'Leon canceled the spell

and Donan disappeared. Although he didn't owe any favors despite everything

Leon indeed would do his best to protect Darya. He couldn't tell what happened to her until now

but she was a friend

and she was as important to him as the people he cared about on Earth.'

"Well

moving on..." Leon said and then turned around to change his mood. "It is time for the next experiment."

'To create a replica as powerful as himself

Leon had to spend twenty-five thousand mana points per second. Still

once he noticed that to keep Donan existing

he used less mana. Leon noticed that he could create a copy of himself with a lot less mana. The copy would have to be weaker

but that also meant that Leon could summon monsters from his memories and absorb their minds. Perhaps that would increase his growth speed. But for the time being

Leon decided to summon a copy from the moment he woke up on the island.'

"AAAAAAAAAAAAAAAAARRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRRGGGGGGGGGGGHHHHHHHH HHH!" Leon's copy screamed in pain while lying on the ground.'

"Ah... I forgot to summon a version that wasn't about to die

" Leon frowned.'

'In the blink of an eye

Leon healed his replica

and the replica looked at him astonished when he saw himself... things were about to get very confusing

so Leon decided to use Sleep and pass some of his memories to his replica. When he wakes up

he would probably understand everything and help Leon.'

"Mmm... five hundred mana points are being consumed per second

" Leon said while he was analyzing his replica body. "It is weird

but I guess instead of the power

the older the creature is

the more mana will be consumed."

'Perhaps the amount of knowledge the summoned creature had also influenced in that. It was hard to be sure... Regardless

when the replica woke up

it understood the situation. Although it was weak since the two Leon's had a massive gap in experience

both of them could feel a link connecting them. After processing everything for a while

the replica looked at Leon.'

"So... you want to use me to get stronger... is that it?" The replica asked.'

"No

I want your cooperation to get stronger

" Leon replied.'

"What will happen to me once your training ends?" The replica asked.'

"You will return to my memory

" Leon replied. "Don't worry

even though you will obtain different experiences

your existence will be safe in my mind. If you are unsure about that

then we can test it."

'The replica nodded

and Leon canceled the spell. After a while

he summoned that same replica

and as expected

he didn't remember anything happening. The replica only existed when Leon used his mana to keep its existence.'

"Well

time to do some more tests

" Leon said. "Although it would be useful if you could use several skills and while I can give you the knowledge necessary to do so

it won't be necessary. For the time being

all you need to do is to meditate."

'The replica nodded and just sat down and started to meditate. Leon could feel some energy gathering around the replica. Still

it would take time before that energy becomes an increase in mana or intelligence. Regardless

even though it was a bit dangerous to summon the same replica over and over again

Leon decided to force his control over it. Being a replica or not

it was a copy of himself from the past. Although it was fine to use Mind Control or keep erasing the memories of the replica in order to keep it obedient

Leon didn't want to mess with his past self. That kind of action won't change anything in the real world even if Leon creates some replica to increase his mana and intelligence

but Leon still wanted to be cautious of his own actions in order not to let himself fall on a dangerous road.'

'After a few hours

Leon felt that meditation finally increased the replica's mana and intelligence

so Leon decided to assimilate that knowledge by copying the memories of the replica. Still

when he did so

nothing happened.'

"He got a bit stronger

but the consumption of mana didn't increase... and I didn't obtain one extra point of mana and intelligence either. I guess since usually

I have to meditate for almost a day

the same amount of experience acquired is necessary for my mana and intelligence to increase... even though a replica probably would have increased its intelligence and mana several times."

'Leon also tested that theory... after letting his replica meditating for a full day

Leon assimilated the experience.'

'Congratulations! Your Mana has increased by one point.'

'Congratulations! Your Intelligence has increased by one point.'

"Assimilation completed... assimilation... assimilation..." Leon frowned. "This world really sounds ominous.'

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'As expected

the more the replica got stronger

the cost of keeping it existing increased

it would take a while

but eventually

it wouldn't be that efficient. The best way Leon could efficiently use that method to get stronger was to by summing his replica that received the knowledge after sleeping for a few hours.'

"Things are starting to get even weirder..." Leon frowned. "Now I'm summoning copies of myself as if I'm copying and pasting files of a computer. Although that is an efficient way to get strong

it is really problematic that several individuals have the same power

and they don't have my noisy conscience."

'In any case

Leon could keep ten replicas of himself active as long as he doesn't do anything but keep using Mana Magnetism

he could create a lot more if he uses his Soul Eaters

but he decided to let them continue to absorb the monsters mana. Instead of worrying about increasing his mana and intelligence passively like that

Leon resumed his training.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon's Brain.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon's Lung.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Magma Explosion.'

'Cost: 800 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Air Charge.'

'Cost: 400 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Freeze Mind.'

'Cost: 300 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'After learning the mana and stamina version of Dragon's Vitality

Leon resumed his experiments. As expected

the monsters he summoned using Mind Summoning still had their memories

so Leon quickly managed to learn several spells. Although he had to use spells like Mind Control and Mind Melding to make and the cost of mana to keep all those spells active wasn't low

it was worth the hassle.'

"I can assimilate the knowledge and experience of my replicas

but the same process it isn't so simple with monsters

" Leon rubbed his chin after he failed in copying Fire Trap

a skill that he had never seen gremlins using but actually have. "I guess it is only obvious given that they are monsters and their bodies work in different manners."

'Regardless

even though Leon couldn't copy every single action and skill of the monsters as they do

he could customize them

and so he did it. It was quite surprising that monsters had the knowledge of runes

but Leon felt thankful for it instead of confused. Maybe one day

he would be able to create his own runes and thus different effects

but he still had a long way ahead of himself

considering that he had only a few spells that used those.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Fire Trap.'

'Cost: 100 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Earth Trap.'

'Cost: 100 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Thunder Trap.'

'Cost: 100 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

"Well

even though those are basic spells

I can use them quite frequently even without waiting for them to activate

" Leon said. "Putting that aside

even if I level up those skills to a decent level

I will need ten thousand more points to meet the requirements to learn Foresight finally."

'Leon still didn't have even thirty percent of the coins necessary to buy the skill

and considering his progress so far

he wouldn't learn it alone. Thanks to that

he started to wonder if it wasn't a waste of time to buy it. In the end

he could learn a lot more skills by copying from monsters and also buying tomes.'

'It has been a long while since Leon felt hesitant in doing something. It was a useful skill. Who didn't want to see the future? It was as appealing as it was dangerous... In the end

the only thing Leon could actually do as to think while he practices his new spells.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Blizzard.'

'Cost: 300 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Fury Kicks.'

'Cost: 50 stamina per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Bloody Mist.'

'Cost: 300 mana and 300 health'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Hoaring Fire.'

'Cost: 100 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Unfortunately

training didn't make things easier for Leon. On the other hand

even if he decides something

he probably wouldn't learn the skill in the next few months or even years

and he didn't have enough coins to buy it. So

Leon was at least safe from the temptation.'

"If only I could learn a spell like Dark Aura... I would be able to hibernate without worrying about anything until the day this dimension disappears

" Leon said after a long sigh. "Well

first

one has to make some replicas and order to mediate day in and day out

but it is pretty clear that Dark Aura would increase my strength exponentially."

'A long time has passed since Leon had to deal with Donan; by the day

his hatred for him was decreasing. Still

even at the moment he hated him the most was that exact day

Leon wouldn't be able to force him to use Dark Aura over and over again just to study it. Leon still believed that he could learn something like that without the power of the spirit

he would find a way

but to do so

Leon would have to make Donan die several times... he was one of the worst sons of a bitch Leon had even met

but Leon wasn't cruel enough to make him taste the same death over and over again.'

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'Congratulations! The skill Pyromancy has reached the max level.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! The skill Geomancy has reached the max level.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! The skill Cryomancy has reached the max level.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! The skill Aeromancy has reached the max level.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! The skill Electromancy has reached the max level.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! The skill Hydromancy has reached the max level.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'While Leon was thinking about what to do

several of his elemental skills reached the max level. Finally

his control over the basic elements was as efficient as possible. Now

Leon just had to level up his blessings

and then their potential would reach the apex... at least considering the bonus damage added thanks to such skills. Intelligence would still keep increasing the damage of his spells

but that was just something obvious.'

"I guess I will never be able to forget such skill..." Leon said after allocating the status points

he obtained in intelligence. "In the end

the only real option is to buy the tome once and for all once I have enough coins."

'That was a headache Leon couldn't get rid of

so he decided to do something that would keep his mind busy... and that was to summon other living beings from his memories. He also decided to summon Donan now and then to increase his Darkness Resistance

but since he was annoying

Leon didn't do that often.'

"Summon humans for my own convenience it wouldn't be something decent to do... even though they wouldn't be the real deal

" Leon said. "I guess summoning the angels would be good. They treated me like monsters

so I guess it is okay."

'It would also be a good idea to copy the knowledge of other humans

be of skills

spells

or even ordinary non-magic knowledge

but then again... Leon was feeling conflicted in summoning humans just to satisfy his thirsty for knowledge.'

"Well

considering that I was even hesitating in using copies before

I'm sure that eventually

I won't hesitate in doing that

" Leon concluded.'

'The angel's generals Leon faced before probably knew about many things

but Leon decided to summon an ordinary one. Since those creatures would drain his mana to attack

it wasn't a good idea to summon the big-shots for the time being.'

'As expected

the first angel frowned when it suddenly appeared in the middle of an unknown island. However

the very moment it laid her eyes on Leon

it jumped backward and prepared her bow to attack Leon.'

""Without thinking... I ended up summoning a big-boobed angel..." Leon frowned. "Maybe it wasn't without thinking... but it can't be helped. My memory isn't perfect

and it is only obvious that something like this would stand out in the eyes of a guy.""

'Putting such concerns aside

Leon active all the buffs that increase his mentality. Despite that

Leon still felt the Arrow of Light piercing the hand he used to block the magic projectiles to the point where Leon saw a hole opening in the palm of his hand.'

'Congratulations! The skill Light Resistance has leveled up.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

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'You obtained 01 status points.'

"Shit... no pain

no gain... I guess

" Leon said while he was enduring the pain.'

'The angel attacked Leon again and again

but since Leon could heal himself faster than the angel could do damage

there was no risk for his life. Once Leon's mana dropped to zero

the angel even disappeared. So

Leon could recover his mana in peace.'

'Since those angels were almost mindless monsters

Leon didn't hesitate and ended up using Mind Control to stop the big boobed angel after summoning her again. As expected

he found the memories of her using light magic rather quickly. However

even after feeling the same sensations and thinking the same things the angel thought several times

he couldn't understand the logic behind the attack... Leon felt like a three-year-old kid who couldn't go to school yet

but was trying to understand how the human brain worked. The level of difficulty to learn light magic alone was something like that.'

'Once Leon copies the memories of a being

he doesn't need to use the same being again. He just had to replay the memories inside his head... even after several days doing that

nothing happened. Leon felt once again like he was trying to become a scientist when he didn't even go to elementary school while trying to study that magic.'

"Once I thought that light magic was a combination of the basic elements

but I couldn't be farther from the truth

" Leon rubbed his eyebrows. "Although there are signs of the basic elements

light magic has much more than those basic effects."

'Considering the cost of such low-level magic projectiles

Leon knew that the secret of the angels' power couldn't be so difficult.

Regardless

training that would also work well to keep Leon's mind busy. The only real problem was the fact that he also would have to taste the power of light magic on his body

but hopefully

that would help Leon.'

'Health: 29232 +'

'Mana: 128963 +'

'Stamina: 26232 +'

'Strength: 127 +'

'Dexterity: 88 +'

'Speed: 290 +'

'Intelligence: 98256+'

'Endurance: 603 +'

'Control: 50000+'

'Mentality: 295 +'

'Luck: 42 +'

'Recovery: 30000 +'

'Willpower: 315 +'

'Coins: 00'

'Status: 00'

'Skill List'

'Active Skills: Summon Ice Skeleton Lv Max

Summon Fire Skeleton Lv Max

Summon Thunder Skeleton Lv Max

Haste Lv Max

Mana Eyes Lv Max

Quick Legs Lv Max

Speed Augmentation Lv Max

Enhanced Speed Lv Max

Pyromancy Lv Max

Geomancy Lv Max

Cryomancy Lv Max

Aeromancy Lv Max

Electromancy Lv Max

Hydromancy Lv Max

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'Passive Skills: Meditation Lv Max

Thunder Resistance Lv Max

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'After a while

Leon was forced to give up on light magic. In the end

there were certain things that just persistence and hard work couldn't surpass. The power of the light and the shadow spirit were ones those things...'

"Mana Manipulation is already at the level max. If I can't replicate light or dark magic

not even a little bit

then it is impossible without the power of the spirits

" Leon shook his head and then sighed.'

'Although it was a pain to stop in the middle of the journey again

Leon had no choice but to do it. Still

he imagined that the trials of the other spirits would be a lot less time-consuming... if they weren't

it was better to kill them. Leon didn't know how the other spirits would react. If possible

he wanted to have them as friends

but he wouldn't waste other thousands of years doing something as hardcore as that.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Static Beam.'

'Cost: 500 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Decimate'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Moonlight Eruption.'

'Cost: 2000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Plasma Bomb.'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Chaotic Storm.'

'Cost: 1000 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Freeze.'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

"Well

for the time being

I'm good with learning the spells and skills from monsters

" Leon said. "Although light magic can dull the senses

and still I have no idea what dark magic can really do

those can be only learned far late in the game."

'Even though Leon could forget about some monsters

he always could access his own memories and summon them using Mind Summoning. He made sure not to delete some information that might be important later

after all. Still

it would be difficult to forget those monsters since Leon created a mithril statue for every single type of monster and the number of statues already surpassed the number five hundred.'

'The real problem now was to learn and level up all the skills all the types of monsters had that Leon didn't before the next type of monster appears. Regardless

to speed up his training even more

Leon had the idea of giving a single Ring of Mana Sacrifice for his replica

but unfortunately

his plan failed. Even though he assimilated all the knowledge or even when he tried to complete the mana inside the ring when most of the work had been done by his replica

he couldn't use it.'

"Well

as expected... every skill has a limit and some weaknesses." Leon shrugged.'

'In any case

even though it was still very troublesome for his body to keep up with that

Leon finally had the status to use the Ring of Mana Sacrifice

Ring of Health Sacrifice

and Ring of Stamina Sacrifice. To not damage his body too much

Leon used the latest only enough to increase his health and stamina two times per day.'

'Although the skills Leon could learn from monsters had many variations

their use was rather complicated for humans. For example

Leon could create Sleep Powder

but he couldn't use it alongside Fast Conjunction or Multi-Conjunction... he could only expand its range in order to make it level up faster or work on more enemies. Putting its use aside

Leon was learning the skills pretty fast... and before he could notice

two hundred years have passed since Sekundez's trial begun.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Scorch.'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Solar Flare.'

'Cost: 2000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Runic Bomb.'

'Cost: 500 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Infernal Hail.'

'Cost: 1000 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Infernal Orb.'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Raging Flame.'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

"My memory is starting to get full again..." Leon said once he noticed that two hundred years have passed. "Thanks to Mind Melding

I deleted most of the 'useless' memories

but despite that

I am still feeling the weight of the years. I suppose that is inevitable..."

'Leon hoped that he would leave that dimension within the worst-case scenario

memories of fifty years of experience

but it looked like that wouldn't happen. He was thinking about many things as of late

things that didn't make sense and things that were too suspicious

and he didn't want to get rid of those. One of them was the fact that the number of skills he could buy from Ilyana's vault was too big

considering that she said that she lived for five thousand years.'

"Well

perhaps she also deleted some memories like me

and she feels like she only lived for five thousand years..." Leon said. "That would explain a lot

but it wouldn't explain how come she would still be an existence that could inhabit worlds in the third stage of assimilation."

'Maybe unlike Leon

who always allocated the status points as soon as he earned them

Ilyana wasn't using hers in order not to make her presence heavier for the planets

but even if she is really doing that

it won't make sense since she has one of Sekundez's fragment. In the end

Leon sighed because he couldn't find an appropriate answer and he also didn't want to delete from his memories those worries.'

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'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Charged Attack'

'Cost: 100 stamina per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Brute Strength.'

'Cost: 10 stamina per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

"Hahaha! This is so much fun!" Leon smirked.'

'While Leon was facing some cyclops

he saw them using some interesting skills. Although it would be difficult and quite painful to train them

he replicated them. Charged Attack was exactly that

an attack that would get stronger the more Leon concentrates his power. Although he couldn't move and it also didn't work on spells

it was quite a sight to see so much destruction caused by his punches or kicks. To increase the power of that

Leon learned the active and more powerful version of Strong Arms. Brute Strength increased the power of his physical attacks a lot. Using such combination of attacks against a rock would probably destroy Leon's fist

so he instead used against the air. Thanks to it

his punches now could cause massive shockwaves and even kill the monsters that were being spawned at that moment. It wasn't an efficient way to train

but it was fun.'

"Although using Charged Attack and killing monsters with those shockwaves isn't efficient

I can use that to relax now and then

" Leon concluded. "Still

I can't slack off in my real training."

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Aero Blast.'

'Cost: 500 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Air Cutter.'

'Cost: 500 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Iron Tempest.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Sweet Mist.'

'Cost: 300 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Although it was difficult

Leon was forcing himself to learn more spells and skills and train them as soon as possible to the level where his weakest skills were. It would be a lot less annoying if he stopped at the level one hundred

but such easy goals wouldn't force him to keep moving forward.'

"Even though even the smallest goals are becoming quite difficult to reach

using them on those monsters also helps me to level them up faster

so I guess that is one less problem to worry about

" Leon said while looking at some giant skulls that could melt anything that touches them.'

'Leon was missing using his summons

but since that they were at the max level

it would be a really waste to use them. Leon used them when he wanted to take a nap

and even so

he did it after hesitating for quite a while.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Bubble Cannon.'

'Cost: 300 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Corrosive Mist.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Putting such worries aside

Leon frowned when he saw the enemies appearing and their skills. They were lizardmen that had spears on their hands

but the name of their skills was somewhat confusing.'

"I suppose lizards are somewhat similar to dragons

but..." Leon frowned. " I can't see the difference between those monsters and that dragonewt."

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Electric Discharge.'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon Ascent.'

'Cost: 1000 mana and 1000 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon Claw.'

'Cost: 500 mana and 500 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon Dance.'

'Cost: 500 mana and 500 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Dragon Fury.'

'Cost: 500 mana and 500 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'In any case

Leon replicated their skills and learned them. Since he didn't see the lizardmen talking or trying to talk

perhaps the differences between them and the dragonewts was that... there was even a chance that the dragonewt was using a disguise in order not to reveal its true power...'

"Ilyana once said that my power was on the late stage in comparison of worlds that were on the fourth stage of assimilation

" Leon rubbed his chin. "Does that mean that I am already on the fifth stage in terms of power? Those lizardmen are strong

but they don't pose a threat to me

after all."

'Although that kind of question would only help Leon to prepare for the fourth wave of zombies

he was quite interested in that topic... not because he wanted to confirm to himself if he was strong or not

but because he wanted to certain things... one of them as if the idea of power changed his mindset in some sort of way.'

""Well

I guess I'm safe until I start to think about cosmic conquest

" Leon massaged his eyebrows.'

'It took Leon quite some time for him to train his newest skills. Even though he deleted the memories of his grinding

he could tell how much time he spent training those physical skills by the number of species he faced.'

'Regardless

before Leon could notice

he finally reached another milestone... probably because he forgot about Foresight for a while

his coins jumped from three hundred billions to one trillion. It actually didn't jump. Leon just didn't check his coins for several years.'

""Well

not learning the skill would be a huge waste after not buying anything for decades..." Leon shrugged.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Foresight.'

'Cost: 10

000 mana per second'

'Cooldown time: 6

000 seconds'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Without wasting time

Leon activated the skill

and much for his surprise

instead of just seeing the future

he still could see the present with his eyes. The images of the future started to appear in Leon's head. Fortunately

the images of the future wouldn't be uncertain as Leon had imagined

but unfortunately

he couldn't just see a certain point of the future... Leon had to progressively receive the images from the future from the very moment he was.'

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'It took a while for Leon to understand how Foresight worked. Basically

the time in his head passed two times faster in comparison to the time outside his head while the skill was active. For example

by keeping the skill activated for two seconds

Leon would be able to see the things that would happen two seconds later... It wasn't an overpowered skill as Leon had imagined

but as long as he keeps recovering his mana and also his practice the skill

he would be able to overcome even the cooldown time.'

"I can't use other skills while I use Foresight... so the best way to train the skill is by using the mana on my Soul Eaters

" Leon concluded. "The problem is

while I can see the future

the future might change according to my actions. So

it isn't a good idea to rely on Foresight during a battle."

'Leon couldn't help but think that the price of the tome was a bit too high considering that

but it was clear that he didn't know the best ways to use that power yet

just like he didn't know at the beginning that he could summon a weaker replica of himself when he learned Mind Summoning.'

'Congratulations! The skill Foresight has leveled up.'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

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'You obtained 01 status points.'

'...'

'Although it took a while for Leon to notice it

even Foresight could become more efficient. Once he used the mana stored in a Soul Eater and leveled up Foresight

he noticed that by each level up the speed

he could see images of the future increased. Most likely

for every level up

the efficiency of the skill increased by one percent

and once Foresight reaches the max level

Leon would be able to receive images of the future ten times faster.'

"At the max level

I will be able to see everything that happens in the next ten seconds in just a single real-time second

" Leon concluded. "I wonder if my brain can keep up with that much information."

'Finally

Leon could see a part of the true potential of Foresight. Still

considering the cost of the skill and the fact that he couldn't use Fast Conjunction or Multi-Conjunction

it would take a long time to level up such skill

and Leon couldn't slack off on his regular training.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Explosion.'

'Cost: 5000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Fiery Dance.'

'Cost: 200 mana and 200 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Fire Spin.'

'Cost: 200 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Ice Spin.'

'Cost: 300 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Thunder Spin.'

'Cost: 300 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Gust.'

'Cost: 100 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

"Mmm... maybe there is a way where I can train all those skills and Foresight at the same time

" Leon rubbed his chin. "But I'm not smart enough to imagine it. My replicas can't exactly help me with that since they also consume a lot of mana. Even if I teach them Mana Magnetism

I don't think that is a skill their bodies can handle... and to make stronger copies of myself; I would have to use more mana. What a splendid vicious cycle..."

'Perhaps Leon would be able to increase the range of Mana Magnetism once he leaves that dimension just like did it a few times with Mana Dominion

but he would have to wait for that.'

'A few years passed

and Leon finally noticed something

not all types of monsters have appeared on Earth. He couldn't recall the exact number

but he was pretty sure that there weren't more than one hundred dungeons on Earth that connected to other worlds that were on the fourth stage of assimilation. Despite that

the number of monsters he had faced so far since the end of the third wave of zombies was over one hundred fifty.'

"Maybe that is why the liches dungeon didn't appear on Earth... or perhaps the shadowy figure gave up on Earth since other harvesters were already working behind the scenes

" Leon said.'

'That was another question that Leon wouldn't find an answer before he leaves that imaginary dimension

so he decided to forget about it. One of the dangerous things about deleting memories was the possibility of Leon thinking precisely the same thing again

so to avoid that kind of thing from happening

Leon didn't delete from his memories

that kind of moment.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Headbutt.'

'Cost: 100 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Hydro Vortex.'

'Cost: 100 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Pyro Vortex.'

'Cost: 100 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Icicle Crash.'

'Cost: 300 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Icy Wind.'

'Cost: 300 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Max Flare.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Regardless

after leveling up the latest skills to a certain level

Leon learned a few new ones. However

despite that

he was already checking Ilyana's vault to find something more useful and buy it.'

"It is getting kind of hard finding new and still stupidly powerful skills like Foresight and Mind Summoning

" Leon concluded. "Now that I think about it... can I summon something from the future?"

'Although that was insane

at least that showed to Leon that his mind was still working properly in finding crazy ways to apply his powers.'

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'Even though Leon spent days training his skills and searching for interesting tomes in Ilyana's vault

he didn't find anything particularly interesting. The number of things he could buy was great

but sometimes Leon felt like some of the tomes only appeared randomly. In any case... Leon was more and more certain that Ilyana was far older than she said she was.'

"Well

it wouldn't be weird if she has lost some notion of time if she did the same thing I'm doing with my memories

" Leon concluded.'

'Regardless

goals were necessary

and since leveling up his skills was something like breathing for Leon

he decided that his next goal would be to create something like the tattoo Ilyana created and put on his left arm. Creating a mini game-like system would be interesting

but it looked like Leon would have to do that later because a group of new

unexpected enemies appeared... witches.'

'Witch – Lv 01'

'Health: 5000/5000'

'Mana: 50000/50000'

'Stamina: 3000/3000'

'Strength: 225'

'Dexterity: 2500'

'Speed: 750'

'Intelligence: 40000 +'

'Endurance: 800 +'

'Control: 10000+'

'Mentality: 5000 +'

'Luck: 500 +'

'Recovery: 10000 +'

'Active Skills: Mana Armor Lv 350

Fire Creation Lv 500

Water Creation Lv 500

Earth Creation Lv 500

Wind Creation Lv 500

Max Geyser Lv 450

Max Hailstorm Lv 450

Max Lightning Lv 450

Enthralling Aura Lv 400'

'Passive Skills: Wind Resistance Lv 350

Fire Resistance Lv 350

Thunder Resistance Lv 300

Darkness Resistance Lv 300

Gravity Resistance Lv 330

Ice Resistance Lv 250

Zen Lv 500

Fast Conjunction Lv 400'

"Well

that certainly is unexpected..." Leon frowned while looking at the witches

leaving the ocean while flying on their brooms.'

'The new monster surprised Leon

even more than the vampires since they had brooms

pointy hats

dark robes... the complete set of the old witches of fairy tales. The only difference is the fact that those ones weren't old and ugly. They were relatively

young and very good looking. Their massive bust size was also something common between them despite the fact that the witches didn't look like each other

at least considering their faces... Regardless

Leon soon understood that everything was just an illusion created by Enthralling Aura

so he attacked them the very moment they left the ocean.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Max Geyser.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Max Hailstorm.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Max Lightning.'

'Cost: 500 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'While Leon was learning the witches' spells

he stared at them for quite a while

hoping that some stimulus would be sent to the holy sword. Illusion or not

the appearances of the witches was quite a sight for his sore eyes. Unfortunately

even though Leon's head was full of bad ideas

the holy sword was still completely sealed.'

""... I should have known

" Leon after a long sigh.'

'Not even a thousand years of isolation would make Leon give up on the holy sword

but even someone with that much determination couldn't help but feel depressed sometimes. Regardless

even though Leon wanted to train his skills as much as possible

he couldn't ignore the amount of mana the enemy has. So

he drained their mana as much as possible using his Soul Eaters.'

'An interesting way of using those enemies would be by creating several Soul Eaters and impaling them with it. Although the witches looked humanoid

at least considering their faces

they were essentially monsters. Despite that

Leon couldn't bring himself to do that. He wanted power and create more reservoirs of mana

but even Leon couldn't do something like that. He needed restraint

even against monsters.'

"I guess restraint is the difference between the bastards who destroy worlds just to get stronger and me..." Leon said. "I can't forget that

no matter what."

'Although that way of thinking always put more hardships along Leon's way

it was also a good thing for him mentally speaking. Always choosing the easy way out would

without a doubt

cause problems to him later.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Mystical Fire.'

'Cost: 1000 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Ominous Wind.'

'Cost: 300 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Poison Fang.'

'Cost: 200 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Leon hoped to have a break after dealing with the witches

but a new enemy appeared with some skills that he didn't have. Still

for the time being

he could train them

but he was more interested in creating a game-like system as Ilyana created. Although that seemed like a waste of time since the system itself was game-like

Leon wasn't interested in the enjoyment he would have. He was interested in some aspects of games that couldn't be emulated in reality... if he could emulate those aspects

Leon would obtain a powerful hidden card.'

"I guess creating a shop using her vault as a basis is the easiest method and the simplest application

" Leon concluded after thinking for a while. "Now that I think about it... it isn't useless to create a shop-like system? Why would Ilyana create something that would be useless to her?"

'Considering the application of the shop and only the owner could put things inside it

it wouldn't benefit Ilyana in any way if she had given to someone who doesn't intend to pay for tomes and items. There was a chance that Ilyana created that system to help the people of her world

but... Leon wasn't sure of it. In any case

that kind of training would be useful for Leon because he wouldn't train offensive spells

he would try to create concepts using magic

and if he succeeds...'

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'It didn't take long for Leon to find some obstacles. He was trying to create a constant concept of magic

after all. In any case

now that he could manipulate space to some extent

that kind of application should be possible. Unfortunately

Leon was only good at destroying things with his mana

creating something out of nothing was also possible using Mind Summoning. Still

Leon had to understand the logic behind that very something. If that something is a living being

Leon would have to spend even more mana to keep the living being... alive. In any case

aside from offensive

defensive and support magic that Leon knew

the closest thing Leon could think of that could change the nature of something were the runes. Unfortunately

his knowledge about it was still small.'

"Jertien said that he discovered a rune in Celsius' temple... maybe If I summon the version of her that was at level one after becoming my ally

she will be able to teach me a few things

" Leon concluded. "Still

considering the nature of spirits

it would be weird if she manages to teach me something that isn't related to ice magic."

'To create a shop like the one Ilyana made

Leon would have to build a magic box and then create a spell that would be connected to it even while the spell is inactive... That would be difficult

Leon didn't see anyone who could do that kind of thing aside from Ilyana

and he couldn't buy a tome to solve that problem. Maybe the dragonewt and the shadowy figure could use something like that

but Leon wouldn't be able to summon them.'

"My best options are to summon the angel generals and Crik or someone who he does know since he and his men created a death star-like spaceship

" Leon concluded.'

'Still

the chances of them knowing anything about conceptual magic were close to none. If they knew something so convenient

Leon wouldn't have defeated them... while Leon was thinking about that

he leveled up his old skills and now had to learn new ones.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Poison Punch.'

'Cost: 100 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Rock Blast.'

'Cost: 400 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Seismic Toss.'

'Cost: 500 stamina'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Spider Web.'

'Cost: 200 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

"I guess conceptual magic is impossible for me... at least for the time being

" Leon rubbed his chin. "Still

there are some useful things that I still can do without conceptual magic."

'Considering Leon's power

the best way for him to do that would be creating a familiar. However

that was something a bit scary... creating a living being that sole goal would be to help Leon was... unsettling. Although he had summons

replicas and could summon monsters from his memories

creating another existence was another thing altogether

even if that existence is being created by using a copy of his knowledge and life experience.'

'In the end

Leon decided to create a spirit that has the knowledge of spatial manipulation and divided the spirit in two. After that

he sealed both parts in armor and another in a magic box. Somehow

Leon succeeded in creating two items that had a connection without the need for a spell. That being said

even though the armor and magic box had a connection

Leon couldn't do anything with it. He could store things in that magic box

but only that.'

"I guess I also need to copy some of my wills... If I copy the will to use potions whenever my mana is below fifty percent... then..." Leon rubbed his chin.'

'There was only one way to find out if that was possible

by doing it. In the end

Leon succeeded

and even better

the effects Leon added didn't cost him even a single bit of mana.'

'Steel Armor of the Rescuer'

'Auto-Potion Function: It uses the potions in the user's possession to restore the user's energy.'

'Condition: When the user's health

mana

or stamina are below fifty percent

one potion will be used per second'

'Durability: 180 days'

"The durability is a bit weak since I used only half of a spirit

so it can't be helped

" Leon nodded to himself. "Fortunately

the armor also recognizes the potion inside my magic boxes. So

it isn't half bad. In any case

I'm one step closer to create a talking sword."

'Leon had no intention of creating one

though. Regardless

since Leon had to make the potions

the process itself wasn't perfect. So

Leon tried to create another armor that has the same effects as Soul Eater.
However

he failed because he wanted to make the armor drain mana from the ambient
or meditate. Such skills couldn't be used by an object... only by a living being.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Tectonic Rage.'

'Cost: 1000 mana per second'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Fire Shuriken.'

'Cost: 500 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Earth Shuriken.'

'Cost: 500 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Congratulations! You have learned the skill: Water Shuriken.'

'Cost: 500 mana'

'You obtained 01 status points.'

'Leon couldn't focus too much on experimenting with new things

but after learning a few more spells

he resumed his experiments a little slower. Although the armor he created couldn't drain and store mana from the ambient

there was some room for improvement. Leon concluded that because he had a ring that granted him Zen at the max level. Although items could be lost or destroyed in the middle of the battle

Leon would make good use of them while he trains... and he was determined to create even more equipment that would help him in that regard.'