## Master 501

Chapter 501 - 501. Level Up

As much as Walker wanted to read the notifications he knew that the feelings of his head being full of pressure was too much already. The feeling of his body being all pins and needles but also numb at the same time also consumed his focus. The only ones able to react were Scylla, Midnight, and Onyx who had just read that they had received a title that was held by many people in existence. This was Midnight's third title and Onyx's second. Scylla was trying to comprehend it as her first.

Reading the unique skill that the title came with was a massive boon. The fact that it could only be used once a month and be effective for a week was nothing. The skills that Scylla could pass down to those who she saw as promising warriors were immeasurably valuable to the kingdom. Many would fight to the death just to be able to have the knowledge of a skill she possessed within their minds for a day let alone a week.

Time passed as the four were slowly feeling the pins and needles fade away to refreshing cool mana flowing through them. Their mind became clearer and they could feel that they were reaching the end of the experience floor. As soon as it was possible to read what the system had been saying Walker did and was so shocked that he felt his stomach churn.

Onyx

Level: 10

Exp until next level: 15080/102400

Species: abyssal serpent system

Hp-80

Atk-70

Matk-100

Def-70

Mdef-90

Agi-80

Mana-106

User Onyx has reached a level cap due to low age. Level up is currently locked until growth is achieved.

Midnight

Level: 17

Exp until next level: 63000/100000

Heroic quests until next level: 163/50

Species: True dragon champion system

Title: Hero, Friend of the goblins, Educationist

Hp-200

Def-130

Mdef-130

Atk-155

Matk-155

Agi-110

Mana-131

User Midnight has reached a level cap due to low age. Level up is currently locked until growth is achieved.

Gil

Level: 41

Exp until next level: 3000/10000

Heroic quests until next level: 5/10

Arcane Marksman system

Title: Hero, Friend of the goblins, Educationist

Hp-52

Def-52

Mdef-52

Atk-58

Matk-58

Char-48

Agi-54

Mana-52

Stat points for distribution- 130

Su

Level:41

Exp until next level: 3000/10000

Heroic quests until next level: 5/10

Draconic guardian system

Title: Hero, Friend of the goblins, Educationist

Hp-58

Def-61

Mdef-61

Atk-53

Matk-41

Char-41

Agi-53

Mana-53

Stat points for distribution- 130

Remey

Level: 41

Exp until next level: 3000/10000

Heroic quests until next level: 5/10

Alchemical Brawler system

Title: Hero, Friend of the goblins, Educationist

Hp-58

Def-57

Mdef-49

Atk-62

Matk-43

Char-40

Agi-60

Mana-66

Stat points for distribution- 130

Walker

Level: 41

Exp until next level: 3000/10000

Heroic quests until next level: 5/10

Jack of All Trades system

Title: True hero, Friend of the goblins, Educationist

Hp-50

Def-50

Mdef-45

Atk-50

Matk-55

Char-43

Agi-54

Mana-60

Stat points for distribution- 130'

' The world mana fades.'

"Hey!, Hey!" Wade saw the look in their eyes becomes more lively and realized that the four had recovered. The natural mana also faded away leaving them able to move and breathe freely. "What happened, are you safe?" Wade was having a minor panic attack due to the fact that the party was still pale and showed that they were unable to process what had happened.

Walker was the first to grasp the situation and looked at Wade calmly while swallowing down his own shaky nerves. "We are fine...it is just too much to take in right now." He paused for a moment before he continued, "That mana was from the world because we exceeded the exp[ectations of the quest. Apparently, we helped over two hundred and fifty trainees. Who would have thought there was that many divided up in the squads." Walker smiled a little still trying to grasp the entire number. It was just too many.

"Brother, sister and I are at a level cap. We can not level up until we grow!" Onyx was slightly on edge seeing that he and Midnight could not get stronger." Scylla listened and responded first since she was very used to seeing this.

"You two must have out leveled your ages. I see it in the young warriors in my kingdom often. Your bodies can only grow so fast compared to your level. If you leveled up now you may risk your body being overloaded in some way. I am surprised these four have not reached it yet. The amount of mana I received was fairly high but it looks like they received more." She waited for an answer to what she had been wondering the entire time.

"Our hero titles grant us a multiplier to experience points, right now we are...level forty one." This caused Remey, Gil, and Su to come back to their sense. "We have one hundred and thirty stat points to spend! If I put them all in to attack I could break anything." Remey was not actually going to do this but she felt that she could have unlimited power.

"My ability to defend will greatly increase..." Su was whispering to herself as she decided how to distribute the points.

"Walker, I am going to need some time to think on this. We should all have a meeting and discuss these points." Gil was the only one able to look outside himself after reading these things.

"I believe humans around sixteen are level capped at fifty until they reach the end of puberty. There was one book that explained these things for races." Alma sounded proud to remember this fact.

"I see, that does make sense. Humans are less forceful in pushing the younger generations to find their systems and level up." Scylla knew that in her kingdom the young were dragged everywhere to try everything as soon as possible. Humans would have more freedom to just find what they could do. There was some pushing from parents but it was more lackadaisical.

" Brother, I also gained a skill from the quest to assist you. It is called, call for a hero." Onyx was still not done sharing what he had also gained. Whether the setting was right or not they were going to have their meeting.

Chapter 502 - 502. Call For A Hero

Onyx was excited to see the new skill he had received from the quest. His feelings were jumbled since it said he needed to grow more to level up but this was acceptable since he knew that he could perish if he was able to level up above his body's means.

"I also received the skill, should I read it or would you like the lead since you are your partys' leader." Scylla was willing to let Walker read the skill allowed after he looked at Onyx's information. This was a respectful nod to him since the party was jumping right in to a meeting about what had just occurred along with the fact that she was sitting in on it for the moment.

"We will step back and allow you the privacy you deserve," Wade spoke after grasping the situation and pulled Alma with him. The two ordered the enforcers to return to those trainees that had overexerted themselves and make sure they had not been affected by the dense natural mana that had come from the world shake.

"Thank you. I will take the lead then." Walker was glad to be allowed the lead on this since he was going to look anyways. He also was proud to be held in high respect by a powerful being like Scylla.

'Call of a hero- 0 mana (dependent)

In a dire situation the user may call upon the natural mana of the world to answer their call. The natural mana will gather and cause the necessary actions for a hero to be guided or transported to the needed location. This skill will only be answered in the most dire situations and can not be used to any effect unless this condition is met.'

"Does that mean we could be ally teleported to some place if needed?" Gil had heard that teleportation existed but thought it was an impossible thing, however, this skill sounded like it could cause the world to do just that.

"It could just be something that sets quests in motion to get a hero to the place we are needed. That would make more sense." Remey chimed in remembering the quests the party had caused and saw this skill as a start to a chain of quests.

"It sounds like it will be a great trump card for anyone that gets it. Calling one of us to join a battle could greatly change the tide. Even if we are weaker than opponent or opponents we can assist ion buffs, strategy, healing, and many other aspects." Walker could only see this as a good way for them to save those they made friends with in the future. "I actually wish we could give this skill to people. But that doesn't look to be possible, maybe others will receive this skill from quests caused by us."

"That sounds very possible. I am just glad that I received it. I will hope never to use it." Scylla smiled and stood up from her resting position. "I will refrain from prying in to what you do with your new levels and stat points. I look forward to what you can do now." She stepped away with the desire to explore the

market while the party is busy. She had reached her limit of amazing things seen for the day and had some hope that she would be able to relax a little while browsing the new items.

"Do we even need to talk about the new educationist title? It sounds like it is too amazing." Remey was looking at it and only saw one great benefit.

Su also had the same thought as Remey and vocalized it, "Walker can learn every single one of our skills if we use the information exchange skill." Su didn't hold back on this at all. It was clear that she was going to try and make Walker learn all of her blocking skills as soon as possible.

"I know there are limits to the skill but we should try and be careful with how we use it. Expanding Walker's skills is great and all. But we should try and pass skills to others besides us. Walker can naturally learn new skills and he can probably learn better than what we share unless the situation needs it." Gil was thinking of how many people they could help as they traveled who would need certain skills to improve.

"I see this as a way for us to pass on skills to people who would not normally have them. We can make those that are in need strong enough to accomplish their goals." Walker also followed Gil's train of thought and wanted to use this new skill to pass on skills that the less fortunate could use.

"With that aside, Midnight and Onyx are stuck at their levels. I don't think we should be worried but we might also hit this around level fifty as Alma said. But we might now. I'm not sure. We are already much higher level than most guards in the city and the average person." This wasn't a huge problem because Midnight and Onyx were more powerful due to being monsters. However, if it was one of the party it could severely limit them.

"No leader, we are at the perfect age. The level cap should stop us temporarily while we grow but we may not reach it at all since we should have our own natural growth spurts." Su was very adamant about this. In her mind, they would grow before their level hit a cap. It was the perfect balance for them.

"That does make sense. Then the only thing we need to decide is how to distribute these stat points. I believe we all have ideas and desired. But the thing we need to focus on is what we lack. Personally, I need mana and more attack and al attack stats. I will also add some to my defenses and agility. I have the all around ability to change what I am doing and that should reflect in how I distribute them." Walker already had his plan outlined and was prepared to put it in to action.

Chapter 503 - 503. Stat Points

"Leader, I believe you should try and focus on more. That is where you always lean and shine. You are able to make great physical attacks but your is where you exceed in the party." Su made a sound argument and no one else could argue it.

"Then I will add additional points to al attack. This should make my attacks stronger and keep everyone safer." Walker proceeded to add the points as he desired.

' Hp improved to 54

Def improved to 70

Mdef improved to 60

Atk improved to 54

Matk improved to 80

Char improved to 45

Agi improved to 74

Mana improved to 100 (not including gear)'

The system echoed the changes that he made making him feel like the flow of mana in his body was about to run amock. This was many more stat points being distributed than anyone would normally have making this a heavier toll on the body.

"It looks like this will be harder than I thought. Let me mentally prepare myself to go next." Gill slapped his face and stretched his arms. He knew he wouldn't be ready immediately to deal with the feelings that would come with these changes.

"Hasss! Alright. That is that. It was a little rough but I have mine all set up." Walker had let out a loud hiss to relax from the tension he had felt while the points were applied. He now could tell that the changes in his body were fairly major.

"Gil is just going to pour everything in to attack and attack if we don't watch him. Or wait he might put it all in to charisma." Remey was trying to tease Gill a little but realized her words might end up being more true than they wanted.

"No, I will try and make my defenses and health higher too. I have been slacking on them since I am always in the back. Maybe you should add to charisma." Gil retorted without hesitation.

"Then if you already know what you need go for it. I believe you had a good grasp on things." Walker pushed Gil to make his move.

' Hp improved to 82

Def improved to 67

Mdef improved to 67

Atk improved to 70

Matk improved to 70

Agi improved to 80

Mana improved to 72 (not including gear)'

"See I didn't even touch charisma because I don't need it any higher. I am an arcane marksman, not a salesman." Gil spoke like he was a high and mighty god which the rest of the party ignored.

"I will be going next. I will improve my agility along with my defenses. I will not improve attack and charisma since they are not needed." Walker was glad to hear that Su had already made the logical decisions to avoid the stats that she did not use.

' Hp improved to 90

Def improved to 86

Mdef improved top 86

Agi improved to 73

Mana improved to 81 (not including gear)'

Su's stats were more simple since they did not require her to focus on Attack stats. This was simply because her defenses would do the manga in any situation. Her main attack which was shield bash relied on her defense being powerful.

"Leader, I also received the skill barrier. It uses my al defense to block spells. It takes the shape of my shields and acts the same." Su was proud to report the skill that showed up from leveling up only. The others had not been so lucky and needed to discover their skills through training.

"That will really put us in an advantage in battle. You will be able to crush any attacks that come out way." Remey was ready to jump in to battle before she realized that she was still exhausted from all the training.

"Congratulations. I don't think any of us expected skills from a level up like this. But I thought you would have gained a skill like that much sooner. I am going to be able to relax a lot more now." Walker made sure to give Su the proper praise since the skill only meant the party could be safer now.

"My turn. I am going to put fifty in to mana. I had that fruit that gave me more mana but that is not enough to properly make advanced potions." Remey was dead set on improving her ability to make potions at the moment.

"Would improving your al attack affect the potions at all?' Walker wasn't sure if this stat would have any effect on how well Remey could make potions.

"Yes, I should improve it now that I am able to influence mana within the potions and the herbs used. I just don't want to lose my strength as an attacker." Remey's worry was fair since she could easily distribute her stat points in a way that kept her from her goals.

"The al attack, attack. Mana, and agility. The rest just splits between defenses and health points?'[Gil sounded like he had things understood. Since he was the most balanced between the al and physical aspects listening to his advice was a good idea.

"Sold. Let's do it."

' Hp improved to 63

Def improved to 70

Mdef improved to 60

Atk improved to 77

Matk improved to 74

Agi improved to 75

Mana improved to 106 (not including gear)'

"That is everyone. We need to do some training after we rest to understand what changed. I would hate to accidentally use a spell that is too powerful and harm someone." Walker was already thinking ahead to the fact that he was now not aware of his full strength.

"Leader, we should rest first then we can worry about all that. Midnight is already asleep." Su motioned to Midnight who had drifted off to sleep in a matter of seconds after the party started speaking. She didn't have stat points to distribute and needed to sleep. Onyx had used her as a pillow and was equally asleep. He had realized he wouldn't be needed for the conversation and followed his sisters' lead.

Chapter 504 - 504. Familiar Faces

"Wait, we are setting up camp right here?" Remey wanted to go somewhere better to sleep but was completely defeated after she had seen Walker taking out bed rolls for them to sleep there. He also pulled out the food he had stored so they could all eat. Without any interruptions, they were all able to relax and rest for some time.

Walker was not the first to wake up. Once his eyes opened he realized that Remey had already taken her leave. He found a small note next to her bed roll that said she had left to go and made night vision potions. She had the stats of a level forty one and was excited to put them to use.

"Morning Gil." Walker moved to sit next to Gil who was sitting in front of multiple piles of arrows.

"Morning. Look what the trainees left for mew. They made sets of twenty of each of the arrows we made. I think they might be my followers or something now." Gil laughed but Walker could tell he was very touched by this gift.

"You were one of the first people that forced them to change their way of thinking and be creative. I am willing to bet that the next time we visit those arrows will already be considered old news. But the feelings left behind will be strong so don't worry." Walker gave Gil a soft punch to the arm and Gil returned it. They had become like brothers through their travels since Gil was an only child and Walker was the only son in his family.

"You two should try and be more quiet when you bond. If I was Remey you would need healing." Su was stretching after waking up and finding the two in front of the arrows. "Will we be training today or will we make other plans?' Su was right to business after waking up which did not surprise Walker in the least.

"I think we should do our own things. We have a lot to adjust to and I don't see a single trainee around. I bet they rested much longer than us. I also think we should go and see hope the elves are doing. That world shake or umm experience flood really must have surprised them,.' Walker already knew that the

elves had intentionally left them to rest but now they would need to answer for the things that had come of their training.

Like a ghost showing up an enforcer was walking up to them. "Heroes, the queen would like to request your presence in her hall. The remaining demi-human representatives have arrived and the king of your kingdom has entered the forest and will arrive within the night." This news was enough to get Walker's blood pumping. It had been some time but they were finally going to have the talks necessary for a brighter future.

Gil, You want to get Midnight and Onyx moving while Su and I head to meet with the queen?" Gil gave a nod and began to place arrow after arrow in to the quiver. It was still amazing to watch them all fit even though there were so many.

"Then please show us the way." Walker stood tall after storing away the things the party had left out after sleeping. This was not much hut enough for him to get moving before he needed to act his title.

The enforcer was silent as they walked the long way to the hall where the queen took her guests. The same elders were present as the two came in to the hall along with the queen still resting on vines. There was a noticeable difference in the vines and the appearance of the queen.

"Welcome back young heroes. Before we begin I must congratulate you on causing a world shake. It has been many years since this happened and we are honored to have witnessed it. The natural mana did wonders to heal the decay from the slimes." This explained the change in the queen and her vines. The decay was nearly nonexistent now.

"We did not expect it ourselves. We apologize for any shock that came to your people." Walker knew that this was a great happening but also shocking and could have negatively affected the people.

"There were only some minor injuries from those who passed out from the dense mana. Other than that things are well. Please do not dwell on what you did not expect to happen." The queen brushed things off as neatly as she could. There were other matters that needed attention.

"The remaining two representatives came from the demi-human kingdom to greet me. I will have them brought in with their representative General Scylla." Two enforcers opened a side door and welcome in Scylla who was leading two familiar demi-humans.

"I general of the front; Scylla. Greet you. These are two of our promising warriors here to represent our kingdom of Ordist. Monty the rising star of staff battles, the second rank genius, and Serius the dancing saber and the first ranked genius warrior. I hope they may learn a great many things while in your care."

Walker recognized the two from the small tournament that had happened while they were visiting the demi-human kingdom. The one names Monty was the one with monkey traits and the one name Serius had leopard traits. These were the two that had fought each other to a draw and both declared the losers of the tournament because of this.

Walker was glad to see them since he had wanted to meet them but wasn't able to. Now he would be able to extend a hand to them while they were here. The two knelt in front of the queen while holding something wrapped in fabric. From what Walker could see it was a small box.

Chapter 505 - 505. Gift For Your People

The leopard trait demi-human now introduced as Sirius unwrapped the small box while kneeling in greeting to the queen. "Queen of the forest elves, I allow this young one to present you with a gift from our kingdom to yours." Scylla motioned for Sirius to present the gift they had brought and explain it.

"Your majesty. My kingdom has granted me the chance to share our most prized agricultural development. Our farmers have worked hard to develop a new species of radish. We have named it the replenishing radish. It not only gives the body a great deal of nutrients but has the ability to replenish mana to the one that consumes it. We hope this helps bring greater prosperity to your people."

This gift was a sizeable amount of extremely small seeds within a plain wooden box. To any untrained eye, these would be a basic item found on a farm not worth even looking at. However, to the elves, this was a wondrous gift.

"That is a spectacular achievement for the demi-human kingdom known for their booming agriculture. I am happy to receive such a gift which will bring health to my people and excitement to the spiritual farmers.' The queen showed a brilliant smile since she knew this gift was a valuable crop. If it truly replenished mana then it could be a staple food for every single elf in the forest.

"I hope that you three may find yourself some rest after the long journey here. The human king should arrive late tonight and will have an audience in the morning. Until then please see the sights of our beautiful city. The heroes will attest to the beauty it holds." The queen spoke and enforcers stepped

forward as guides. She let one last quick smile show to Su and Walker before she started to speak with the elders. It appeared she was extremely busy.

"I was not sure what to expect but it was just a greeting after all." Su was glad that it had only been a greeting, if it was any more than that she ould have needed more time to prepare.

"I have a feeling that this was more of the queen's way of warning us that we would also be busy soon. Once the king is here the adventurers guild will begin set up, we will need to guide the meetings, and we will assist the king in presenting the moon silk robes to the queen. We will have a lot to do all at once.' Walker's words made Su become silent and serious.

"What is on your mind? We will do fine. Just breath." Walker was worried seeing that Su's face had become wrinkled.

"I know we will do fine but are we really dressed properly for this?" Su looked at Walker and her gear realizing that they looked like they had just been pout on a quest, No matter how much they polished or cleaned that was just the style of their clothing.

"That is a good point. Let's get some proper formal attire for everyone later. Before that though, want to go meet those two from the tournament?" Walker had wanted to meet them for some time and this was the chance to do so and speak freely before everything was in motion.

The two moved a little faster and got ahead of the enforcer that was guiding them. There was no movement to stop them since they had overheard Walker's desire to speak with the demi-humans and this was more than allowed since the heroes would be speaking as moderators in the future meetings.

As soon as they were clear of the hall and reached a side room that the demi-humans had been guided to, Walker knocked on the door. Without any delay, Scylla opened it and looked at the two as if she knew they would come running. "Scylla, we cam to meet the two who were in the tournament with us." Walker was shameless in admitting why they had come. This only made Scylla laugh at them a little.

"You should not address the general as such. She is an honored member of our kingdom." The monkey trait demi-human Montey spoke out immediately.

"Then you should address me as the True Hero, Friend to the goblins, Educationist Sir Walker. And my party member, Hero, Friend of the goblins, Educationist Su. Also don't forget to address Scylla as The general of the front, educationist, Scylla." Walkers' addition of titles made the two demi-humans choke on the air they were breathing.

"Yes, they do hold multiple titles and I have gained one as well. You can breathe now." She was enjoying their shock immensely. She had not planned to throw her title around but now felt that it would be much more fun to do so, especially when she returned home to the kingdom.

"If that is what you desi-" Walker held up a hand and shook his head.

"I was just messing with you a little. We don't need to be serious when we are not in the hall. We are all guests here and have a limited time to speak frankly and get to know each other. We can show you around a little and introduce you to some friends we have met here."

"He is right, you are slightly older than them. Go explore and act your age. Still walk with respect but feel free to roam. The elves have been nothing but welcoming since they have, for the most part, desired this openness. However, do not spend all the gold you bought right away. I have plans for us to bring some things back home to begin trade." Scylla made sure the two knew her planks and was met with a sharp nod.

"Then I will properly introduce myself. I am sorry for the poor greeting before." The monkey trait demihuman Montey bowed his head as he apologized before officially introducing himself.

Chapter 506 - 506. Young Warriors

"I am Monty the second ranked young warrior. It is my pleasure to meet two heroes." His hand reached out to shake Walker's and Su's. He looked apologetic still for his earlier actions but Walker did not let it bother them.

"Sirius, no lone predator sulking. You need to be more outgoing." Scylla scolded Sirius who instantly followed her order to speak to the two.

"I am Surius the first ranked warrior in my kingdom. I hope we can train well together." His greeting made it seem that he was only interested in getting stronger. It wasn't a bad mentality to have but Walker knew it meant that it would be harder to get him to enjoy the sights of the forest elf city.

"I had a great idea, do you remember the monster that you told me about? The one I thought to be extinct but you proved was here all along?" Scylla was heavily hinting to Walker and Su.

"Oh, yes. Them. If we go and meet up with Midnight and Onyx they can introduce us if you would like?" Walker had realized exactly what Scylla wanted to do and where she wanted to go. The other two demihumans appeared much more confused by this.

'Don't worry it is a great surprise. Leader will show you the way. I will actually leave to try and find Alma and Wade. I want to introduce them while we can." Su had her own thoughts and started to head out the door.

"You know where we will be. If anything changes we will probably end up in a training area." Walker was already expecting to head to a training area just looking at the two demi-humans. He knew that they would want to test their strength against him and the elves around.

"Alright, let's head out and find my other party members." Walker decided that heading back t the treehouse that they stayed in was the best move. This was because he had some elemental mana crystals there and he had a suspicion that Onyx and Midnight would head there to indulge themselves.

By the time he and the three demi-humans reached the treehouse a familiar crunching of crystal could be heard. "Midnight, Onyx. I have some people here for you to meet." Walker called out as he entered and let the other in behind him. He easily found the two at the edge of the main room relaxing and snacking.

Midnight perked her head up smelling the new scents and Onyx focused his eyes on the two. "This is Sirius and Montey. They are two young warriors that represent the demi-human kingdom."

"Hello, I am Onyx. Sister says she will remember your smell." The surprised looks of the two came from the fact that onyx could speak within their minds. It was enough to shock most people but even more so the demi-humans who were not used to since it was less used in their kingdom that valued non al attack styles.

"They are hoping that you two can introduce them to the friends you made. The ones that you and I trained with. In the field." Walker was careful not to drop any hints which onyx picked up on.

"Brother, you mean the unicorns correct?" Onyx spoke only to Walker making sure that this was the thing he was mentioning.

"Yes, you got it. Scylla is the most excited though." Walker could see the eager expression that Scylla had which was mostly because she would be able to brag to her entire kingdom about meeting a unicorn.

"Sister says she will come too. We will lead the way." Onyx slithered on to Midnight's back and let her take the lead. Walker couldn't help but find the two adorable as ever before he quickly calmed his thoughts. He was a proud older brother with two very exceptional younger siblings.

"Here, I have bought some falling petal charms for everyone that comes to visit the elves. If you happen to fall off the tree they will activate runes carved on them to slow your fall. They can only be used once but are worth the saved life." Walker handed the charms to Montey and Surius.

"Thank you for the thought. We will rest much easier. I may have monkey traits, but it is rare for me to be this high.' Monty was constantly looking down since they had climbed the branches of the tree. Sirius looked more comfortable though.

"It's no problem. There are plenty of other interesting charms like this. I will show you the store on the way since we should pass it." Walker said this because it appeared that Scylla was slightly sad to not have a charm at all, however, Walker thought it silly to give her one. She had the skill to fly through the air if she so desired having a falling petal charm would never be useful to her.

With the safety measures in place, the group followed Midnight and Onyx through the city. The looks from elves out and about grew even more not that there were both humans and demi-humans within the city. The feeling of being on display made them a little uncomfortable but for the young warriors, it was nothing. They had grown up in the coliseums and were used to being watched by many.

That is the shop that sells the charms, and down there is a place that sells basic goods. Both have plenty of things that are worth the time asking about and buying. Oh, and up in the tree a few branches along is a fabric shop which sews ruins in to their fabric. They would be great for farmers who need water elemental mana in higher amounts." Walker shared this small amount of information to entice the newly arrived demi-humans to purchase things from those who had assisted him already.

Chapter 507 - 507. Guidance

Soon after they had seen the sights of the market Onyx and Midnight led them down a familiar path toward an open space. "Where are we going? I can not see anything that looks mysterious like you spoke before." Monty was the one who was willing to vocalize his curiosity over Sirius who just showed it in his face.

Scylla had yet to lose her excitement and was just eagerly following along. She knew that she could trust Walker and his party to lead them properly and did not even question the odd way they were traveling.

When they entered the small field and were instantly shown the massive field the shock was immeasurable. "How did we get here? Was that teleportation? Isn't that impossible just for story books?' This was the first time that Sirius had spoken which was making Walker want to finally engage him in conversation. Unfortunately, as soon as he gave the leopard demi-human a look the silence grew stronger.

"This is my space for the unicorns to grow safely. Little dragon and little serpent. Who have you brought with you?" The elderly half elf man was already walking around the demi-humans with curiosity. "So they have opened the city up to more than just humans huh? interesting. "

"And by the way, it is a condensed space of sorts made using my skills as someone whose sole goal is to raise and protect the unicorns here. If any of you dare to do anything I do not support or they do not like I will end you." This attitude from the old man was much more intense than previously. Walker was taken back.

"Yes sir. If my two young warriors act out of line I will not halt any punishment and even add my own. Thank you for protecting such a species. If I may, can I please ask some questions so that I may bring back some information to assist our future queen in her personal growth?"

Scylla was acting exceedingly polite on this front making Walker even more confused. "Brother, our friend is using a skill that shows his level to those he wishes to intimidate. We are not affected because he trusts us." Onyx answered the curiosity Walker had on his face.

"And young hero, the little ones have been waiting for your next visit. I listen to the gossip and hear you have an interesting sword skill. If you decide to use it you may help them burn some energy. They had been eager to use their charging horn strike skill." The man spoke with warmth and guidance towards Walker. "Of course your two demi-human friends may watch, but they may not participate. I do not forget which race forced the unicorns out of their homes first."

This sudden fact made Walker understand the treatment that the guardian had been showing the demihumans. If they were the race that had started to hunt the unicorns so strongly that they fled their home grasslands then it was the start of their near extinction.

Walker nodded and followed Midnight who had ran ahead to play with the unicorns. The young ones in the herd ran towards them and circled them obviously excited. The two demi-human warriors were frozen in place watching this, they couldn't move due to the fear they had just felt after meeting the elder that was watching over the unicorns. Even more so they didn't know how to process the fact that there were a species of monsters in front of them that had been believed to be extinct. It wall all too much to handle at the moment.

Scylla readily explained the reason behind her wanting to know more information on unicorns and their lifestyle. "I understand that I am asking a lot from you. If you are not able to share because you do not trust us I will stay as long as needed to earn that trust. But our future queen would greatly benefit from this information. Her unicorn traits are rare as it is, but if she continues this way we believe she will be without mana for life."

The situation had been much different from what Scylla had told Walker and the others. King Rorick really did not marry her yet due to his goal and pride to make their people safe. But the future queen having the unicorn traits and staying inside away from others was just the tip of the iceberg. The real problem she was kept inside was due to her weak constitution.

The future queen often held very little mana within their body to no avail. This was made worse when she was moving around and tried to use her skills. "I can tell you have never properly learned about unicorns. They must not be kept inside and sheltered. They are a wild and free creature that gains their light elemental mana from being bathed in it from all sides. They should be in a field of open grass. Even in the most brutal storms they stand out and enjoy the space. Lightning can't even fell them in the fields."

The guardian heard Scylla and saw the reasons for the weakness as clear as day. It wasn't growth problems or anything like that, it was the wrong environment for the traits the future queen possessed. "Could it really be so simple? Have we really been harming her by keeping her inside?"

"Of course you thick headed demi-humans have. Send her to those farming fields your kingdom is so proud of. I hear they are expansive and you even have a general to guard them. There should be no

problem letting her roam them and heal." The guardian was in a huff over this. He hated that they had not even learned anything about the unicorns they nearly forced to die out.

"Thank you for your guidance. I will use an item to send a message to my king regarding this immediately. I hope that we may rely on you if her health ever declines." Scylla bowed low to show her deepest respect for his assistance.

"Hmm, I guess their people have grown slightly in the past years." The guardian watched as Scylla walked a little ways away.

Chapter 508 - 508. Cool Skills

Walker saw Scylla holding a clear glass ball that appeared to fall in to sand after she spoke to it. "What was that?" He had never seen an item act in this way and was incredibly curious.

"Oh, I was using one of the crystal balls our kingdom created to send a message to the king. I believe your kingdom uses a form of expensive crystals to do the same." Scylla easily related the item to what Walker was used to bringing a look of understanding to his face.

"I might need to think about getting some of those. I haven't needed to send a message yet but I have a feeling that we have been very lucky." Walker was thinking out loud but had hit a note with Scylla.

"Herre, I carry ten or so with me at all times. Take these three so that you can contact me or our kingdom if you have the need. Just channel your mana within and saw the name of the one you wish to speak with. Then say your name and speak as fast and efficiently as possible. The mana can only hold your words for about a minute."

Walker listened intently to the requirements to use the small cherry sized glass ball. It was perfectly clear but he could tell just by touching it that his mana could easily form within. "Thank you very much. I will keep this with me at all times." Scylla had accomplished a minor goal of hers here.

She had wanted to make sure that the heroes were comfortable contacting her or others in the kingdom, when necessary. She understood the prosperity that they could bring to the kingdom at any time. Even further, she knew that the heroes would visit again and she would want to prepare.

"Now, where are the adorable unicorns I have heard so much about" Scylla knew very well that the elder was watching her carefully. She was sure to let Walker lead her and stay at a distance. He had already been greeted by the young ones after all and it was he who was able to interact with them.

"The last time we were here the young unicorns needed to burn some energy so that their parents could have a rest. So I figure it is the same. Look, Onyx and Midnight are already playing with them." Onyx had changed his size to one that easily dwarfed the young unicorns. Instead of fear, they appeared excited at this change from the last time they had visited.

"The stories do not do them justice at all. They are much more majestic than I could even imagine when I first read of them." Scylla was watching them run and chase each other. The pure white hair that they had was not matched by any other creature she had ever seen. Even the soon to be queen had slight discolorations due to her heritage. This was normal for every demi-human, they would only have some traits of the monster or animal and not everything.

"They are just having fun. Their parents have some pretty amazing healing capabilities so they are all for training. Just sit back and enjoy the show. I bet you will see some pretty cool skills." Walker was more speaking of the skills the unicorns would use but Scylla took this as the skills that he would use. "I heard that there was a charging horn skill that someone needed help practicing?"

Walker said this to instantly attract some of the younger unicorns. His theory was that they would be eager to show off the skill they had learned to the playmates they had been waiting for. His words also drew the looks of the adult unicorns which were now standing and watching. They had enough ability to sense that there was a difference in Walker's strength and that they would need to be on guard in case his strength was out of control.

Walker nodded to them out of respect which was mirrored. These were not mindless monsters but very intelligent creatures to him. It was clear that they more than understood language and intention. They could even feel how the natural mana around them reacted to the beings nearby. It was something only very pure monsters or elemental base systems could do.

Seeing that there were two tongue unicorns gathering light on their horns Walker did not waste any time taking out the twin blitz swords. He had used the lightning swordplay with one sword and now wanted to see if he could use it with two. The inspiration came from the defensive elf who used two swords to deflect and attack at the same time.

His goal was to learn the skills necessary to booth defend and attack like that elf. He knew that he would be able to do a little better since he was not trained in weaker situations and had felt heavy attacks before. This simple fact alone was going to put him at an advantage overall in training defensively.

The young unicorns began to move towards Walker building up more and more momentum. All the while their horns gained even more light elemental mana from the space around them. This was similar to the light elemental arrow that had been tested by Gil while they trained the day before.

Walker held his twin blitz swords in the same stance as he had seen the elf doing before. One was forward while the other was back. This allowed one to deflect and block attacks while the other could launch a counter attack. "He is using the swords the king gifted him. Watch how he attacks closely. His skill that he will use is from a master swordsman system." The one that paid the most attention after hearing this was Sirius. His weapon of choice was a thinner sword after all.

## Chapter 509 - 509. Perfect Pair

Monty did not want to focus himself on watching Walker since he wanted to see staff skills, yet when he looked at Scylla he knew that there was no choice. He was going to learn from what he saw or he would be pushed in to an extreme training regiment. He also saw that his rival sitting next to him was already processing the stance and the possibility of taking knowledge from a high tier skill.

Walker was readying himself and had begun to talk himself through his movements. He may have been too far for anyone to hear him but that was the very reason he did it. He wanted to understand his motions and his changes so that he could apply any of them better. To do this he spoke out loud, thought on it, and acted on it. These three things would make him forever remember it in his muscle memory. All that would be left was later repetition.

"With an incoming attack, I saw that elf push the sword to the side so that the attacking blade also went to the side. Then the other sword needed to come down and slash." Walker stepped in to the incoming horn of light using the sword to try and push it away. However, he was not used to this motion and was pushed to the side himself. He had avoided the attack but instead left himself open for the second.

"Then that elf also crossed them both and pushed up to force the blade out of his enemy's hands. Will that even work?" Walker questioned his own theories and gave it a try.

When the unicorns' changed horn skill came close he lowered himself and crossed the swords. He pushed up catching the horn and successfully forced the young unicorn up and to the side. He had perfectly blocked and pushed.

"And now I counter!" Walker did not let the chance escape him. He slashed out with one sword then turned and did the same with the other while following some steps from the dance of the wild rabbit.

In doing this he felt that the lightning swordplay skill and dance of the wild rabbit were very compatible. His face lit up due to this feeling and he started to push in. The slashes were strong but easily avoidable by the young unicorns with their naturally high agility. Many monsters in the fields needed to rely on speed to properly survive.

Walker patted himself on the back for the things he had managed to witness from the squad that Su had trained. If he had not seen them then he would not be able to copy and attempt to learn another strategy like this.

Feeling that he was able to grasp these moves and train them to the point that he may develop a skill Walker pushed more. His speed had begun to show as he had increased his agility and also used the lightning swordplay to its' full potential.

The unicorns charged at him over and over but were continuously met with different blocks and deflection styles. They tried their hardest to break through Walker's attempted attacks only to narrowly avoid them and not even touch him. This brought about an energetic frustration from the two young unicorns. They were too young to realize that they were going against a more powerful opponent and instead attacked without holding anything back.

The charged horns gained the shape of a pure white horn made of light. Walker could sense the elemental light mana within it had condensed. That wasn't the full skills then? Bring it on." Walker was glad to see the two unicorns taking their training so seriously. It had long surpassed a simple game and was now a full on sparring match. There was no way they could all hold back.

The first unicorn charged at full speed making Walker dance to his heart beat using the dance of the wild rabbit skill. Before he had even stepped again the second unicorn had forced him to move in to the dance of the rabid rabbit.

The adult unicorns shifted nervously watching this. They knew that the game had surpassed what was supposed to happen but seeing that their guardian was not stopping them decided to trust in his actions.

The danger had increased and small sparks of lightning started to come off of Walker's twin blitz swords as he moved about. This was the full use of the lightning swordplay that he had learned. However, there was a nagging feeling that he was only scratching the surface of what was meant to be there. It was like ha had learned step five before he had even learned step one. His body was telling him that there was a certain thing missing.

Walker let his senses reach out and found the fire, water, and wind elemental mana to be in turbulence around him. This simple fact alone brought him back to the accidental fusion of elements to make a lighting bolt that he had been unable to control many weeks ago.

There was also the tri tailed moth that had also used the three elements to develop some lighting attacks that made it a huge nuisance to deal with. It was almost like he had returned to both of those times.

"Then let me try something new!" He started to control the elemental mana around him to move toward the swords. The small sparks that had been caused due to his high movement began to take on a different shape.

His audience saw the sparks becoming more and more frequent until they were small arcs of lighting itself. The elemental mana in the air became charged as well. If Walker hadn't kept a strict control of this using his own mana he would be affected and most likely injured. But this skill that was forming was a perfect pair with the lightning swordplay.

## Chapter 510 - 510. Inspiration

' The skill Lighting blade skill has been fused by causing three elemental manas to become erratic and bound. The user has automatically learned the skill lightning blade from the lightning lord system.

Lightning blade- 2 mana or 10 mana

The user can overlay this skill on a metallic blade using a minimal amount of mana. If the user wishes to create this blade without a metallic vessel then they can form it out of the natural mana in the air with a significantly higher mana cost. The skill lightning blade is an incredibly fast slash that can cause stunning and paralysis to those stuck. There is a small chance the lighting from the blade can roll off to nearby targets and paralyze them temporarily.'

Walker already felt the skill happening and was too excited to stop and read the system notification. He slashed toward the closest young unicorn leaving a small cut. This didn't matter though since the lighting that had covered the blade causing the young unicorn to stiffen and fall.

The second young unicorn was moving with too much speed and had no way to avoid Walker. It even tried to stop the charged horn skill it had created but couldn't. Walker spun to dodge the incoming attack and was about to strike when a small arc of lighting came off the blade and hit the young unicorn.

The young unicorn floored the first and stiffened falling to the grounded. Walker was left standing there panting while looking at the two unicorns trying to regain control of their bodies. The adult unicorns rushed over to discover that there was nearly no harm at all to the young unicorns but still used their healing skills.

The unicorns' guardian came over and stood next to Walker with a pensive look on his face. "You are like night and day with the strength you had last time you were here. I could feel the natural mana shift slightly but that must have been the world shake the others spoke of. It is very impressive to see your improvement." The elder slapped Walker on the back a few times in congratulations.

Scylla slowly came forward, "You did say we would enjoy the show and I can't say that was a lie. I did not know you had another skill that worked with the lightning swordplay you spoke of before." She felt like she had been tricked since Walker had demonstrated another skill using lightning.

"Oh, I just learned that now. I have come in to contact with the fusion of the elemental that caused lightning a few times and I finally grasped it enough due to the lightning swordplay. I just needed to look for what I was missing." Walker was slightly embarrassed to say this since Scylla had so confidently said that he had shown off a skill she had not expected.

"There is no way you discovered such a powerful new skill without any previous training in it!' Sirius finally spoke out with a loud voice. He could not believe that Walker had managed to learn such a powerful skill that worked so well with a newly learned sword style right before his eyes. "I have trained myself for years now and needed at the very least a year to learn a new move completely. You could not have done so in an instant."

"Well, it was multiple experiences that led me to the proper fusion that made the skill. All I needed to do was grasp the full effect and meaning behind it to put the pieces together." Walker had always looked for the things his skills lacked and that was the key to his growth. When he practiced a skill or a fusion he was playing a mental puzzle game, he just never realized it since he had never said it out loud before.

Sirius was at a complete loss for words. He had been praised as a genius for his rapid growth and stood above the other warriors his age because of it. This moment was one of the few he found himself feeling inferior. "There is no reason to let it bother you. He is a very unique case. Just remember what you saw and apply it to your own training." Scylla saw the mental struggle within Surius and made sure to speak to him carefully.

On the other hand, Monty was finding that he loved the lightning Walker had used. It had made his hair stand on end and his heart beat faster. The current rush of blood he was experiencing brought about an excitement he could not place a finger on at all. "Please give me the chance to learn that lightning skill. I use a staff but I believe I can learn to use lightning too."

Walker found himself on the surprised end this time. He did not believe that the second ranked young warrior who did not use swords at all would find the most inspiration and drive to improve. He had expected Sirius to come out with new knowledge for sure, that was just to be expected from watching another use the same weapon in different styles.

Scylla was also intrigued by this. She could see that Monty was not acting as himself but instead with his instincts. There was a strange drive powering him that she could only feel was like an elemental affinity. "I think that is a great idea. The young unicorns have become tired and they deserve a little show to send them off to rest. Would this be acceptable?' She looked for permission from the unicorns' guardian before pushing any farther with the idea.

"I will not stop you. Just keep the sp[ace far from the herd so that they will not be caught in the attacks. Other than that I will be watching as well." The elder was met by Midnight and Onyx who had also witnessed Walker's new skill. They too wanted to see what would come of such a moment.