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"A unique system..." Hilda whispered, "you unlocked a unique system." Her face was full of confusion and disbelief. Unique systems were uncommon but could mean anything.

"Are you sure?" Garret broke in. His face was serious. "You know it can be incredibly dangerous out in the wild taking quests. If you can do anything it's safer to learn within the walls and complete your system quests to gain experience. Especially if you aren't limited to what you can do." Instead of being stunned, Garret immediately began pressing Walker, knowing that his son could learn rare skills and live an easy life without worry within the walls. He didn't want to see his son leave the walls only to come back hurt like the many he'd seen while on the job as a guard.

"I'm sure, I've always wanted to explore and because I can do anything is why I should become an adventurer! I can't even imagine what else I can learn while out exploring. Plus if I ever decide to retire I can start doing anything in the city, I won't have to worry about my future being ruined if I get injured or if I decide to stop exploring." The years of running around meeting so many people to try and unlock his system made him want to meet even more people. What other kinds of systems were there? Why can't I live the stories I've heard? Can I fight monsters like the high level adventurers who save whole villages? These questions flowed in his mind.

Garret immediately left the room, but quickly returned carrying a small leather shield. "This was my first shield, it might not be strong but to start it could save your life. I also want you to prove to me you can equip it!" Hilda watched and slowly came out of her shocked state grasping what Garrett was thinking, she knew that if Walker indeed could prove himself then they would not have to worry so much. They didn't distrust Walker but what if Walker had misunderstood his system and couldn't equip everything? It could spell his death outside the walls.

Walker grabbed the leather shield knowing that if he equipped an item that was not of his class its stats would be reduced to zero and had a high potential to break upon use. Instead, the system graced him with this message,

'Equipped with a small leather shield to the left arm. Def+2 agi-1'

Garret immediately let fly a soft open palm slap toward the shield. His hand made a loud thud upon the leather but the shield didn't budge and neither did Walker who had steeled himself behind it.

' skill perfect block has been taken from The Guardian System. Would you like to learn the skill perfect block?'

"Yes, learn skill perfect block." he exclaimed knowing he would need it in the future.

'Learned skill- perfect blockmagic

Cost-5 mana

As long as a shield is equipped can block an attack only allowing up to 5 points of damage through'

"Did you just say perfect block!" Garret questioned "Only guardians learn that skill, it's very costly to mana and very hard to learn. It's a high class skill, it may not be a master skill but it's as close as you can get for defense!" Garret started to step back looking as if he would fall over. His son had just learned a skill from something so small, was this really possible?!

The overwhelming feeling of tiredness had set in on Walker, he had only six mana and he'd just used his last five after his level up leaving him at zero. He quickly sat down as his mother rushed to his side to scold him. "You can't rush in to this you've already tired yourself out, if you're going to be so reckless I won't be teaching you to make my never stale bread before you leave to register in the morning!"

Walker smiled knowing with those words he had gained his mother's blessing as well, however as his eyes shifted to his sister he knew immediately that she was going to do everything within her power to keep him in the house come sunrise.

As sleep came easily walker was awakened by a new sound of a system message issuing his first ever daily quest,magic

' your dreams and desires have guided you to live the life of an adventurer.

Quest: register as an adventurer and pass the three tests to gain the first tier adventurer plaque of stone

Reward:

5exp, party skill'

Walker was excited not only could he gain some experience but he would get a skill used by adventurers and leaders that would allow him to join or create a party. Most people needed to gain the skill through their system or by having a party decided and approved by a guild. The advantages he had were starting to show, not small. Maybe having a system like this wasn't as bad as he thought.

He quickly hopped from his bed and began getting dressed being as careful as possible not to let the floorboards creak. Through the years he had learned to avoid the squeaky boards that would wake Lisa as he passed her bedroom. Thinking to himself, please stay asleep please stay asleep he was quickly interrupted by the system,

' Due to constant careful actions the skill silent feet has been found from the Hunters system would you like to learn the skill: Silent feet?'

"Yes learn skill Silent Feet" whispered walker

' silent feet skill has been learned

Silent feet- mana cost 0

Users steps become nearly silent allowing them to sneak up on prey or pass by predators without alerting them'

Quickly walker moved to the kitchen contemplating how a skill cost zero mana. He wondered if it was a unique skill of a hunter but was happy nonetheless knowing it would be useful to escape from a dangerous situation.

"Good morning." Flowed the bright voice of Hilda " I've prepared a backpack with some necessities you will need by the door but before you run out you'll be making bread with me."

Walker was used to helping his mother and jumped right in to measuring, mixing, and preparing the tools. But surprising the second he began kneading the dough his system chimed in,

' through consecutive actions the passive skill Extension has been learned.

Extension- passive

Extends the lifetime of food, potions, items, and others. Crafted by the user'

"Mother I just got the extension skill, is this why your bread doesn't stale as fast as normal bread?"

"Yes that's exactly right, I know it does more than just extend the shelf life of food stuffs but since that's my specialty it's all it affects. Since you might try your hand in potions or crafting I wanted you to try to learn it. It's my way of making sure you won't go hungry while out and about." Hilda said using a tender but firm voice full of pride. Upon learning that her son could learn any skill she desperately wanted to pass on a skill to him. As his mother she felt it was her duty to do something no matter how small to help him get started. "Now be quick I can hear your father putting on his gear, tell him he's responsible for walking with you to the adventurers guild, good luck today remember to be careful!"

Finding his father half dressed in his guard uniform and gear walker grabbed his backpack and bounced from foot to foot.

Garet was used to this as walker had always acted like this when going out to hunt for his system. The difference now was instead of searching he would be setting off on his own journey with his newly unlocked system. How many times had he and Hilda stayed up worried that walker wouldn't be able to survive daily life without a system? This fear had almost become true, but like a ray of hope walker gained his system and was ready to face the world. "Ha there we go!" Garret put on his gloves last as always and stood to open the door. " let's go get you to the adventurers guild. You better bring back a good story for us." Walker could only nod his head in excitement.

