

Unlimited Power - The Arcane Path (Completed)

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Although Leon didn't want to move all that much, he forced himself to do the first thing he does every day, harvest blue angel leaves and turn them into dust, and then added water to create the mana liquid . At least, he managed to use the liquid to practice Haste . It was a good idea to run or exercise his body while that skill was active and while he was recovering his mana without much effort . But Leon felt that only that was enough . . . since Haste also increases his perception of time, perhaps he would get rid of that depression faster .

However, different from the times Leon stayed in that state for several days on the island, this time, he recovered before Darya woke up . It was thanks to the fact that he knew that his family and friends were alive . He did everything to increase their chances of survival in case something happens, and the ring he gave them would also make them stronger every day . So, Leon didn't have to waste too much time doubting his efforts .

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Zombie Kraken

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Mana: 12000/12000

Stamina: 6000/6000

Active Skills: Water Cyclone Lv 150, Suction Lv 90, Dark Ink Lv 80

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‘ . . . What do you think of this ?’ Leon asked .

‘ . . . I think there is a chance that your invasion and my disappearance may have made the guards up above to look for us, and that caused the fight if that is what you are worried about .’ Darya answered . ‘However, now and then, some survivors down here cause a ruckus in the city, and a few days later, the guards come to hunt them down or to at least cause some problems to make them think twice before doing that again .’

In the end, the chances of Leon have caused that was fifty percent .

Regardless, Leon and Darya flew for a while, and they found the signs of many battles . Leon frowned because Darya said the warriors from above only conducted raids every few months . However, it looked like they attacked the warriors more than a few times and in just in a few days .

Fortunately, Leon and Darya soon ran into Anton and his warriors, and it appeared none of them were injured .

‘Hey, long time no see,’ Anton said . ‘I haven’t heard anything about you guys in the past few months . So I thought you had traveled to a far away zone . ‘

‘Is everything alright?’ Leon asked .

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Based on Anton’s and his friends’ attitude, it looked like they weren’t angry or nervous . As they didn’t emit any killing intent and Leon couldn’t feel their mana moving suspiciously either . Still, it was a good idea to stay alert just in case . Leon and Darya’s Mana Armor leveled up a lot in the last few months, but those guys had pretty good magic weapons created by Leon . Adding to that equation, their superior physical strength . . . they couldn’t be underestimated .

‘You look worried, but you can relax,’ Anton said . ‘As you can imagine, they attacked us because someone invaded the research center . We are aware that you went there, too . Still, they only sent a few recruits just to show to the population above that they are working to keep things peaceful . Thanks to your weapons, the fight was easy and none of us were injured . ‘

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Leon looked at Darya, but she just shrugged . If things were alright, then Leon didn’t have anything to worry about . So, he asked Anton if he knew where he could find ghost-type monsters that can suck mana from their targets .

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. . . I think there is a chance that your invasion and my disappearance may have made the guards up above to look for us, and that caused the fight if that is what you are worried about . Darya answered . However, now and then, some survivors down here cause a ruckus in the city, and a few days later, the guards come to hunt them down or to at least cause some problems to make them think twice before doing that again .

In the end, the chances of Leon have caused that was fifty percent .

Regardless, Leon and Darya flew for a while, and they found the signs of many battles . Leon frowned because Darya said the warriors from above only

conducted raids every few months . However, it looked like they attacked the warriors more than a few times and in just in a few days .

Fortunately, Leon and Darya soon ran into Anton and his warriors, and it appeared none of them were injured .

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'It can't be blocked . '

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Leon had to test for a few minutes before he could fully understand how Zen actually worked . Although he created rings that had similar abilities before, he didn't test them . Rather, he didn't have time to test them .

'As expected, Zen is the improved version of Meditation,' Leon said . 'Even though it is only at level sixty, it can recover one hundred and twenty points of mana per minute . It is two times better, and we don't have to sit down and clear our minds . Here, this is yours . '

'Are you sure?' Darya asked .

‘Yeah, with the extra intelligence you will obtain from the ring, you will be able to knock down the liches with a single Earth Punch,’ Leon explained .

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The moment Darya put the ring, she noticed how powerful that thing was . If the soldiers on the frontlines obtain that kind of equipment, they would probably win the war against the harvesters .

‘How did you learn such a spell?’ Darya frowned . ‘You said that the technology of this world is more advanced than the place you came from, but I never heard of anyone creating magic items and even turning massive monsters into zombies to follow their commands . ‘

‘The spell to turn dead monsters into zombies, I learned by chance,’ Leon answered . ‘However, I only found the tome after hearing a certain voice... I believe someone gave me that spell to make me slack off . As for the skill to create magic items, I learned after trying to replicate the skill that the creature who summoned me to this world gave to some troublesome guys...‘

‘... It looks like you and your world are being monitored by some suspicious individuals . ‘ Darya frowned . ‘It also looks like they belong to places that have been assimilated by the system a very long time ago . ‘

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The next lich Darya attacked, got knocked down by a single Earth Punch, it looked like Leon wasn’t good at noticing that kind of thing and making some calculations . Regardless, using Telekinesis again, Leon moved the body of the monster and sealed its spirit in another ring . At the same time, he started to wonder about what he was doing, was it really fine seal the spirit of a sentient being inside an item ? Considering their past, they certainly were sentient beings, but they didn’t act like one after leaving the dungeon...

Although Leon was questioning himself, he soon forgot about it because he started to wonder if he could increase the effects of the Zen, if he equips several pieces of equipment that have the same skills . In the end, he couldn’t . However, Leon kept using their spirits to create magic items . Ninety percent of the magic items he created came with Zen, so he decided to make stock . . . those could be useful later .

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‘Still, I will challenge the boss... once I feel confident in my skills . ‘ Leon said . ‘Let’s train here for a while, we won’t recover as much mana as we did on the island, but the rings I created will help us in that regard a little . Besides, we can always buy mana potions in the dungeon shop . ‘

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‘We will do the same as always,’ Leon answered . ‘However, this time, we won’t attack the liches by surprise . I will let them attack me using Cursed Ray . That way, I will practice my Curse Resistance and even practice a little Full-Recover . Even if they manage to make me lose control over my body, I

won't lose my ability to use mana or spells, so it is fine . I will stop them with earth, and you will knock them out . The more undead Trent branches and magic items we obtain, the better . ‘

Leon had to test for a few minutes before he could fully understand how Zen actually worked . Although he created rings that had similar abilities before, he didnt test them . Rather, he didnt have time to test them .

As expected, Zen is the improved version of Meditation, Leon said . Even though it is only at level sixty, it can recover one hundred and twenty points of mana per minute . It is two times better, and we dont have to sit down and clear our minds . Here, this is yours .

Are you sure? Darya asked .

Yeah, with the extra intelligence you will obtain from the ring, you will be able to knock down the liches with a single Earth Punch, Leon explained .

The moment Darya put the ring, she noticed how powerful that thing was . If the soldiers on the frontlines obtain that kind of equipment, they would probably win the war against the harvesters .

How did you learn such a spell? Darya frowned . You said that the technology of this world is more advanced than the place you came from, but I never heard of anyone creating magic items and even turning massive monsters into zombies to follow their commands .

The spell to turn dead monsters into zombies, I learned by chance, Leon answered . However, I only found the tome after hearing a certain voice... I

believe someone gave me that spell to make me slack off . As for the skill to create magic items, I learned after trying to replicate the skill that the creature who summoned me to this world gave to some troublesome guys...

... It looks like you and your world are being monitored by some suspicious individuals . Darya frowned . It also looks like they belong to places that have been assimilated by the system a very long time ago .

I think so too... even though I wasn't supposed to learn this kind of skill at this point in time, I have no other choice but to use it . Leon explained . That is why I train day and night in order not to let my body and mind get relaxed by those spells .

The next lich Darya attacked, got knocked down by a single Earth Punch, it looked like Leon wasn't good at noticing that kind of thing and making some calculations . Regardless, using Telekinesis again, Leon moved the body of the monster and sealed its spirit in another ring . At the same time, he started to wonder about what he was doing, was it really fine seal the spirit of a sentient being inside an item? Considering their past, they certainly were sentient beings, but they didn't act like one after leaving the dungeon...

Although Leon was questioning himself, he soon forgot about it because he started to wonder if he could increase the effects of the Zen, if he equips several pieces of equipment that have the same skills . In the end, he couldn't . However, Leon kept using their spirits to create magic items . Ninety percent of the magic items he created came with Zen, so he decided to make stock . . . those could be useful later .

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All the dungeons Leon encountered so far in Miebos had some kind of irregularity, despite that, the liches' dungeon spawned six monsters every ten minutes, just like the dungeons on Earth . Thanks to that, after letting himself get hit at least once by the Cursed Rays of those creatures, Leon's cursed Resistance reached level fifty in one week . Now the Cursed Rays only managed to make half of a single leg go numb .

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Leon used Telekinesis and the ring of gravity to counter Stagnation of the ancient undead Trent, but the difference in power was too big . Since he also had to use that on Darya, the number of his attacks decreased a lot .

‘This presence . . . you are not Donan .’ The undead Trent said . ‘Another presence is similar to his . . . a descendant? That fool . . . he said that none would approach this place .’

That monster was truly resilient . It was receiving Leon’s attacks, it was talking and was able to keep its concentration to cast spells . Despite having its body being burned by magma .

‘Tsk . . . let’s see if you can endure this .’ Leon clicked his tongue .

Leon stopped shooting Magma Spears for a while and then concentrated, a few seconds later, a massive lightning bolt fell from the top of the cave hitting the undead Trent . Stagnation effects disappeared, and then Leon and Darya had some room to breathe while the tree was letting some smoke out of its body .

‘So much power behind such a simple spell . . . your mana quality . . .’ The undead Trent mumbled . ‘You are not from this world, are you?’

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It looked like the creature was blind . Regardless, Leon had no reason to answer that . Instead, he used the chance to make the tree eat some Magma Spears .

‘Insolent fool!’ The undead Trent shouted . ‘ You will pay for this!’

The creature stopped using its mouth to talk . Instead, it used its mouth to spit a massive wave of mud . In the blink of an eye, the entire dungeon became a sea of mud . . . it was probably the skill Quagmire . The mud was like three meters deep, and if the creature uses Stagnation again . . . Just like Leon thought that the air around started to vibrate, and their bodies got heavier . Fortunately, the steel containers filled with mana liquid were five meters tall, and the mud didn't spread that far . So, they were alright for the time being .

Leon wanted to use Lightning again and stop the Stagnation, but he didn't . He couldn't see the purple crystal, but it was probably behind or inside the undead Trent, if he tried to attack with that kind of spell, he would cause a dungeon break . It was annoying and didn't help all that much, but Leon created a block of earth to keep him and Darya out of the mud, and then he cast Regeneration on himself and on her .

‘Just hang in there,’ Leon said . ‘That thing can't properly attack us, so we don't have to worry about being suddenly killed . ‘

‘Ugh... okay...‘ Darya said on her knees .

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‘Annoying little insects . . . ‘ The undead Trent said, visibly displeased .

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As if that was a joke, the eyes of the Trent started to emit a purple glow, and then it shot a Cursed Ray toward Leon and Darya . Leon created an Earth Wall to block the attack, and he succeeded, but soon the Earth Wall started to break due to the Stagnation . He had to create a thick steel wall to stop that, but even so, little by little, the wall was sinking in the ground of the cave, all due to the Stagnation .

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Darya had no idea why Leon couldn't do that himself, but soon she understood why when she saw a massive and thick steel spear being created in front of Leon . The bigger the weapon was, the more mana Leon would have to use to keep the weapon from falling on the ground before completing . Instead of creating a big tip for the spear, Leon created a short, but very sharp tip .

Leon used Telekinesis and the ring of gravity to counter Stagnation of the ancient undead Trent, but the difference in power was too big . Since he also had to use that on Darya, the number of his attacks decreased a lot .

This presence . . . you are not Donan . The undead Trent said . Another presence is similar to his . . . a descendant ? That fool . . . he said that none would approach this place .

That monster was truly resilient . It was receiving Leons attacks, it was talking and was able to keep its concentration to cast spells . Despite having its body being burned by magma .

Tsk . . . lets see if you can endure this . Leon clicked his tongue .

Leon stopped shooting Magma Spears for a while and then concentrated, a few seconds later, a massive lightning bolt fell from the top of the cave hitting the undead Trent . Stagnation effects disappeared, and then Leon and Darya had some room to breathe while the tree was letting some smoke out of its body .

So much power behind such a simple spell . . . your mana quality . . . The undead Trent mumbled . You are not from this world, are you ?

It looked like the creature was blind . Regardless, Leon had no reason to answer that . Instead, he used the chance to make the tree eat some Magma Spears .

Insolent fool! The undead Trent shouted . You will pay for this!

The creature stopped using its mouth to talk . Instead, it used its mouth to spit a massive wave of mud . In the blink of an eye, the entire dungeon became a sea of mud . . . it was probably the skill Quagmire . The mud was like three meters deep, and if the creature uses Stagnation again . . . Just like Leon thought that the air around started to vibrate, and their bodies got heavier . Fortunately, the steel containers filled with mana liquid were five meters tall, and the mud didnt spread that far . So, they were alright for the time being .

Leon wanted to use Lightning again and stop the Stagnation, but he didnt . He couldnt see the purple crystal, but it was probably behind or inside the undead Trent, if he tried to attack with that kind of spell, he would cause a dungeon break . It was annoying and didnt help all that much, but Leon created a block of earth to keep him and Darya out of the mud, and then he cast Regeneration on himself and on her .

Just hang in there, Leon said . That thing cant properly attack us, so we dont have to worry about being suddenly killed .

Ugh... okay... Darya said on her knees .

Although Darya was short and light, Leon could see her bleeding from her knees . She was a cannon-glass even more than Leon, and since she disliked letting the monsters get too close, her resistances werent at a high-level .

Even though Leons Gravity Resistance was level thirty-five, it wasnt of much use against Stagnation level one hundred .

Annoying little insects . . . The undead Trent said, visibly displeased .

Although that would slow down his firing rate, Leon decided to focus a little more before shooting his Magma Spears . He didnt feel the need to use Haste before since his target was too far away, and it couldnt attack him directly per se, but he activated to increase his reaction and overall speed . Despite that, the number of attacks halved, but all of Leons Magma Spears hit the monsters face and caused a lot more damage .

How dare you . . . how dare you! The Trent shouted .

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