

## Brand New 911

### Chapter 911 Back From The Mines

Angelina and her party joined us for today's dinner inside of Ambil's workshop. The place has never been this lively before. Ambil had been rather overwhelmed with all the people constantly getting inside his house, but he had already grown a bit used to it after a couple of weeks. He was just happy to have many friends I believe. Despite the outer layer of his personality, which is rough and a bit grumpy, he was someone that was always craving for connections and bonds with others, someone very lonely.

"Just how many friends are you bringing to my house now, Planta?" He complained again, although he didn't seem all that angry actually.

"Hahaha, we're sorry for coming all the time, Ambil. We appreciate your hospitality though." Angelina laughed out loud while drinking a huge jug of beer in a single drink. "Phew! Nothing beats pigging out inside BNLO, where I don't have to care about my weight or whatever!" She said that right before beginning to munch of a giant dragon burger I had prepared with leftover dragon monster meat.

"You're such an alcoholic, Angelina. Just how much are you drinking every day inside of BNLO?" Wondered Anikitty. "Is this how you'll get better?" She was eating a lot herself.

"I think we shouldn't be talking about such things..." Gandalf sighed. "Ahem! Anyways, about what we found; it was quite a lot of stuff."

"Yeah, here." Erdrich said, quickly giving me a bag full of stuff.

"Oh? Wait, this is...."

I quickly stored the bag inside my inventory before its odor were to leak out. It was a bag full of Demonic Crystal Shards and also of broken demonic relics and another demon book! It was quite surprising to find this inside a single bag. Did they had to handle the materials so roughly?!

"Those shards inside are from a Demonic Core." Angelina explained while cleaning her mouth with a handkerchief. "We had to shatter that thing into pieces, so the Demonic Beasts stopped being born. It

would have escalated to something even worse if we didn't have the assistance of the Queen's Shadows."

"Demonic Core? What's that?" Rita asked curiously. "Come on, tell us the juicy details."

"Well, first of all..."

Angelina was the worst at explaining how things went, so it was up to Gandalf to tell us. He told us that they had gone to the mines as per request of the King. After all, we found three routes leading to the origin of the demonic book we once found.

The first route we took led us to the noble district where we discovered Lord Magica and his malefic family of zombie demon chimeras, which ended on him becoming a demon himself. However, there were two other routes.

One of them led to the Mine Dungeon where this city extracts a large quantity of their resources from, owned by the Kingdom, there are all kinds of workers there, from miners to hired mercenaries and adventurers to clear the areas out of monsters.

They walked through a special route that led them where they ended confronting the Demonic Beasts. Apparently, these creatures were hiding very deep into the dungeon, in between many very tight corridors almost inaccessible to most.

"We had to really get rough with the walls. We blasted them using magic and made Erdrich's undead carry out all the rubble for us to keep moving." Said Gandalf.

"You really worked them to the bone there, hah!" Erdrich laughed over his lame pun.

"Anyways, so once we got to the end of it, we found them nya." Said Anikitty, drinking some cold milk tea. "We had to be sneaky though, there were at least two hundred of them roaming around, watching over the rest, which were still developing eggs."

"So you found a whole nest full of demonic beast eggs?!" Jenny cried. "Eeek, that's freaking creepy! And how did they look like? Wait, what are Demonic Beasts anyways?"

"They're like Monsters infected with Demonic Miasma, they become stronger and smarter, and often obey someone that has some authority over them, like a demon or a demonic cultist." I explained. "Or so I believe it is..."

"There wasn't a single soul aside from those insect-like creatures though." Angelina said. "Only that, the Demonic Core in the center of an altar, surrounded by a very complex Magic Ritual Circle containing countless Demonic Runes, it had the shape of a Pentagram, and it was drawing power from who knows where to fuel that huge red crystal."

"The red crystal was then controlling the Demonic Beasts, like some kind of Artificial Intelligence left there to take care of them..." Gandalf said. "It certainly had a mind of its own, and masterfully controlled the Demonic Beasts to protect itself."

"Though, we ultimately managed to shatter it. Once that happened, most of the Demonic Beasts were unable to fight back with coordination and fell against our army of summons and AOE attacks, mostly coming from Gandalf and Angelina." Said Anikitty. "Those assassin shadow guys that serve the Queen though, they were really strong. Only around ten of them came with us, led by a really pretty woman. But they were able to handle half the Demonic Beasts and allow us to break the Demonic Core in time!"

"Yeah, anyways, once we destroyed the core, we had to quickly slay the rest of the monsters. We got plenty of EXP out of the entire process." Erdrich nodded. "We're getting closer to max level already. Doing World Quest-related stuff always brings a ton of EXP man."

"And so when you destroyed that Demonic Core, you found these things?" I asked while browsing through my inventory. "Another book almost identical to the one we found back then. I don't even want to grab it because I'm totally getting a headache again. And then there's the crystal shards, and some broken relics? They look like rings, bracelets, candles... imbued with pentagrams and demonic energy."

"Yeah, we suspect they used that to perform a Demonic Ritual." Angelina nodded. "The shadows went back to the Queen with the rest of the things, they didn't let us grab everything for ourselves. There were more books they took."

"So that's how it is..." I nodded.

"However, there's something else we wanted to show you, Elayne." Angelina suddenly took out something.

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## Chapter 912 Demonic Idols

"Something?" I wondered, tilting my head.

"Yes, this... This thing." Angelina said, taking out a wooden idol from her inventory, something that wasn't in the bag Erdrich handled to me.

It was a bizarre idol, carved out of crimson wood and covered on blood. It had the shape of a six-armed, three-headed, four-

legged human-like demon covered on flames.

The demon was sitting over a throne made of skulls and bones, and it had a single, giant eye in the middle of its long head, which ended on two insect-like antennae that were probably horns, actually.

"W-What the hell is that thing?" Rita asked.

Everyone that glanced at this idol felt a strange uneasiness. It emanated a cursed and demonic essence from within, something that just felt not right. It made the whole dinner feel heavier. I even experienced some nausea out of nowhere.

"This is apparently something called "Demon King Idol"..." Angelina said. "We have no idea what Demon King this even is, it doesn't look like the Miasma one nor the Death one. It is overall really bizarre."

"Um, so you wanted to just give that to Elayne?" Lily wondered, feeling a bit disturbed.

"A-Ah, no, not just that." Laughed Angelina. "I mean yes, that too. You're the ones investigating this whole thing and know much more than us. However, it was also because that woman that led the Shadows, she was very knowledgeable about Cursed Relics. And she said that this item had a very strong curse that can only be broken using Divinity."

"Divinity...?" I wondered. "But that Curse, do you think...?"

"We can't really say for sure, but it could be possible that this idol is some sort of special item, something that keeps or creates a connection between this Mortal Plane and Hell, where the Cultists draw their powers." Said Angelina. "I tried using my Holy Light on it, but nothing, it didn't even budge. Also no magic or weapons can harm this. We can store it inside the inventory, but the effects it has over the world still persists."

"Wait, this reminds me of the Idols we Druids make. Some cultists do the same for their demons?" Johanna wondered, rising an eyebrow.

"You're not wrong there!" I nodded. "It reminds me of the Idol the Druids made for me... Back home..."

Wait, if that Idol strengthened the existence of my own Domain in the world, and also made my connection with it and nature stronger. Then this Cursed Idol probably has a similar effect! Are the Cultists trying to bring forth a "Domain" from Hell itself? Is this their ultimate plan, or something else?

And then perhaps they're using the Miasma and Nether Powers from the two other Demon Kings to bring forth all these powers. All this horror... These demons, this bloodshed, all of it. Is this all a plan for them to spread the curse and make the Domain feel... stronger and clearer?

To make it real?

I know I'm making little sense right now, but it feels like we're finally getting somewhere. Whatever they're planning, it has to do with creating a Domain, perhaps in the same way I did to fight the Demons back on Earth, to summon it into the Luminous Kingdom.

I explained however I could what I meant to my friends. They somehow understood a bit and nodded.

"So that's it! Destroy the idol and then we can weaken their stupid plan!" Rita laughed out loud.

"Yeah, I mean, I was going to try." I nodded. "But what I mean is, this isn't the last one. I would guess they could have dozens more everywhere, if we want to stop their plan from coming to fruition, we need to find these."

"Then destroying or purifying it would be a bad idea right now..." Mark said. "We'll need the real deal at full power to locate the rest of the idols. After all, if they're truly the pillars of some sort of special Domain, then they have a connection between one another."

"That's right." I said. "But that also could be dangerous if we do it ourselves, even more if we separate. But if we go in big groups, it'll be way too obvious! This is a bit complicated..."

"Then how about we leave it to the Spirits themselves?" Johanna wondered. "You're a master of Spirits, just as a large group of them to sneak around and find the traces. Once we've secured where each trace is located, we'll take them down."

"I had considered that, yes." I nodded. "I'll need to spend a lot of Mana and I'll also require the assistance of more people. Especially those attuned with Spirits and Nature." I looked at her with puppy eyes.

"Really? Well... They were already willing to help and Lady Verdant also agreed so... Fine." Johanna nodded. "I'll go fetch granny and then we'll tell the rest of the Druids. How about we make the Ritual in the Druid Guild Building?"

"Sure! Sounds like a plan!" I nodded. "This'll be our best chance to weaken the cultists from the roots themselves."

Without further ado, we hurried up in our dinner and then ran towards the Druid Guild's Building. A dozen Druids were already waiting us inside, granny Austucia had already made a huge Ritual Circle with the specifics I had told Johanna about.

"You're here! Hurry! Let's begin right away. The better we can weaken those damned demon worshipers, the better!" Granny Austucia was very happy to see us.

"Alright guys let's do this. Angelina, Anikitty, Gandalf, you're joining the Ritual Circle too. Your Mana and connection with Spirits and Holiness is good enough." I invited them into the whole thing.

They were a bit overwhelmed after greeting so many Druid NPCs they had never seen before but cooperated without issues. After all, this was also something convenient for them. Completing this World Quest was the reason their Guild Alliance was made to begin with.

"All's ready..." Austucia said.

"Then let's begin." I nodded.

FLAAASH!

My Spiritual Aura and Mana fused with the ritual circle, everyone's Mana pathways combining together and interconnecting into a sea of pure Spiritual Essence.

And the idol, right in the middle of this ritual circle, started letting out sparks of red demonic energy.

My eyes expanded into every horizon possible, as I saw it.

Four other connections, four more idols to go.

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Chapter 913 Demon-Hunting Spirits

"There are four connections, four more idols... I can see it now." I said, closing my eyes. "They're small, but well protected. They form giant, invisible pillars of black and red flames. Creating a stronger

connection with Hell than ever before. But also, the Domain of Death, slowly expanding across the entire city and its surroundings, resembling a black cloud, invisible too."

As I explained what I could see, the Druids nodded as they heard me in silence.

"Looks like we have to hurry and find them... We're still setting things up for the Ritual Circle to summon our lady's power." Said Austucia. "Planta, should we go ourselves to fetch them?"

"No, it is too dangerous. You should hide or pretend to be normal citizens for now, everyone. My spirits will take care of these things." I said. "Using the power of all my Skills, and my Title as the Fey Wild's Second Ruler, I'll make a connection with that Realm and create a large group of Special Spirits. Probably High Spirits that can hide easily."

"Should we help as well?" Johanna asked.

"If you can, keep channeling Mana and Spiritual Essence, I'll do the rest!" I winked at her, as she nodded while blushing a bit.

The ritual continued, and I combined the energies I had gathered through various skills, abilities, and my connection to the Fey Wilds, creating a squadron of over twenty High Spirits. This time, they weren't going to stay for like five minutes, they were staying for 7 days, which was more than enough for what we needed them to do

"[Summon High Spirits: Demon-Hunting Shades]"

FLASH! FLASH! FLASH!

The shadows materialized into the figures of tall, lanky men or women, they had pale white skin and long black hair. Everyone had thought I would summon pretty-looking fairy-like spirits or something. But with Rita's element in the ritual, I made sure to create specialized spirits by utilizing her own Dark Spirits as ingredients.

[You have summoned the High Spirits: [Demon-Hunting Shades]!]

[These High Spirits have been summoned using your Authority of the Fey Wilds, large quantities of Spirits, Spirit Essence, and Mana!]

[Their lifespan has been greatly increased to 7 Days.]

"Woah, these guys look a bit creepy, don't they?" Johanna wondered.

"Are they really Spirits and not Ghosts?" Old man Augustus asked, squinting his eyes at the Spirits.

"They're still obviously spirits, Augustus! Don't be a fool!" Said Austucia. "They possess a great connection with Nature and the Spiritual Plane of the Fey Wilds! But they're made different, stronger, stealthier, made for a purpose."

"Master, tell us our purpose." The largest of the Shades, resembling a tall woman with long, white hair, pale skin, empty black eyes, and wearing clothes made of flowing dark clouds, bowed before me.

"Thank you for coming. Your purpose is simple, divide into four equal groups and find these Idols. I've already passed into your minds the necessary information and how to track them." I explained. "Once you find them, either take them with you and bring them to me if possible, and if it isn't, then come back to me and tell me where you found them."

"Understood." They nodded, immediately dividing into four groups of five each, and quickly disappearing. They were like any spirit, capable of phasing through all physical matter, but with a few additional abilities, such as natural demon tracking skills, the power to merge with shadows, to turn completely invisible, and possessed great stealth.

"And that's that! We'll probably get news from them in a couple of hours, perhaps tomorrow." I nodded. "Phew! Well, now that we're done with this, shall we return back to Ambil's workshop? We have to prepare to enter the Ancient Valley."

"So it was true! You found an entrance to the Ancient Valley, Lady Planta?" Austucia asked, rather shocked.

"Yes! It was given to us by Hephaestus Divine Smithy, the entrance was already there, but we needed the key to enter. I had to make some Mythic and a Legendary Item." I nodded. "This bracelet is one of them!"

"Wow, that is certainly a divine relic! To think you would be such an incredible blacksmith and craftsman, while simultaneously being an Yggdragon. Combining the flames and craftsmanship of races such as Dwarves with the Nature and Serenity of Spirits and Dryads, you're truly an unique existence." Austucia seemed amazed by me. "What does that bracelet of yours do? Perhaps a stronger magic power?"

"Oh no, it helps me cultivate!" I said.

"Cultivate? Like plants?" She wondered, rising an eyebrow.

"Hahaha, no, no, it's something different. Let me explain it to you while we have some tea. I still need to wait for my daughter to come here. She'll get here in an hour from now I believe." I said.

"Sure! Let's relax and drink some tea. I do have some cookies little Johanna brought for me. Let me share them with you all!" Granny Austucia was as nice and gentle as ever.

"Granny you're giving away the cookies I bought for you?!" Johanna got slightly angrily.

"Don't worry, I'll share some I have myself too! Come on, let's just rest. We are all a bit tired after all." I giggled.

Granny Austucia prepared some nice herbal tea for everyone, inviting Angelina and her friends as well. They were going to definitely join us in the exploration of the Ancient Valley, so our party was shaping itself to be gigantic. Whatever challenge we find inside is going to get demolished.

"I see! So that's the cultivation you meant. I have never left this continent. The Verdant Continent is immense, and it covers over half of this world. But to think there's more continents out there aside from the Demon King's Continent..." Said Austucia. "The Eastern Continent, huh? Sounds like an interesting place to explore."

"So that's where the Techniques that Knights and Fighters utilize to grow stronger come from, huh?" Johanna nodded.

"And that bracelet... Will help you transform Mana and Spirit Essence into this Ki energy?" Augustus asked.

"Yeah, pretty much. It'll unlock my three meridians over time. I need to do this if I want to grow physically stronger." I said. "And-"

Knock, knock!

Suddenly, the door of the Druid Guild was knocked, as it was hastily opened, my daughter and her friends stepped in.

"Mom? Are you there? Ugh, it's all damp and dark in here."

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## Chapter 914 Greenie

My daughter and her friends arrived half an hour after the teatime started. They came to the guild because of the coordinates we had, as we were all guild members, we were able to naturally see where one another was located. She came with Anna, Monica, Elisa, and the only male in their party, a green-haired Brownie wearing glasses and a scholar suit. He was carrying a long wooden staff and a tome and seemed quite adorable with their big, blue eyes.

"Oh, your daughter? I had no idea you had a Blue Oni Demon as your daughter..." Granny Austucia was rather shocked to learn that. "Is she adopted?"

"She's not adopted!" I facepalmed. "Well, us Players can be related back in our original world, you know? These bodies are avatars after all."

"Oh, right! I almost forgot that! I see." She nodded. "How interesting! I wish I could learn more about that world of yours, I am quite curious myself. But I feel like something... Is kind fo blocking me from asking anymore."

"Must be the System's Restrictions. It allows for some small talk about it, but anything in deep is usually censored." Mark said. "We've tried talking about our world before to other people but it's always the same."

"How interesting, that this game's NPC recognize our existences outside of the game itself..." Angelina analyzed.

"It is truly a deep and amazing game, without a doubt." Gandalf nodded. "I wish I could work for that game company! I would love to know how they generated such in-depth AI."

"To be honest I would happily believe this is a whole different world at this point, nyah..." Anikitty laughed.

"Yeah, you're not wrong. It technically is at this point, right? When the blur between virtual and physical has become so thin nowadays..." Erdrich commented.

"Ahahah... Yeaah." I nodded, just playing along. "It's such a good technology, right?"

Although we were growing closer every day with Angelina's party, they weren't people we knew IRL like my friends. So it was better to just keep this secret to ourselves and play along with their comments and ideas. Thankfully they're still very responsible, and genuinely care for the "virtual people" of this game, so they aren't barbaric like other players.

"Yeah it's amazing honestly." Mark nodded while crossing his arms.

"Pretty insane, I wonder... how much money it all costs." Said Rita.

"T-They definitely make it back with all the earnings the company makes!" Lily nodded along.

"You guys sound pretty dumb right now, why don't we just- Mffgh?!" Jenny was about to spill the beans but I grabbed her slimy body and covered her mouth.

"Jenny, it's better to keep this a secret, don't tell Angelina and her friends, okay? They might be our friends now, but we don't know them IRL!" I told her.

"A-Ah, okay, okay, sorry..." Jenny sighed.

Thankfully Angelina and her friends were too distracted by my daughter and her party's arrival. They immediately recognized my daughter; her friends weren't as popular as she was. My daughter was well known as the "Player Hunter" after all, a PVP obsessed Player that has many skills that are specifically honed to fight and win against other Players rather than monsters.

"Oh my god, is that DarkReaper the Player Hunter?!" Asked Angelina.

"Wait, did she ask for her mother? Is she Planta's daughter?!" Erdrich gasped.

"If this gets leaked to the forums it's going to be insane!" Said Anikity. "N-Not like we'll ever leak it!"

"Yeah, as friends, we should keep this a secret, don't be rude." Gandalf sighed. "Good to see you, girl. You're quite the menace in the community."

"Huh?" My daughter stepped back, looking at the group of friends we've made. "Who are these freaks? Mom, are they harassing you? Should I kill them for you?" My daughter already unsheathed her katana.

"W-Wait a second, we aren't here to fight!" Angelina cried. "Please lower your weapon... Ah, it isn't like you can just fight us if we don't agree either."

"I can." My daughter said. "If you kill a thousand Players you get a special title that lets you start PVP matches without requiring the other party's permission. I'm the only one with the Title though." She smiled.

"EH?!"

I had no idea a Title like that existed! I also can do the same because I am a World Boss, and therefore I also count as a Monster that can fight anybody without their permission, but this is quite huge... Good thing my daughter is good natured.

Right?

"It does set some restrictions on me when I do that but... It works." She smiled. "It is similar to how Guild Wars can start if another Guild invades, forcing the other party to fight them even without their consent!"

"T-That's a thing? We've never had a Guild War before..." Anikitty sighed.

"Okay, enough with that, dear. They're my friends. Don't you remember I told you about Angelina and her friends? They're all Guild Masters of the Alliance we belong to." I explained to her. "You actually meet them before a while ago, don't you remember them?"

"Oh! So it was you guys! Your equipment and Auras look so different I thought you were different people. But yeah, it does say they're Guild Alliance Members." She nodded. "Sorry for scaring you. I just don't like creeps."

I can't believe my daughter is so bloodthirsty in-game... Totally different from my good-natured and slightly silent little Elena! DarkReaper is truly another persona entirely, huh?

"Okay, it's fine. I guess it makes sense you didn't remember us, we talked very little!" Laughed Angelina. "All good then?"

"Yeah. Anyways these are my friends. RedPhoenix, GoldenLady, Greenie, and Monica." She introduced her friends. I can't believe Monica just chose her IRL name as the Player name...

"Hey! You guys look the same as I remember, I only took a glance at you briefly back then." Anna said, she was named RedPhoenix in-game. Her appearance was that of a cute red-

haired elf girl with sharp green eyes. She was wearing a cute adventurer girl clothes that included jean shorts, a white blouse, and lightweighted red armor on top.

"N-Nice to meet you..." Monica greeted them shyly. She looked almost the same as her IRL appearance, with her long, curly and messy black hair.

But she now had even paler skin, sharp red eyes, and was wearing a slightly worn-down black dress that a noble lady would wear. Her legs ended into a little ghost-like phantasmal tail. She also had an oxidated black crown on top of her head, with a slightly shattered black jewel on it. This equipment looked a bit worn down, but it was part of its aesthetic. It was one of the best ghost player equipment Elena could get for her after they visited a lot of weekly bosses.

"Well, hello." Elisa greeted them, her Player name was "GoldenLady", and she was the same cute golden-scaled Dragonoid girl. She now had larger wings and a longer tail though, and much bigger and majestic golden horns.

"Hi... I haven't introduced myself before, I was unable to join the guild because I couldn't log-in. I am one of Elisa's distant cousins." The green-haired boy said. "My name is Greenie, nice to meet you, Planta. I've heard a lot about you!"

"Nice to meet you too, Greenie! If you're her cousin, let me add you to our guild right away! Tell me more about you too! I'm curious about your friendship with my daughter and her friends." I nodded, patting his head. He was a bit too cute.

"Hahah, sure!" He nodded adorably.

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Chapter 915 Elena's Party

Apparently, Greenie's real name was Hector, and he was Elisa's distant cousin that lived in Germany. Indeed, Elisa's father family comes from Germany from all places! I was slightly shocked, but it made a bit of sense, seeing how she was a natural blonde.

Anyways, Greenie was a Brownie, naturally, and his Class was apparently Magic Scholar. It was a special type of Magician that specialized on the usage of Chanting Magic and Magic Grimoires to fight. They have a wide variety of spells because they can use Grimoires without restrictions, but to balance that, their Skills aren't that strong, so they need to rely heavily on equipment.

Still, he was their "all-rounder" magician for healing, buffing, and many other useful spells the girls used on their daily lives inside of Arcadia. Greenie had no idea about BNLO's true nature, the girls haven't told him about that either, so we're safe in that department.

I also decided to check his Status, or well, what I could see of it, and also the rest of the girls, checking how strong they have grown since the last time...

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[Player Name]: [Greenie777]

[Gender]: [Male]

[Title]: [Divine Grimoire Scholar]

[Guild]: [Forest of Beginnings]

[Guild Alliance]: [World Knowledge Alliance]

[Fame]: [985]

[Race]: [Scholar Brownie Librarian: Lv277/300]

[Job Class]: [Divine Grimoire Scholar Magician: Lv277/300]

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Wow he was Level 277! He had little Fame though, so he wasn't that popular. His Class and Race were interesting. I had no idea Brownies could evolve into Scholar Librarians! And his Job Class is Divine Grimoire Scholar Magician. So he wields Divine Grimoires? Are those the ones that heal and buff?

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[Player Name]: [DarkReaper]

[Gender]: [Female]

[Title]: [Goddess Of Assassination (PVP)]

[Guild]: [Forest of Beginnings]

[Guild Alliance]: [World Knowledge Alliance]

[Fame]: [18230]

[Race]: [Abyssal Blue Phantom Flame Oni Princess: Lv296/300]

[Job Class]: [Shadow Evil Samurai Assassin: Lv296/300]

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Ah, I see, that [Goddess Of Assassination (PVP)] Title must be what she was talking about. A truly wicked Title. She told me it also allows other Players to attack her at any time when equipped, so it is a double-

edged sword... But my daughter doesn't mind that either. She's about to hit Level 300 too! My daughter and her friends are going to carry us, it looks like.

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[Player Name]: [RedPhoenix]

[Gender]: [Female]

[Title]: [Master Summoner]

[Guild]: [Forest of Beginnings]

[Guild Alliance]: [World Knowledge Alliance]

[Fame]: [2305]

[Race]: [Mythical High Elf Phoenix Princess: Lv289/300]

[Job Class]: [Mythical Ancient Beast Grand Tamer: Lv289/300]

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About Anna, she gained the Master Summoner Title, and her Fame has increased a bit more. Is it because she's around my daughter all the time, or something else? Anyways, she's apparently both a Tamer and a Summoner specialist. But she can also wear almost any equipment without restrictions, for some reason.

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[Player Name]: [GoldenLady]

[Gender]: [Female]

[Title]: [Heavenly Dragon Descendant]

[Guild]: [Forest of Beginnings]

[Guild Alliance]: [World Knowledge Alliance]

[Fame]: [4733]

[Race]: [Heavenly Golden Dragonkin Princess: Lv264/300]

[Job Class]: [Golden Sun Draconic Spirit Warrior: Lv264/300]

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She has definitely gained more Fame, maybe she's being recognized more by the game community? She evolved from her previous form and has leveled a lot more. She used to be the newbie of the party. Elisa's new evolution turned her into a "Heavenly" Golden Dragonkin Princess, this new word means a lot. Her powers might now be related with Heaven Magic.

Also, her Job Class is pretty interesting too! Golden Sun Draconic Spirit Warrior, I am fairly sure she used to be a Golden Draconic Spirit Magician before, so she decided to become a magic fighter-type of class now. It does fit her stronger draconic body better, yeah.

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[Player Name]: [MonicaSpooky666]

[Gender]: [Female]

[Title]: [Ghost Princess]

[Guild]: [Forest of Beginnings]

[Guild Alliance]: [World Knowledge Alliance]

[Fame]: [4211]

[Race]: [Phantasmal Ghost Princess Of Darkness: Lv211/250]

[Job Class]: [Abyssal Curse Casting Sorceress: Lv211/300]

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And here was Monica's Status! It looks like getting all that shared EXP from bosses helped her power level all the way to Level 211, wow. Her Title, Race and Job Class are all interesting. Looks like she has been evolving into something really special and interesting.

And above all, her Fame! What with over four thousand Fame for someone that started playing only over a week ago?! It seems her looks and her special Race has made her quite popular. Elena told me that everyone flocks around her when they see her.

"So you managed to complete the Quest of Hephaestus! Nice." Elena nodded. "Are we going into a hidden dungeon nobody has ever entered before? That sounds even better!"

My daughter seemed really excited after we told her everything that has happened so far. Her party was also looking forward to it.

"We're a big group already. Angelina's party will join, right? And then my whole party, plus the NPC. We're going to be almost twenty people or more." I laughed. "I think Ambil should come too. I want him to see what lies beyond the place his family has been protecting all this time. Johanna too, right?"

"I-I guess. Can I?" Johanna wondered.

"For sure! Come along. I don't know if there are any number of players per party, but we'll see once we get there." I smiled. "Anyways, thank you for everything, Granny Austucia, Grandpa Augustus. We have to get going now."

"No worries, dear. We did what we could to help out. Now go to that place and find its secrets!" Austucia said.

"Have a safe travel." Augustus said with a slightly boorish attitude. I think this man is still annoyed with us even after having been accepted by Lady Verdant. Well, it can't be helped. Old people take a while to change their thoughts.

"Thank you, let's go then." I said, swiftly bringing the massive army of people back to Ambil's workshop.

"J-Just how many people did you brought now?! And who are these guys?" He pointed at Elena and her friends.

"My daughter and her friends! Alright, are you ready Ambil? Let's go explore the Ancient Valley!" I clapped.

"Wait, I'm coming too?! Let me go!" He complained as I dragged him with us.

"No complaining! You're definitely coming along! While we are at it, I'm going to make you level up a lot so you're not so weak." I nodded.

"Uugh...!" He groaned grumpily.

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## Chapter 916 Assembling The Largest Party Ever

Once we were all together and assembled as a big team, I decided to leave the workshop extra protected by leaving a two-layered Divine Ward Barrier, fueled by Spirit, Mana, Ki, and Celestial Energies. It was also directly connected to my Spiritual Aura and Senses, so if anybody dared to hit it, I would immediately share my senses into it and see who it was. I also left an Yggdryad Avatar in the workshop guarding it, with half of my Familiars just to make sure security was tight.

Anyways, our team was definitely gigantic. It was Mark, Rita, Lily, Jenny, Acorn, Nieve, Brisingra, Johanna, Ambil, Angelina, Anikitty, Gandalf, Erdrich, Elena, Anna, Monica, Elisa, and Greenie. And well, me, of course. That made us a group of 19! Almost 20 people. And that's not even including everyone's Familiars and my own Familiars and Dragon Spirits I am bringing along.

But well, if this is such an ancient and powerful Dungeon, it's better to get there while being prepared. While we walked downstairs, Ambil sighed as he equipped his best items for the job. He was carrying his same forging hammer, which he had incrustated a special Jewel which allowed it to grow in size and deal more damage based on its own weight.

"This is a special Jewel, one of my creations. They're called Runic Jewels. When you incrust one of these into a weapon, accessory, or equipment, it can give them some crazy special effects! This and a few others are my prototypes so far. I made them use all my knowledge of runic engravement and alchemy. But they're still far from perfect. Changing size and increasing weight is the most I can do right now." He answered, explaining his amazing creation.

"Wow, that's amazing though." My daughter said. "Can you make me one that increases Critical Hit Chance and Critical Damage?"

"I am not making any commissions yet!" Ambil grumpily said. "I said I am still working on it! I just... Am not that good at Alchemy myself, so it takes its time."

"We could help if you want." Acorn said. "I can openly say I am fairly alright at Alchemy!"

"You're being too humble, Acorn. Your alchemy is already at the level of genius masters." I laughed. "I am still learning everything, but I could help if you don't mind. Let's make these later."

"R-Really? Well... If you really want to." Ambil shrugged, hiding how he felt slightly happy he had relievable people with him now.

"We could also call for Richard as well!" Brisingra said. "Remember him? He was the Alchemist Dwarf that helped us repair Gram. He's also the best Alchemist of my Kingdom."

"Will he come though? I thought he was busy being the royal alchemist." Said Acorn.

"Well he is busy but... I am the princess! So I can just ask my father to let him come for a bit." Brisingra smiled. "I also want to see him; it has been a while..."

"Right, you two were a bit lovey-dovey together now that I remember." Rita smiled, nodding. "Ahh, to be young!"

"Rita you talk like you're an old lady, you're pretty young." I laughed.

"L-Lovey-dovey?! You must be misunderstanding something! There is no way that is what's happening! R-Richard and I are just... friends, that's all! He's such a wimpy man, I would never like him." Brisingra got all proud around us, saying all those things. But it was clear she kind of liked that young man.

"Right, yeaah..." Acorn said. "Ahem! I'm not so good with these love and relationship stuffs... But I am sure Richard would gladly come if you asked him! From what I remember of him, he was really nice with you, Princess Brisingra. In a more personal way than just titles and authority."

"Hmmm, yes, I will ask him out- I mean, I will ask him to come!" She panicked slightly. "I'm sure he would be fascinated about these ruins too! Although the Runic Jewels seem very amazing too. It could revolutionize the enhancement and usage of equipment as a whole."

"I guess so... Ah, here we are." Ambil said.

Our party stood in front of the gigantic gate leading into the Ancient Valley. It looked ancient, and completely different with the rest of the decorations, color, and overall aesthetic of the Hephaestus Smithy. Ignis was there as well, he had been waiting for our return.

"You're finally back. Looks like you came with a lot of friends this time... I guess it's fine, there are no restrictions in regards of participants." He said.

"Participants?" I wondered.

"You see, this Fragment of Cloudia is a very ancient piece of this continent, it contains hidden magic that has melded with the System. You will see things, many things. Called Scenarios. I believe there's only one there, but it might be quite exhausting. Those that enter such Scenarios and attempt to complete them are called participants." He explained.

"Anyways, I won't go into more details because that would ruin the fun, right? The Scenario within this Fragment of Cloudia will tell you everything it contains, but you may also face certain challenges. Are you ready to enter? You should first prepare and make sure you'll stay inside a couple of hours."

"Hmm, well, let us prepare a bit more then." I said, everyone started taking out some items they had acquired and decided to use them now so they could get a last boost of power.

Me included, I quickly checked my recent rewards, the items I got from completing Hephaestus Trial. Aside from the key to the Ancient Valley, there were some consumable items I wanted to use right away if possible. And also, maybe learn and combine some other Skills. So I can get one last boost of power.

After all, I decided to not just recklessly enter the moment I saw the message that appeared in front of us once we faced the gate with the key in my hands. It left us slightly perplexed...

[Divine Dungeon: Ancient Valley (Cloudia Fragment 1/5)] [Danger Level: 300+]

[Warning: Your Level is too low. You may receive further penalties for entering.]

It was a Level 300+ Dungeon. None of us right now was Level 300, the closest was my daughter, but even then, she was only a single person.

We need to get as much power as possible if we want to get through this.

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Anyways, the items I had at hand that I wanted to consume right away were these. I got them from the Hephaestus Trial rewards, and they look pretty amazing and interesting.

[Legendary Skill Points Elixir (S+ Grade)] x10

[Legendary Stat Points Elixir (S+ Grade)] x10

[Skill Specialization Marble (SS Grade)] x1

[Subclass Skill Slot +1 Ticket (SS Grade)] x1

[Divine Skill Fusion Ticket (SS Grade)] x1

I'll first consume the Elixirs and the Ticket, because you never have enough Skill Points and Stat Points, and an additional Subclass Skill Slot is always nice!

The Elixirs themselves had fruit flavors. The Skill Points elixir had a sweet, mango flavor, with a touch of orange. The Stat Points was more of a grape flavor, with a touch of apple. Quite unique to be honest, and very strong. I drank all twenty of them in one sitting. Being an Yggdragon gives me some insane digestion abilities.

[You have consumed [Legendary Skill Points Elixir (S+ Grade)] x10 [Legendary Stat Points Elixir (S+ Grade)] x10!]

[You earned 1000 Stat Points and 1000 Skill Points!]

[You have utilized the [Subclass Skill Slot +1 Ticket (SS Grade)] x1!]

[Your Subclass Skill Slots have increased by +1!]

Woah, one thousand stat points and skill points right away?! I guess that's an S+ Grade Elixir for you! I wonder how many points Elixirs at higher Grades would give. I couldn't discern their ingredients though, so I can't truly recreate them myself, sadly.

Nonetheless, this boost is nice. You never have enough Stat Points and Skill Points, especially based in how expensive is to create fused Skills! And talking about fused skills...

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[Divine Skill Fusion Ticket (SS Grade)]

A Special Unique Item only rewarded through Special World Quests to exceptional Players.

Allows for the combination of up to three Skills without any restrictions and without any Skill Point Cost.

The created Fused Skill might sometimes become something completely different and may not be just the addition of the skills into something larger.

The resulting Fusion Skill will also gain a Divine Element, and become a Divine Skill, becoming stronger than most other Skills through the ability to unleash a certain Divinity compatible with the Player.

Please choose the Skills you want to combine with caution, as you will lose them permanently once combined.

Once the Ticket is used, the effects cannot be reverted.

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Huh, quite a lot of information and warnings, I guess I get it. Fusing Skills together might indeed result in something that could not be equal to the total combination of their effects. Though it hasn't exactly happened to me, as my skills combine really well into something that is the addition of the two, plus some extra.

Alright, so it says there's NO restrictions at all for this! It sounds both amazing and also quite dangerous. There's a possibility I could lose very important skills for myself. But if I combine a lot of junk together, the results might not be nice either.

Well, they HAVE to be nice, the resulting Skill becomes Divine Skill after all!

Hmm, okay, so what do I even choose? Right now, these are all the Skills I have:

[Race Skills: 12/12]

[Ancient Yggdrasil Draconic Spirit Guardian: Lv7] [Divine Draconic Heart: Lv3] [Green Magic: Lv10]  
[Yggdrasil's Spirit Magic: Lv10 (Evolved Skill)] [Plant Synthesis: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Terrain Expansion: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Plant Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Yggdrasil's Divine Guardians: Lv10 (Fused Skill)]  
[Yggdryad's Divine Spiritual Presence: Lv10 (Fused Skill)] [Spiritual Sacred Sanctuary: Lv10 (Fused Skill)]  
[Dragon Spirit Summon: Lv2] [Draconification: Lv2]

[Job Class Skills: 11/12]

[Yggdragon's Spirit Agriculture: Lv7] [Robust Body: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Spirit Farming Tool Mastery: Lv15 (Evolved) (Max Level)] [Great Spirit Vessel: Lv7] [Spirit Ranch: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Elemental Spirit Seed: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Tame: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Farm Animal Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Divine Spiritual

Fusion Synthesis: Lv10 (Fused Skill)) [Yggdragon's Nature Spirit Gardener: Lv10 (Fused Skill)) [Yggdrasil's Spiritual Farm Terrain Authority: Lv10 (Fused Skill))

[Subclass Skills: 11/13]

[All Trades: Lv8] [Spiritual Cuisine & Alchemy: Lv6] [Hephaestus' Blacksmithing: Lv6] [Hephaestus' Smithing Hammer Techniques: Lv6] [Divine Forging Flame Spirit Furnace: Lv5] [All Stat Super Boost: Lv10 (Fused Skill)] [Geomancer: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Farm Spirit Protection: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Cooking: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Heroic Legendary Sword Arts: Lv3] [Fairy Queen's Protection: Lv7]

[World Boss Skills: 1/10]

[Ray of Destruction: Lv1]

[Stored Skills (Unequipped): 3]

[Alchemy: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Fishing: Lv10 (Max Level)] [Mining: Lv10 (Max Level)]

Quite a lot, I know. I've been ignoring the World Boss Skills for a while, but now that I got a lot of World Boss Points, I could buy some later. First of all, it's better to not touch the Hephaestus-

related Skills for now, they're too essential to be lost. The All-

Stat Super Boost seems enticing, but it's also a very essential Skill for my stats to be higher when I fight all these overpowered foes.

Skills that seem too important and special for how my gameplay and ability's function should be left aside for now, so no Draconic Heart or anything of the sort. So... Hmm, I've been ignoring my Familiars for a little while now. They need to get stronger.

What if... I choose to combine the Plant Companion, Tame, and Farm Animal Companion Skills together? They don't seem to be able to Evolve, and I also can't combine them normally through the furnace. So this is the only chance I got to combine them into something crazy.

I don't think the already Summoned Familiars will get deleted or something, so that's fine. Tamed Monsters won't get affected either I believe. But if things go well, I could free two slots and get an amazing Divine Skill.

Alright, screw it, let's just do that!

[You have chosen the [Plant Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)], [Tame: Lv10 (Max Level)], and [Farm Animal Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)] Skills to combine through the [Divine Skill Fusion Ticket (SS Grade)] Effects!]

[Are you sure? Once the Skill Fusion begins, you cannot revert its process. Already Summoned and Tamed Familiars won't be negatively affected by this fusion, but they might undergo special changes to their appearance or even personalities.]

[Yes] [No]

As long as they don't die on me or something, I believe it's fine.

"Yes!"

[Divine Skill Fusion has begun!]

FLASH!

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[You have chosen the [Plant Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)], [Tame: Lv10 (Max Level)], and [Farm Animal Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)] Skills to combine through the [Divine Skill Fusion Ticket (SS Grade)] Effects!]

[Divine Skill Fusion has begun! The components of the three chosen skills have begun to be combined, and further enchanted with a Divinity Spark!]

FLASH!

The moment I selected the "yes" option, all three Skills materialized in front of me as bubbles of light. Each of them had a small, pixelated artwork of what they represented. The Plant Companion showed the silhouette of a person summoning a small plant creature. The Tame had the silhouette of a person taming a small dog. And the Farm Animal Companion showed the silhouette of a farmer with a cow and a chicken.

The bubbles converged together with the ticket, fusing into a larger, golden colored sphere of divine power. It happened in an instant instead of needing a lot of work like it is when fusing skills through the Skill Fusion Forge.

The new Skill bubble combined the artworks of all three Skills, now depicting the silhouette of a woman, slightly similar to myself, rising a staff of light while surrounded by large divine creatures. I think this was shaping itself to be an amazing new Skill!

The bubble instantly flew inside of my, fusing back into my body and even my soul! I could feel even my real body back on Earth absorbing the new Divine Skill's powers much more easily than the rest. Is this part of Divine Skills abilities?

[The Divine Skill Fusion has been a success.]

[The new Divine Skill: [Sacred Spirit Queen Of Divine Beasts: Lv1 (Fused Skill)] has been created!]

[The Ticket's Effects have been activated; the resulting Skill has gained automatically Levelled up to Level 20/50!]

[The Divine Skill has created a stronger bond with your Soul than any other Skill.]

Wow, it's amazing already, and I haven't even read the Skill's description! By merely possessing this Skill, I felt my connection with all my Familiars strengthen to a completely incredible new level. It was as if threads of soul and spiritual essence connected us together better than ever.

I wonder if I could summon them back on Earth now, with such a strong connection to my soul. After all, I carry my soul anywhere, so it could potentially be possible to summon them! If I could, they would be of such great help! I really need as much strength as possible back on Earth to fight against every crazy thing that happens nowadays.

With them at my side, I could definitely feel much more at ease... But well, let's first check the Skill itself before imagining anything else.

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[Sacred Spirit Queen Of Divine Beasts: Lv20/50 (Fused Skill)]

A Divine Fusion Skill created by combining the [Plant Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)], [Tame: Lv10 (Max Level)], and [Farm Animal Companion: Lv10 (Max Level)] Skills together.

You're the Sacred Spirit Queen of Divine Beasts, your beauty, grace, aura, motherliness, and gentleness captivate not only people, but the beasts and spirits of the world. Through your Divine Powers, you're able to Summon and Tame Creatures, which are all branded as Divine Beasts capable of evolving and further transforming into the strongest beings of their respective Beast Bloodlines.

Already Summoned and Tamed Beasts will undergo Divine Beast Evolution the moment you decide to do so. Through the usage of Special Materials, it is possible to further evolve them into even stronger forms. Every time your Tamed and Summoned Beasts Evolve, you can gain Bonus Stats, Titles, and the possibility of Inheriting one of their Skills.

You can create a Unique, Divine Connection with your Familiars which connects to your very Soul, being capable of summoning them anywhere you are. When being around your Familiars within a range of 100

Meters, with an additional +10 Meters with each Skill Level, you can automatically activate the [Sacred Spirit Queen's Divine Beast Protection], which will enhance all your Spirit Beasts Stats and Skill Damage and Effects by +100%, with an additional +10% with each Skill Level, while giving them Divine Shields that decrease Damage Taken by -50%, and grants them the ability to Soul Pierce foes, ignoring 50% of their Total Defenses and being able to hurt their souls directly with each strike.

As the Sacred Spirit Queen of Divine Beasts, you can Summon 1 new Divine Beast and gain 1 Slot for a Tamed Divine Beast every 5 Skill Levels. Summoned Divine Beasts will be related with your current Affinities and Existing Skill Themes. Already Tamed and Summoned Beasts will have their own Slots, but new Slots can only be gained every 5 Skill Levels.

[Summoned Divine Beasts: 5/9]

[Slot 1]: [Greater Heaven Goat: Thunder Tanngnjóstr: Belle]

[Slot 2]: [Greater Shadow Gallus Raven: Dark Hrafnague: Huginn]

[Slot 3]: [Greater Abyssal Venomous Serpentes: Giant Miegaresormr: Saphee]

[Slot 4]: [Greater Voracious Trickster Lotus Vine Hydra: Abyss Ivy: Loki]

[Slot 5]: [Greater Mystic Giant Cave Mushroom: High Meshgaia: Terra]

[Slot 6]: Available for Summoning.

[Slot 7]: Available for Summoning.

[Slot 8]: Available for Summoning.

[Slot 9]: Available for Summoning.

[Tamed Divine Beasts: 3/7]

[Slot 1]: [Young Adult Lake Snake Dragon: Silver]

[Slot 2]: [Abyssal Great Knight Shapeshifting Mimic: Mimy]

[Slot 3]: [Giant Mythical Golden Koi: Goldie]

[Slot 4]: Available for Taming.

[Slot 5]: Available for Taming.

[Slot 6]: Available for Taming.

[Slot 7]: Available for Taming.

It is also possible to conjure special Divine Beast Magic Spells by channeling both Mana, Spiritual Essence, and Divine Beast Energy, a special energy that you can draw from your Divine Beasts through your connection with them. For every Divine Beast within 100 meters of you, with an additional 10 meters with each Skill Level, your Divine Beast Magic Spells gain +50% boost to their Power and Effects. You can learn new Divine Beast Magic Spells every 5 Skill Levels.

Available Divine Beast Magic Spells:

Level 5: [Divine Beast's Healing and Strengthening Blessing] [Divine Beast's Elemental Blast]

Level 10: [Divine Beast's Spirit Soul Fusion] [Divine Beast's Sacred Shield]

Level 15: [Divine Beast's Spirit Soul Weaponization] [Divine Beast's Shared Senses]

Level 20: [Divine Beast's Spirit Soul Transformation] [Divine Beast's Element Bestowal]

Level 25: ???

This Skill cannot level up through Skill Points and only through the usage of its abilities, such as Summoning, Taming, Raising, and Evolving Divine Familiars.

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[The [Sacred Spirit Queen Of Divine Beasts: Lv20/40 (Fused Skill)] Divine Skill has been automatically equipped in your Class Skills Slots.]

Wow, alright, it was a lot to digest. It was an immensely big Skill with lots of details. First of all, my Familiars can get much stronger with just being around me, and in a 300-meter radius?! That's very easy to do! Also, it seems that as they evolve, I can gain stats, titles, and skills from them! That's already insane. Second, it seems I can also temporarily draw power from them to boost these new Spells!

Second, I can summon more Divine Beasts and tame more! It seems any tamed monster can instantly evolve into a Divine Beast of some sort, that's already incredible too! And above all, what are these Spells? They all sound... so strong!

It feels like I've gotten myself another overpowered Skill...

[Several Familiars are compatible for Divine Beast Evolution! Upon Evolving, there's a chance they can share some of their Stats, Titles, and Skills with you.]

[Do you wish to Evolve your Available Familiars into [Divine Beasts]?]

[Yes] [No]

[You have four Available Summoning Slots.]

[Do you wish to Summon new [Divine Beasts]?]

[Yes] [No]

Woah, wait a bit! Let's take this slowly...

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[Several Familiars are compatible for Divine Beast Evolution! Upon Evolving, there's a chance they can share some of their Stats, Titles, and Skills with you.]

[Do you wish to Evolve your Available Familiars into [Divine Beasts]?]

[Yes] [No]

[You have four Available Summoning Slots.]

[Do you wish to Summon new [Divine Beasts]?]

[Yes] [No]

I felt slightly overwhelmed with all the notifications! This Skill was amazing though, I have to admit it! However, isn't this too much to process? I think... I guess I should first evolve my Familiars into Divine Beasts. Then move on to summon more another time. I think I've got a big army of them already. Getting more should be a thing for later.

I'll probably save the last slots of Tamed Divine Beasts for the Dragon Eggs that are slowly developing back in the Forest of Beginnings. I think they're exactly four. So it's ideal for that. And as of the summons... I might eventually have too many to carry around all the time.

So I'll probably leave some in the Forest of Beginnings as guardians. The Skill's buff effect will also work with my body over there, so they will be even stronger now.

Anyways, let's evolve them!

"Alright guys, come here." I summoned my Familiars to my side.

FLASH! FLASH! FLASH!

Belle, Huginn, Saphee, Terra, Loki, Silver, Goldie, and Mimy appeared. They had evolved right before I arrived here, and now were all max level. Their max level was 100 with the exception of Goldie, who was Level 150 right now. After leeching off all the EXP I've gained. He has barely fought much himself.

"Meehee!" Belle quickly licked my face, she was HUGE!

"You're so big now, my cute Belle!" I patted her big head. "But you're as cute as ever anyways! You're so fluffy too!" I rubbed my face on her fluffy white fur, she seemed to like it, licking the top of my head happily.

"Craah...!" Huginn also demanded petting, so I quickly caressed his soft, glossy black feathers. He seemed to like it, making cute sounds.

"There, there, I haven't forgotten about you either!" I giggled.

"Shaah..." Saphee looked slightly sad I was "ignoring" her, so I quickly went to pet her glossy, sleek purple scales. Scratching her chin was also something she enjoyed, it was a part she couldn't scratch herself as a snake.

"Heheh, you really like scratches in the chin, don't you? There, there!" I gave her a little kiss in her chin afterwards. She happily licked me back.

"Rooaaarr!" Silver also demanded love, as he started snuggling with me, using his long tail to wrap it around my body, and rubbing his nose on my face while licking me.

"Hehehe, okay, okay! I'll give you your hugs and kisses too, Silver!" I laughed, kissing his big snout and then hugging him. "Happy now baby?"

"Raar!" He was very happy indeed! What a good little dragon he was!

"Shishishi..." Loki was only giggling as usual; plant monsters weren't as affectionate. But he still showed me his appreciation by giving me a very aromatic flower.

"Thank you dear!" I smiled.

"Geeeh..." Big Terra was just sitting there. As a giant mushroom, they don't do much.

"Guuu! Guubo!" Mimy greeted me, the Mimic was on their knight form, looking rather intimidating, even though they made adorable sounds. She greeted me with a barrage of tongues licking all over my body...

"Ugh... Hahah... you're as energetic as ever, Mimy." I giggled a bit. "I guess it is part of having a big group of Familiars that I'll get covered in their drool."

"You really have a lot of patience with them." Rita commented as she was still deciding what skills to fuse. "I only have like three familiars and they're not near as affectionate, and I'm thankful!"

"Maybe they just like her more! I mean, Elayne is such a gentlehearted woman, I'm sure they love her very much, like their mother." Said Lily.

"Are you saying I'm not as gentle with my pets?!" Rita complained. "That hurts, you know? I do what I can!"

"Hahaha, I didn't mean anything with what I said! Calm down Rita." Lily giggled a bit.

"A-Anyways, I guess I'll get to it." I nodded. "The Skill Fusion I got was made fusing all my summon and taming skills together, it's really amazing. It even allows me to further evolve my familiars into [Divine Beasts]! So I'm doing that right now."

"Sounds interesting! Let me see what they turn into." Mark seemed quite interested.

"Alright! Now you guys... Let's go in order. I think the transformation into Divine Beasts doesn't need materials, so we'll go right away with what we got." I said. "In order, let's start with the Summoned Familiars, with the Tamed Familiars for the last."

I pressed the [Yes] option right away, as several messages appeared in front of me. At the same time, I felt my Mana, Spiritual Essence, and the Spark of Divinity of the new Divine Fusion Skill surge from my body, flowing endlessly into the bodies of my Familiars, one after another, their bodies glowed with bright golden light, evolving and becoming larger.

[Your Familiars have started to evolve into [Divine Beasts]!]

[Your Mana, Spiritual Essence, and Divine Spark are being used to feed the necessary energy requirements for their transformation into Divine Beasts.]

[Based on your preferences, Skills, Titles, Abilities, Blessings, and more, the Evolution into [Divine Beasts] for your Familiars will be determined accordingly.]

[Your connection with your Familiars once they become [Divine Beasts] will be strengthened to the Max Bond Level of 10/10!]

[Familiars that have evolved into [Divine Beasts] can further develop intelligence and may even learn to speak or understand words better.]

[Familiars that have evolved into [Divine Beasts] may require special food to sustain their powers properly. Please make sure to feed them well, or their Divine Power might decrease.]

[Familiars that have evolved into [Divine Beasts] will develop their own Divine Sparks, and will gain one Divine Skill upon evolution.]

FLAAASH!

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Chapter 920 New Divine Forms For Old Familiars 1

FLAAASH!

Each Familiar evolved one after another, and oh boy, they sure looked incredible. I was flabbergasted by their appearances. I didn't expect them to get so BIG either, at least twice as big as before!

And above all, their Auras of Mana all evolved into Divine Auras. They exuded such strong, pressuring presences that it made our weaker friends, such as Ambil, tremble slightly, forcing him to step back behind me.

[Your Familiar [Belle] has successfully evolved into a [Divine Beast]!]

[She has developed a [Divinity Spark] and a personal [Divine Skill]!]

[As a result of her Evolution and the effects of your Skill, you've inherited a part of her powers.]

[You gained +1000 STR.]

[You inherited the Divine Beast Skill: [Divine Lightning Horn: Lv6/100]!]

[The acquired Divine Beast Skill has been saved in the unequipped Skill Section.]

[Divine Beast Skills can be equipped in any Skill Slot, and their Max Level is always 100, and you inherit them at the Level they had them in that moment.]

[These Skills will only Level Up through constant usage by earning Skill EXP. Once they reach Level 100, you can either chose to Fuse them or Evolve them using Skill Points.]

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[Summon Name]: [Belle]

[Summon Title]: [Divine Thunder Goat]

[Summon Race]: [Divine Beast: Heavenly Lightning Tanngnjóstr]

[Summon Level]: [100/200]

[Satiation]: [300/300]

[HP]: [12.000/12.000]

[MP]: [6.000/6.000]

[STR]: [7.000]

[VIT]: [7.000]

[DEX]: [5.000]

[AGI]: [6.000]

[INT]: [4.000]

[WIS]: [3.000]

[LUC]: [3.000]

[Race Skills: 13/13]

[Divine Thunder Beast: Heavenly Lightning Goat: Lv6] [Super Charge: Lv8 (Evolved)] [Lightning Horn Attack: Lv4 (Evolved)] [Divine Milk Production: Lv4 (Evolved)] [Thunder Berserk Mode: Lv5 (Evolved)] [Divine Thunder Aura Attack: Lv2 (Evolved)] [Unstoppable Divine Strength: Lv2 (Evolved)] [Kicking Arts: Lv9] [Divine Lightning Horn: Lv6] [Sky Walk: Lv6] [Divine Beast Body: Lv5] [Impregnable Divine Fur Coat: Lv4] [Divinity Spark: Thunder Goat Beast: Lv1]

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Belle was at least over twenty meters tall now! She was so huge and majestic! Her horns spiraled upwards, resembling trees made of gold, constantly releasing lightning sparks. Her white fur now gained many golden strands, and her hoofs were as gold as her horns. Her eyes released sparks of electricity, and her long fluffy tail ended in golden strands.

She had truly become a Divine Beast for real now, many of her Skills evolved too. And above all, I inherited one thousand Strength and her Divine Lightning Horn Skill out of nowhere! So this is really... Wow, what a cheat of a Skill! This Skill I got from her sounds interesting too, can I really just grow horns and release electricity from them?!

Well, there's more Familiars to see, so I'll think about that later...

[Your Familiar [Huginn] has successfully evolved into a [Divine Beast]!]

[He has developed a [Divinity Spark] and a personal [Divine Skill]!]

[As a result of his Evolution and the effects of your Skill, you've inherited a part of her powers.]

[You gained +1000 AGI.]

[You inherited the Divine Beast Skill: [Abyssal Shadow Feather Projectile: Lv6/100]!]

[The acquired Divine Beast Skill has been saved in the unequipped Skill Section.]

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[Summon Name]: [Huginn]

[Summon Title]: [Divine Shadow Crow]

[Summon Race]: [Divine Beast: Dark Shadow Gallus Hrafnague]

[Summon Level]: [100/200]

[Satiation]: [200/200]

[HP]: [7.000/7.000]

[MP]: [5.000/5.000]

[STR]: [4.000]

[VIT]: [3.000]

[DEX]: [6.000]

[AGI]: [7.000]

[INT]: [4.000]

[WIS]: [3.000]

[LUC]: [4.000]

[Race Skills: 13/13]

[Divine Shadow Beast: Umbral Shadow Abyss Gallus: Lv6] [Abyssal Shadow Kick: Lv6 (Evolved)] [Shadow Beak Attack: Lv4 (Evolved)] [Powerful Intimidation: Lv4 (Evolved)] [Abyssal Shadow Feather Projectile: Lv6 (Evolved)] [Shadow Flight: Lv8] [Shadow Sneak: Lv8] [All-Seeing Eyes: Lv7] [Share Senses: Master: Lv6] [Super Shadow Beam: Lv6] [Curse Magic: Lv4] [Shadow Chains: Lv4] [Divinity Spark: Shadow Crow Beast: Lv1]

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Huginn became twice as big, I think he was big enough to carry like ten people over his back. His wings were so huge and spread out! And he also had some silver feathers across his black feathers. His Aura of Divinity seemed potent and dark, spreading shadows everywhere. His eyes became crimson red, and there was a certain intimidating factor on his whole new form. But he was so cool!

I got one thousand Agility and his feather projectile Skill from him, which seems interesting. Another attack-type skill that uses body parts. If I ever activate these, will I just grow them out of my body? And I wonder if I can fuse them too... This opens even more possibilities of my future Skill Fusions.

[Your Familiar [Saphee] has successfully evolved into a [Divine Beast]!]

[She has developed a [Divinity Spark] and a personal [Divine Skill]!]

[As a result of her Evolution and the effects of your Skill, you've inherited a part of her powers.]

[You gained +1000 VIT.]

[You inherited the Divine Beast Skill: [Snake Queen: Lv7/100]!]

[The acquired Divine Beast Skill has been saved in the unequipped Skill Section.]

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[Summon Name]: [Saphee]

[Summon Title]: [Divine World Serpent]

[Summon Race]: [Divine Beast: Umbral Venomous Serpentes Miegaresormr]

[Summon Level]: [100/200]

[Satiation]: [400/400]

[HP]: [14.000/14.000]

[MP]: [5.000/5.000]

[STR]: [6.000]

[VIT]: [7.000]

[DEX]: [3.000]

[AGI]: [4.000]

[INT]: [4.000]

[WIS]: [3.000]

[LUC]: [3.000]

[Race Skills: 13/13]

[Divine Venomous Beast: Abyssal World Eating Serpentes: Lv6] [Deadly Weapon Tail Transformation: Lv7 (Evolved)] [Abyssal Venomous Fangs: Lv6 (Evolved)] [Magical Reflective Scales: Lv6 (Evolved)] [Poison Magic: Lv9] [Poisonous Sea: Lv9] [Poison Domain: Lv8] [Snake Queen: Lv7] [Poison Snake Phantom Creation: Lv6] [Deadly Abyssal Toxic Breath: Lv6] [Poison Immunity: Lv--] [Curse Immunity: Lv--] [Divinity Spark: World Consuming Serpent: Lv1]

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Saphee became... Gigantic. She was incredibly long now. I was thankful the underground area over here was so wide, because she would definitely not fit anywhere else. She could reduce her size, thankfully. But her true size was at least a hundred meters long!

Her appearance changed slightly, her face becoming more draconic and intimidating in shape. She gained two new eyes on her forehead, glowing with golden light. And she had a line of sharp spikes growing on top of her back. Her tail resembling a sharp, spear-like stinger.

There was a pair of long, demon-like horns growing on top of her head, and a voracious aura of divinity that seemed to want to devour everything...

And I got Vitality and... Snake Queen? From her. Another interesting and weird Skill I'll have to check later, I guess!

Anyways, there were even more Evolutions happening from left and right, Loki and Terra's forms were changing drastically too.