

Master 2111

Chapter 2111. Surprise Fighter

With so much happening in the city, by the time that Walker and Midnight had managed to get back to their walk, the night had ended up flailing on them sooner than they felt like it should. But that was just how it went with a busy day and so many people to see. The night was very busy too though. With the increase in population, the increase in races, and the general expansion of the city, Genesis was busy at all hours. Right this moment, the night life had started. Whether it was a group of guards off duty for the day heading out to celebrate something, or people going to their jobs, the city was bright. There were many of the vampires still getting some tours from demons of other residents of the city. They were more comfortable in the night anyways. Walker liked seeing this change since he was sure that he was going to be seeing a lot more of it. But he was also not surprised at all to see that many of the demi-humans were out and about as well. Some swerve because of their traits. bat, owl, and other nocturnal traits would make the demi-humans want to be out during the night rather than the day. Since the city had developed enough, they were able to be outside at night much more easily. Since there were entire groups of people out, the markets had also shifted. Some new people took over existing stalls, or others opened up entirely just for the night. Especially those that sold food. The entirety of the food stalls at night had shocked Walker and Midnight. Theta had expected that the stalls often would be for things that were needed for night jobs. Or just basic food. Not the variety of street foods that they were seeing right now. This prompted an exploration of the night city streets that Walker and Midnight had somehow managed to turn in to an eating contest. Not that it was a bad thing. He enjoyed understanding what they had for options to eat within the city. Especially since he could pass on the ideas he got to his mother who would surely put them to good use. The jobs that Walker got caught up in witnessing though, were the ones that were related to the coliseum. What Midnight and Walker found, were that many of the people passing out flyers were doing so because they were advertising the night and day battles at the coliseum. Especially those that happened at night since the tickets were a little more expensive due to the fact that the night battles were a lot more advanced. This wasn't just because there were warriors of all kinds wishing to battle at night when the entire atmosphere was different. It was a chance for them to fight unique types of opponents that literally did not or even could not come out in the day. This would make a warrior that fights in them much better whether they won or lost. That was why there were even small groups of guards within the coliseum areas. They might not be working, but if they fight here, they could win fame for themselves and their groups that they came from. Powerful men that have trained longer than many had. "Feel like watching a few matches?" Walker couldn't say no when he saw that Midnight was becoming very interested. It would be a sleepless night, but that was well worth bonding with one of his little sisters. Without even needing to see Midnight nodding to saying yes, Walker was headed toward the bright torch lit coliseum. The entire atmosphere was rough compared to the times that they had both been here. This was due to the way that the arena had been changed. While smaller battles were being done on smaller stages set up on the arena, there was one large arena set up as the main stage. This was the one where some mages announced the results and the strictest judges worked. The main stage was not set up the same way. This was because there were obstacles set up. The night time arrangement made use of the dim lighting without the sun. Therefore, there were assassin like class users that could use their stealth skills to beat

an opponent. Many of the demi-humans with skill related to camouflage also had advantages here. The shadows created within that larger stage made it optimal for hiding. This way an ambush could be created, not to mention that there were also some smaller trees grown by elves in the stage. It made it more of a natural stage than the other flat and perfect stages. Watching a dark mage use darkness mana to lengthen the shadows around himself before using shadow wrapping, Walker was surprised. This was a good way to make the environment work for him better. Yet, his opponent was unaffected by the dark mage disappearing to hide after using his skill. Simply put the match up was a bad one for the dark mage. His opponent raised a sword to the clear and star filled sky. In A few moments, a soft milky white light glowed through the entire stage. "That's a starlight swordsman. He uses the light from the stars to strengthen his sword before he attacks. It comes with a method to cut through dark mana and the shadows. He had the natural advantage." Proceeding with the battle, Walker and Midnight watched the mage get beaten in only three more moves. That was just the essence of the match up. However, when Walker noticed a connection getting closer, he was suddenly hyper focused. Midnight was the same as she caught a whiff of who had just made their way in to the arena. Right in the middle of the larger arena, Onyx slithered. He was in his full sized form and he was not looking at anyone in particular. Sinetad, it appears that he had come here with a full focus and attention to battle. Walker could tell what he was thinking. What if he ever had to fight another tough battle as they had just been in, then what would he do? Would he be the strongest one or the weakest one when a chance to shine was given. Onyx soon faced a man with a large sword and shield. He was plenty sure of himself that he was shouting to the crowd. That he was displaying his victory earlier than he should. "Brother, I came to train and help Scylla out." Onyx saw Walker and Midnight before this battle started. He sent Walker the mental message just to tell him he wasn't here fooling around. Not that Walker would have judged him. But it was surely going to weigh on Onyx later on if this stopped him from helping all the little serpents. Yes, Onyx had a responsibility to the race he was building. To the youngest serpents to help them choose a path. However, he also had his own pathways and desires. To keep improving his strength more and more. The more opponents that he had, the greater his battle strength would grow. That way, he could challenge Walker fairly. He could become the strongest one in their group. What kind of fun dream was that? Midnight and Walker Cheered as they watched Onyx whip his tail around while creating different spears of light and darkness. Each attack showing off the prowess of mana that Onyx could use. the depths of how much he had trained to be able to use them as attacks and defenses. This wasn't over though, when the announcement that Onyx could handle more than one opponent went out, Walker and Midnight understood why he was being used as the one to show for the coliseum's fame. Onyx had made it so that he would show off the real battle skills that he had used in a literal war. On top of that, also to attract those that wished to see him as an inspiring figure. When four warriors came to face Onyx at the same time, the coliseum roared with excitement. They all tried to get close to him but found themselves limited by the reach of his tail whipping through the air. This just prompted Onyx to attack more actively though. Overall, the change in the coliseum from night to day and now this, made Walker and Midnight feel that they had missed a lot while they were elsewhere in the city. But by the time that Onyx was finished with the battle, Walker and Midnight had plenty of questions for him. They spent the next few hours watching battles and enjoying the fighters showing off their skills in mock battles. Especially those that they had fought with and not noticed due to the chaos of battle. ...

Chapter 2112. Showing Growth

After Onyx had finished his battle against multiple opponents, he had shifted to hide more of his size and moved to the seating. He met with Midnight and Walker to speak with them while they watched more of the battle going on. Plenty of the demi-human warriors were here showing off their new skills. They all had the desire to show off the strengths that they had now that the world had returned to its proper flow. Plenty of them were even testing out their skills since they knew the coliseum was the best place for it. The roar of the crowd was enough that plenty of people who were still awake came from the nearby streets to watch the fights. This was just the addictive desire that the coliseum inspired. So many people were attracted here to see the strength of Genesis as it came together. The dragonkin also made a showing here. They wished to show off their own power. The power that they used to represent their royal dragons in combat and in every day life. Some of them even turned their heads to give respectful salutes or nods to Walker and Midnight who were in the stands. They could sense them there. This drew a lot of attention to the stands. Walker was a hero of Genesis. So was Midnight. Adding on that Onyx had gone right to them when he had finished his battles, they knew what they wanted. The audience wanted to see the other two heroes entering the coliseum. "The coliseum is speaking, will the next euro take their time to bless the coliseum with their battle prowess?" The voice that echoed over the entire coliseum wasn't Scylla's. Everyone would have imagined that she was the one in charge here. Especially since she was the one that always was spending her time helping the coliseum thrive. Yet, even while she was the one in the highest seat watching, it was not her making this announcement. Instead, it was Leon. Around him, stood some of his toughest merfolk warriors. He had brought them here to show off their new battle prowess after they had returned and exhaled. They had to be able to fight on the land and on the water. Regardless of terrain, he wanted to show that the merfolk with him were always on the top of their game. Due to this, he had been sure to partner up with Scylla to be able to have them fight. They had all had their own battles tonight alone, let alone previous days since they had all returned to Genis. Because of this, many had begun to support and believe the merfolk forces within Genesis. This growing support was also due to the fact that the demi-humans who had fought with the merfolk forces understood their strengths. The aquatic forces had battled side by side with them, therefore, the bond had been born. Here in the coliseum, the aquatic forces only further supported the merfolk since they were now sharing their very own culture. Seeing that it was accepted and supported, well, that was just something that Genesis was founded to do. While Walker felt that he would not be showing his best, he also knew that he had no choice in whether he was going to fight or not. Midnight had been fired up since they walked in to the coliseum. With how Onyx had already shown off and the fact that Leon was calling them out, she had to go. "Well, don't leave them all waiting. Show off your dragonkin form. You are pretty good at fighting with it now."

With Walker encouraging her, Midnight flapped her wings and took the main stage. She released a small dragon breath in to the air making the entire coliseum ring with cheers. They wanted to see just this. See the force that one of the heroes had. But what they had not expected, was that Leon himself was walking down the stands and right in to the stage as well. "I can't call you out and not fight myself. It would be rude. It's a lot of fun though." Leon spun his spear around. The action caused water to appear and ripple in the air. "I gained a few new skills as well when it comes to my weapon skills. And my class too." While Midnight had gained the class, true dragon champion, the same as her race, so, it made a lot of sense that she would live what she was and how she had been walking her path. This had fit right with her too. Midnight felt that she was what she ended to be through and through. Every single aspect

of competition, or strength, that she had grown, was what she was. A true dragon champion would always be important to stand over all others. Would always be able to become more flexible. That was why she felt that she was a true dragon champion and that she lived that as her class. It just made sense to her. While on the other side, Leon had experienced a greater change. His class had become something he had not expected. He became a flowing tides spear knight. A spear focused class that also revolved around the tides and the currents. While this made him even stronger within the water, he could also use his spearmanship to conjure up water from the air as long as it was there. Since that was the case, he had been learning how to wield the spear all over again. Training his basics to add in the water that allowed him to boost his combat abilities on land as well as the water. When the match started, Leon swung his spear and caused a large splash of water to push towards Midnight. She was surprised by this, but did not flinch. She repealed it by opening her wings and pushing the air away from her. It was pure physical strength. The audience loved this as they watched Leon charge ahead. The water wrapped his spear making it appear to be double the size. The dance that he fell in to made it appear Leon was following some unseen water current within the air itself. Midnight was made to flap her wings to dodge and weave around his slashes and stabs. All making the audience grow in awe of the two with very high skills. Midnight even began to use her claws to deflect the attacks here and there at times. Increasing the splashes of water that would catch the lights of the torches in the coliseum. A show for both skill and strength that perfectly showed why these two represented races. Why these two stood tall when they represented Genesis and its people. This was when Leon gathered even more water. Several water spears matching the spear he was now thrusting forward. This multi pronged attack made Midnight feel pressure. She opened her mouth and took a large breath before roaring out loud. This roar carried a large amount of water mana too. It disrupted the flow of Leon's mana and caused the water spears to fall apart. But it also caused Leon to be tossed backwards. While they had fought together, Midnight had massively outgrown him in terms of strength and level as a whole. This was to be expected with how the party had trained and battled by comparison. Not that anyone doubted this. When Leon tried to spin his spear again to gain momentum, he was surprised to find that midnight had touched upon the ground. Her legs had flexed and she shot forward. Her claws appearing to stop just in front of his face. "Ha! That was great. I haven't been able to test that water spear attack against anyone capable of breaking it other than Scylla." against what many would expect, Leon was glad that Midnight had won. He had been able to test some of his new skills and find the ways that he needed to improve them. Plenty of training in the future for him. "It was fun!" Midnight was still ready to fight again if she could. But she could also see that the short exchange that she and Leon had inspired many of the others waiting to fight. It would be even more fun to see them show off next. This was exactly the reason that Leon felt that he had to come down and fight. He wanted to see the people inspired. Especially since they were all adapting to their new skills. Those that had returned from battle had suddenly seen changes but no way to experiment with those changes. The coliseum was the healthy outlet for all of this. The safe place they could grow their strength. ...

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Chapter 2113. Mountain plans

"You can't just casually come here and tell us that you are going to raise a mountain range and that the wyverns are moving here." Gil's voice had risen in octaves when he found himself being asked for help on this matter. "It is going to happen. I am the one guiding the earth wyvern race. They will be under my care." Terron was speaking with a calm and collected expression. He didn't seem to find that this was something a little outrageous to ask in the east. "No, having me get the elves, and Alma, to make an entire mountain habited with plants so that it is a more natural environment is ridiculous. The area we have here is too small too. The dragon villages can't have such a large space that won't work as a farm or anything." Gil was beside himself with the fact that Terron might not have thought this through at all. "There is a plan in place. The village I have will be mixed with the wyverns as well." Terron still pushed forward. "The space is not large enough. How will it work? The wyverns will need more food and that will mean more space for farms. That means more livestock. If there is not enough space, then they can't grow." Whether it was just this that would be a problem or not, there was a clear disparity in resources for this to happen right away. "I am an earth dominator dragon. I have the ability to raise the land into a mountain now. I just need nature to catch up to it. The flow of manas will not be broken. Genesis is already balancing the elemental manas better than what the world could do before." While this was true, Gil was still not convinced. He could only think of the issues this brought up. Yes, the dragons were making their villages right outside Genesis. Basically, they were an expansion of Genesis as a whole. A massive growth in the territory which would allow the travel between the villages and the main city of Genesis like they were just neighboring districts. Even the map would only be divided by the farms between them along with the merchant routes. "When the mountain is made, it will give the alchemy guild a place to plant unique herbs. Some of them need earth dragon mana to be in the air. It will be a very large benefit for them. Then there are farmers experimenting with unique planting methods. The earth elves have plants that can not be grown in a normal environment. The dark elves will also be able to help carve out a home there." The more that Terron started to speak, the more Gil felt that Terron's more silent approach was being thrown away to be stubborn here. But that was what Terron was, stubborn. That was just how the earth dragons were. "From there we can also use sections of the mountains to grow the tumbling rock goats. They are a monster that can not be farmed because of the harsh mountain environment. But now that we will have a controlled mountain and wyverns to guard them, they can be." Terron had clearly thought in to this as well. Three things would be valuable to ensure that the mountain benefited the wyverns, dragons, and Genesis. "There will be a home for the wyverns and the earth dragons to live together. That is my responsibility. My goal." Terron had thought about what he wanted to achieve now that they had solved the major threat to the world. Now that he had seen how powerful he really was to the world and how he could grow beyond that by later heading to the earth planes. "Really?" Gil sighed out loud as he asked this. He didn't feel like he was being asked for help any more. More like the plans had been made and he was just being updated about them. Like this was all prepared, he just ended to be told what his role would be. "Then you will be needing to pay me off." Gil decided that instead of arguing against this, he had to just accept it. But there was some other thing she needed. Terron was a strong ally. So why would Gil not take the chance to ask for a few things? "The earth elves are worried about the flow of water that goes over the dwarven city. The dwarves say that they can build a dam to redirect the flow. How about you make a more natural river bank that will not require so many materials. Then I will have you break up the harder clay soil to the south where it starts to dry out more near the demon lands. That way the new farms can be grown better." This was what the elves were focusing on the next few months. Projects that would take time but also be valuable to Genesis. The earth elves had been helping the dwarves a lot. Their innate sense

for the flow of earth mana had proven to be an abundant tool for the dwarves to have. The dwarves could focus on the best ways to extract a material from the earth safely instead of the riskier mining with collapse chances. The farms were also a big investment to all the elves since they were planting more of their foods from around the continent where they had once lived. If they brought more of them to grow here in Genesis, then they would shorten their trade routes. Increase the foods they wished to eat in general too. "That can be done. My few elders are ready to assist. They need to train their control of earth mana before they are old enough to take dragonkin forms." Many of the elders had made dragonkin forms a priority. This was for every species of dragon. They wanted to walk through Genesis as their royal dragons did. Feel what they had felt. See the results of their hard work. Yet, this was not an easy achievement. It took a lot of training and time. This would cause the understanding of their basic elemental affinity to suffer. Especially since the manas had become denser leaving new understandings to be made about each elemental mana. "You already looked for records of who the dwarves have hollowed out mountains too? For structure?" Gil saw Terron take out a scroll from the large robe he had been wearing when moving around the city. It kept the bulk of his dragonkin form covered while making it easier to carry things as he wished. Especially since it was covered in earth sewn rune formations, it was very comfortable. "I was brought several of them. They have created three small mountains with cavern networks in to livable areas. One had ruins already within that had collapsed. They were able to support those ruins again and excavate them." Just the fact that the dwarfs had the technology and knowledge to do this was enough. especially since they would need just that to support a mountain. "So, how are we raising a mountain in the first place? It will take a lot of mana that you will have to spend on it." Gil knew that Terron was a dominator dragon now. While he had room to grow, Teron was definitely able to raise or destroy a mountain. But the fact was, the earth and stone would have to come from somewhere. "That will require the magma mages, Ignus, and Myself working together. We already know of the lava flowing deep in the earth. The dwarves refused to connect to it since there is a lot of danger with the heat and flow. That will fill the space deep beneath where the mountain will rise from." Now this was where things would become groundbreaking, literally. Gil had heard that the dwarves had put all the potential experiments and research in magma flow on hold. Not because they could not do so, but because there was a difference. The magma on the top of land where volcanoes and other events happened was weaker than the magma deep in the earth. The magma moving in cycles deep within the earth never solidified. It was always moving like unknown rivers. The entirety of it was a mystery that was very dangerous to study. Therefore, the dwarves held off because of safety. They didn't have the correct materials. "We have the dragons now and the unique mages. Fine, let's see how this goes. Start building the teams and the plans. I will get the elves that can grow things as you wish. I'll also find the farmers." Gil gave in to it all. He felt that his life wouldn't be boring in the least with everything happening. Now he just needed to get the right people together.

Chapter 2114. Unity Project

"You are joking, right?" Walker was not sure what he had just heard. Of all the things to be brought up while they were having breakfast, Gil had suddenly told him that a mountain was being built? How wild was that. "I didn't bring it up because I wanted you to double me. I want you to help." This was what Gil thought would be best. He knew that Walker needed experience points from whatever he could get them from. The number of quests that had already appeared to build this mountain and that would be appearing was ideal for Walker. Therefore, it made a lot of sense that he was added to the group for

this. Besides that, there was also the fact that Walker was always interested in things like this. "I am just saying, a mountain is a lot. You literally just said that the mountain would be made from the ground up. Then there would be teams to create farms, lead cattle, and then also hollow it out for more homes? It sounds like it is an entirely new city." To be fair, it really was. The earth dragon village would be taking up a lot of space. Especially since there would be a lot that needed to happen so that it would come together. There was a great deal of space needed for the dragons that could not change their forms yet. They had to have the space that allowed them to rest safely. Regardless of that, there was also the fact that Gil had explained that the wyverns would be coming. the earth wyverns that lived right now were not small in number or size. They would need a lot of space to make their home along with a lot of babysitting. They were still learning how to go about life with some form of control. That was just how changing to be a recognized race was. "And think about what might happen when it is done. There could be a larger bond with the wyverns for all the people that help them have a home alongside the earth dragons. Plus, the magma mages and dwarves that work to make the mountain will also be working with Ignus. The fire dragon territory will be changed to have that flow of lava. They will need the natural fire mana." From what Gil had planned out and seen of Terron's plans, there was a lot more detail now. He was certain that this would only expand as others joined in to this. "It will take a lot of control and a lot of mana. What about the runes too? Will we carve rune formations over the entire mountain? we can't just turn it in to a magic tower. And the runes would need to be unkempt constantly." This was a good point. There was a lot that would need to be focused on for this to happen properly. Especially when it came to the potential mana flow that would be needed. The earth mana would need to be condensed and channeled. If it were to flow through this mountain, then there would need to be a proper path for it. Without that, the mana might clash with other manas. "That's why the mountain will have to be balanced with the fact that the other dragons have their villages made too. They will have the balance across from each other with Genesis in the center. That means a lot more natural mana too." The idea that there would be a higher concentration of focus on natural mana was a good one. There were many spirits that would gain from that. Along with the races within Genesis as a whole. They could focus on the natural mana while they slowly but surely used that to leave about the natural flow of the world and the elemental planes. From there, the more nature spirits there were, the more that Genesis would advance. They would work to show off the facts that Genesis and the bonds needed to be in line with the world as a whole. Beyond that, it would inspire more mana between everyone's affinities. Calmer mana that flowed properly within the world's flow. This was all aside from the other manas that would be researched. Life mana and death mana could be studied with the assurance that natural mana could act as the udder to make that safer. The very same could be said about the space and time mana. If anyone was able to manipulate them, they would need some safeguards to ensure that they were kept from losing themselves. Natural mana could do that better than other manas alone. All of that aside, Walker focused on what else this could mean. The size of Genesis was beginning to be laughable. It was not just a city, it was nearly the size of three cities put together. The speed of growth compared to the size was astounding. He wasn't sure if he should be impressed or stressed out. There was a lot more to having a larger territory than what many people would believe. "When I come to help, I will use manas to help balance or build, I do not want to handle anything major." Walker knew that at his strength he was limited. He would prefer to focus on manipulating mana along with helping with knowledge. He had a lot of mental storage dedicated to blue prints, books he had skimmed, and paperwork he had been forced to handle. Therefore, it made a lot more sense that he used that over everything else. "That's all I need. If you start to share what you know about the dwarven cave systems, then they will have access

to the proper building records they needed when making it. The same thing for crop growth, the hearing of monsters, and even a few odds and ends." Gil knew that Walker had the memory backed up by skills. Therefore, he would not forget important information. "So, when do we start?" Walker felt that it was fair he had accepted. But when Gil stood up from the table, he began to regret these things again. "Right now!" Gil began to drag Walker away. The small curses here and there from Walker were totally ignored. While he was higher leveled than Walker, he would take some advantage of it. He was sure that Walker would come out of nowhere with something amazing to shock him or drag him along later. It was just another balance that he was making. As Gil led Walker through Genesis, they came to a large section of spread out herb fields. Here, the elves and the herbalists that had the proper skills had begun to grow many of the seedlings that could be brought to the mountain. They had used their skills very well too begin the preparations well above what many people would have expected. 'Gravel sprouts

These are small seedlings that have very tough roots. They will grow through stones causing them to break apart over time and become gravel. Hence, they gained the name grave sprouts. They are a very great herb to plant if there is rocky soil. These sprouts love it. While they remain small and only grow four leaves before flowering and dropping seeds, they are very valuable. The flower petals can be used to help create earth affinity potions along with treating earth mana related injuries. This is due to their attraction for earth mana which will attract dangerous earth manas to gather in one spot..'

Walker could see the alchemy benefits of this seedling. Especially since they would be grown in the toughest parts of the mountain. Any damage they did turning the mountain in to gravel could be handled. There would be many who could control the broken gravel to change back in to stone. Therefore, the mountain would not be damaged. Beyond this, it was an herb that did not grow in to a large form. It could remain small while regrowing itself. The other herbs that he could see were similar. Some of them were herbs that had once gone extinct and had appeared when the world had changed to the natural flow. Alongside the earth elves and the herbalists. These herbs would be returning. They would have a place to grow that would help all of Genesis. The idea that Terron had come up with was looking better and better by the moment. Even if Walker was sure he was being dragged along on this journey whether he liked it or not. Things would only grow better though. There were plenty of amazing things that would come for a large project like this. Plenty of races working together to make it happen. A great unity could come from it.

Chapter 2115. Spirit Bonding

The news of the project to create a mountain began to spread like wildfire. Many people believed that they could bring something to this. An opportunity to take their names a little bigger. To show for their unique skills. The dragonkin that had been allowed to work as they desired to grow stronger also joined to assist Terron's dragonkin. Their solidarity was something that spurred many of the other races. Especially since they all heard of the differences between the royal dragons and past battles. Eventually, as the news had spread, Terron had been forced to find more people to help manage everything. Walker and Gil could not work in that level of things. Especially since Walker was focusing on

the thing she knew about mana. How to manipulate enough of it at a weaker state than what he was used to. The reason that Walker had made that change to what he had imagined helping with was simple. Natural mana. He was one of the people with the best understanding. While Fleur had been moving around Genesis and not benign around Walker that often, she was still very interested in things like this. She also was deeply attached to Walker mentally. The spirit mark was more part of their souls than anything else. Especially when they needed to share manas. Fleur was a mystery to the spirit race itself. Because she had bonded with the will of the world and had a chance to become a world spirit, she had been thrown for a loop when the world had changed and the greater will to existence itself had melded back together with the world. Since that was the case, Fleur still was a nature spirit of sorts. Better than a grand nature spirit, but also embodied a greater form of natural mana. Closer to what Walker could manipulate than anything. This could make her one of the first and only known spirits to have broken the flow of what the spirit race could be and would ever be. Hence, she had been moving around the city and interacting with many other spirits. But, she had grown to sense that Walker needed her assistance. Therefore, they had moved to the decided site where the mountain would be raised. The two mediated while focusing on the present manas and how they would assist in guiding them. Natural mana would be ideal to help push the project faster while also allowing life mages to come and assist with boosting the growth of plants and monsters. Because they had been here for three days straight now, Walker had begun to grow a sense of understanding about how he and Fleur had changed. While he was now an entirely different race, so was Fleur in a way. She had managed to take on some of the true mana that Walker could sense within her more solid and defined body made of mana. Due to all this, he was able to feel their bond and sense the true mana within him. Something he had been ignorant of. Could he touch it or manipulate it? Could she touch it or manipulate it? No, neither of them could do so. They were unable to do so because of their weak understanding of true mana as a whole. Where things were more positive when it came to this though, was the fact that both of them realized that their understandings of singular manas was growing just by taking the chance to pull those mana into their bodies.

Since Walker had changed and become an origin race being, he was able to survive off mana alone just the same as a spirit race. It made him feel that the spirit race might have a little deeper connection to the world and existence as a whole. Regardless, he was very enlightened to find that he was able to circulate manas within him. Therefore, he was combining the natural mana into his body and strengthening himself through meditation. This was just another example of how the world had changed. He was gaining experience just through meditation. And it was not a small amount. But that was neither here nor there. The two had focused on the manas here for a deeper reason. With the assistance of multiple mages probing around, both Fleur and Walker were able to meld their senses for manas and find the best route in to the deeper earth where they could find a lava flow. Find the magma that would fill the space where the mountain would rise from. After that, it would be up to the water mages, ice mages, and a few other unique class users to cool the mountain as a whole. This would be an important step to ensure that the mountain would not collapse. It was inevitable that the magma would flow up the mountain. The method to stop it from doing so was to use a lot of mana. Yet, if they just did that, they would limit the creation of a plateau on the top of the mountain being made. Therefore, they had to ensure that the magma did not burst out of the mountain anywhere. This would take a lot of guidance from the pair as they were focusing on the sources of manas and the flows of manas. Due to

the fact that they also ended to ensure that there were no weaker sections of mana for those helping, Terron needed to be unblocked focus. He could not be distracted. Ignus knew he also had a large role to play. When Terron had come to him, he had made it clear that this could be part of creating the fire dragon village section. creating a controlled flow of lava would allow for the fire dragon area to be better than it would be if it was artificially made with runes. Terron could ensure that there were the toughest, most heat resistant rocks around the places where the lava would flow. He could also ensure that it flowed back in to the earth and continued the natural cycle of flowing lava. There would also be unique earth and fire runes that were carved by the best rune carvers. The hopes of both dragons in this case were that a certain new dragonkin rune carver would grow faster. From what they had heard, Mordant had discovered that one of the youngest and newly born dark dragonkin had a very high affinity for runes. So much so that as a youngling, the child had already begun to play with runes. Much to the dismay of those that were caring for it. This aside, Walker and Fleur began to record what they discovered. The magma mages copying things down in greater detail than what they had been able to sense earlier. "You two have been here for three days. Take a break or else I go and get everyone else to drag you away." Gil's interruption made Fleur fly around the air and mock him. She was nowhere near ready to just leave. She had enjoyed this time meditating with Walker on such a deep connection to the manas around them. "If you keep arguing with Gil and everyone that comes to bother us, they are going to stop being nice to you." Walker found that the normally sweet Fleur had become a little spoiled. But she had been forced to rest for a while after they had fought the demon lord. And now that she had seen the world return to a natural flow, she had wanted to explore. It was the reason for the mischievous nature. He also worried that Fleur had spent a little too much time around Remey lately. "Also, Gil, we have a lot of natural mana stored up around here. We have been drawing it in and making this entire area more dense with natural mana. Even the eternal codex had started to revolve a little." Walker showed Gil the orb which was slightly beginning to turn and move again. While Walker did not understand true mana yet, this was putting him on the right track. He would be able to use the eternal codex again much sooner at this rate. "That's actually great. You should meditate more then. Maybe you will move the mountain instead." Gil went right to messing with Walker. But Walker wasn't having any of that. Before Gil could react, a ball of water was tossed at his head. "Fleur, we are going to see the others, let's leave Gil to handle the work here." Walker smirked as a few of the mages came over to check and see what their next task was. Gil felt duped. With all that aside, Fleur and Walker had advanced a lot helping here. So much that neither felt that they could miss the chance to head to the mage tower again. Especially with the denser manas within. ...

Chapter 2116. Mage Tower Improved

"What brought you here?" Walker found Remey for all people with some of the fire mages. She was standing around handing out potions, so it was easy to guess what had been happening. "Ignus said that the fire mages had to learn a lot more to be able to help him. So, fire affinity potions. You should have seen how much gold Ignus brought over from his village. You know the rumors about dragons hoarding things?" Remey smirked as she thought about it. This was something that they had heard from many people. Dragons were known to hoard things here and there. Naturally, they would also do so with gold ores, coins, and gems when they found them. But since the royal dragons were more intelligent, the entire party had thought that this was something for younger dragons. Not them. Yet, here Remey was backing up the rumor. And from the number of high fire affinity potions she had already handed out and

still had with her to hand out, well, it was clear that Ignus had brought a decent amount of gold. Not that Remey wouldn't have made him potions if he had just asked. This just went to show that the dragons understood how the city would work. The way that their economy needed to be fueled to run. The herbalists needed to be paid for their hard work preparing herbs. The alchemists that made the potions. Tune those that delivered them. All of this was very important and needed to be kept running. If people didn't have the gold coins to feed their families, why would they do something for free? This also showed a lot more of the depth that genesis was capable of. Remey had a crate in her hands that held at least forty vials of potions. Nearby, there were alchemists of the alchemy guild handing out from similar, if not larger crates, the same potions. Therefore, it was to say that genesis alchemy guild and herb fields had already managed to be able to produce enough to create these potions. The higher quality and number of herbs needed was not something to scoff at. This was an accomplishment within itself. What Walker saw in this was a comfort. He saw that genesis was able to feed themselves since the herbalists and the farms were hand in hand. They relied on much the same things just a little more specific for herbs compared to the food side of things. This also meant that there would be a continuous growth from inside Genesis toward outside. But regardless, of all this, something else topped what Walker was seeing when it came to the number of fire mages outside the mage tower. From What he could see, there were over a hundred of the fire mages, magma mages, and earth mages that had gathered here together. They had been prepared to take turns within the mage tower to use these potions as they could so that they might have a chance to grasp a better skill or understanding of fire mana before they were to help. The earth mages were also holding the earth affinity potions. Yet, the magma mages had one of each. A show of how certain dual affinity individuals or classes would make it harder in life. Not that it was an issue. There was a greater strength in fused manas than what could be found in a singular mana or affinity. Therefore, it made a lot of sense that it would cost more. Take more resources to ensure that the dual affinity person or class grew. But when it did, they would become a force to be reckoned with. The mage tower itself had also changed. When the world had adjusted to the proper flow, every rune on the mage tower had been enhanced in a way by the purer manas moving through it. While this did not mean that the tower had grown much. It meant that the tower was working as efficiently as possible. In turn, that meant that Genesis received the greatest possible boost from it. People were able to grasp mana much better in general. They also gained the health boosts that came with this. Beyond this, many of the mages within had mentioned that the books were easier to understand because of the purer and denser manas. That was also just second fiddle to the fact that the mage tower had begun sending out quests of its own violation. The mentality left behind within the mage tower had once told Walker that it was looking for a grand mage or an arch mage. Some form of great mage that was well above another to take over as the head of the tower. Due to this, the tower clearly had the right abilities to be able to cause quests to appear. It was just a after of time before it did so. With the world changing, it had the ability to take advantage more easily of those that wished to come. It could push for the only goal it had within the runes and mentality left behind by those that once created it. That left many mages working toward various goals. Some worked to become the masters of an elemental floor within the mage tower. This would mean that they were a master within that mana and could teach, share, and do many more things with the specific elemental floor of the tower. Especially when it came to the highest quality books stored within the tower. This included the bringing of new magic books in to the mage tower. That master mage would be able to bring knowledge that the tower lacked and expand it. Eventually, the tower would be able to expand as well. Especially since was an elemental magic tower, it lacked certain manas, That was all after there was a tower

master mage of some sort. That all to the side, Fluer and Walker made their move to leave Remy to her tasks. She was not very keen on talking since she wanted to do the job she had right now. Naturally, Walker and Fleur would not push her on that. She would just get angry and try to punch them. In natural Remy style. As Fluew and Walker moved through the mage tower toward the top area where he could use all manas, he was able to feel the deeper manas that were at work. The purer elemental manas on each floor were much more powerful. So much so that they would rival the pure manas that the dominator dragons were able to sue. That was due to the sheer number of runes used. Since the runes were always bringing in, purifying, and then condensing the elemental manas within the tower, they made this all possible. But since the manas were so potent, they were able to show off that in natural fashion. Some of the denser areas with manas had naturally occurring elemental runes. These were studied by the rune carvers who moved around the floors with mages to guide them. They were doing so, recording what they could comprehend, then rushing to the next spot that a natural rune would pop up. This was entirely unexpected for Walker since he had not been thinking that the rune carvers would come up here at all. Yet, here they were. Learning about the manas that their runes were able to guide. Even some forgemasters were here trying to do the exact same thing. To bring them both even more surprise, when the pair reached their training area, they found that there were three people meditating here already. Two of them were demons who naturally had a high affinity toward mana and magic in general. This was just surprising because they had not had the chance to grow much due to the state of the demon lands and the oppression of demons.

The third was a woman who appeared to be half elf and half human. Another oddity since there were very few half one race and half another race. The races had not all been on good terms. Yet, here they were. This odd group of three appeared to be meditating on every mana as well. Not just one of them or a few of the manas fused together. They were meditating on every single elemental mana right here without much issue. "Oh, we have a guest." the woman opened her eyes in similar surprise. That surprise only grew when she realized who it was. "Don't worry about me. I just came to deepen my understanding of the pure elemental manas a little more." Walker tried to tell the three that they didn't need to greet him, but all three stood up to show him some respect. He didn't tell them that it felt pretty good to be greeted like this though. ...

Chapter 2117. Master Potential

The three looked at Walker with some unique expressions. Mostly because they didn't think that Walker needed to sit and meditate any more. They all knew of the strength he possessed when it came to manipulating mana and natural mana at that. But where they were confused, was that they could sense the manas revolving around him. All manas in the room had suddenly shifted slightly. It wasn't like he was controlling them at all. Instead, it was like they had found something they liked and changed the flow of their own accord. Walker had noticed this too, but with how he had changed his race through every single thing he had done, it made sense that his affinities would become stronger. However, that was the issue sometimes. If he was doing a combination skill with someone else, then they might struggle to have a firm grasp of manas that matched the grasp on them that he had. This could be avoided though, with his current mentality, Walker was sure that even at a lower level, he would have a powerful mind. Once that would survive the struggle that came with manas and how he functioned with

them. "What about all of you, what are you doing here? The mage tower has improved again after the true order of things has appeared for the world. I've been pretty impressed so far." This was far from the truth. Walker wasn't just impressed. He was amazed and in awe of the entirety of Genesis and the people. One of the demons spoke up quickly, his smile showing off slightly sharper teeth as one of his demon traits. "I am a mage of elements. Before I was just an elemental mage, the change sounds small, but it means I can use the elements if I can condense enough elemental mana and understanding within my body. I can use the manas around me as my own too, when in the right circumstances. I will be attempting to mix them and become a mage worthy of owning the tower." "You think that. But I am a scholar of elemental mana. I can learn and record all I discover about elemental mana. That role is much better for becoming the owner of this tower. The more I learn, the more all can learn on the floors. I am a living library of manas and what they are in their purest forms." The other demon had vibrant red horns, they seemed to be unique and attracted more manas toward them naturally. The two demons appeared to have a small rivalry going. It wasn't a bad thing in the least. The more they pushed one another, the faster they would grow. That was exactly what Genesis needed. Especially with the fact that they needed powerful people to raise the future. In the future, more and more people will leave to explore the world again. See the changes within it, the new species and the literal new terrain. If they did not have the backing of powerful education from powerful people, then they might suffer. Specifically if they were those that went to explore the elemental planes. "You don't need to worry about me so much. I am here to understand things. I had no class or system before. I was too ill. When the world fixed itself, I finally found myself awake again. You are one of the people that helped the world return to as it should be. Thank you." This was very different. The half elf half human appeared to have her own story. "And I should guess you are very happy with your class now? You look excited to be learning." Walker felt that she would have something interesting. She stood out compared to the others here right now. Therefore, it would make sense that she was able to do much more in general. "It is very unique. I always had low mana which made me ill. It would evaporate away and I couldn't control it. That's why my partner needed to work so hard despite our race and circumstances. They brought me here though and I recovered."

"As I did, the world was fixed and I awakened the class, one with elemental mana. I naturally absorb manas and can grow to take the form of an elemental of each mana if I desire. I just need to understand how to match them properly. Safely. If I can manage to learn enough, I can even go places without much mana and remain safe. It is a test of my mind though." "You know, the angels are similar to you in that means. They rely on the manas around them to come in to their bodies through their wings. They have this unique physique but it comes with downsides."

"The manas they control depend on the mana around them and their matching affinity. They can be harmed if the mana is taken away. That's why they used to fear elemental spirits. By wearing certain items and having certain runes they can avoid that though." Sharing this made the half elf half human girl appear very glad. She could rest with a little more comfort knowing that she was one of many who suffered through learning about unique physiques like this. "I wouldn't say you are limited though. Once you learn more about manas, you might be able to stop the issue entirely. My friend Alice used to suffer

from using her mana in every word she spoke. Light mana would react whether she liked it or not. Now she has control over it."

This again made the half elf more excited. She seemed to be an honest person who was just out living her life. Especially since she had been ill and unable to do much before everything had returned to the natural flow. The manas had been her rise and fall whether she liked it or not. Regardless of everything else, she was also now able to experience the greatness of Genesis along with the other races. Even though it was clear that the three were here, they were all able to be here. They had not needed to worry about suffering in a long winded war because they had been able to find their new and proper paths to grow and understand the world. Something that Walker was very glad to know. "Fleur is also here to meditate with me. We were helping by delving in to the magma we could sense beneath where the new mountain will be raised. But we can only do so much right now. Fleur is trying to explore her new means of mana since she is no longer connected to the world. She is still a grand nature spirit, but she is less driven by the will of the world and will most likely take a larger role representing the spirit race."

"I just need to rediscover the manas. I know of them, but before the flow of nature returned properly, I had certain views that were not in line with what they actually were. Now I am learning about them again. It's actually really amazing." Walker showed off the skills he had a little. He pulled elemental manas towards him with a slight thought which proved that he had changed his affinity but also had the deeper control over them that these three were after. "If you three want, you can rotate the manas around the room with us. It would also help you bond with the others since you will most likely be here a lot. Even if one of you becomes the master of the mage tower, the other two would be your right and left hands. that's just what I feel though." This was easy to guess and feel. The three were very close in the sense that they were powerful. Whether one went ahead and became the master of the tower or not, they would surely work together here. "I would love that!" The half elf was the first to shout out. This was one of the funding heroes after all. Why wouldn't she want to learn from him. "I'd like that."

"Please teach me." The two demons joined in as well. They had no reason to go against this. It would be invaluable to them to see Walker's and Fleur's viewpoints on mana. Fleur was made of manas and Walker had a deep connection that let him understand the world along with manas that these three could never even grasp. If they were to learn from anyone, then Walker would be the most qualified. He had focused on all manas. That meant he understood how they bonded with one another greater than most people. It was much more valuable than what anyone could imagine. Especially mages like them.
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Chapter 2118. Deeper Understandings

Between the three, the mana was flowing in an interesting form. Walker had been amazed that they were able to adapt to how he and Fleur moved the elemental manas around the room. Especially since

he had a deeper understanding than them. But this seemed to be a boon for them more than he realized. It was like he had met three hungry beasts. They had just found the food that they needed for the first time in their life and they would not let it be. The methods that Walker and Fleur passed the manas to them were full of secrets. Not so much to Walker and Fleur, but to these younger potential tower masters. They wanted to learn what they could since they wanted to prove that they had the ability to become a master in the mage tower. While they were seeing the manas in a more balanced format than what they had experienced, they were also able to feel the control that Walker had when passing them. This was because Walker understood how the manas flowed better than them. In reference, he was able to pass the water mana in a way that flowed something. Water mana could be rough like prickling ice or smooth like flowing water. It could also take the form of steam in some instances or mist. This made it a little harder to ascertain because the way it flowed was always changing. Yet, when the three felt the water mana, they realized that Walker was holding it in his control by making his own internal mana the very same. He was mimicking the way that the water mana flowed through their air so that he was closer to it. This was the same reason why mages or anyone with an affinity might meditate on their elemental affinity or mana. They wanted to understand it better. But with the way that Walker did it, he made that mana his entire being. He tried to sense the changes in it all around him, unconsciously making himself act more like that mana. This could have been seen by those that had witnessed him using those manas though. They had seen how he used the first whip in battle. The frost whip which flowed like water but struck like sharp ice. That was an example of how he understood that transformation within the mana. How he was able to match it to such a high degree. As the three felt this, they believed that they had been fooled in to thinking that water mana was just something that was one way. They had not taken in to account that it would change through the day or in general just around them by them being there. Walker even went so far to create a small bead of water that he changed through various forms but kept at the same size. His demonstration without words spoke more than what they had each grasped within the entire time that they had known their own affinities. While each had made massive leaps since the world had returned to the proper flow, especially the half elf girl since it had helped her illness, they had not known anything as deep as this. When he switched to fire, a contrasting elemental mana, they felt the water mana pushed away. Their grasp on them weakening. They also sense the water mana pushing back though, the water and fire had to balance within the air and was only out of balance because Walker was pushing away the water mana as well. But the change that they sense before he put that change on the water mana, was what they had also missed. "I can feel that all of you have not been in nature much. You should go somewhere without many people using skills and just meditate for a few days. I once sat on the steps of my house and meditated. No one was around and I sat there for the entire night. No one changed the manas but the manas flowed naturally. It is the best way to see how the world is moving. How everything works together to create what is needed. The flame in the middle of them started to change colors. Walker had mixed in light mana and dark mana making it rotate in a different flow. A ball of fire that was both light and dark affinity. "Even the two opposing manas that I mixed using fire as the bond are able to coexist. I learned this while working with Midnight, my little sister, she can breathe both light and dark flames now." "But, just because someone is lower leveled, does not mean that they can not beat you in control of mana. You just have more weight to throw around because of your strengths. What I mean, is that mixing manas is not all you can do when you have a better grasp on them as a whole." Walker suddenly focused on every mana around them. As he did so. The three felt that they lost all control of the manas within the room. No matter how they reached out and how they even tried to sense the

manas, they were blocked from doing so. They felt that they had entered a manaless room altogether. They were blind in a way. "I am mixing the manas and forcing them to avoid you three. You only have the manas inside you now, none that you can call on from the outside to do anything. Because of this, I have the ability to make more natural mana and prevent you from using your skills." As he did this, the three felt that they had never been able to get such a pure look within themselves. They were looking and sensing whatever they could but they also felt that they were unable to sense anything. Their manas were more complicated than what they expected. Within their bodies, they were not as balanced as what they had believed. The three had all believed that they were naturally balanced within. That they had the affinities to use these manas and manipulate them whenever they desired. They had the skills, so why would they have to worry about the flow of those skills, themselves? "You should feel it now. You have the same manas that you use all the time in your bodies. But you are not matching them to what they are doing outside. If you miss this, then you are not mixed with the skills the ways that you think you are."

As Walker saw them all frowning and realizing that they had missed a big part of themselves let alone how to use their skills, he was more impressed that they were able to grasp this so quickly. This he chalked up to the fact that the world was properly flowing now. The manas within people had also been influenced by this. Since the system had become as it should be, the classes were stronger. They designated the skills and experiences of people. Their innate abilities were able to shine much brighter as well. These three had the affinities to use these manas better than what others could. Therefore, they also had to grasp them better. "I missed earth mana. I didn't pay enough attention to it at all and I am completely unbalanced!" the half elf exclaimed this with a decent amount of frustration. She had been looking at all the manas and not caring enough for earth mana. This caused her to internally lose grasp on manas a little more because her body reflected her outer control. "I'm the same with wind mana. I was totally lost to the ways that it bonded within my body and caused fire mana to suffer." one of the demons was looking at his hands like he had just found a great flaw within himself. "What is the rotation of manas within us supposed to be? I can't grab at it or change it." The other demon looked at Walker for guidance. "It will be different for everyone. I learned to move manas through me in a more passive way than active, but as I learned more about them, this grew stronger. I found ways to channel manas through my body and blend them to make natural mana. Now, I even know how to sense the life mana and the death mana within me. It's always there, but it is mysterious and hard to even fathom." "That's the same for space mana. It's slippery.. Time mana is lost to me since I only know of it and not how to sense it yet." Watching the three of them grapple with all this made Fleur giggle a little as she started to move about the room again to push the manas back toward the three and let them feel the changes within their bodies after losing and having mana control back. ...

Chapter 2119. Memory of Manas

The conversations between the five of them kept going for a few hours. Walker began to look at the manas from their perspectives again. He saw how he had once looked at the elemental manas from their positions and realized that he had yet to change a few of the ways he thought. When it came to the changes in forms of manas, he had forgotten how he had used more force than understanding to meld the manas to the forms he wished. At the beginning, that had been the flaw in his thinking. Nwo

that he realized it, he had to go back and think of the basics. The foundations of all learning were at some point carved in to the muscle memory of those that had trained them for many years or a higher amount of time. Walker has done so with himself to assure he could act at a moment's notice to defend the others in his family. That meant that he still had some lingering muscle memory of force over the flow. Therefore, as he delved within his own mentality, he was able to sense where he was still pushing force over the flow. When it came to making water become ice, he exuded more mana than was normal for the process. This was because he saw that as the way to make the ice form faster. In actuality, he had to follow the formation of ice through nature better. The idea that ice could be slower water with less fire mana affecting it, was better for the way that ice formed. It also added a sharpness to it that was greater than what he could force ice to do. This was because a natural ice crystal was much sharper than anything that he could have forced in to form before. This was a great way to start thinking too. It would allow him to begin showing off the ways that elemental manas could change their flows to be able to take on purer forms overall. If this was done with stone or earth, there was a higher chance that he would be able to push for better building as a whole. Many of those within Genesis that were focusing on rebuilding and improvements would have a great time learning this. Especially the mages that focused on building. With the changes in the world, certain classes of earth mages, had changed. Instead of focusing on earth sculpting and manipulation, they had entirely taken a step toward building as a whole. Specifically, toward how the earth was built. They changed in to stone mages, or they took the class builder mage. Other specific classes like those were enough to prove that they had a proper path to follow. What was even more amazing were people like patterns, they had become magical sculptures, or sculptures of earth and clay. Even more specific which allowed their skills to advance in the very aspects of what they were best at. This meant that they were not creating things that were massively more high quality than before. The Genesis walls had been rebuilt to some extent with such people helping. The density and strength of the stone used was beyond what the current rune carvers could have carved. Now, they were advancing to match this construction and pushing to learn how to carve in to the walls the best runes for defenses. To follow this lead, there were blacksmiths needing to make them new tools that were also able to carve in to better things like this. It was raising a standard all around since there were better ores that needed to be found. Better mining skills needed for those changed ores and so on. This entire domino effect caused many changes just for this one reason. It was an amazing thing to witness. Walker thought of these things while he and Fleur had left the mage tower. They were certain that the three mages would be working well for the time being and taking what they had learned within themselves. Above that, they also knew that mage tower master would appear within the next few years. Something that would make Genesis grow again. Finding himself wandering through the streets again, Walker was surprised that he barely needed sleep. He felt that he was always being filled with energy since the manas naturally flowed through him at all times. Especially since he was always focusing on the flow of it around him now. His senses of all manas had improved. Just walking around he was feeling his body growing syringe regain. Growth was something that was much more available to him with the flow of the world restored. He was still a jack of all trades master of none. That being the fact allowed him to gain experience from everything. He was also not limited by the heroic leveling which the world had done to help them as heroes. He looked back on that and recalled how they had grown faster. They had also been guided to do smaller things that were heroic since they were able to put others on the paths that they needed to be for the greater improvement of the world. It was an interesting way to think of how the smaller tasks would affect the greater whole. Now Walker could see it all much more clearly since he had matured even more. But as he had matured,

he also felt that existence was more hands off on how everything developed. That the world had needed to be controlling in a way since things had broken from the natural flow of what everything should have been. Now that it was as it should be, that hand was not there any longer. It was a little sad to think this, but Walker just shook that off. Everything was as it should be, why should he want the old ways to return? They were incomplete and had the risks of harming others. Especially with those that ended up going against the methods that the world needed so that it could flow properly. People had been cursed due to their titles. Now, that could change. He already sensed a change between the ways that the mana flowed around the sleeping grand water spirit and who had once been Gluttony. The water mana heading through their haad increased and the manas that gluttony had been freed of were changing, his body as well changed. Maybe he would be able to free himself from the suffering of his title and take a new path after many years of being cursed as such. That idea made Walker more hopeful for the future than anything. But he also realized that these peaceful times were not what he could focus on entirely. The development of the dragon villages were a focus that he had to take right now. Besides that, he had to look toward the elemental planes. Would he have the chance to learn about this Origin race that he was now? Would he be able to see the other dragon souls like Remey? What would the beings in the elemental planes look like? Had they already begun exploring the bridges to the world now? So many things could be asked, but he had to focus on what he could do right now over what he might be able to do in the future. Because if he focused on the what ifs, he would forget what was. He could lose the current reality that he faced. Stepping in to the air, Walker felt the wind ripple skill was easier to use. He also felt that Fleur had drifted off elsewhere to explore on her own. She was a free spirited being too, she liked to see what the night would bring Genesis. "So, you finally wandered my way?" The question seemingly came from nowhere. "Ventus, I see that you have come back from what you were doing." Walker was surprised to see that Ventus had been sitting in the air seemingly drifting here and there. A calm wind blew around her. "I have, my children are doing well. The dragonkin following me are looking to build new homes. It's very much a benefit that we are all together. I just need to wait to see what will happen with this mountain being raised. I might get to use the wind currents around it, you know." She appeared very interested in everything happening right now. "I think you will be able to use them a lot more than what you expect. The entire flow of mana around Genesis will be based on the elemental dragon villages next. It will almost form a massive nature rune. The center will be a haven for manas as a whole." The two contemplated this before heading towards where the mountain would be raised. Their goal to help the process. ...

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Chapter 2120. Creating Mountains

Finding that Terron had a very large group of people ready, made Walker and Ventus feel as if they had arrived late. But he also noticed that Remey and Ignus had arrived as well with even more potions. They had managed to distribute mana potions along with more fire affinity potions to everyone. The earth affinity potions were also prepared and the earth mages had lined themselves up to begin what they could. Everyone had a role to play and Terron was going to be providing some of the purest earth mana that he could. As an earth dominator dragon, he had the ability to do so. This was just how he would be able to help the most. The earth mana here would not be enough to properly shape the mountain that

they needed. It was going to have a very defined set of rules. The plans were known to everyone within this process. The plateau would be made so that a village could be built for the dragonkin but also have space for dragons to land and move with ease. This just went to show how large the mountain would be. Since the earth wyverns were smaller than the dragon species as a whole, they would not have any issues when it came to being able to land and move around. But to say the least, there would still be additional room even if they were bigger than the dragons. The same went for if they wanted to move around within the mountain. They would have the space to move with the mountain being reinforced by the dwarves and all the mages. They would ensure that the tunnels and the rooms within would be so stable that they could withstand accidental usage of magic by young dragons and young wyverns. Not that it would be perfect, just safer. When it came to raising the mountain as a whole, there was not an issue in the process. The mixed affinity, magma and lava mages had been prepared to move the magma deeper within the ground. They had already been able to move down through the tunnels carved out for them by the earth mages. This tunnel allowed them to move in to the earth and get a better grasp on the manas that they were manipulating. Because Walker could feel the changes flowing from the tunnel made, he realized that the deeper manas were also very powerful. Their potent density meant that they could be held on to better by the mages while they were manipulated. It just meant that those mages needed to use more mana potions to hold on to such a large and dense mana. Not an issue though. Ignusn was going to be assisting in the fire side of things while Terron in the earth side of things. While the royal dragons had rarely put their manas together, they had done so often with Genesis and their alliance. This had been facilitated by Walker mostly since he had been the one to help them bond their manas together. The fusion of powerful manas was harder to achieve since either side would want to have control. But balance needed to be a guided event. Especially since the two sides were stubborn. Now though, they had learned to put those things aside. Emotions could cause the damage between others and the manas to grow very poorly. If they allowed the manas to explode away from them, not only would there be internal damage, but the land itself could be scarred for a very long time. Unable to be manipulated or saved without a greater amount of mana being used. This was what the chaotic manas would do as well. The corruption had been damaging to the land as a whole, the same effect could happen with imbalanced manas going in to a chaotic state. Walker knew this very well since he had managed to learn a lot about the balances of manas and the true flow of the world. His insight was the bond between the two. As things began to move forward, Walker sensed the shaking of the ground. Every single mage had worked together with rine carvers to create runes within the first three layers of soil that anyone could sense. These runes were spread out over the large open space that would be the mountain. The runes forced the earth and fire mana to well up from deeper in the earth. It could cause a volcano without proper control of the mages, but they had a grasp on the situation. That was why they were in control of how much mana the runes drew up. The magma began to push up in to the space being made where the earth rose up. An event that would seem fantastical if not for the massive number of people working on this. Terron didn't speak, he didn't need to. Instead, he made a motion for some assistance. What Walker had not realized was that the earth spirit normally with Su had made an appearance. It had come to assist at the request of Terron and the fire spirit with Remey. They both would work together here. As the two elemental spirits began helping, the manas grew in resonance. A perfect mix of earth and fire welled up from beneath Walkers' feet as he cast out his own senses. The addition of Walker beginning to push forward was all that was needed. The ground heaved and the soil began to become denser. There were a lot of small and broken sections at first, but those with the ability to shape, sculpt, and carve the earth started to work their magic. They moved around with the

assistance of harpies that carried them. This was another amazing show of cooperation that Walker had not expected. He had expected that there would be some people coming to help but not like this. Especially since the mages would need to be in tune with the ground and not in the air. But he had missed that they were all carrying magic staffs with specific earth runes on them. They allowed for the mages to work with a distance between them. The runes matched some of the runes left on the earth below them. It caused them to transfer their will through the manas to cause the changes in shape with the mountain. An ingenious idea that was going to massively help the entire process. This allowed Walker to keep putting natural mana in to the flow as much as possible. So much so that Fleur came when she sensed it all. She was seeing the bond between the earth and fire spirits. Both grand and even above what they had once been due to the changes within the world. She could sense that Walker was using the natural mana to help with how everyone was using manas here. The natural mana was booting the clarity of mana sense to all the mages. They were able to better fall in to focus as massive amounts of mana surged everywhere. The air itself even became dusty and fiery since the magma was being brought closer to the surface. Terron and Ignus roared out in unison as they raised the magma below the mountain. The size of it tripled in that span of an hour while the air roared. They were exerting the force that came with being dominator dragons. They were dominating the earth and fire manas so that they would bend to their will and create a proper flow through the mountain. The mages sensed this and began to replicate their will. Use their own will to copy what they were feeling the dragons do. For some, this spurred their understanding of each mana to a higher level than what it had been. For others, it reinforced what they knew so that it would solidify their own bases. It was both a learning enlightenment while being a part of Genesis as a whole. The moment that resonance was made beyond this, everyone fell silent. The mountain began to take shape as the manas were condensed within it. Instead of the air, the manas were focused on the mountain.

Stone cliffs were sheer in some places while others were almost cut out like steps. Climbing would still be necessary, but it was made so that it could be a training and a sparring place. The herbalists would struggle to come here, but they would grow stronger by doing so. The dragonkin could feel at home moving through here along with the young dragons and the younger wyverns. They would feel at home with the challenging terrain that taught them to survive. But the height of the mountain as it was cooled, was where things became amazing. Because that was when Ventus began pushing the wind to move around it properly. Creating new wind currents that would move toward her territory across from the earth mountain.