



INTRODUCTION

In a land torn by war, a peasant girl finds herself in the possession of a legendary armlet, which allowed her to wield mystical powers to fight darkness. After witnessing the destruction of her solitary and peaceful village by monsters and enemy soldiers, she set out on a journey to find what was lost and restore peace to the land.

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AUTHOR'S NOTE

Note de l'auteur

Welcome reader to yet another illustrated guide from me, for the PSP. Due to a lot of games out there for every console, it is really hard to choose a game to cover. Jeanne D' Arc for the PSP has kept me busy for more than 40 hours and it is one of the best games I've played for the last year.

Tile-based strategy RPG is not a common genre nowadays and this game did just great to let players live the experience. Not to mention that the developer of this game is Level 5, the one responsible for the PS2 hit (which I wrote a major guide as well) Rogue Galaxy. The anime style cinematics and greatly detailed cel-shaded environment is enough to stir my interest in the game.

Any feedback from you guys is very much appreciated. If you have corrections or suggestions tell me so; remember that I am doing this for **FREE** and I am investing my time and effort to make this guide as helpful as possible. I will try to cover everything that needs to be covered but I can't guarantee you that this will be perfect. Since I love using screenshots to make the guide more effective, spoilers may also lie ahead so read with care. That's all and I hope you will find this guide useful.

--Paul Vhayste



TRAINING CAMP

(Camp d'Entrainement)

In this section of the guide, you will learn the basics of gameplay and combat. The game is not that challenging and the learning curve to grasp the basics just takes less than an hour in average. Seasoned strategy-RPG players may wish to read through some pointers to know what to expect from the game.

GAME OVERVIEW

Jeanne D' Arc is a tile-based, strategy-RPG game. What does that mean? Well, tile-based since each stage is divided into squares or tiles, similar to a chessboard. Your characters can move over the tiles, depending on their range, obstacles and ground elevation.



It is basically a strategy game with the essence of RPG. Common aspects of strategy-RPG games include fixed locations that players can travel via the world map, intermission dialogs and cutscenes, plots are divided into chapters and there is no free navigation in towns or shops. In case you are not familiar with these, you will know more when you start to play the game.



WORLD MAP

Missions are pretty straightforward since you will be told where to head next. Further stages will be unlocked after clearing missions. From time to time, **FREE COMBAT** stages will appear. These are free stages which rewards you with rare items upon clearing. Be warned though, enemies here may be higher than your current level.

After completing a stage, you can go back to some of the stages you cleared to train your characters and earn more items, skills stones and gold.



If you forgot what you'll need to do in a mission, just press **SQUARE** to display your objective. If the town has a shop, press **TRIANGLE** to enter the shop. If the stage has our objective or free combat, press **X**.

SHOPS

Shops are accessed directly from the MAP. Most of their stocks are fixed and oftentimes, newer shops have better items of course. You can use the gold you have acquired during your battles to spend for your supplies and equipment.

The good thing about your shop menu is that you can scroll through your available characters and equipment, showing the stats bonuses available for them. Skills stones are also available from the shop, though they only sell common ones.



OUTFITTING

Maintaining your party's equipment, skills and supplies are essential for survival. Check your party's status often by **outfitting**. This can be accessed anywhere in the World Map or before you enter the battlefield.



During this screen, you can change weapons, armor and **SKILL STONES**. Each character has their own weapon specialization. This will be displayed under the character's name. Hence, a character specializing in using an Axe cannot wield a sword and so on.



This triangle indicates the elemental affiliation of the character. Basically, it tells which element a character or enemy strong and weak against. In this example, the enemy doesn't have any elemental affiliation. There are only three elements in the game.

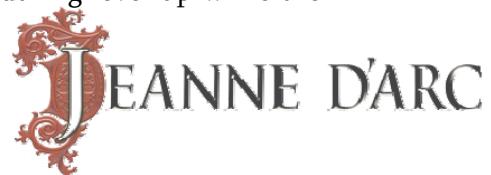
SOL (SUN)	– Element of fire
LUNA (MOON)	– Element of Ice
STELLA (STAR)	– Element of Wind

As you can see in the arrows, LUNA is strong against SOL, SOL is strong against STELLA and STELLA is strong against LUNA. Understanding this concept is pretty simple. A SOL character attacking a STELLA enemy can deal more damage than attacking a LUNA or another SOL target.

STATUS

Below is the basic rundown and brief explanation of the character stats:

LV	Indicates the character's level
EXP	Indicates how much EXP the character has acquired. Once it reaches 100, the character gains a level. Any excess will be carried over.
HP	Health points; when characters level up, a fixed amount of HP is added to their max HP. Note that different characters gain different amount of HP when leveling up. Axe wielders gain the most HP during level up while the magicians and archers gain the least.



MP	MP is automatically recovered, based on the character's max MP every turn in battle. The maximum amount of restored MP is set to 50 per turn. Since MP is only recovered this way and battles always start with characters on 0 MP, don't be surprised to find no MP during the status screen.
ATTACK	This is also obvious. The higher score on this stat, the greater damage you can deal.
DEFENSE	Determines your damage resistance rating
ACCURACY	Increases the chance of hitting an enemy
WALK MOV	Determines how many tiles/squares you can move over during battles.
MAGIC ATK	Increases damage on magic-based attacks
MAGIC DEF	Determines your magic damage resistance
EVADE	Higher score means better chances of evading enemy attacks
CRITICAL	Increases the odds of dealing critical damage when attacking.

SKILL STONES

Skill stones play a great role in every battle, even turning the tide to your favor. Characters can have a maximum of 6 skill slots. They are categorized to four types, each with its own power and effect. The RARITY (number of stars) of the skill determines how powerful and rare the skill is. Also, note that you can't equip two of the same kind of skill stones.

COUP DE GRACE



These stones enable your character to use special attacks. Special attacks vary from weapon to weapon. I recommend having at least two special attacks with different attack ranges to suit different battle conditions. Special attacks consume MP. Higher leveled Coup De Graces consume a lot more MP, enabling you to activate them after several turns.

INNATE ABILITIES



These are passive skills that are active for the whole duration of the battle. They don't consume MP and they have different benefits. Having at least one of these on your skill slot will never hurt.

MAGIC



Magic stones allow your characters to cast offensive, support and healing spells. Anybody can equip and cast magic stones. Activating a magical stone skill consumes MP.

SUPPORT STONES



They add different stat bonuses and automatic support while equipped. Elemental stones (Sol, Luna and Stella) are under this category as well. Similar to Innate stones, Support stones does not consume MP.

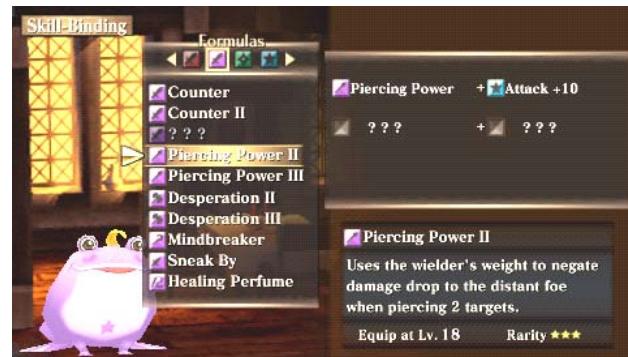


The image above shows an example of a balanced skill set. Remember that different characters have their own strength, weaknesses and limitations so keep that in mind when equipping skill stones. With proper planning, you can patch off some of their weaknesses without affecting your chances of success.

SKILL BINDING

Skill binding is one of the very important features in the game. It allows you to forge skill stones and forge them into a much powerful version. Bonded skills are lost forever so save often before binding.

One good feature of the game is that it saves the formula you used to create the skills, so that you can review the raw stones needed to create a stone you want.



For the complete formula of all skills, I recommend checking Sam Travis' (TrueBlade85) Skill Binding faq¹

Remember that NOT all skills can be acquired by skill binding. Some of the rare and hard to find ones can only be stolen from enemies or if you're lucky, get them as an item drop.

1 (<http://www.gamefaqs.com/portable/psp/file/934454/50137>)

COMBAT SCHOOL

(*École Militaire*)

In this section of the guide, you will learn the basics of the game's battle system. If you have played a strategy game before, you should be familiar with the mechanics already. If not, read through this section to learn more.

PRE-BATTLE/ OUTFIT

It will be unwise to jump into battle without preparation. When entering a combat stage, you will always have the chance to prepare your character's equipment and skills before putting them in the heat of the battle. If you plan to save, **SAVE YOUR GAME ON A SEPARATE FILE**. This is to prevent you from messing up your game because of an unwinnable battle.

DEPLOYMENT

This is the actual deployment of your characters on pre-selected starting points in the stage. The maximum number of party members that can be deployed will be displayed on the upper right corner of your screen. In most of the battles, Jeanne will be one of the default combatants.



Initial deployment of your characters can be very important, especially in battles where the party is surrounded, as shown in the image above. It is common knowledge already that “tanks” or characters with sturdy defense and high HP should always be in the frontlines. Axe-wielders and swordmen are the common choices in the frontlines. Thieves and spearmen can stand as rear-guards or rear support. Spellcasters and archers should always be at the back.

In some cases that the starting points are pretty much spread out, consider the characters that can take care of themselves and how soon can they get to each other's support. You wouldn't want to put in your archer in the middle of enemies while your fighter is in the safety of an elevated ledge.

TURN PHASE

The battle consists of two phases: the **player phase** and the **enemy phase**. The battle always starts with the player phase. The completion of the player phase and enemy phase makes up a **TURN**. Each stage has individual required turns to finish. If you fail to clear the stage within the required number of turns, it is game over. The number of turns available for the stage will be displayed on the upper right corner of the screen.



HIDDEN ITEMS

In every stage, there are hidden treasures. They can only be acquired when an ally is stepping over the very spot where the item is located. Fortunately, hidden items can be seen if any ally is just a tile beside it, in any direction. Just think of it as a 9-tile square where your character is in the center.



In the early part of the game, you'll need to look for the hidden items manually. That means finishing 99% of the enemies as fast as possible, letting one live for the few remaining turns and covering the whole area. Just remember the 9-tile square range of your characters to cover as much area as possible.

When you obtain the skills Treasure Hunter (Collet) and Treasure Lover (Rose), equip them and you should see all the hidden treasures across the map, during the entire battle – as long as Collet or Rose remains alive during the whole ordeal.

It will be interesting to note that some rare, powerful weapons and GEMS are hidden on later stages this way.

BATTLE MENU

Now to the actual battle. During your character's turn, you will have a list of commands available at your disposal. I will give a basic rundown of the menu items.



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| MOVE | Order your character to move to another tile within his/her range (blue tiles). The character's range depends on his/her MOV stat. |
| ATTACK | Order your character to attack enemies within his/her range (red tile). Attack range depends on the weapon equipped. Swords, axes and staves have a one tile range. Spears have two tile range and archers have a long range, of course. Spellcaster's magic attack range depends on the spell being cast. |
| SKILLS | Activate special or coup de grace attacks here. Requires a corresponding skill stone (red skillstone) |
| ITEMS | Use an item from your stock. Range depends on the item being used. |
| TRANSFORM | Use the Gem on your armlet to transform into a magical warrior. (Menu appears only to the few selected armlet wielders) |
| STATUS | Check your character's equipment and stat. You can't change equipment and skills on this menu |
| WAIT | End your character's turn. |

TRANSFORMATION

There are select, main characters in the game that wield armlets. These give them the ability to transform into another powerful form. All stats increase and any damage dealt at the point of the transformation will be healed. They will have access to more powerful and unique special attacks.



By default, AWs (Armlet wielders) have one GEM fitted in their armlet. You can collect more gems by completing free missions, finding hidden items and going through the story.



Armlet wielders earn SP every turn (number of SP is shown under the character's name). Different Gems require different amount of SP to be activated. A character can only stay on his/her transformed form for two turns. A gem can only be activated once per battle so use it wisely.

GODSPEED

While on their transformed form, AWs can have an additional turn every time they defeat an enemy. It is not required that you consume your turn consecutively; upon activation of Godspeed, you can select another available character to act. When planned properly, you can chain several Godspeeds in case there are enemies that can't be brought down with one attack.



BASIC COMBAT

When attacking, consider that attacking enemies from behind and from the sides increases damage and hit rate. This can be applied to special attacks as well.

After activating the WAIT command, four small arrows or pointers will appear over your character. These arrows are actually the direction where your character will face while waiting for his/her next turn. This is helpful when anticipating which direction the enemies will likely approach, thus increases defense and evasion from attacks upfront.



By default, normal attacks can be countered by both sides. Archers are the only characters in the game that can't counter enemy attacks. Spellcasters counter by physical attacks. High evasion rating also increases counterattack chances.

COUP DE GRACE

These special attacks vary from the red skillstones equipped. Their range, damage area and damage rating depends on the skillstone as well. To maximize efficiency, equip a special attack that damages one target (concentrated damage) and another one that affects an area (spread damage). After transformation, AWs have a unique special attack at their disposal, aside from the normal red skill stones currently equipped.



BURNING AURA

After successfully damaging an enemy using a physical attack (bow damage not included), the tile on the other direction of your attack will have a Burning Aura. An ally directly stepping on the tile has increased attack and critical hit rate. Effects of burning aura can be stacked on the same character making it more effective.

The aura is active only during the whole turn (during player and enemy phases) and disappears as soon as the next turn starts. Note that only physical attacks activate auras. Coup De Grace attacks don't count.

UNIFIED GUARD

This is automatically activated when allied characters stand on interconnected tiles (any direction). When attacked, the defending character gains defensive and evasive bonuses. It will always remain active; as long as there is a link (requires two characters beside each other.) It is even activated during a counterattack from the enemy.



COMBAT SPOILS

When defeating an enemy, they will drop skill stones and gold or a combination of both. You can have almost infinite supply of skill stones by stealing them (if a target has HP Recovery, just like the Trolls) as long as there are free turns left. If you are lucky, enemies will drop everything they have on their inventory. It will help if you check all the enemies on the current stage to know which of them carries rare and hard to find skillstones.



After completing the stage, you will be also rewarded with a fixed amount of EXP, Gold and some items. Completing the stage again will just net you with gold and some basic items.

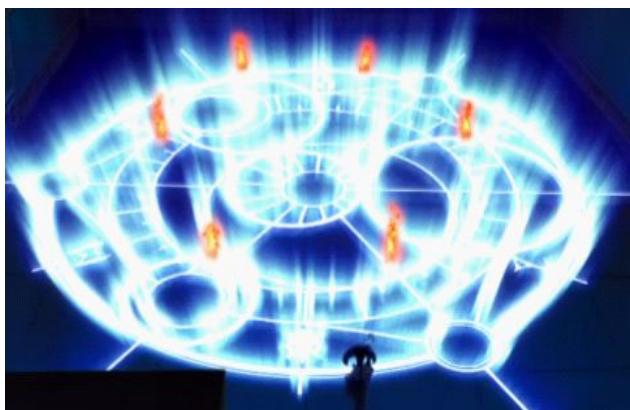


WALKTHROUGH

Since the stages are fixed, this walkthrough will just mention basic tips and pointers that will affect your tactics during the battle. You can use any approach that fits your style.

Free combat stages will be listed on the order they are unlocked; though it is not mandatory to clear them immediately. Most of the time, enemies on those stages will have higher level than your current party.

INTRO



Just watch the amazing anime intro to get a background of the story. Unfortunately, you can't skip this. After a few moments, you will be thrown to your first battle.



Tutorial: Using coordinates to find item locations

The coordinates² will be shown as [H, V], whereas the H is the horizontal (**from left to right**) and V (**from bottom to top**) is the vertical coordinates. For better understanding pull out the mini map by pressing START> Report.



The H coordinate starts from the left and the V starts from the bottom. Count the tiles in the current battlefield, not in this mini-map for accuracy.

So a coordinate that says 5, 10 mean “5 tiles from the left” then “10 tiles from the bottom”. Since the battlefield view can be rotated, it pays to check out your position in the mini-map to calculate the coordinates accurately. To know the starting point, position your cursor to the corner of the map. **The white square should be in the lower left-hand corner when viewed from the mini map.** This is your starting point, or [1,1]

Legend:

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|--------------|---|
| White Square | Pointer location; this is where your cursor is located. |
| Red Square | Tile occupied by an enemy |
| Blue Square | Tile occupied by an ally. |

² Coordinates borrowed from the FAQ of and with permission from **darklao** (<http://www.gamefaqs.com/portable/psp/file/934454/50626>)

CHAPTER 1

A Legend Begins

STAGE 1: A Voice from Heaven

VICTORY: Annihilate all enemies

DEFEAT: Jeanne falls

TURNS: 10

ENEMIES: Orc Knight x1, Orc x2

TIPS: Treat this as a tutorial stage. You will have 5 healing herbs by default and don't hesitate to use them when the situation arises. With Liane and Jeanne, you can flank enemies to kill them quickly. If you want, you can take out two enemies before attempting to get the hidden items.



Hidden Items: (Note: The locations are fixed; however, the item that you may find is set randomly. The screenshots are just for reference; the item shown may or may not be what you'll get.)



#1: [13, 16] Beside the chapel

#2: [5, 14] Inside the square ruins, in front of the chapel

#3 [11, 4] Near the stone walls across the stream



REWARDS:

160E

100G

Solar Phial

Healing Herb

After the battle, a scene triggers.

STAGE 2: Holy Armor

VICTORY: Annihilate all enemies

DEFEAT: Jeanne falls

TURNS: 10

ENEMIES: English Officer x1, Orc Knight x1, Orc x5



TIPS: The very first item ([2, 2]) location is near your starting position. Make sure to send somebody to pick it up.

Flank the nearest enemy. After that, there will be a short scene. Now you have unlocked the Transformation option. Link attacks so that you can eliminate multiple enemies using Godspeed.

The English Officer will be the mini-boss for this stage. Make sure you don't attack him with one or two characters only. He damages and counters hard. He won't leave his position until you attack him. Take this opportunity to collect all hidden items in the stage.

Hidden Items:



#2: [2, 9] In between the two houses from your starting position. You may need to go around the house uphill to reach the item location.

#3: [13, 16] By the right window of the house over the hill.

REWARDS:

236E

100G

Healing Herb

Heal (Green Skillstone)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Vaucouleurs (Plot, *Shop)

*Neufchateau (Plot)

Chapel in the Woods (Free Combat)

Before entering Vaucouleur, prepare your characters first by outfitting them (and saving your game as well.) If you want, clear the Chapel in the Woods to gain a few level boost, as well as additional items, skill stones and gold. Once ready, enter Vaucouleur to proceed with the story.



*After the scene, the path to Neufchateau opens. The shop is accessible now as well. Shop for new items and equipment; I suggest equipping your characters to the fullest as you can afford it.

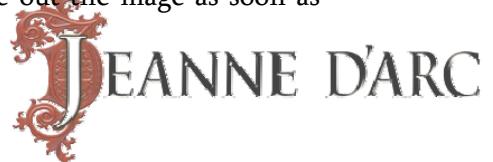
Check all your skills and equipment. When ready, head to the next stage.

STAGE 3: Journey's Start**VICTORY:** Defeat the English Officer**DEFEAT:** All allies fall in battle**TURNS:** 12**ENEMIES:** English Officer x1, Orc Knight x2, Orc x7, Lizardman x4

TIPS: Don't be intimidated by the number of enemies. Before the battle starts, two new party members will appear; **Bertrand** (*Sword*) and **Jean** (*Spear*). You will also have a brief tutorial about Jean's attack ranges and stuff.



Once ready, make your way up. Stick your characters close so that you can take advantage of Unified Guard. The first few enemies are just a breeze, if you managed to train your characters before starting this stage. Heal often as needed and take out the mage as soon as you have the chance.



Hidden Items:



- #1: [10, 6] In the front yard of the houses above the first set of stairs
- #2: [11, 11] Hidden in the dead end, beside the bridge
- #3: [17, 11] Beside the monastery, near the cliff (facing your starting position)

Once you cleared the enemies, you can attempt to get the 3rd item location. You can save Jeanne's Transformation skill to the officer. You shouldn't have any problems ~~defeating this stage here~~

REWARDS:

380E

200G

Erpow Fruit (!!rare!!)

Nimble Tonic

Cure (Green Skillstone)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Forest of Fraude (Plot)

Nancy (Non-selectable)

Neufchateau (Shop)

STAGE 4: The Crimson Warrior

VICTORY: Defeat the English Officer

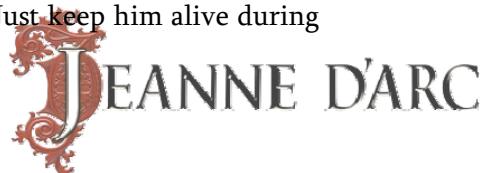
DEFEAT: The nobleman falls in battle

TURNS: 10

ENEMIES: English Officer x1, Orc Knight x3, Orc x2
Mage x1, Bovimoth x2

TIPS: Equip somebody with Heal and good armor. At this point, it will be probably Liane. At the start of the battle, you may divide your team into two. Three will be the assault team and the other two (the healer and his/her escort) will be the support team. If you want to, you can also push through as a whole unit.

The assault team will comprise of your primary fighters. They will take the attention of the other enemies while your support team approaches the nobleman. Just keep him alive during the battle and you should do fine.



Hidden Items:



- #1: [15, 6] - Under nearest enemy near standing position; beside rock
- #2: [8, 11] - bridge
- #3: [3, 8] - beside waterfall
- #4: [15, 13] - behind nobleman's starting position*

*This item location is only available during this event/stage plot. On free combat, it will be unavailable.

REWARDS:

228E

300G

Eldish Fruit (!!rare!!)

Healing Herb

Fireball (Green Skillstone)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Soir Valley (Plot)

Nancy (Shop)

Neufchateau (Free Combat)

After clearing the stage, watch through the following scenes. During this intermission, you'll learn about your new mission objective and two more party members will join you; **Colet** (dagger) and **Marcel** (bow)

Once you reach the world map, your next objective will appear. If you want, you can go to some of the free combat stages to train Colet and Marcel and equip them as well. When ready, head to Soir Valley.

STAGE 5: The Road to Chinon

VICTORY: Guide all allies to the road at the map's north edge

DEFEAT: A single ally falls in battle

TURNS: 12

ENEMIES: Talbot, Lizardman x4, Dark Elf x2, Bovimoth x2

TIPS: If you have some Heal skillstones to spare, make sure at least two of your characters have them. Also, move in a tight group so everybody can support each other. If you want, you can also equip your characters with offensive spells, so that they can also damage enemies from a distance.

Archers will be a nuisance here. If you take the path to the bridges, you can avoid the archers but will need to face some ground units. Decide which approach you'll take. Just don't spread your people too much.



Talbot is still the biggest threat here. If you'll plan to bring him down, make sure that Jeanne is transformed and your other characters nearby for support. Remember that once a character reaches the border, he/she will be out for the entire battle. I suggest grouping your characters near the border; wait for the others if they are spread out. After the last character reaches the border, the battle ends.

Hidden Items:



1



2

#1: [2, 10] Between the dead tree and rock (*no screenshot*)

#2: [19, 12] Near the edge of a cliff, before the eastern bridge

#3: [16, 19] Over the big platform-like rock formation, near the border



REWARDS:

504E

500G

Rysecor Fruit (!!rare!!)

Stability Tonic

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Aeolian Hill (Plot)

Forest of Fraude (Free Combat)

STAGE 6: The Armlet's Chosen

VICTORY: Defeat Talbot

DEFEAT: Jeanne falls in battle

TURNS: 9

ENEMIES: Talbot, Orc Knight x2, Dark Elf x2,
Bovimoth x2, Mage x2, Gazelliath

TIPS: Before you start the stage, assign one or two of your characters as support healers. Marcel is a great help here since you'll need to take out the two mages as soon as you can; before they can even store enough mana to cause problems. Also, avoid placing your characters in a straight line; this is to avoid getting paralyzed by the Gazelliaths' Mighty Roar attack.

After 1 turn, Gilles will appear as a lone reinforcement. He will be in his transformed form so if you managed to damage enemies half their HP, Gilles can abuse Godspeed to wipe them clean off the battlefield. But before that, grab the items first.



Hidden Items:

#1[18, 4] – Behind the rocks, to the east

#2[10, 12] – In front of windmill; between the stream and the dark elf

#3[9, 16] - Behind the windmill





1



2



3

As usual, before facing Talbot, make sure that you cleared the other enemies first. This will make your job easier. Also, make sure that Jeanne is transformed when facing him. Heal as needed and after Talbot is defeated, the mission completes.

REWARDS:

360E

650G

Geddo Fruit (!!rare!!)

Critical Tonic

Healing Herb

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Chinon (Plot1, Shop)

Orleans (Plot2)

Soir Valley (Free Combat)

After the battle, the path to **Chinon** opens. Enter the town and watch the following scenes. After a few more conversations and a talk with **Gilles**, he **will join your party**. As you exit the world map the path to Orleans will now be open and you can now access the shop in Chinon.



Make sure to upgrade any equipment, restock supplies, buy new skills or train a few battles before heading to the next stage. It never hurts to be ahead of the competition.

CHAPTER 2

The Savior

STAGE 7: The Maiden Battle

VICTORY: Guide Jeanne to the gate of Orleans

DEFEAT: Jeanne falls in battle

TURNS: 12

ENEMIES: Lizard Guardian x2, Orc Knight x3, Swordfighter x2
Priestess x1, Wizard x1, Gazelliath x2

TIPS: Before you start the battle, you will see a scene of two beastlings. After a short while **La Hire** and **Rufus** will **join your party**. Both are axe-wielders. Aside from that, they have high defense and HP rating, perfect for the frontline “tank” role.

You’ll still need at least a couple of support healers here. Prioritize eliminating the **priestess** and the **wizard** since they can heal and cast area-damaging spells respectively. Also, the **swordfighters** can cause a bit of problems because of their high damage and counter. As usual, the Gazelliaths love to use Mighty Roar when they have the chance so avoid placing your characters along a 3-tile straight line. The item locations are not hard to reach. Just clear your way of enemies and place Jeanne to the gates to complete the mission.

Hidden Items:



#1: [16, 9] dry ground in the middle of the stream

#2: [5, 4] – Upstream from the starting point, near walls and falls

#3: [10, 14] – Past the river, near the main road.

REWARDS:

712E

800G

Sibull Fruit (!!rare!!)

Mana Shard

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Orleans (Shop)

Bastille of St. Loup (Plot)

Aeolian Hill (Free Combat)

After the mission, you will still need to watch a few more scenes and events, before the next stage is unlocked. Make sure to upgrade equipments since the Orleans shop has new items in their inventory. You can train for two quick battles for some extra level, gold and items or just proceed to the next stage.



STAGE 8: The Savior's Proof

VICTORY: Annihilate all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 15

ENEMIES: Sword Master x1, Swordfighter x3, Bowfighter x3, Lancer x4

TIPS: This will be your first siege. You can push through the middle or attack from two sides of the fort. The archers from the tower are annoying but don't pose that great of a threat. When attacking, I suggest luring the enemies to your positions before marching deep inside enemy territory. That way you can pick them off one by one with ruthless efficiency.

Equipping all your characters with offensive spells will greatly help since you can damage enemies that are out of range instead of waiting out your turn.



Hidden Items:

#1 [17, 3] - Between the large rocks outside the fort; near the starting position.

#2 [2, 4] – Upper platform, beside the barrels at the back of the first room

#3 [8, 19] – Dead-end, lower right part of the fort



1



2



3

REWARDS:

680E

1000G

Healing Seed

Lunar Phial

Gem of Gules (Jeanne)

The boss for this stage is the Swordmaster, located in the upper platform. Fighting him up close may get a bit troublesome since he got high defense and counter. Better yet, you have all the time in the world to soften him up with spells or pick him off using Marcel.

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Bastille of the Augustins (Plot)

Orleans (Free Combat)



After the battle, go back to Orleans and check out their new stocks. Upgrade as necessary. Note that Liane and Roger won't be able to fight for the next stage so re-arrange your battle formation. After upgrading, I suggest fighting in the Orleans free combat stage. Try to get the Swordmaster's Counter skill for your swordies or wait until you get the Skill Shakedown skill for Colet and just steal it. Once ready, head to the next stage.

STAGE 9: The Bloodied Savior

VICTORY:

Defeat Talbot

DEFEAT:

All allies fall in battle

TURNS:

14

ENEMIES:

Talbot, Swordfighter x2, Bowfighter x2, Knighted Blade x3

Priestess x2, Lancer x2

TIPS: Colet will be a fixed member here. I suggest bringing in Marcel and Gilles. You can bring another spearman such as Jean or a tank, either Rufus or LaHire.

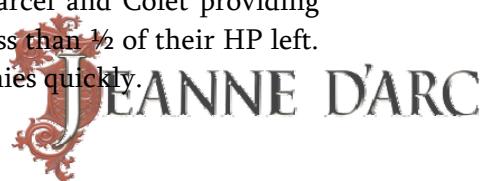
There will be wooden gate that is blocking your way as well. Colet can setup ladders which your party members can use to climb over the walls. Let Marcel take care of the archers on the eastern wall and scale to the other side of the walls.

Have Colet grab the item near the western shore (*see image #1 on Hidden Items portion*) and have him setup a ladder, preferably, one on the leftmost part of the wall. You can just let him do the job of an infiltrator and take out nearby enemy units.

For the meantime, you should also have a main assault team that will break through the main gate and defenses. You can use Gilles' Impale! skill if you have it equipped and take advantage of the defenders position in a straight line. Once inside, eliminating the priestesses should become the first priority.



Transformation plays a major part of the offensive here. With Marcel and Colet providing rear support, you can damage most enemies until they have only less than $\frac{1}{2}$ of their HP left. This way, upon transformation, you can use Godspeed to clear enemies quickly.



Talbot is still as hardy as ever. You will still need to take precautions when attacking him. Just defeat him to complete the mission or leave him last and eliminate all enemies within the fort.

Hidden Items:

Item locations #2 & #3 will be relocated on Free Combat mode.



#1: [4, 6] By western shore, near starting point

#2: [4, 11], directly aligned with the first item location, setup a ladder and you should see it immediately

#3 [20, 2] Near the southeastern corner of the area, past the eastern walls.

REWARDS:

532E

1100G

Healing Herb

Astral Phial

Skill Shakedown (red skillstone - dagger)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Bastille of the Augustins (Plot)



Once you're in the world map, save first and visit the Orleans shop. New items will be available for some of your characters.

Head again to Bastille of the Augustins to continue on with the story.



STAGE 10: Talbot's Scheme

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: Jeanne falls in battle

TURNS: 16

ENEMIES: Talbot, Swordfighter x3, Archer x1, Knighted Blade x3

Priestess x1, Wizard x1

TIPS: Concentrate on Talbot's flank. There will be enemy forces just waiting outside and will be attempting to barge in. Again, having artillery support from Marcel is a great help. You'll need to take out the wizard and the priestess as soon as you can before they cause any trouble.



Creating a bottleneck with your primary attackers will help a lot here since facing them while spread out can make the battle difficult. Just defeat as many enemies as you can before the gate falls. Since Jeanne has a secondary gem now, you can transform twice if needed. Just save the last transformation when facing Talbot. As you may have done before, damage the enemies below half of their HP and Godspeed through them. (Storing MP until full is recommended, just in case enemies can't be taken down with a normal attack) If you just played through the game without side-training, you'll find yourself in a tight situation. If you are having problems clearing this stage, reload your save OUTSIDE of the battle and train.

Hidden Items:

The item locations will be different from the last battle. I have tried looking across the map and was only able to find one item location for this battle so far.

#1: [12,2] – In the center line of the bridge, near the southern edge of the map (*no screenshot*)

REWARDS:

686E

1200G

Strength Tonic

Xheno Fruit (!!rare!!)

Lower Force (green skillstone)

Accuracy +5 (blue skillstone)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Tourelles (Plot)

Bastille of St. Loup (Free Combat)

After the battle, you will be able to bind skills through Cuisses. You should try and take time to experiment with all the available combinations you have in your current skillstone stock right now. Don't worry, once bonded, the formula is saved so you can review them later.



Also, since you have Colet's **Skill Shakedown** skill, try to steal good skillstones from certain enemies. And from now on, if you have Colet in your fighting team, make sure to check the individual stats of enemies and review which one has the rare/uncommon skills you won't normally get on an enemy drop. A good example for this at this point of the game will be the Meteor Bolt skill from the dark elf in St. Loup, (red skillstone for your archers) and the Counter skill from the swordmaster at Orleans.

Once ready, go to the next stage.

STAGE 11: Breaching the Dark

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: A single ally falls in battle

TURNS: 18

ENEMIES: Glasdale, Knighted Lancer x5, Archer x1, Knighted Blade x7, Gargoyle x2

TIPS: Approach the first gate. Have someone with high mobility (such as Colet) to collect the first hidden item. (*See below*) As you defeat the initial enemies, reinforcements shall appear. Defeat them and breach the first gate. Additional reinforcements will appear on both sides; from the large rooms. Both rooms have items so send somebody to pick them up as well.



Continue your push forward and make sure not to defeat Glasdale yet. Reach the last item near the north eastern portion of the map, by the canal. Then, defeat Glasdale to complete the mission. Stage 12 will start immediate so save on a separate file, just to be safe.

JEANNE D'ARC

Hidden Items:



1



2



3



4

#1: [3, 6] In the middle of the westernmost platform

#2: [3, 22] Large room to the west; past the first gate

#3: [26, 28] Large room to the east; past the first gate

#4: [28, 15] East, past the second gate; beside the canal

REWARDS:

640E

1500G

Healing Herb

Magical Tonic

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Tourelles (second part)

STAGE 12: For a Free Orleans

VICTORY: Defeat Talbot

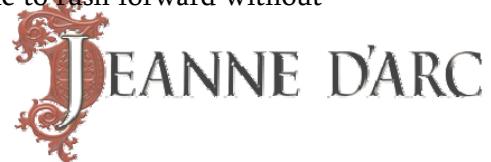
DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

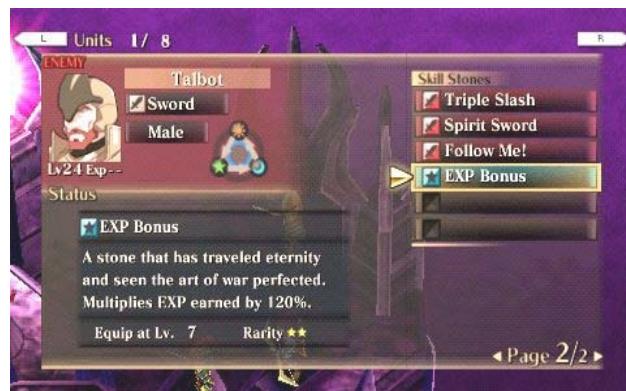
URNS: 15

ENEMIES: Talbot, Knighted Lancer x4, Archer x2, Knighted Blade x3, Swordmaster x2
Swordfighter x1, Priestess x1, Wizard x1

TIPS: There will be three paths to choose from. Take Marcel, Gilles, Jean for mid-long range attacks. Divide your group into 3 assault teams; at least one in each pair has healing spells. Equipping offensive spells will also help on dealing damage to hard to reach enemies.

If your level is well above the enemy levels here, you should be able to rush forward without any problems. Precautions still apply, though.





Talbot has some really cool skills that you would like to attempt stealing. Save him from last, position Colet beside him and support him with healing spells. Just make sure you'll do this with Talbot's HP on critical so that you can kill him immediately in case you are run out of turns.

Hidden Items:

I was not able to review the coordinates for this stage since it is only a continuation of Tourelles; hence, it won't be accessible for Free Combat. Please refer to the screenshots and the descriptions to obtain the items.



REWARDS:

640E

1000G

Erpow Fruit (!!rare!!)

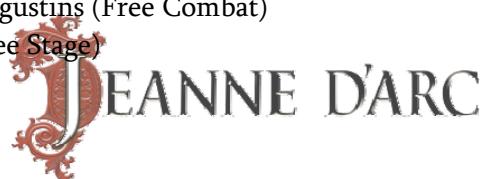
Defense Tonic

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Patay (Plot)

Bastille of the Augustins (Free Combat)

Altois Prairie (Free Stage)



VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 35

ENEMIES: Queen Rouge, Qrow Knight x2, Qrow Leader x1
Dragon x2, Golem x3

TIPS: This is an optional stage with powerful enemies, since they have higher level than you are. I suggest entering this stage once your fighting team is at least LV30. This stage is worth clearing because it will reward you with a powerful spear and a great staff, which both are rare.



The Queen Rouge and the Qrow Leader have skillstones worth stealing so try to snatch them when you have the chance. The Qrows will be first ones to attack while the other enemies won't move unless you near their "territorial" range. So to start off, move your characters north (or left from your starting position) and engage the Qrows. They have really high evasion rates so you may want to hit them with offensive magics in case you can't hit them physically. Grab the item #1 also in the pond.

Once that is done, move a bit to the west to provoke the big enemies. Area damaging spells and skills help a lot here since larger targets such as dragons and golems occupy several tiles. Hence, they receive damage for every tile affected by the attack.

When facing dragons, avoid stacking your characters in a tight group. It is okay to spread them out but not too wide or they won't be coordinating attacks efficiently or worse, provoke the other targets to move towards your position. You have better chance of winning when you engage the enemies one by one.

The Queen Rouge has really high evasion rate and characters with higher accuracy ratings can hit her. Fortunately, magic cannot be evaded so use your offensive spells to soften her.

The skillstones from the dragons and golems can't be equipped to your characters but they can be bonded to form new skills and fetch a higher price when sold to shops.

Hidden Items:

*starting position is from the west



#1 [5, 22] in the small pond from the starting position

#2 [25, 19] in the small pond, near the northeastern part of the map

#3 [26, 3] near the southeastern part of the map

REWARDS:

476E

1000G

Demongriffe(!!rare!!)

Lifegiver's Staff (!!rare!!)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

None

None

CHAPTER 3

Amid the Storm

At the start of the chapter, check out the new items on stock at the Orleans shop. Train a few battles and upgrade your equipment as necessary. When ready, head to the next stage (Patay)



STAGE 13: Battle of Patay

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: Jeanne falls in battle

TURNS: 20

ENEMIES: Bartolomeo, Knighted Blade x2, Archer x2, Orc King x4
Wizard x2, Knighted Lancer x2, Troll x2, Qrow x4

TIPS: After a turn, **Beatrix** (*bow*) will arrive and will assist you. Use her to your advantage. First, don't place your characters individually and spread out in the field. You will need the advantage of Unified Guard to survive. But if you can bring down an enemy with 1-2 hits, then just fight normally.



The wizards can annoy you after a few turns, after they have stored MP to cast some offensive spells. After each turn, two batches of reinforcements will appear. Each of them consists of an ogre, qrows and an orc king. The ogres have the skill HP Recovery which is really useful and hard to obtain skillstone. And since you can steal as many as your remaining turns left, I suggest eliminating all the other enemies and save an ogre for last. Trap him between Colet and three other characters while the others scour for the hidden items. On the last turn, shower it with pain to end the mission.

Hidden Items:



1



2

#1 [3, 9] In between the large ruins and block road, lower western part of the map

#2 [13, 26] In the ancient platform with two pillars, northern part of the map

#3 [24, 14] Middle eastern part of the map, on a patch of rocky ground, near a boulder

#4 [17, 5] Middle south of the map, beside the fallen pillar and over a patch of ground



After the battle, **Beatrix** and **Bartolomeo** (axe) will join the party. Be happy to have another archer and another tank.

REWARDS:

708E

1600G

Eldish Fruit (!!rare!!)

Searing Phial

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Troyes (Plot)

Tourelles (Free Combat)

STAGE 14: Brother Richard

VICTORY: Defeat Slinker

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

URNS: 12

ENEMIES: Slinker, Bovimoth x2, Gazelliath x2, Orc King x3
Ceratoth x1, Militiamen x6

TIPS: After the scene, you will find yourself in a surrounded by militiamen and beasts. The starting point basically is in the middle of the map; you will need to position your characters to the eastern side of the map. The gateways will provide the much needed bottle neck for the enemies. If you want, you can position two tanks on each gateway and position two archers on each.



As soon as the battle starts, there will be a short conversation with **Father Richard** (*staff*). He will join the party afterwards. He will be in his transformed form when he joins the battle. He is a very bad attacker (obviously) but can be great for supporting. Calculate the damage inflicted on enemies so that you can just godspeed Richard to them. Just clear the enemies on the eastern side; leave Slinker alone for the meantime if you want and eliminate all attacking enemies for some extra exp (as long as you still have enough turns). Defeat Slinker to clear the stage.

Hidden Items:



#1: [20, 14] In between the two northern houses; just near the barrel

#2: [12, 8] Behind the central arc, above the river

#3: [7, 2] On the grassy field, southwestern part of the map, near the stairs



REWARDS:

832E

1700G

Rysecor Fruit (!!rare!!)

Reflex Tonic

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Troyes (Shop)

Chalons

Patay (Free Combat)

STAGE 15: Chalons and the Ruse

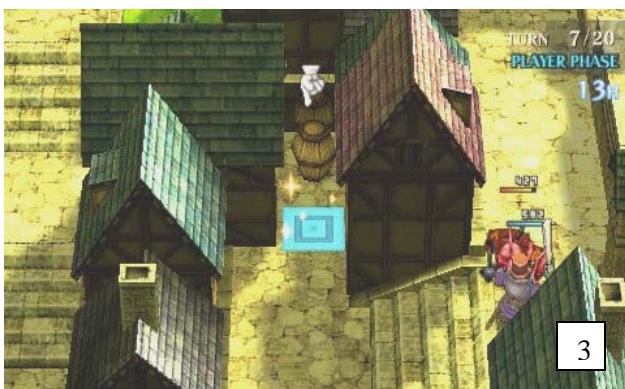
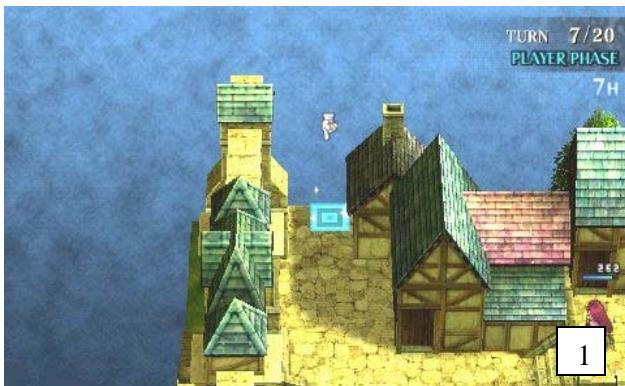
VICTORY: Guide all allies to the fissures in the city wall
DEFEAT: A single ally falls in battle
TURNS: 12
ENEMIES: Slinker, Ceratoth x1, Gazelliath x4, Militiaman x5

TIPS: Your objective is to have all your 5 characters reach the escape route to the walls. There are two exits. However, you can cross any of them to complete the mission. You must bring at least two characters with healing ability. Bringing in a tank is okay but their limited movement range will somehow require you to adjust your battle plan. Bringing in a magician or archer will be helpful but not necessary.

First, check out the locations of the hidden items (*see below*) so that you can plan your escape accordingly. Make sure that nobody gets left behind. Once a character is near the escape point, don't have him go there yet. Wait for your other allies until all of them are near the goal before escaping as a group. That way, in case an emergency happens, there is someone that can provide support.

For Slinker, he is a bit of a nuisance so if ever you decide to take the southern wall, bring your strongest characters and rush him. Heal often as needed.

Hidden Items:



*starting point is from the north, facing south

#1: [25, 22] The dead-end in the northeastern part of the town, near the main gate

#2: [4, 19] The dead-end in the northwestern portion of the town, behind the houses

#3: [7, 11] Look for the small alley with two barrels, just before the stairs leading to the west wall opening

REWARDS:

800E

1800G

Moonglow Phial

Warding Tonic

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Bog of Vermonde(Plot)

Colosseum (Free Stage)

Troyes (Free Combat)

After the battle, more scenes will follow. Due to the events, Jeanne won't be in your part for the meantime. All her equipped items and skillstones are returned to your inventory so that you can equip it to your available characters. Jeanne's armlet and transformation armlets will be equipped to her as well. Liane will replace her as your main hero.



CHAPTER 4

Markings of a Maid

After some more scenes, you will have control again. Prepare your team and bind some new skills if you can. If you want to continue with the story, head to the Bogs. Otherwise, go through a few free combat stages or try it out in the coliseum.

Free Stage: Colosseum (1st Season)



The Colosseum will pit you against 10 continuous rounds of battle, where the enemy levels gradually increase as you climb your way up. There will be **no savepoints** in between matches but you will be given a choice to “Yield” (Quit) or “No Yield” (Proceed). If you decided to quite after winning a few matches, you keep everything you have acquired at that point but you will start again in the first round when you enter the Colosseum again.

Enemies will start from LV29 and the last batch will comprise of LV48 monsters. Unless you are sufficiently leveled and well-equipped, I don’t recommend pushing your way into your own demise. For the first time you unlocked it, the first few levels are still manageable. But just in case you already having troubles on your last fight, quit and just return if you are high enough. **Note that no experience is rewarded after each round.**

Basic information of the enemies and the rewards will be listed below:

Round 1	
Turns:	20
Party:	2/2
Enemies:	Orc L29 (x2), Orc Knight L28 (x1)
Rewards:	100G, Healing Herb

Round 2	
Turns:	20
Party:	2/2
Enemies:	Orc L30 (x2), Orc Knight L31 (x2), Orc King L30 (x1)
Rewards:	200G, Solar Phial
Round 3	
Turns:	20
Party:	2/2
Enemies:	Lizard Guardian L34 (x2), Lizard Marshal L35 (x1), Orc King L34 (x2)
Rewards:	300G, Healing Herb
Round 4	
Turns:	20
Party:	2/2
Enemies:	Qrow Knight L35 (x2), Lizard Marshal L36 (x2), Qrow Leader L36 (x1)
Rewards:	400G, Lunar Phial
Round 5	
Turns:	20
Party:	3/3
Enemies:	Gargoyle L38 (x4), Golem L39 (x1)
Rewards:	500G, Healing Herb
Round 6	
Turns:	20
Party:	3/3
Enemies:	Bowfighter L40 (x2), Archer L41 (x2), Sniper L42 (x3)
Rewards:	600G, Astral Phial
Round 7	
Turns:	20
Party:	4/4
Enemies:	Bovimoth L42 (x2), Gazelliath L42 (x2), Ceratoth L43 (x2)
Rewards:	700G, Healing Seed
Round 7	
Turns:	20
Party:	4/4
Enemies:	Bovimoth L42 (x2), Gazelliath L42 (x2), Ceratoth L43 (x2)
Rewards:	700G, Healing Seed
Round 8	
Turns:	20
Party:	4/4
Enemies:	Flameflyer L45 (x2), Ogre L44 (x2), Wyvern Lord L45 (x1)
Rewards:	800G, Solar Phial, Lunar Phial, Astral Phial
Round 9	
Turns:	20
Party:	4/4
Enemies:	Ghost L47 (x4), Skeleton L47 (x4), Frost Demon L46 (x1)
Rewards:	900G, Healing Seed

Round 10

Turns: 20
Party: 4/4
Enemies: Wizard L48 (x2), Dragon L49 (x1), Sniper L48 (x1), Lich L49 (x1)
Rewards: 5000G, War Reverie, Rune Spear, Spirits' Helve, Two Rounds

And with that you will also receive...



This is another gem for Liane or Cuisses. After getting the grand prize for the Colosseum, it will be unavailable until you finish the game. The rewards are definitely worth it. Try them on and discover for yourself.

Stage 16: A New Pucelle

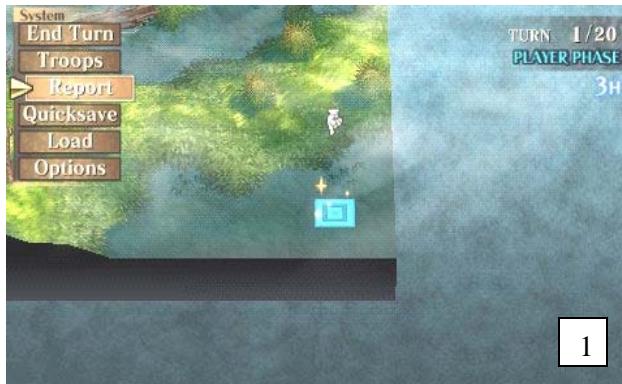
VICTORY: Defeat Mawra
DEFEAT: Liane falls in battle
TURNS: 17
ENEMIES: Mawra, Lizard Guardian x2, Dark Elf x4, Qrow x2, Wyvern x1

TIPS: The water will definitely slow you down. The Qrows and the Wyvern will definitely take advantage of it since their mobility is not affected like you do. The dark elves post no threat at all, provided that your characters are properly equipped or leveled.



Bringing in Beatrix and Marcel in this battle will greatly help, since their ranged attacks can make up with the low mobility caused by the swamp. If possible, try to find dry ground to move easier around the map. Having some offensive spells can help in battle but not that necessary. Mawra is not that of a problem. Just let your characters use Unified Guard whenever possible to reduce damage and transform your AWs to do a quick job on her.

Hidden Items:



1



2



3

#1: [24, 2] By the southeastern corner of the field

#2: [16, 13] Just beside the dead trunk; near the center of the map

#3: [8, 23] Between the standing dead tree and a bush, to the northwest;

REWARDS:

728E

1900G

Sibull Fruit (!!rare!!)

Healing Seed

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Reims (Plot)

Chalons (Free Combat)

Stage 17: To Crown a King

VICTORY: Guide Charles VII to the cathedral's entrance

DEFEAT: Charles VII falls in battle

TURNS: 20

ENEMIES: Mawra, Dark Elf x2, Qrow x2, Qrow Knight x3, Mage x1
Bovimoth x3, Knighted Lancer x2





Tips: Basically, this is an escort mission. And the bad part is that the queer-looking dauphin is uncontrollable so, he will take a stroll all by himself. But the worst part is that it takes only one hit from ANY enemy attack to kill him. Yes, this is gonna be fun.

Okay, to start off, there are three obvious routes to the chapel. The main path at the center is where the dauphin is taking so concentrate three of your characters there. Two should take a lead while another one guards the rear. I suggest leaving an archer to the rear so that he/she can provide support from the main guards up front.

For your other three characters, you can have them take the other routes. Gilles equipped with Demongriffe can take a route alone since his weapon can deal massive damage to enemies at this point.

After killing the initial enemies, reinforcements will appear. The most dangerous probably is the dark elf that will appear to the rear position, near your party's starting point. Since you have a guard there, eliminate the elf. After that, you'll just need to worry about the enemies up front.



On the last approach before Mawra's guards, I suggest positioning your front guards to block the dauphin from advancing any further. Just hold the position and let your other allies to pincer the enemy forces.

Hidden Items:

This item location will be available for this mission only. Free combat at Reims will be inside the Cathedral. Also no screenshots were taken for the actual item locations. Please refer to the coordinates below.

#1: [6, 22]

#2: [12, 14]

#3: [18, 18]

REWARDS:

732E

2500G

Xheno Fruit (!!rare!!)

Geddo Fruit (!!rare!!)

Galaxy Phial

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Paris Ramparts (Plot)

Vantoix Canyon

Reims (Shop)

Bogs of Vermonde(Free Combat)

After the battle, Gilles temporarily leaves the party. You will be back at Chinon automatically. There will be new items in the inventory so be sure to check it out. Prepare your party, then proceed to your next objective.

Stage 18: Vicissitudes

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: Liane falls in battle

TURNS: 20

ENEMIES: Knighted Blade x3, Swordmaster x3, Sniper x2,
Wizard x4, Knighted Lancer x4

Tips: You will have 3 guests, all of them, for displaying purposes only and to question your morality in the battle. Anyway, you should bring in your tanks here (provided that you trained them properly) since they will be the stars of this battle. Once your tanks are deployed up front, you can have your archers to soften up the enemies before your tanks move in for the kill, through attack or counter.

After you kill all the initial enemies, reinforcements will appear. Defeat them to clear the stage. As long as your party is well equipped and leveled, you shouldn't have any major problems dealing with these enemies.

Hidden Items:



#1: [9, 11] In between the two puddles of water, near the drawbridge

#2: [13, 17] in the drawbridge

REWARDS:

608E

1000G

Healing Herb

Mana Shard

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

La Charite (Plot A)

St Pierre-le-Moutier (Plot B)



After the ugly “defeat” in Paris, you will be back at Chinon. After a few conversations, you will be given a choice for your next move. Nothing major will be affected in the plot. You will get a new party member depending on your choice.

Rebellion

A: (19A) La Charite – You will get **Rose**, a lady bandit that is a direct female counterpart of Colet. She uses a whip, charm enemies, steal gold and skillstones. With her on the team, you can steal twice as many skillstones when paired with Colet. She can also setup ladders and bridges, like Colet.

Sellswords

B: (19B) The Magician Girl – You will get **Claire**, another magician. She has really good stats to start with and it never hurts to have another staff user in the party. She can cast great magics that can affect the whole battlefield. Now imagine having Richard and Claire to take care of healing and offensive spells...

Whatever path you choose, you will still follow the normal plot of the gameplay. Once you cleared one of the stages above, the other will still appear on the map, as a free combat stage and shop.

Stage 19A: Narrow Roads

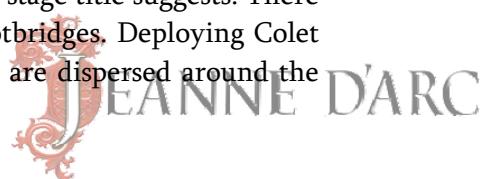
VICTORY: Defeat the rebel leader

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 15

ENEMIES: Rebel Leader, Knighted Blade x4, Wizard x1, Necromancer x2
Mage x1, Ceratoth x2

Tips: This stage is set in sewers and the pathways are narrow, as the stage title suggests. There are several points along the map that may require you to setup footbridges. Deploying Colet in this battle can make it faster. Also note that the starting points are dispersed around the area.



What I did was I paired my two archers with my best tanks while Colet or Rose has an escort of your choice. Since the starting positions are quite far away to each other, I suggest concentrating on attacking nearest targets. Defeating them quickly increases your chances of survival.



Use your archers' Sky Dart ability to defeat hard to reach enemies. As always, prioritize on eliminating the mage, wizard and necromancers.

Hidden Items:



#1 [12, 14] Past the wide canal to the northwest. Item is located in the end of the ledge.

#2 [11, 25] Northwestern dead-end, almost perpendicular aligned to location #1

#3 [21, 1] southeastern edge portion of the map, by the stairs

REWARDS:

724E

1500G

Geddo Fruit (!!rare!!)

Nimble Tonic

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Clairox (Plot)

St Pierre-le-Moutier (Shop)

La Charite (Shop)

Paris Ramparts (Free Combat)



Stage 19B: The Magician Girl

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: Any one crystal is destroyed

TURNS: 15

ENEMIES: Rebel Leader, Knighted Blade x3, Qrow Knight x2, Lizard Guardian x2
Dark Elf x2, Necromancer x1

Tips: There are three crystals in this stage. Bring in your archers as usual and other characters with high mobility. Tanks are good but their lack of mobility can cause trouble since the priority targets of the enemies are the crystals; they will only divert their attention to your allies if they are near the enemies' attack range.

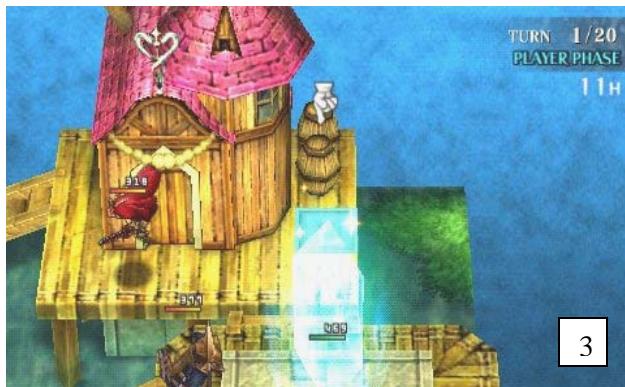


The necromancer will be beside your party's starting point. Kill it with one of your attackers and quickly move a pair to each of the crystals. Claire will be near eastern crystal so use her Thunderbolt skill against the Qrow Knight (it has really high evasion rate against physical attacks). Don't worry about her. As long as she doesn't get within the attack range of the enemy, she is safe.

To get to the hidden items, I suggest leaving a dark elf for the last enemy. She will not attack the crystals as long as you have allies within her attack range. Heal if needed.

Hidden Items:





REWARDS:

700E

1500G

Rysecor Fruit (!!rare!!)

Warding Tonic

#1 [10, 12] Immediate west from the starting point, between the stairs

#2 [24, 3] Southerstern house of the map, at the back

#3 [4, 23] Northwestern house of the map; west of the crystal and beside the two barrels

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Clairox (Plot)

St Pierre-le-Moutier (Shop)

La Charite (Shop)

Paris Ramparts (Free Combat)

In both stages, Roger will leave the party part of the story. Make sure to change the equipment and skill set of your new characters and train them if possible. Head to the next objective when ready.

Stage 20: The Snare

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: Enemy breaches the town gates

URNS: 12

ENEMIES: Lady Noire x2, Orc King x4, Qrow Leader x2, Troll x2

Tips: The starting points are scattered. I suggest setting up your tanks to block the pathways. Your archers should be positioned at least in the middle to support your frontline defenders. If your tanks have HP Recovery then you shouldn't worry about them.

Don't mind your suspicious allies since they will betray you after the second turn. Note that the enemies won't mind you and will always attempt to push through to the enemy gates.

Prioritize eliminating the Lady Noires since they have the passive skill "Slip Through", which allows them to get past your physical blockade with ease. If you have Rose in your party, stealing the skills of Lady Noires are definitely worth stealing, since she can equip them. Also, save the Trolls for last since they have really low movement range and the fact that they have HP Recovery waiting to be stolen.

Hidden Items:

#1 [2, 5] In the southwestern portion of the map, near the edge of the battle area

#2 [13, 8] To the south, in the middle, after the first barricade

#3 [22, 21] To the northeastern corner of the map.





REWARDS:

636E

1700G

Erpow Fruit (!!rare!!)

Angel's Grace

Champion's Sword

The next stage will start immediate so I suggest saving your game unto another file. After the short scene, Liane will leave the party. Watch a few more scenes during the chapter transition.

CHAPTER 5

Block Fire

Jeanne will find herself in the Reine-Couronn Wilds. After a short anime cutscene, the next stage will start.



Stage 21: Fated to War

VICTORY: Defeat the trio of therions

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 20

ENEMIES: Slinker, Blaze, Mawra, Lizard Guardian x2, Lizard Marshal x1

TIPS: This will be a 6-2 battle. Remember that Lianne's level will be Jeanne's level at this point. So during the outfit screen, equip the best equipment and skill you had with Lianne. If possible, try to bind an HP Recovery II from the HP Recovery skillstones you got from the trolls from the last stage (if you bothered stealing them). Do the same for Gilles.



Lianne's armlet however, won't be equipped to Jeanne. She will have a new armlet instead; with 5 gem slots in total. Transformation will be very helpful here. I suggest fighting normally during the first turns. Once you damaged the lizards past half of their HP or if you needed an HP boost, transform and Godspeed through them. I suggest waiting a few turns so that you can store MP to use your special attack. Save it for the therions though.

Now Slinker and Mawra are both easy kills. Expect Blaze to be as tough as La Hire, Rufus or Bartolomeo. You can abuse Gilles' two tile range to avoid getting countered himself and then finish Blaze off with your Visiting Goddess attack.

There are two item points and try to get them if you only have one enemy on the field. Sorry, I got no screenshots for them.

Hidden Items:

#1: [6, 6]

#2: [22, 23]

REWARDS:

700E

1700G

Eldish Fruit (!!rare!!)

Critical Tonic

Gem of Levin (Gilles)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Grandgris Pass (Plot)

Clairox (Shop)

La Charite (Free Combat)

St. Pierre-le-Moutier (Free Combat)

If you have read the Colosseum free stage above, your will know that clearing it rewards you with a Gem of Azure for Lianne or Toady, err I mean Cuisses. So don't clear the Colosseum until you get Cuisses.

Stage 22: Hopes Unattained

VICTORY: Defeat Blaze and Mawra

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 12

ENEMIES: Blaze, Mawra, Qrow Leader x2, Wyvern x4, Ogre x2
Skeleton x3, Demon x3

Tips: You will need to fight your way through the wave of enemies before reaching the two bosses. After clearing the first wave of enemies and upon reaching upper ground, demons will appear as reinforcements. Pushing forward, wyverns will appear as backups this time. Just slash your way through them; if you have area affecting spells and skills, use it efficiently on this stage.



You can chip away chunks of HP from the therions by casting all area spells or snipe them with Sky Dart. So Marcel and Beatrix will again prove their usefulness in battles. Also, the Ogres here are another good source of the valuable HP Recovery skillstone.

Hidden Items:



#1: [3, 6] Southwestern cliff

#2: [17, 10] First hill, beside the cliff, grassy area.

#3: [20, 12] Middle eastern cliff; by the stone block



REWARDS:

684E

1800G

Rysecor Fruit (!!rare!!)

Healing Vapors

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Rouen (Plot1, Shop)

Cents-Abris Ruins (Plot2)

Clairoix (Free Combat)

Tower of Alsace (Free Stage)

After the battle, watch the following scenes. Cuisses will join your party in the process. Lianne's armlet and level will be the same as the toad. Jeanne will also wear a good looking black, tight gear. When ready, head to your next objective or make a little stop at the Tower of Alsace.



Free Stage: Tower of Alsace

VICTORY: Defeat the Qrow Leader

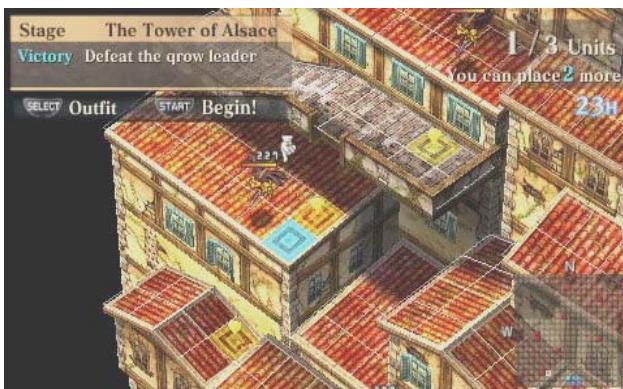
DEFEAT: Colet falls in battle

TURNS: 40

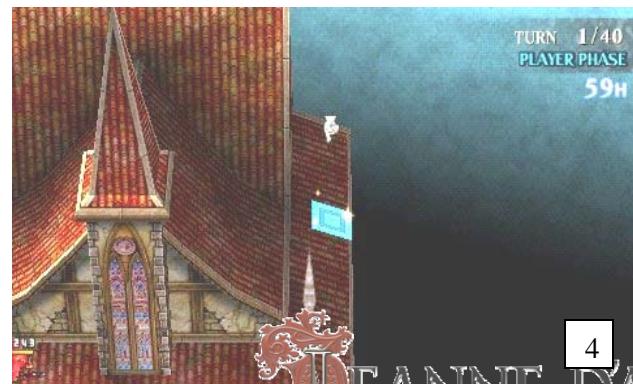
ENEMIES: Qrow Leader, Qrow x2, Qrow Knight x3, Wyvern Lord x1, Frost Demon x1

Tips: You can only bring three characters here and Colet is already a fixed member. So, I suggest bringing in Jeanne and Gilles. The target of interest here is the Wyvern Lord that has the skill Mobility +1. Although its rarity is just 3, that doesn't mean that this skillstone is common. Increasing your mobility increases your maximum movement space so this will be helpful for low MOV characters like your tanks and archers.

You will need to reach the Qrow Leader by setting up ladders (which takes 1 turn). Sure you can bring archers instead but remember that the Qrows have no elevation restriction; thus they can pretty go wherever they want with ease.



Hidden Items:



- #1: [13, 11] Just below the 4th ladder
- #2: [17, 18] At the northeastern corner of the tower, behind the frost demon
- #3: [13, 18] Two tiles north of the 7th ladder
- #4: [4, 20] At the back of the rooftop of the main building (north side)

REWARDS:

454E

1000G

Paladin's Sword

Assassin's Knife (Colet)

Treasure Hunter (Colet only)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Raillement (Free Stage)



The Paladin's Sword is one of the powerful weapons you can get at this point of the game. Assassin's Knife is also a great weapon for Colet. The best reward you'll get is the Treasure Hunter skillstone, exclusive to Colet only. It will show all the item locations in the battlefield without even getting near it. It will only stay active as long as Colet is alive in battle though.

The next free stage (Raillement) also contains great items so make sure you clear it as well.

Free Stage: Raillement

VICTORY: Defeat the Queen Rouge

DEFEAT: Colet falls in battle

TURNS: 50

ENEMIES: Queen Rouge, Bowfighter x2, Sniper x2, Thief x3

Tips: Colet will still be the fixed member of the group. The difference now is that you can have 4 more members. You can deploy your two archers and another two with good mobility. In this case you can use Gilles or anybody of your choice. As you can see in the map layout, the enemy positions are scattered and you starting points as well. Place your archers on separate locations since they can still provide support via Sky Dart. You should know the item locations at this point, since you already have the Treasure Hunter skill.



There are two targets of interests here; the thieves and the snipers. The thieves have Mobility +1 while the snipers have Range+1. Range+1 is a passive skill that increases the attack range of your archers; great in providing long-range artillery. You will only need two of these.

Hidden Items:



#1 [10, 18] Northwest rooftop with a bowfighter; near the Queen Rouge

#2 [5, 3] Southwest corner rooftop, just underneath the thief

#3 [4, 25] Queen Rouge's location, beside the chimney

REWARDS:

440E

1000G

Hammer Whip* (Rose)

Black Bustier* (Rose)

Treasure Lover* (Rose only)

Gem of the Welkin (Gilles)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Raillement (Shop)

I can't confirm yet if the reward will change if you have Claire in your party.

The shop at Raillement contains very good items so make sure to upgrade your party's equipment. When ready, head to the ruins to continue on with the plot.

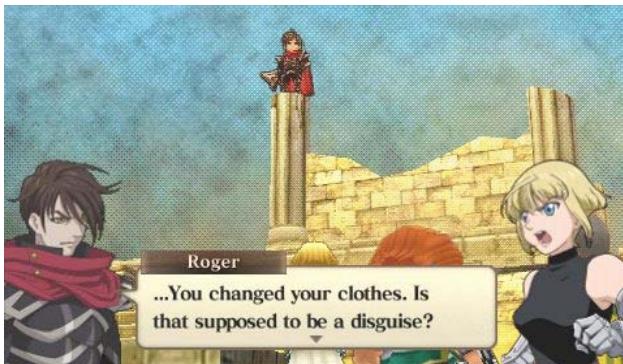
CHAPTER 6

The Death Clad

Stage 23: The Black Knight

- VICTORY:** Guide all allies to the north edge of the map
DEFEAT: A single ally falls in battle
TURNS: 14
ENEMIES: Roger, Qrow Leader x2, Flameflyer x2, Ogre x3
Lady Noire x1, Queen Rouge x1

Tips: Stay close together. Don't rush your characters and scatter them. If you have Mobility+1 or +2 equipped to your tanks as well as HP Recovery II or III, they will be your best choice to spearhead the breakthrough. Just heal as needed concentrate your attacks on one enemy at a time.



Roger won't be that much of a boss, as long as you sandwich him between your main attackers. Transforming can help but not a necessity to clear the stage.

Hidden Items:



#1 [24, 6] Near the edge of the cliff, southeastern corner

#2 [7, 9] Beside the first stairs to the west, from the starting point

#3 [13, 14] Beside the statue in the center of the ruins

JEANNE D'ARC

REWARDS:

738E

2000G

Xheno Fruit (!!rare!!)

Mana Crystal

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Chateau Burgundy (Plot)

Grandgris Pass (Free Combat)

Stage 24: Dark Demoniac**VICTORY:** Defeat Superbia**DEFEAT:** Jeanne falls in battle**TURNS:** 20**ENEMIES:** Superbia, Golem x1, Flameflyer x5, Ogre x5

Tips: Before the start of the battle, I suggest equipping Jeanne with the best armor and defensive skills you can find. HP+150 and HP Recovery III are very essential on keeping Jeanne alive during her struggle alone. Your team must reach her by opening rooms on both sides. To open a door, just have your character stack up by the door and end your turn.



Superbia has HP Recovery only but since his base HP is already high, he will recover 120HP per turn. It will be hard to damage him unless your attacks can deal 130+ damage per hit. Also, he has EXP Bonus II that you can't just get anywhere. Be sure to steal this later.

If your characters are really tough enough, you can divide your team into pairs and take both paths. There will be one item location on each path and one on the throne room. The western side of the chateau has a lot more enemies compared to the east side so bring your strongest characters there. The enemies aren't that hard if your team is very well trained and equipped. The ogres also provide the much needed HP Recovery skillstones. You can kill all other trolls and leave one for the stealing.

Hidden Items:

#1: [13, 22] Throne room, west side

#2: [28, 5] First room east, between the wall and the table

#3: [3, 23] Third room northwest, beside bed





REWARDS:

636E

2100G

Healing Seed

Sibull Fruit (!!rare!!)

Dragon Saber

Poison Ripper

Gem of Retribution (Richard)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Chateau Richemont (Plot1)

Chinon/ Voldor Temple (Plot2)

Cents-Abris Ruins (Free Combat)



Head to Chateau Richemont for more scenes. Then you will need to head to Chinon to continue forward to with the story. After some more scenes, you will be inside the Voldor Temple.

Stage 25: Death Bestirred

VICTORY: Defeat Georges and his reaper

DEFEAT: Jeanne falls in battle

TURNS: 14

ENEMIES: Georges, Avaritia x1, Tiamat x1, Dragon x2
Demon x2, Orc King x4, Phantom Lord x4



Tips: George will be moving around the stage, unfreezing crystals that contain enemies. The large crystals contain dragons while the smaller ones contain the normal fry. Since you can deploy seven of your characters, I suggest bringing in your tanks since they will come in handy. George will continue releasing enemies until the last batch in the centre of the field that contains a powerful dragon called Tiamat, along with two demons.

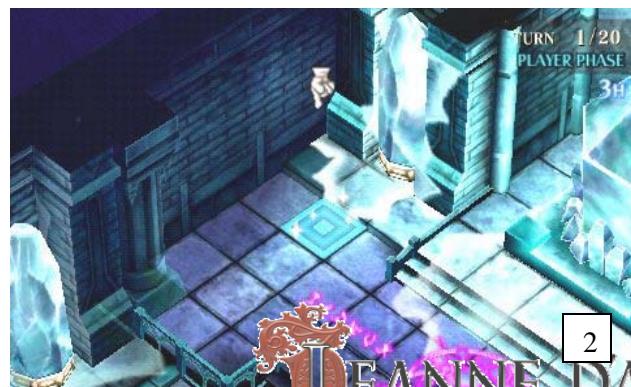


The sooner you kill him the better. In his human form, George is just walking piece of lard. Your archers can take down this ba***rd with ease. After killing his human form, his reaper, named Aviritia will appear. Aviritia has really good rank 5 spells; these affect the whole field when cast, damaging every enemy. Good thing this reaper doesn't have HP Recovery.



Also, Tiamat is a really tough dragon at this point. Unless your characters are power leveled to match Tiamat's you won't be able to defeat him in the limited turns you are given. You can prevent him from appearing by killing George as soon as possible. Also, you can battle tiamat alone when the free stage for Voldor Temple opens. Other than that, you shouldn't have any problems defeating this reaper and the enemies.

Hidden Items:





3

REWARDS:

680E

2200G

Healing Fruit

Nimble Tonic

Knight's Lance

Sage's Staff

#1: [19, 7] Eastern wall, near the starting point

#2: [4, 15] Inside the chamber to the west, northside

#3: [10, 24] northwest crystal (beside the large crystal containing Tiamat)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Reims (Plot)

Chateau Burgundy (Free Combat)

Langles Tunnel (Free Stage)

Free Stage: Langles Tunnel**VICTORY:** Defeat all enemies**DEFEAT:** All allies fall in battle**TURNS:** 20**ENEMIES:** Lich x2, Gazelliath x2, Ceratooth x1, Golem x1

Tips: This is a pretty small stage. The enemies aren't that hard so there is really nothing special to note.

Hidden Items:

1



2

#1: [2, 27] The other end of the tunnel*.

#2: [3, 2] Just near the starting point, in between the liches

* Since there is a golem blocking the path, I suggest killing the golem first or "slip through" the enemy with Rose.

REWARDS:

427E

2200G

Jinni's Wings**Angel Bow****Gem of Eternity (Richard)****UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:**

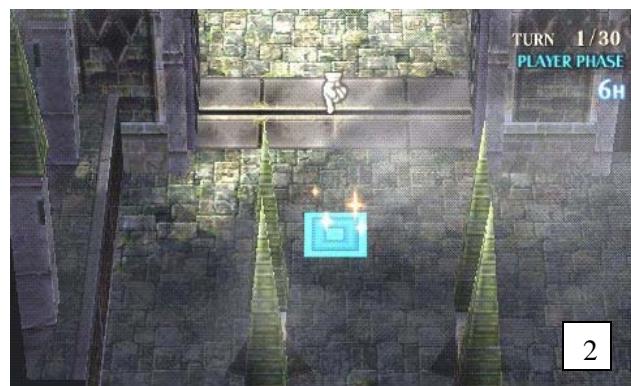
Castle Vilneaux (Free Stage)

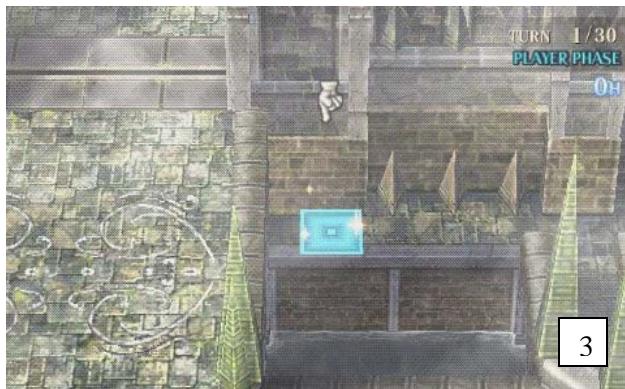
Free Stage: Castle Vilneaux**VICTORY:** Lock Mimi in the green cage, Toutou in the red**DEFEAT:** Mimi or Toutou is slain in battle**TURNS:** 30**ENEMIES:** Mimi, Toutou

Tips: You need characters with high mobility and defense. If your tanks have the Mobility+2 skill, then you should use them. Make sure that they have HP+150 and HP Recovery III as well. The will serve as your bait. Now, the other characters will circle inside the cages using the narrow paths.



Your baits will move in towards each dragon. Don't mind taking damage; that's what HP Recovery is for. Just position your cage guys near the switches until the dragons are lured inside. Considering the multiple tiles the dragons occupies, make sure that the "whole" dragon is past the tiles where the gates will land. You can hit the switch after that.

Hidden Items:



#1 [29, 29] Northeastern corner of the map, by the grass fields.

#2 [21, 5] Inside the green cage, near the entrance

#3 [6, 10] Near the red cage, lower bridge

REWARDS:

417E

1000G

Angel's Frock

Robe of Light

Gem of Portent (doesn't fit to anyone yet)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Castle Vilneaux (Free Stage)

Stage 26: Queen Isabeau

VICTORY: Defeat Luxuria

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 18

ENEMIES: Luxuria, Phantom Lord x2, Dark Shamanka x2, Gazelliath x2, Ceratoth x2

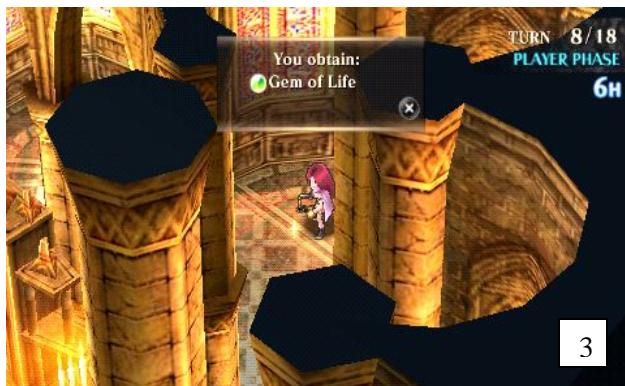
Tips: Luxuria is another reaper with some worthwhile skillstones to be stolen. As usual, EXP Bonus II is essential if you are power leveling a character and Angel Tear is another great magic that you can equip Richard or Claire.



Just proceed normally, eliminating enemies along the way. Prioritize defeating the Shamankas when you have the chance. You can again divide your group between the west and east corridors. But before you do that, enemies will start to pour in your starting position; so I suggest hold position for the first few turns, and once the coast is clear, advance.

Luxuria is not that hard as reaper. You can sandwich her between your fighters and pummel her with attacks. HP Recovery doesn't help her if you deal continuous damage.

Hidden Items:



#1 [7, 12] Northeast candlestand

#2 [17, 21] west side of the altar

#3 [10, 26] Gem of Sacrifice (Jeanne) **At the back of the altar****

!!You'll need to get this item before the stage is cleared; otherwise, it will be lost permanently.

REWARDS:

651E

2300G

Mana Crystal

Erpow Fruit (!!rare!!)

Blistering Helve

Angel Bow

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Guillorey Canal (plot)

Voldor Temple (Free Combat)

CHAPTER 7

Tempest Lost



Stage 27: Barging into Paris

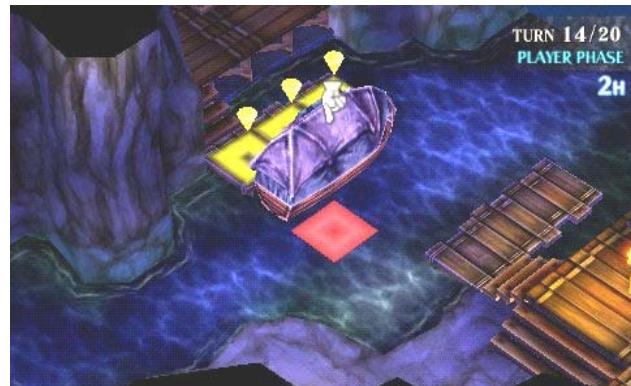
VICTORY: Guide all allies to the boats

DEFEAT: A single ally falls in battle

TURNS: 20

ENEMIES: Ogre x3, Cyclops x3, Phantom Lord x3,
Gazelliath x2, Ceratooth x4

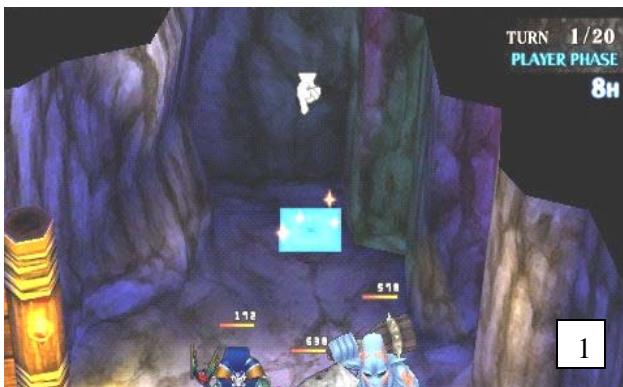
Tips: There will be two boats here. You can get your characters to either of them but note that the lightly guarded boat (southwest) will leave after 10 turns along with some reinforcements so plan ahead.



The problems here will be the ogres and the Cyclops. They have tough hides, high HP and HP recovery to boot (The Cyclops has HP Recovery II). Tanks will be essential here; but not without Mobility+1 or +2 equipped. Concentrate on bringing down the larger targets since they can ultimately block your advance. Archers will be necessary to take out enemies at long distances. Magicians are helpful but not that necessary.

Just like the last run-for-the-escape-route mission, I suggest moving as a group and wait for your other members before boarding the boat. If you failed to escape using the first boat, you will have difficulties on reaching the second boat for the next ten turns because of the reinforcements and waiting enemy units on the other side of the bridge.

Hidden Items:





#1 [3, 20] Northeastern dead end

#2 [6, 4] Southwestern dock

#3 [18, 5] Southeastern dock

REWARDS:

654E

2300G

Rysecor Fruit (!!rare!!)

Eldish Fruit (!!rare!!)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Paris Warrens (plot)

Reims (Free Combat)

Stage 28: Shade and Light

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 12

ENEMIES: Swordmaster, Qrow Leader x2, Wyvern Lord x2,
Cyclops x3, Ceratoth x3

After this battle, there will be another branch again. Though it doesn't give you with additional characters, you will just need to decide what stage you would select first. Save on a separate file in case you want to change something.

Tips: There is no special victory or defeat conditions here so go all out and defeat the enemies in any tactics you please. If you want to, you deploy two pairs and a trio. Tanks will again prove their usefulness against heavily armed targets and will great for provoking enemy attack. The Wyvern Lords here have Mobility+1 skillstones if you needed some. Other than that, there is really nothing special to note about this stage. Don't forget to grab the items.



Hidden Items:



1



2



3

#1 [7, 17] Northwestern houses, beside the stairs facing east

#2 [18, 21] Northeastern side of the town, near the walls.

#3 [24, 3] Southeastern corner of the field, outside the walls

REWARDS:

646E

2400G

Xheno Fruit (!!rare!!)

Healing Vapors

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Alrond Wood (plot A)

Gywgone Mines (plot b)

Paris Warrens (Shop)

Guillorey Canal (Free Combat)

Stage 29A: Hunted Down

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: Enemy reaches the elder's hut

TURNS: 15

ENEMIES: Roger, Phantom Lord x1, Ghost x2,
Demon x2, Skeleton x4

Tips: The starting positions are quite scattered but it may work to your advantage since the enemies are scattered as well. Put a tank in the starting point near the pathway leading the elder's hut. An archer on high grounds should be able to provide artillery support. Place Jeanne and the others near the enemies for offensive purposes. A magician with a great magic equipped should help out as well. Position him/her near the hut and boost his/her MP recovery by Mana Crystals if you want.





Roger is not that hard. You can take him down using magic and bow attacks.

Hidden Items:



#1 [16, 13] By the bridge leading to the Elder's house

#2 [6, 8] Southwestern house, by the hanging bridge

#3 [27, 17] Along the spiral path leading to Roger's position

#4 [22, 6] Southeastern corner, past the spiral path

REWARDS:

628E

2500G

Mana Jewel

Geddo Fruit (!!rare!!)

Mithril Mail

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Clearing stage 29A will lead directly to 30A.

Stage 30A: Vying for Light

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 12

ENEMIES: Roger, Dark Elf x3, Orc King x2, Wyvern Lord x2
Lizard Marshal x2, Flameflyer x3

Tips: Nothing special to note about this mission; treat this as a bonus stage instead. You shouldn't have any problems defeating the enemies here, including Roger.



Hidden Items:

No screenshots; the area is small and with Treasure Lover/Hunter, its impossible to miss anything.

#1 [2, 12]

#2 [14, 18]

#3 [16, 21]

REWARDS:

624E

2500G

Sibull Fruit (!!rare!!)

Angel's Grace

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Vantoix Canyon (Plot)

Paris Warren (Free Combat)

Stage 29B: The Dwarves Test

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 10

ENEMIES: Dwarf x4, Elder Dwarf x6,

Tips: The dwarves have high defense and attack but they lack mobility. You'll need to rely on Burning Auras to dispatch them quickly; otherwise, it will take several characters to take one down. The stage is separated by several rooms and getting to the items may be a bit challenging. The good news is, you'll just have to fight dwarves. Lots of them.



Hidden Items:



1



2



3

#1 [3, 20] Northwestern corner, near the “exit”

#2 [4, 11] Second room from the southwestern corner

#3 [10 5] By the small gate, to the west

REWARDS:

596E

2500G

Erpow Fruit (!!rare!!)

Healing Fruit

Tower Shield

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Stage 30B: Vying for Light

VICTORY: Defeat Roger

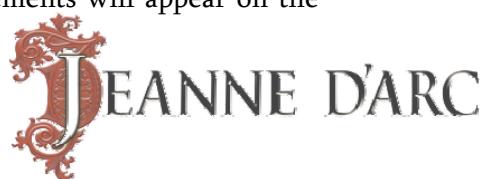
DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 50

ENEMIES: Roger, Orc King x3, Qrow Leader x1, Wyvern Lord x1, Dragon x1
Ceratooth x4, Gazelliath x5

Tips: This area is quite large with a lot of enemies so you will really need the 50 turns provided. As always, to activate warps and doors, a character should be stepping on the red stone. Make sure that you have Richard/ Claire or both on this battle since their great magics can make your job a lot easier.

In the room where you'll need to activate the correct switch, select the middle one. Also, when you kill the Orc King outside the door, Gazelliath reinforcements will appear on the path leading to Roger.



Hidden Items:

No screenshots

#1 [21, 2]

#2 [11, 2]

#3 [18, 5]

#4 [15, 13]

REWARDS:

584E

2500G

Eldish Fruit (!!rare!!)

Angel's Grace

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Vantoix Canyon (Plot)

Paris Warren (Free Combat)



Stage 31: Face to Face

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 12

ENEMIES: Bedford, Shadow Knight x9

Tips: Roger will join this battle temporarily. The Shadow Knights can be troublesome if you let them through. Try to set up a blockade by the bridge, using your tanks. Position your archers and mages behind them to provide support and healing if necessary.



If your level is high enough, then this battle is breeze.

Hidden Items:



1



2



3

#1 [4, 14] Near the northwestern corner of the map

#2 [4, 4] Near the southwestern corner of the map

#3 [25, 3] Near starting point, by the southeastern corner

REWARDS:

616E

2600G

Rysecor Fruit (!!rare!!)

Deadeye Tonic

Gem of Guidance (Jeanne)

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Soldat Outpost (Plot)

Alrond Wood (Free Combat)

Gwygone Mines (Free Combat)

CHAPTER 8

Promises

Stage 32: Encumbered Powers

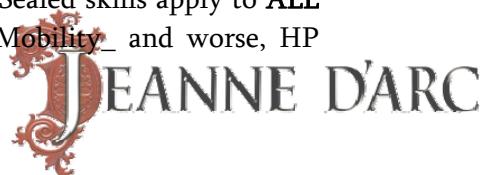
VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 20

ENEMIES: Shadow Lancer x1, Cyclops x2, Shadow Knight x4, Ceratooth x2

Tips: You start the battle with three seals active. The seal to the left negates Burning Auras, the right negates Transformations and the last is the one that negates skills. As you can see, the central seal is heavily protected since it is the most important. Sealed skills apply to **ALL** skillstones, including innate or support skills (Counter, Range+, Mobility_ and worse, HP Recovery)

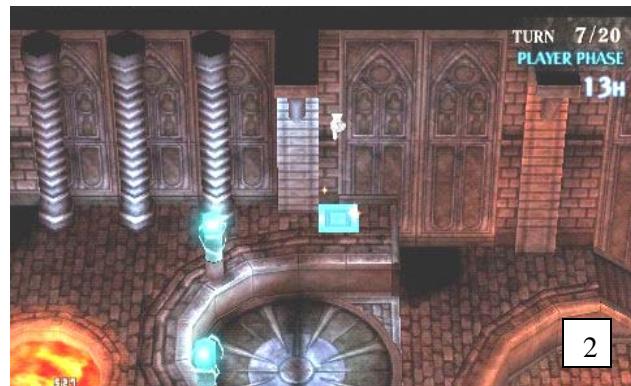




Try to go after the central seal. Archers will be your greatest assets here. Your tanks can also hold off the enemy but since they don't have HP Recovery active until you destroy the central seal. Protect your archers at all costs.

Once free, defeat the remaining enemies to proceed with the story.

Hidden Items:



#1: [3, 27] near the northwestern corner of the map

#2 [7, 6] By the southwestern lava pit

#3 [28, 11] East of the seal of transformation.

REWARDS:

602E

2600G

Xheno Fruit (!!rare!!)

Healing Extract

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Stage 33

Stage 33: Release

This stage consists of 7 rounds. Jeanne, Richard and Gilles are all fixed characters here, so if you have trained them enough, there should be no problems. Make sure you have HP Recovery or any healing spell equipped. Richard should have an offensive spell, practically a single target spell like Bullet Ice II for quick casting. Equip the best equipment you can get and start the first round. The objectives for all rounds are the same:

- VICTORY:** Defeat all enemies
DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

Also, since the field is rather small, its almost impossible to miss the items. I will still include the coordinates for your reference



ROUND 1

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- TURNS:** 10
ENEMIES: Phantom Orc x3
ITEM: 6, 6

ROUND 2

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- TURNS:** 15
ENEMIES: Roger, Dark Skeleton x3
ITEM: 1, 1

ROUND 3

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- TURNS:** 15
ENEMIES: Liane, Hellpriest x3
ITEM: 2, 7

ROUND 4

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- TURNS:** 15
ENEMIES: Phantom Knight x3
ITEM: 4, 7



ROUND 5

TURNS: 15
ENEMIES: Darkest Demon x4
ITEM: 2, 3

Tips: These demons are resistant to physical attacks so use special attacks and magical attacks to get rid of them.

ROUND 6

TURNS: 20
ENEMIES: Ira
ITEM: 2, 6



Tips: To defeat the reaper, just make sure that Richard stays at the back and provide support as necessary. You can sandwich the enemy between Jeanne and Gilles to have multiple Burning Auras. Use your transformation when needed.

REWARDS:

594E

2700G

Sibull Fruit (!!rare!!)

Mana Light

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Paris Castle

Vantoix Canyon (Free Combat)

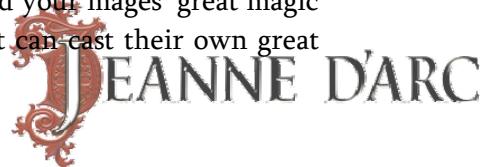
Soldat Outpost (Free Combat)

NOTE: Once you enter Paris Castle, you won't be able to return to the world map until you beat the game. So make sure that everything is ready before heading in. Roger will also rejoin your group after the battle. The gem you got from Castle VIIlaeux will fit to his armlet.

Stage 34: The Fifth Hero

Victory: Defeat Bedford
Defeat: All allies fall in battle
Turns: 20
Enemies: Bedford, Cyclops x4, Lich x3, Wyvern Lord x2, Shadow Lancer x2

Tips: Just follow the open paths and get the items along the way. The doors don't open and there are a lot of enemies along the way. Your archers' Sky Dart and your mages' great magic skills can help a lot here, especially on taking out those liches that can cast their own great spell.





Bedford also has the EXP Bonus III skillstone that increases obtained experience by 200%. Steal as many as you can. When facing cyclops, concentrate your attacks on one target at a time. This way, you should avoid wasting turns because of their HP Recovery II, high def and high HP.

Hidden Items:



REWARDS:

608E

2800G

Geddo Fruit (!!rare!!)

God's Grace

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Stage 35

Stage 35: The Dark Throne

VICTORY: Defeat Gilvaroth

DEFEAT: Jeanne or Roger falls in battle

TURNS: 40

ENEMIES: Gilvaroth, Shadow Knight x2, Shadow Lancer x2
Ira, Avaritia, Luxuria, Superbia

Tips: Roger and Jeanne will be both fixed members here. Before heading to battle, make sure that Roger is equipped with the best skillstones and equipment you have in your inventory. If he is not trained well, then you have the option to leave him near the starting point to be safe from enemy attacks. Just one more battle after this and it will all be over.

Bring your best squad here. Archers will be a necessity here. Mages are great but optional. Tanks are also recommended. From the starting point, proceed with your main assault group. Check the item positions below to decide which ones can break formation and get the items. Defeat the main group then proceed to the boss. You'll just need to damage him once to trigger the "real" battle. Before this happens, I suggest having your main characters not too spread out and positioned near the glyphs where the reapers will appear.



Upon damaging Gilvaroth, the four defeated reapers will appear. Ira is considered to be the most powerful on all the four of them while Superbia is the weakest. Target it first. Aviritia on the other hand, doesn't have HP Recovery so you can do stack damage on him. Don't hesitate to transform when needed. Also note that Gilvaroth will still attack with magics and area of effect (aoe) spells. Stay away from his attack range and you should be able to concentrate your attacks against the reapers. Gilvaroth is immune to damage while the reapers are live.

After you defeat all the reapers, you can now start attacking Gilvaroth. He's an easy target so defeat him in no time to end the mission.

Hidden Items:



#1 [6, 5] Near the starting point, beside the stairs.

#2 [15, 27] Northern upper path; behind the large pillar

#3 [28, 14] Behind Henry's throne

REWARDS:

580E

2000G

UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Stage 36 - Abaddon

You are just one more battle to finish the game. Prepare and save.



Stage 36: Demise

VICTORY:	Defeat Gilvaroth
DEFEAT:	All allies fall in battle
TURNS:	30
ENEMIES:	Gilvaroth, Shadowloom x2, Doomgiver x2 Darkest Demon,

Tips: There will be four starting points. You can only bring 9 of your best characters. You can position them on all four locations but I won't recommend that if your characters can't take care of themselves. Otherwise, it's the best position to provide support.

Gilvaroth will teleport from time to time; not to mention that he can also move after teleporting; which basically means, he owns the whole field. He has some group affecting spells as well and to get the items, you should spread yourselves out.



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The Doomgivers cast offensive spells while the Shadowlooms heal the enemy units. Also, during every turn, Darkest Demons will appear. The last demon that will appear has the skill **Two Rounds**; If you have Rose and Colet in your party, you can just eliminate everything else except Gilvaroth and this demon. You can continuously steal the skillstone. (*Last time I did it, I collected 27 of them, which are bonded to become Three Rounds.*) These skillstones are really hard to find and their effect to the battle is too great to ignore.

Hidden Items:

- #1 [16, 2] Southeast corner, near the Doomgiver
- #2 [5, 19] Northwest corner near Doomgiver

REWARDS:

568E
2000G

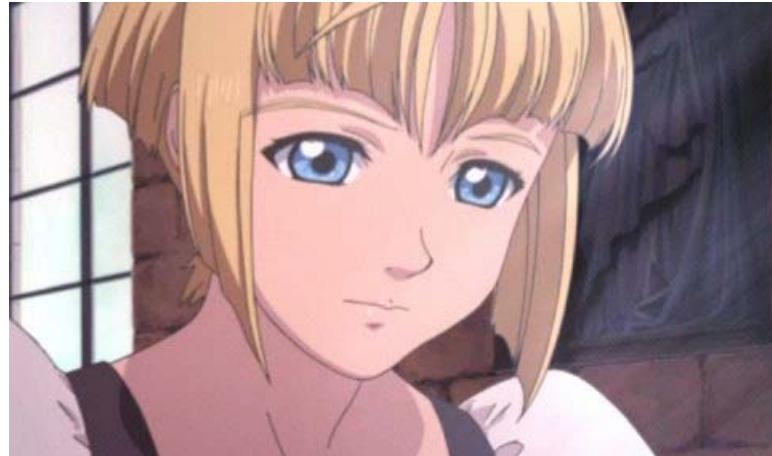
UNLOCKED LOCATIONS:

Cemetery (Free Stage)

CONGRATULATIONS! YOU HAVE FINISHED THE GAME!

Enjoy the remaining scenes and wait for the credits to finish. Save afterwards to save all your progress.





POST GAME

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Resuming your cleared saved game data, you will be on the final chapter and the final stage (Paris). Although there is no new game+ feature in the game, there are still a lot of changes that will make you coming back for more.

Colosseum will now re-open, with higher level enemies and more rewards. The same thing with all free stages; all of them now contains beefed up versions of your previous enemies and the rewards have been changed as well.

The free stage, **Cemetery** is the open at this time and you should visit it first to get the most powerful armor in the game.

Free Stage: Cemetery

VICTORY: Defeat all enemies

DEFEAT: All allies fall in battle

TURNS: 20

ENEMIES: Frost Demon x1, Ghost x4, Skeleton x5

Tips: Nothing special about this free stage. Just make sure to get to all the item locations since all of them contain very good weapons and armor. They will only be available on your first visit on the cemetery so make sure you nab them all.

Hidden Items:



REWARDS:

288E

1000G

Durendal (*sword*)

Devil's Frock (*armor*)

Holy Shield

Gem of Darkness (*Roger*)

#1 [12, 9] By the large tree in the middle

#2 [16, 18] Northeastern tombstone

#3 [3, 20] Northwestern corner, beside the shack

Free Stage: Colosseum (2nd Season)

The second “season” of the competition at the Colosseum will only be available after you finish the game. The enemies have higher levels and the rewards are changed, of course. The same rule applies; fight through 10 battles. You will be asked after every round to continue the fight (*No Yield*) or leave (*Yield*), with all your accrued exp, items and gold. When you visit the Colosseum again, you will start from the 1st round. This time, you can fight with a party of 5 members and all rounds are comprised of 20 turns.

Enemy levels range from 51-70. So make sure your characters are at least level 60 above. You’ll need to consider some of the following as well:

- Choose your main party members and train them before entering the Colosseum
- Assign your “power five” to specific roles. Assign who will serve as the main attackers, support units and artillery. Normally, a spearman, an axe-wielder, a swordsman, mage and archer will make an excellent all-around battle party. You may decide what will be the composition of your party.

- Equip your best armors and skills. The recommended skills are HP Recovery III, HP+150, Three Rounds (if you have spent some time stealing Two Rounds from Gilvaroth in the last stage, you should have plenty of these). For offensive attacks, choose at least one wide-area attack and a single panel attack. This will provide you the flexibility you'll need to deal with single or multiple enemies at once. There will be large targets such as dragons, so multi-panel attacks are necessary.
- Relying on HP Recovery III a lot won't do you any good. That's where healers kick in. Assign a healer for your party; your best bet would be probably Richard. Equip him with Revivify, Healing Wind II and Mind Eater and you're all set. You can also include a MP+100 and HP Recovery skill to himself too.
- Use Burning Auras everytime you have the chance.

Round 1	
Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Phantom Orc L51 (x2), Lich L50 (x2), Demon LV51 (x2)
Rewards:	1000G, Healing Seed

Round 2	
Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Dwarf L52 (x4), Elder Dwarf LV52 (x5)
Rewards:	1500G, Searing Phial

Round 3	
Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Golem LV54 (x1), Lady Noire L54 (x4), Queen Rouge LV54 (x1)
Rewards:	2000G, Healing Seed

Round 4	
Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Flameflyer LV56 (x2), Wyvern Lord L56 (x2), Tiamat LV56 (x1) Dark Shamanka LV56 (x4)
Rewards:	2500G, Moonglow Phial

Round 5	
Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Dark Skeleton LV58 (x2), Phantom Knight L58 (x2), Hellpriest LV58 (x1) Darkest Demon LV58 (x2), Ira (reaper) LV58 (x1)
Rewards:	3000G, Healing Seed (2)



Round 6

Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Talbot LV61, Swordmaster LV60 (x2), Royal Lancer L60 (x2) Sniper LV60 (x2), Shadow Knight LV60 (x4)
Rewards:	3500G, Galaxy Phial

Round 7

Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Thief LV63 (x3)
Rewards:	4000G, Healing Fruit
Items:	[17, 16], [7, 14], [7, 14] ,[2, 1] ,[19, 2]
Notes:	<i>Sometimes, one of the item locations there will reward you with a HP+300 skill; but most of the time, the item locations have 1000G each.</i>

Round 8

Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Slinker LV64, Blaze LV65 , Mawra LV64, Cyclops L64 (x4)
Rewards:	4500G, Searing Phial, Moonglow Phial, Galaxy Phial

Round 9

Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Avaritia (reaper) LV66, Luxuria (reaper) LV66 , Superbia (reaper) LV66, Frost Demon LV66 (x4)
Rewards:	5000G, Healing Extract
Notes:	<i>This is one of the most troublesome rounds. Good thing Ira is not included in their party. The bad news is, there are still 3 of them that you'll need to dispose of.</i>

The Frost Demons can be a nuisance by poisoning your party and damaging them with Ice Bullets. The reapers have really high attack ratings, not to mention that their def is beefed up as well. Their HP recovery can be a problem if your characters can't damage more than she can recover.

Keep your support units at bay and as much as possible, kill the demons before approaching the demons. Avaritia is the only reaper that doesn't have HP Recovery so make him a priority target.



Round 10

Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Luther LV70, Bedford LV69, Dragon L67 (x2)
Rewards:	10000G, Deathbringer, Gae Bulg, Lucifer, Godspeed
Notes:	<p><i>You have nothing to worry about Bedford. A few direct attacks and he's done. What your problem is Luther. He has Adroit, Counter II and HP Recovery III. Since he has HP1496, he can recover 30% HP488) of that per turn. Androit also protects him from all sides, meaning there is no use attacking him from the sides or behind for a damage boost. Counter II can negate all short-range attacks at a fixed percentage.</i></p>



The two LV67 Dragons also pose some nuisances here. Their Breath attack can damage several units at a very wide area, not to mention Luther has some powerful moves under his sleeves as well. Just ignore the dragons for the meantime; bringing a healer with revival spells is a necessity in this battle.



Archers are very helpful in dealing continuous damage to Luther without getting countered. Your tanks can also provide much needed damage absorbers, so long as they're heavily defended and they are self-sufficient. Spears can also produce Burning Auras without getting countered so use Gilles, Jean or both. Your Three Rounds will come into play here, further increasing the intensity of Burning Auras on every successful hit.



All the rewarded weapons are very powerful so equip them to your best characters. Aside from those, you will also receive...



And....



...for Jeanne. This is the last gem missing on her armlet. Congratulations for clearing the Colosseum, season 2!

But wait... there's more.

Free Stage: Cemetery – *Return from the dead*

Enter the cemetery once you have the charred pendant. A small cutscene will occur.



After a short conversation with Liane, she can now join your party. She and Cuisses will need to swap though. You can exchange them by visiting the Cemetery again. For the meantime, enjoy the feeling of having your original party.



Free Stage: Colosseum (3rd Season)

The enemies for each round will still be the same; however, their levels will be boosted by 20. Because of this boost, lower level characters won't even deal decent damage to the enemies. I suggest having your fighting party from levels 85-90. Equip the best skills and equipment you have and make sure to train your fighting team solely.

Equip *each* member of your team with HP Recovery III, HP+150, Three Rounds and if possible, Mobility +2. You may consider a team with the following:

- **Tank** – Preferably Rufus. Why? He has the highest HP and attack. Equip him with a Lucifer Axe and the best armor you can get at the moment – maybe the Firedrake Armor from Tiamat on the Free Stage of Voldor Temple. For skills, Helm Splitter, Desperation III, Mobility +2, Three Rounds, HP Recovery III and HP +150 will be the best choices.
- **Spearman** – Gilles of course. Gae Bulg is the ultimate spear so equip it to him. For skills, you can choose any red skillstone as his special attack, Piercing Power III to deliver heavy damage to distant targets and the basic skills listed above.
- **Healer** – Richard or Claire; for a healer, the most important spell is Revivify. This spell will allow you resurrect fallen members. You can equip him with HP+150, HP Recovery III, Mobility +2, Revivify and you can choose two more skills. I'd prefer an attack spell (avoid using the ultimate spells since they take too much time to cast) and a healing spell (Healing Wind II is good but if you really need to heal often, just bringing in Heal II is fine) Mobility +2 will allow your healer to run into a safe location if cornered.
- **Rogue or Thief** – A high level Rogue (Colet) or Thief (Rose) can evade almost all attacks, except magical and special attacks. Not to mention that though they don't have that high attack ratings, HP and defense, their critical hit, accuracy and evasion are so pumped up that they can be good choices of producing Burning Auras without getting damaged by enemy counter attacks. They can provide much needed distraction especially when a vital character (such as the healer) is in risk of getting cornered.

For the last member, you can put in another tank or spearman. I just didn't include archers because even with the Bow of Artemis and Attack +30 equipped, they will just deal very little to no damage at all against bosses. Your chances of defeating enemies quickly is by generating strategically positioned Burning Auras then attack them. Having the Godspeed skill equipped to your main attacker can also make quick work on enemies.



How to train your characters:

The best way to train your characters is equipping them with **Exp Bonus IV** (Exp Bonus III+ Exp Bonus III). This skillstone will allow characters to get 300% experience! Exp points are relative to the level of the target and the character. When lower level characters deal damage to higher level enemies, they gain more exp. But if your character is higher than the target, the minimum exp pts that they can get per attack is 5. So with the Exp Bonus IV equipped, characters can gain 15 pts per hit on normal attacks – even on weaker enemies.

Next, equip them with **Three Rounds**. Normally, after three successful hits, characters can only get 15 pts. Now with Exp Bonus IV, players can get a minimum of 45 pts if all three attacks connect.

Since exp is based on every successful hit (even if the defending enemy has blocked it), area-damaging skills like Sweep, Compass, Salvo, etc has the possibility to yield over 100 pts per attack.

Where to train your characters:

Some of my suggestions where you can train while reaping rewards are the following. Chalons, Grandgris Pass and Voldor Temple. Chalons has weak enemies, but will reward you with ExpBonus II upon completion, along with other good rewards. Four Exp Bonus II skillstones = Exp Bonus IV. After collecting at least 5 (your choice) then you can train next at Grandgris Pass.

Grandgris Pass is a good place to train because of several reasons. First is that enemies here have higher levels here compared to the other free stages. The Shadow Knights have really high HPs and fairly weak attacks so they make good targets for multiple attacks. Second, the dragon on the starting point is a great target for area-of-effect attacks and spells; thus chances of earning higher exp pts. Third, the bridge makes a good bottleneck position, thus piling up enemies and hitting them with attacks.

Voldor temple contains only one enemy and that is Tiamat. Clearing it the second time will reap you no rewards but you have to face a LV80 Tiamat with very tough scales (very high defense), formidable attacks and a hell lot of HP; which means you can execute multiple area damaging attacks on it.



With all that said, you can now train your characters to reach your desired level and clear the Colosseum. This will be the last extra you'll need to do, if you want to clear everything on the game.



Round 7 (vs Thieves x3) is the only round on the Colosseum where there are item locations. These locations contain the ultimate weapons for your characters and the rarest skillstones that you can't just bind or find anywhere else. If you can make your way up to this round, you can just clear it, return to the map, save and repeat the process.

Below are the items you can get:

WEAPONS

- Deathbringer (sword)
- Gae Bulg (spear)
- Lucifer (axe)
- Tsukikage (dagger)
- Caduceus (staff)
- Rose Whip (whip)
- Bow of Atremis (bow)

SKILLS

- Range +2
- Mobility +3
- Three Rounds
- Attack +30
- Accuracy +30
- Evasion +30
- HP +300
- MP +150

With that said, I will just discuss the final two rounds of the Colosseum since those are the rounds that could give you problems, even with really trained characters.

Round 9	
Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Avaritia (reaper) LV86, Luxuria (reaper) LV86 , Superbia (reaper) LV86, Frost Demon LV86 (x4)
Rewards:	5000G, Healing Extract
Notes:	<p><i>Have your tank equipped with Mobility +2 or +3 and Godspeed to eliminate the demons first. Once that is done, take down Aviritia first since he doesn't have HP Recovery and his attacks are not that powerful compared to the other two. If your tank still has one available move because of Godspeed, make sure that you create Burning Auras in the same spot, as much as possible. To do this, attack with your spearman first. Then, position your short range attacker and attack again on the same direction. If both characters executed Three Rounds successfully, a very saturated aura will be produced. Move your tank to the aura and strike a heavy blow.</i></p> <p><i>Superbia has the highest attack of all the three and it can really cause problems. With that in mind, avoid attacking him with ordinary attacks, especially if his counterattack damage is greater than yours. Activating a three round attack can be fatal to your character in that scenario.</i></p>
	
<p><i>Protect your healer at all costs! If possible, keep them out of reach from the reapers, but not too far away to provide support when needed. The best way to defeat them is by lowering their defense (Helm Splitter) and effective use of Burning Auras. Heal often as well. Don't rely on HP Recovery too much. As much as possible, always keep your character's HP 70-100% full.</i></p>	

Round 10

Turns:	20
Party:	5/5
Enemies:	Luther LV90, Bedford LV88, Dragon L86, Tiamat L88
Rewards:	10000G, Godspeed
Notes:	<i>Alright, for our biggest challenge. One dragon is replaced by Tiamat with a whooping 3000+ HP. Next is a kick-ass Luther with all his previous skills but with increased stats and HP Recovery (500+ recovery) Bedford is still a pushover and the other dragon is much more of a nuisance than a threat.</i>



Okay, same tactics apply; get rid of Bedford as early as possible. Then, move your characters on the far end of the map, away from Tiamat. Its Poison Breath attack can really annoy you; not to mention it will reduce the efficiency of your HP recovery. Don't worry, Luther will chase after you and since dragons have really low movement range, it will take another 3-4 turns before Tiamat gets into attack range.

During that time, make sure your characters have already setup their formations. Again, avoid using ordinary attacks against Luther, unless your character has full HP and a healer is on standby behind him/her. Helm Splitter will prove to be very useful here, aside from abusing the use of Burning Auras. Luther's HP Recovery III can quickly get him back to his toes so make sure your guys can deal enormous damage to him when you have the chance.

After defeating Luther, concentrate on the ordinary dragon then lastly, Tiamat. Tiamat is not that hard, compared to the old geezer. Just heal and use area damaging skills often.

Free Stages (Post game)

Post game free stages have “upgraded” rewards and enemies. Below is the list of the rewards you can obtain from them. Note that you can clear the stage again and still get the same items – great for having multiple copies of the skillstones you might need for binding.

Forest of Fraude
Sol Spirit +1, Luna Spirit +1, Stella Spirit +1
Chapel in the Woods
Flash Strike, Crescent Arc
Neufchateau
Attack +3, Magic Defense +3, MP +10
Soir Valley
Wood Chop, HP +50, MP +20, Magic Attack +5, Pierce!
Aeolian Hill
Fireball, Ice Bullet, Beast Slayer, Mind Breaker, Leg Strike
Orleans
Spirit Sword, Impale!, HP +100, Magic Defense +3, Defense +3
Bastille of St. Loup
MP +50, Defense +5, Accuracy +5, Evade +5, <i>Mobility +1</i>
Bastille of the Augustins
Attack +5, Evade +5, Desperation, Dire Swing, Sniper
Tourelles
Piercing Power, <i>Sneak By, Undead Slayer, Man-Eater, Goliath Slayer</i>
Patay
<i>EXP Bonus</i> , Desperation, <i>MP +100, HP +150</i> , Magic Defense +5
Troyes
Heal, Thunderbolt, Desperation II, Sniper II, <i>Healing Perfume</i>
Chalons
Mighty Roar, <i>EXP Bonus II, HP Recovery</i> , Poison Arrow, Strange Dance
Bogs of Vermonde
Follow Me!, Provoke, Compass, Jezebel's Slave, <i>Two Hits</i>
Reims
Gold Shakedown, Gold Snatcher, Blood Sword, Skill Shakedown, Skill Snatcher
Paris Ramparts
Flame, Blizzard, Jugulaire, Triple Slash, <i>Heaven's Gate</i>
Vantoix Canyon
Attack +20, Magic Attack +20, Piercing Power II, Slip Through, <i>Inferno</i>
St. Pierre-le-Moutier
Raise Force, Jezebel's Slave II, Raise Mobility, Magic Rust, Recovery Shot
La Charite
Ice Bullet II, Venom Edge, Treasure Hunter, Treasure Lover, Shadow Stitch
Clairoix
Tempest Sword, Sweep!, Follow Me! II, Bomb, Destroy!
Grandgris Pass
HP +30, MP +30, Mind Eater, Swap, Follow Me! II
Guillotey Canal
<i>Three Hits</i> , Aero Dagger, Stun Whip, Meteor Bolt, Sky Dart
Paris Warren
<i>Evade +30, Accuracy +30, Angel Tear, Thor's Hammer, Sinister Storm</i>
Alrond Wood
Meteor, Revivify, <i>HP Recovery II</i> , Cyclone II, Wild Whip
Gwygone Mines
War Reverie, Take Flight!, Ravage!, Stun Arrow, Flame II



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Cents-Abris Ruins
Accuracy +10, <i>Mobility +1, Critical Edge</i> , Cyclone, Healing Wind
Chateau Burgundy
Attack +10, Magic Attack +5, <i>Range +1</i> , Skewer Shot, Counter
Soldat Outpost
<i>Adroit</i> , Pre-emptive, Healing Wind II, <i>Earthquake, Two Rounds</i>

Skill Binding List

Below is the list of all the skill binding formulae³ in the game. Each skill set is color coded so you'll just need to skim through the category you are looking for. If you notice, not all skills are listed here. Why? Because this is the list of available formulae for the skills. Some of the basic and unique skills can't be bonded and can only be acquired.

Skill Name	Equip at LV	MP Cost	Effect	Rarity
Follow Me! Mighty Roar + Raise Force Mighty Roar + Attack + 3	5	20	+ Attack, four panel cross	★★
Follow Me! 2 Follow Me + Mighty Roar Follow Me + Attack + 10	25	30	+ Attack, one panel each surrounding the user	★★★★★
Jugulaire Wood Chop + Sniper 2 Critical Edger + Triple Slash	55	28	Critical up	★★★★
Blood Sword HP 50 + Spirit Sword HP Recovery + Spirit Sword	25	30	Damage, absorb ½ HP from damage	★★★★★
Blood Sword II Magic Attack +10 + Blood Sword HP Recovery 2 + Blood Sword	42	82	Damage, absorb same amount of HP from damage	★★★★★★
Triple Slash Flash Strike + Crescent Arc Flash Strike + Cyclone	18	51	Damage to one enemy	★★
Heaven's Gate Heal 2 + Triple Slash Tempest Sword + Undead Slayer	37	100	Heavy damage to one enemy	★★★★
Crescent Arc Flash Strike + Luna Spirit 1 Attack + 3 + Luna Spirit 1	10	34	Damage 3 horizontal panels in front	★
Spirit Sword Ice Bullet 2 + Attack + 5 Skewer Shot + Crescent Arc	19	52	Damage, four panel cross	★★
Tempest Sword Spirit Sword + Cyclone 2 Cyclone 2 + Sweep	26	75	Damage four panel front	★★★★

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War Reverie Follow Me 2 + Man Eater 4 Hits + Tempest Sword	39	94	Damage one panel each surrounding the user	★★★★★
Hymn of Glory Inferno + War Reverie	45	115	Damage 7 panels in front	★★★★★★★
Helm Splitter Thunderbolt 2 + Wood Chop Take Flight + Lower Defenses	18	62	Heavy damage, lowers enemy defense	★★★★
Mighty Roar Flash Strike + Lower Force Follow Me + Lower Force	5	45	50% chance to paralyze enemies 3 horizontal panels ahead	★★
Compass Crescent Arc + Wood Chop Cyclone + Wood Chop	15	53	Damage one panel surrounding user	★★★★
Dire Swing Helm Splitter + Wood Chop Critical Edge + Wood Chop	31	49	Heavy damage, +critical low accuracy	★★★★
Impale! Piercing Power + Ice Bullet Attack + 3 + Ice Bulletr	11	35	Damage 7 panels in front, in a straight line	★★
Take Flight! Sniper + Thunderbolt Accuracy + 10 + Thunderbolt	20	60	Damage one panel, long range	★★★★★
Sweep! Leg Strike + Triple Slash Body Slam + Raise Mobility	19	55	Damage 10 panels in front, pyramid	★★★★
Leg Strike Crescent Arc + Lower Force GoldSnatcher+ Gold Shakedown	18	45	Damage one panel, chance to paralyze	★★★★
Pierce! Impale + Attack +5 Lower Defense + Piercing Power	19	55	Damage, ignore target defense	★★★★
Pierce! II Skewer Shot + Pierce Piercing Power 2 + Attack + 10	36	115	Heavy damage, ignore target defense	★★★★★
Ravage! Desperation 3 + Accuracy 10 Raise Mobility + Jugulaire	28	82	Damage around user, two panels each	★★★★★
Destroy! Sinister Storm + Ravage	44	103	Heavy damage 7 panels ahead of the user	★★★★★★★
Sniper Accuracy + 5 + Lower Force	5	21	100% hit, -50% damage	★★
Sniper II Accuracy + 10 + Sniper Attack + 5 + Sniper	14	53	100% hit, -25% damage	★★★★
Sniper III Sniper 2 + Skewer Shot Sniper 2 + Accuracy + 30	27	78	100% hit, weapon damage	★★★★★

Sniper IV Attack + 20 + Sniper 3 Lightning + Sniper 3	40	103	100% hit, heavy damage	★★★★★
Skewer Shot Sniper 2 + Fireball 2 Piercing Power 2 + Aero Dagger Piercing Power 2 + Sniper 2	31	55	Damage six panels, straight line	★★★★★
Poison Arrow Sniper + Poison	9	32	Low damage, chance to poison target	★★
Stun Arrow Sniper + Lower Force	15	52	Low damage, chance to paralyze target	★★★
Recovery Shot Skewer Shot + HP Recovery Heal 2 + Impale Sniper 2 + Heal 2	15	32	Recovers one ally	★★★
Meteor Bolt Fireball 2 + Impale Fireball 2 + Stella Spirit 2	23	56	Heavy damage, one target	★★★★★
Salvo Meteor + Sky Dart	42	110	Random damage to a 21 panel radius	★★★★★
Sky Dart Meteor Bolt + Take Flight Mobility + 1 + Take Flight	30	70	Medium damage to one target, anywhere in the map	★★★★★
Toxic Arrow Sniper 2 + Poison Arrow	27	74	Medium damage, stronger poison damage	★★★
Revivify Healing Wind 2 + Cure HP Recovery2 + Magic Attack +10	33	180	Revive fallen allies with full HP and zero MP	★★★★★
Mind Eater Mind Breaker + Impale MP + 20 + Blood Sword	36	5	Absorb target's MP	★★★
Swap Take Flight + Magic Attack + 3	25	58	Swap places with an ally	★★★
Meteor Flame 2 + Sky Dart Fireball 2 + Salvo	40	210	Random damage to a 21 panel radius	★★★★★
Lightning Piercing Power2 + Thunderbolt 2 Piercing Power 2 + MP 30	30	132	Heavy neutral damage to one target	★★★
Inferno Magic Attack + 20 + War Reverie	36	260	Heavy sol damage to all enemies anywhere in the map	★★★★★
Angel Tear Magic Attack + 20 + Healing Perfume	36	260	Heavy luna damage to all enemies anywhere in the map	★★★★★

Thor's Hammer Magic Attack + 20 + Sky Dart	36	260	Heavy stellar damage to all enemies anywhere in the map	★★★★★
Sinister Storm Magic Attack + 20 + Ravage	36	260	Heavy neutral damage to all enemies anywhere in the map	★★★★★
Earthquake Thor's Hammer + Body Slam	29	225	Damage to all enemies and allies anywhere in the map	★★★★★
Shadow Stitch Sniper 2 + Lower Force Two Hits + Lower Force	4	20	Damage, chance to paralyze target	★★
Venom Edge Poison + Flash Strike	5	25	Damage, chance to poison target	★★
Two Hits Two Rounds + Raise Mobility	12	42	Attack x2	★★★
Three Hits Two Hits + Two Hits Two Hits + Two Rounds	30	71	Attack x3	★★★★★
Four Hits Three Hits + Three Hits Three Hits + Three Rounds	43	115	Attack x4	★★★★★
Strange Dance Gold Snatcher + Lower Force Gold Shakedown + Lower Force	14	29	Lowers attack of target	★★★
Bomb Aero Dagger + Fireball 2 Aero Dagger + Sol Spirit 2 Fireball 2 + Flame	19	60	Damage to 15 panels, cross	★★★
Aero Dagger Skewer Shot + Cyclone 2 Cyclone 2 + Accuracy 10	14	38	Damage one target up to 7 panels ahead	★★★
Provoke Desperation + Evade + 5 Lower Defense + Evade 5	8	35	Attract enemies to attack user only for one turn	★★
Stun Whip Tail Whip + Lower Force	5	33	Damage, chance to paralyze target	★★★
Wild Whip Meteor + Compass Three Hits + Two Rounds Meteor + Tail Whip	24	105	Damage surrounding enemies randomly	★★★★★
Skill Snatcher Jezebel's Slave + Shadow Stitch Exp Bonus 2 + Shadow Stitch	17	31	Light damage, chance to steal target's skillstone	★★★★★
Jezebel's Slave Provoke + Lower Force Stun Whip + Lower Defenses Gold Snatcher + Magic Atk + 5	6	31	Entice enemies to attack user for one turn	★★

Jezebel's Slave II Jezebel's slave + Mind Eater Jezebel's Slave + Blood Sword 2	21	54	Entice enemies to attack user for three turns	★★★
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Skill Name	Equip at LV	Effect	Rarity
Counter Raise Mobility + Triple Slash Exp Bonus + Raise Mobility	10	Chance to negate enemy attacks and counter attack	★★
Counter II Counter + Preemptive Sneak By + Evade + 10	34	Chance to negate enemy attacks and counter with a heavy blow	★★★★★
Adroit Counter + Evade + 10 Exp Bonus + Preemptive	20	No disadvantage when attacked from the rear or sides.	★★★★★
Desperation 2 Desperation + Raise Force Lower Defense + Attack + 3	13	Further increases ATK, further lowers DEF	★★★
Desperation 3 Provoke + Desperation 2 Mighty Roar + Desperation 2	30	Greatly increases ATK, greatly lowers DEF	★★★★★
Piercing Power 2 Piercing Power + Attack + 10 Exp Bonus + Piercing Power	18	Damage is not lessened when piercing two targets.	★★★
Piercing Power Attack + 20 + Piercing Power 2 Exp Bonus 2 + Piercing Power 2	30	Heavy damage is dealt when piercing two targets.	★★★★★
Mindbreaker Helm Splitter + Magic Rust Jezebel's Slave + Magic Rust	12	Damages MP as well when attacking	★★★
Sneak By Mobility + 1 + Evade + 10	10	Past through panels occupied by the enemy	★★
Healing Perfume Jezebel's Slave + Healing Wind 2 Jezebel's Slave + HP Recovery 2	20	Recover 10% HP to all allies each turn, anywhere on the map	★★★

Skill Name	Equip at LV	MP Cost	Effect	Rarity
Fireball Sol Spirit 1 + Sol Spirit 1	5	36	Light sol damage to one target	★★
Fireball 2 Sniper 2 + Fireball Fireball + Sol Spirit 2	15	65	Medium sol damage to one target	★★★
Flame Sol Spirit 2 + Sol Spirit 2	7	52	Small area sol damage	★★★
Flame 2 Bomb + Flame Sol Spirit 3 + Flame	18	105	Large area sol damage	★★★★★

Sol Spirit 3 + Mighty Roar				
Ice Bullet Luna Spirit 1 + Luna Spirit 1	6	36	Light luna damage to one target	★★
Ice Bullet 2 Crescent Arc + Ice Bullet Luna Spirit 2 + Magic Shield Luna Spirit 2 + Magic Def+ 5	16	65	Medium luna damage to one target	★★★
Blizzard Luna Spirit 2 + Luna Spirit 2	11	52	Small area luna damage	★★★★
Blizzard 2 Spirit Sword + Compass Spirit Sword + Crescent Arc Blizzard + Luna Spirit 3	20	105	Large area luna damage	★★★★★
Thunderbolt Stella Spirit 1 + Stella Spirit 1	7	36	Light stella damage to one target	★★
Thunderbolt 2 Take Flight + Thunderbolt Stella Spirit 2 + Thunderbolt	17	65	Medium stella damage to one target	★★★
Cyclone Stella Spirit 2 + Stella Spirit 2	11	52	Small area stella damage	★★★
Cyclone 2 Sweep + Compass Sweep + Stella Spirit 3 Compass + Stella Spirit 3	22	105	Large area stella damage	★★★★★
Heal 2 Heal + HP 20 Heal + Magic Attack + 3	16	56	Recover large amount of HP to one ally	★★★
Healing Wind Cyclone 2 + Heal Heal 2 + Cyclone	9	68	Recover small amount of HP to all allies within area	★★★
Healing Wind 2 Healing Wind + HP Recovery Breath + Heal 2 Mighty Roar + HP 50	24	103	Recover large amount of HP to all allies within area	★★★★★

Skill Name	Equip at LV	Effect	Rarity
HP Recovery 2 HP Recovery + HP Recovery	21	Recover 20% of max HP of equipped user	★★★★★
HP Recovery 3 HP Recovery 2 + HP Recovery 2 HP Recovery 2 + HP + 100	35	Recover 30% of max HP of equipped user	★★★★★
Exp Bonus 2 Exp Bonus + Exp Bonus	15	Multiply earned experience to 150%	★★★
Exp Bonus 3 Exp Bonus 2 + Exp Bonus 2	22	Multiply earned experience to 200%	★★★★
Exp Bonus 4 Exp Bonus 3 + Exp Bonus 3	29	Multiply earned experience to 300%	★★★★★

Preemptive Accuracy + 10 + Evade + 10 Counter + Raise Mobility	38	Strike first when counter attacking	★★★★★
Three Rounds Two Rounds + Two Rounds	45	Attack three times	★★★★★★
Beast Slayer Triple Slash + Sol Spirit 2	24	Deals additional damage to beasts	★★
Man-Eater Two Hits + Luna Spirit 2	25	Deals additional damage to humans	★★★
Goliath Slayer Helm Splitter + Stella Spirit 2	27	Deals additional damage to giants	★★★
Undead Slayer Healing Wind 2 + Sol Spirit 2	27	Deals additional damage to the undead	★★★
Devil Slayer Sniper 3 + Luna Spirit 2	30	Deals additional damage to demons	★★★★★
Dragon Slayer Ravage + Luna Spirit 2	30	Deals additional damage to wyverns	★★★★★
HP +30 HP + 20 + Luna Spirit 1	13	Increases HP by 30	★★★
HP +50 HP + 30 + Luna Spirit 1 HP + 30 + HP + 30	17	Increases HP by 50.	★★★
HP +100 HP + 50 + Luna Spirit 2 HP + 50 + HP + 50	23	Increases HP by 100	★★★★★
HP +150 HP + 100 + HP + 100 HP + 100 + Luna Spirit 3	35	Increases HP by 150	★★★★★
MP + 20 MP + 10 + Luna Spirit 1	15	Increases MP by 20	★★
MP + 30 MP + 20 + Luna Spirit 1 MP + 20 + MP + 20	19	Increases MP by 30	★★★
MP + 50 MP + 30 + Luna Spirit 2 MP + 30 + MP + 30	27	Increases MP by 50	★★★
MP + 100 MP + 50 + MP + 50 MP + 50 + Luna Spirit 3	34	Increase MP by 100	★★★★★
Attack +3 Raise Force + Sol Spirit 1	1	Increases attack by 3	★
Attack +5 Attack + 3 + Sol Spirit 1	6	Increases attack by 5	★★
Attack + 10 Attack + 5 + Attack + 5 Attack + 5 + Sol Spirit 2	13	Increases attack by 10	★★★

Attack +20 Attack + 10 + Attack + 10 Attack + 10 + Sol Spirit 3	21	Increases attack by 20	★★★★★
Magic Attack +5 Magic Attack + 3 + Sol Spirit 1	11	Increases magic attack by 5	★★★★
Magic Attack +10 Magic Attack + 5 + Magic Atk+ 5 Magic Attack + 5 + Sol Spirit 2	16	Increases magic attack by 10	★★★★★
Magic Attack + 20 Magic Atk +10 + Magic Atk +10 Magic Attack + 10 + Sol Spirit 3	21	Increases magic attack by 20	★★★★★★★
Accuracy +10 Accuracy + 5 + Accuracy + 5	13	Increases accuracy by 10	★★★★
Evade +10 Evade + 5 + Evade + 5	16	Increases evade by 10	★★★★
Mobility +2 Mobility + 1 + Mobility + 1 Mobility + 1 + Raise Mobility	32	Increases mobility by 2	★★★★★
Defense +3 Raise Defense + Stella Spirit 1	5	Increases Defense by 3	★
Defense +5 Defense + 3 + Stella Spirit 2	10	Increases defense by 5	★★
Magic Defense +3 Magic Shield + Stella Spirit 1	5	Increases Magic Defense by 3	★
Magic Defense +5 Magic Def +3 + Stella Spirit 2	10	Increases magic defense by 5	★★

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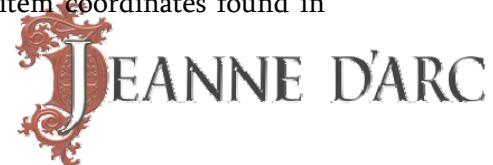
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