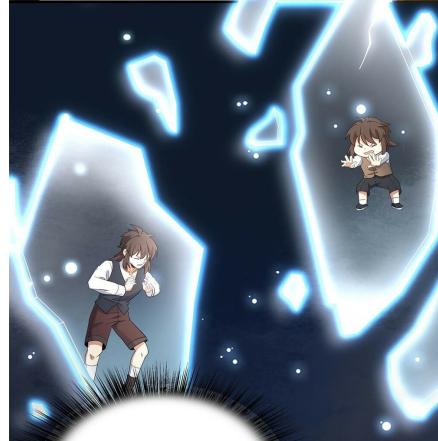








IT'S JUST...



IT'S BEEN SO  
MANY YEARS AND NO MATTER  
HOW I TRIED, I COULDN'T  
AWAKEN MY MAGIC



WILL I... SUCCEED  
THIS TIME?



CHILD, IF YOU  
FEEL TOO TIRED

YOU DON'T HAVE TO  
FORCE YOURSELF

NOT EVERYONE CAN  
BE A MAGE

LET ALONE A SAGE  
LEVEL MAGE

IF YOU WANT, YOU  
CAN ALWAYS LIVE AS  
LYNN LANSTER

IN THE FIRST  
PLACE, IT WAS ZOEY  
WHO LEFT YOU

WHY DO YOU HAVE TO BEAR  
SUCH A HEAVY BURDEN FOR HIM  
AND FORCE YOURSELF TO  
BECOME A MAGE?

UNCLE, THANK  
YOU FOR YOUR KIND  
WORDS

BUT AS YOU KNOW,  
MY FATHER'S BETRAYAL  
ISN'T THAT SIMPLE...

