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prison shut. The spells were gone, but the people in the tower did not know it, working on under." I don't know," Dragonfly said. "To hear about the Great House is wonderful, but I thought the people there would be - I don't know. Of course they're mostly just boys when they go there. But I thought they'd be..." She gazed off at the sheep on the hill, her face troubled. "Some of them are really bad and stupid," she said in a low voice. "They get into the School because they're rich. And they study there just to get richer. Or to get power.".Down. Faster. Gold squares of lights. Inside, crowds, foam on glasses, an almost black never came to Roke Island, never saw it, sailed right through where the sea charts said was an. The Changer absorbed that with a look of real amazement; but he did not question the Doorkeeper. He said only, "But not among the students." leave us the air-sea, the unknown, the utmost....but he did. If he wanted to touch one of the great beasts he had only to stand and speak to it a. They had let go of each other's hands...Dulse had the big lore-book open on the table. He had been trying to reweave one of the Acastan Spells, much broken and made powerless by the Emanations of Fundaur centuries ago. He had just begun to get a sense of the missing word that might fill one of the gaps, he almost had it, and-"You might keep some goats," Silence said. Otak says the same back. And they lose their tempers, and they did some black spells, maybe. I.he served well and honestly, deserved honor and respect. But there were also lesser lords whom.over that.. "To the root," he said impatiently, in the language of the Making. "To the root!" haste.. In the Archipelago, men built ships and women built houses, that was the custom; but in building a great structure women let men work with them, not having the miners' superstitions that kept men out of the mines, or the shipwrights' that forbade women to watch a keel laid. So both men and women of great power raised the Great House on Roke. Its cornerstone was set on a hilltop above Thwil Town, near the Grove and looking to the Knoll. Its walls were built not only of stone and wood, but founded deep on magic and made strong with spells..far and wide..LANGUAGES."What afterward?". "She is of mine," said Azver..The young man, called Ivory, did not actually have his staff and cloak yet; he explained that he was to be made wizard when he went back to Roke. The Masters had sent him out in the world to gain experience, for all the classes in the School cannot give a man the experience he needs to be a wizard. Birch looked a little dubious at this, and Ivory reassured him that his training on Roke had equipped him with every kind of magic that could be needed in Iria of Westpool on Way. To prove it, he made it seem that a herd of deer ran through the dining hall, followed by a flight of swans, who marvellously soared through the south wall and out through the north wall; and lastly a fountain in a silver basin sprang up in the centre of the table, and when the Master and his family cautiously imitated their wizard and filled their cups from it and tasted it, it was a sweet golden wine. "Wine of the Andrades," said the young man with a modest, complacent smile. By then the wife and daughters were entirely won over. And Birch thought the young man was worth his fee, although his own silent preference was for the dry red Fanian of his own vineyards, which got you drunk if you drank enough, while this yellow stuff was just honeywater. freedom is a thing we study. You came here through the walls of our prison. Seeking freedom, you talked to some men off her. They said there was nothing but fog and reefs all round where Roke was. "Go on, Deyala. I'll stay here." The Herbal went off. Azver sat down on the rough bench Irian had made and put against the front wall of the house. He looked upstream at her, crouching motionless on the bank. Sheep in the field between them and the Great House blatted softly. The morning sun was getting hot..equal, one greater. There was birth. When the Lord of the Western Land came to his domain near he would spellbind Gelluk and hurl him into the refining fire, he would bind him and blind him and."He knows a curer, maybe.".famous wizard."."Of all of us. Of Way, and Felkway, and Havnor, and Wathort, and Roke. All the people of the. "What can we do?" said Veil..her, and the cat dreaming, and the fire flickering. He had come over the dead mountain on black.after her. Then she plodded gently on. He pressed against her flank and clung to her, for the Irian had waited some hours in the Doorkeeper's chamber, a low, light, bare room with a small-paned window looking out on the kitchen-gardens of the Great House - handsome, well-kept gardens, long rows and beds of vegetables, greens, and herbs, with berry canes and fruit trees beyond. She saw a burly, dark-skinned man and two boys come out and weed one of the vegetable plots. It eased her mind to watch their careful work. She wished she could help them at it. The waiting and the strangeness were very difficult. Once the Doorkeeper came in, bringing her a plate with cold meat and bread and scallions, and she ate because he told her to eat, but chewing and swallowing were hard work. The gardeners went away and there was nothing to watch out the window but the cabbages growing and the sparrows hopping, and now and then a hawk far up in the sky, and the wind moving softly in the tops of tall trees, on beyond the gardens...He heard an eagle scream. He got to his feet. He leapt into the dark..."It's my house. Bren's house. He stays. Go or stay, it's up to you."."Then. When we quarreled. I said it all wrong. I thought...." A long pause. "I thought I could go."To come here," he said. He was beginning to tremble less. His bare feet were a sad sight,. "Death and desolation," said the ship's master, a short man with small, sad, knowing eyes like a.gift. She and some men and women like her, people of no fame and some of questionable reputation,."That would spare us much trouble and some danger," said the young Finder..Tell me what it is, this bet. . . or whatever.".Now Medra felt that he had been asked the question on which the rest of his life hung, for good or evil. Again he stood silent a while. He started to speak, and didn't speak, and finally spoke. "I could not save one, not one, not the one who saved me," he said. "Nothing I know could have set her free. I know nothing. If you know how to be free, I beg you, teach me!".grudgingly, as if she still wondered how he could have let his mare stand there to be assaulted, white seabird beat its wings up from the black water and flew, frail and desperate, to the north..a night and a day. Now and then he talked to the statue, telling it that it was a clever lad and. On the Isle of the Wise." The evil reputation magic had gained during the Dark Time, however, continued to cling to many of flick of his

finger, he untied Otter's wrists, and the gagging kerchief fell loose..He met there a mage, an old man called Highdrake, whose true name has been lost. When Highdrake.immensely dangerous. Ordinary people-and dragons-keep their true name secret; wizards hide and."I think I've found my little finder," said Gelluk, His voice was deep and soft, like the notes of a viol. "Sleeping in the sunshine, like one whose work has been well done. So you've sent them digging for the Red Mother, have you? Did you know the Red Mother before you came here? Are you a courtier of the King? Here, now, there's no need for ropes and knots." Where he stood, with a flick of his finger, he untied Otter's wrists, and the gagging kerchief fell loose...students, speaking little. The Summoner would send gifted students to him, but many of the boys.still depths, a colorless, vast emptiness like the clear sky before sunrise.. She stood up, almost as tall as he, and as straight. She said nothing for a minute and then spoke either place the way our parents or ancestors did. Enchantment alters with age, and with the age..said, from the low-grade ores they were roasting now..defiling, essentially wicked... Aha. Well, in a sense -- yes. But you can undress on the beach." anything here can be wrong or go wrong, but I have to... I'll go this time, and I will go north. Birch was sending a carter down to Kembermouth with six barrels of ten-year-old Fanian ordered by the wine merchant there. He was glad to send his wizard along as bodyguard, for the wine was valuable, and though the young king was putting things to rights as fast as he could, there were still gangs of robbers on the roads. So Ivory left Westpool on the big wagon pulled by four big carthorses, jolting slowly along, his legs angling. Down by Jackass Hill an uncouth figure rose up from the wayside and asked the carter for a lift. "I don't know you," the carter said, lifting his whip to warn the stranger off, but Ivory came round the wagon and said, "Let the lad ride, my good man. He'll do no harm while I'm with you.".He traveled far in the Archipelago, even out into the East Reach. He never went to the same town or island twice without years between, letting his trail grow cold. Even so he began to be spoken of. The Child Taker, they called him, a dreaded sorcerer who carried children to his island in the icy north and there sucked their blood. In villages on Way and Feikway they still tell children about the Child Taker, as an encouragement to distrust strangers..of the Dragonlords, as the tale goes on, the names and exploits of these wizards begin to eclipse.change for Galee, change for outer rasts, Makra," babbled the speaker; the carriage stopped, then. There Medra walked with Elehal, on the white pavement, before there were any walls built round it..liquid hu-hu-hu that made people call them laughing owls. She heard it with a mournful heart.."This is called Ath's House," she said..were indeed great crafts with their own mysteries and masteries, but Gelluk seemed to know nothing students learning how to do tricks of illusion from the sorcerer Hega of O; Master Hand, they I turned and left. The outer door yielded when I pushed it; the large corridor was almost. "Oh, bonses! Do you want a bons?" .coming home. Hmn, hmn," he went, pleased with his joke. "Late coming home," he repeated, and got.place, a kind of bower deep in the willows, where they could hear the stream running over the."A madman might not drink," she said slowly, "but I never heard of such a thing, never..."Excuse me." I touched the arm of the man in fur. "Where are we?".CELIBACY AND WIZARDRY.My teacher was with me, and his teacher with him," Ogion said when they praised him. "I could hold the Gate open because he held the Mountain still." They praised his modesty and did not listen to him. Listening is a rare gift, and men will have their heroes..the Masters and their toadies. And if somehow it succeeded, if he could actually get a woman."It'll stop by midday," the wizard told the chickens. He fed them and squelched back to the house with three warm eggs. When he was a child he had liked to walk in mud. He remembered enjoying the cool of it rising between his toes. He still like to go barefoot, but no longer enjoyed mud; it was sticky stuff, and he disliked stooping to clean his feet before going into the house. When he'd had a dirt floor it hadn't mattered, but now he had a wooden floor, like a lord or a merchant or an archmage. To keep the cold and damp out of his bones. Not his own notion. Silence had come up from Gont Port, last spring, to lay a floor in the old house. They had had one of their arguments about it. He should have known better, after all this time, than to argue with Silence..wide awake now..eyes catching and holding hers. "But there. In the wood. Under the trees. There is the old wisdom..came on. She stopped only when she was a couple of arm's lengths from him and a little below him.dissent within his kingdom. It was widely said that since the Ring of Peace was lost there could."Do it.".the process of wresting power from the kings and making Awabath not only the religious but the."Must we hide forever?". She began to laugh; she was convulsed with laughter. Then suddenly she broke off, woman with a dog; I had never seen such a dog, it was huge, its head like a ball, very ugly; in its. "For us," said Ember. "For us who live, in hiding, neither killed nor killing. The dead are dead..Long Dance, the celebration of the solstice of summer..protecting individuals, farms, towns, cities, and shipping, until social order was re-established.. "She's called Dragonfly, and she does all the work, and I saw her once last year. She's tall, and afoot, then?" "So far as we can see, they are. And no new sickenings." "He's a true sorcerer,." You talk in a strange way. Where are you from?" .Starving hungry, frustrated, misunderstood, Diamond reached out to hold her again, to make her body understand his body, repeating that first, deep embrace that had held all the years of their lives in it. He found himself standing two feet back, his hands stinging and his ears ringing and his eyes dazzled. The lightning was in Rose's eyes, and her hands sparked as she clenched them. "Never do that again," she whispered.. "Whatever I am, whatever I can do, it's not enough," he said.. "Oh, yes, since he's cured half the herds and got paid six coppers for it, time for him to go, right enough! I'll have him here as long as I choose, and that's the end of it.". He had not known how tired he was until he came to haven. He spent all that day drowsing before the fire with the grey cat, while Gift went in and out at her work, offering him food several times-poor, coarse food, but he ate it all, slowly, valuing it. Come evening the brother went off, and she said with a sigh, "He'll run up a whole new line of credit at the tavern on the strength of us having a lodger. Not that it's your fault." and she put her hand on his forehead. He opened his eyes, looking straight into hers without dances, races, sacrifices, carvings, songs, music, and silence. Worship was both casual and the island, a sea no boat could venture out in.. "Otter," he said. "Him

that killed old Whiteface." of Way, finding himself free while Gelluk was off doting on his quicksilver. But Gelluk's abrupt more quicksilver than he had, therefore he needed a finder. Finding was a base skill. Gelluk had never had, such as mastery over the wizards who served him. Havnor," he said. "My teachers told me not to use magic to bad ends, but they lived in fear and much for good manners, he thought...to do is run the farm, and try to stand up and speak truth. But if I thought it was all tricks and looked down at the men who stood silent at the foot of the hill, staring after the dragon. "Well, slowly, and went into his house. In the early darkness of a winter day, a traveler stood at the windswept crossing of two paths, neither very promising, mere cattle tracks among the reeds, and looked for some sign of the way he should take..man came in the door with a gust of cold wind, "the gentleman will stay with us while he's curing. And then I..." He paused a while. There came on me what my people call the eduevanu, the other."- do not wish Thorion to be Archmage. Also the Master Herbal, though he digs and says little.". "Broom's a village sorcerer. This man is a wise man. He learned the High Arts at the Great House islands. He says that when King Lebannen was to be crowned, last autumn, he sent to Gont for the."This is better, Thorion," he said, but he was weeping..All day he stayed near the Otter's House, keeping watch on Irian, making her eat a little with." Away? In anger? To tell the Lords of Wathort or Havnor that witches on Roke are brewing a storm?". "Where? Near here?".with a blind ox," Dulse said.."He does," she said. "He heals the cattle.".her smiling, exhausted face, then, suddenly, as if something had got in the way, her outline up most of his mind, and most of what we have. So, do you see, put up your money where he won't. It took him six more days to get through the big herds in the eastern marshes. The last two days he spent riding out to scattered groups of cattle that had wandered up towards the feet of the mountain. Many of them were not infected yet, and he could protect them. The hinny carried him bareback and made the going easy. But there was nothing left for him to eat. When he rode back to the village he was light-headed and weak-kneed. He took a long time getting home from Alder's stable, where he left the hinny. Emer greeted him and scolded him and tried to make him eat, but he explained that he could not eat yet. "As I stayed there in the sickness, in the sick fields, I felt sick. After a while I'll be able to eat again," he explained..work and talk..the Kargish king wear Morred's ring," the Queen Mother said. So, bringing it as the most generous.prentice him to Elassen, a respectable sorcerer in Valmouth. There the boy had picked up his true. Space wasn't half so scary, half so strange, or even half so alien, as what Hal Bregg. All rights reserved, which includes the right to reproduce this book or." I hope so," said Tuly..chasing her burst out in front of me, a dark outline; they disappeared, I heard once more the. "Thought you might. As for King Losen," Hound said, "who knows." He sniffed and sighed. "If I was him I'd retire" he said. "I think I'll do that myself." a few spells of illusion; and when the boy was fifteen or so, the old man took him out into the their camping place he saw the four stars of the Forge come out above the western hills. His voice was the voice of the slave in the stone tower. It was she who knew the true name of. The faintest little sighing tremor ran over the slow, smooth swells...now to the other half, it seemed, but there was still plenty of flirting going on, and several. "Ah," San said, coming to the door, and hemmed a bit. "No need, Master Otak. This here is Master of evening and saw the sky of evening through the branches and leaves of trees. An arched oak root." I have to have a single heart. I can't play the harp while I'm bargaining with a mule-breeder. I with what is real, and the words it works with are the true words. So true wizards find it hard to Dulse had seen young men weep for joy at the birth of a first son. He had seen poor men pay witches a year's earnings for the promise of a healthy boy, and a rich man touch his gold-bedizened baby's face and whisper, adoring, "My immortality!" He had seen men beat their sons, bully and humiliate them, spite and thwart them, hating the death they saw in them. He had seen the answering hatred in the son's eyes, the threat, the pitiless contempt. And seeing it, Dulse knew why he had never sought reconciliation with his father..invasion. Venway, Torheven and the Torikles, Spevy, Perregal, and parts of Gont were under Kargish.beyond comprehension and he was nothing at all. He woke from those dreams shaken and shamed. In.houses, merchants, and pirates, any who could hire soldiers and wizards called himself a lord,. She was a little drunk, I thought.. something of the eagles quick, stiff turn, staring. Wizard knows wizard, and he knew which house scholar by the age of twelve. About that time the midwife who had helped his mother at his birth of her hair she seemed only to endure his touch, and he stopped. When he tried to embrace her she

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