

S AND MEMORIES OF THOSE WHOSE LIVES INCLUDED AN ENCOUNTER WITH TH

all his life in the shipyards of Havnor, and knew he was fortunate. At least in daylight, when sent Morred's own spell-bound warriors to fight him, and worse, sent sorceries that shriveled up foraging in the pastures of dry, frosty grass. They could not keep the cattle bunched for long, herself, for charming and handsome as he was she had never been able to feel a thing for him but. He turned and made for the shore, hasty, careless where he set his feet and not caring if he broke the silence by splashing and breathing hard. He slogged back up the path through the reeds till he reached dry ground and coarse grass, and heard the buzz of midges and crickets. He sat down then on the ground, rather hard, for his legs were shaking. I rolled up my sleeve and showed her the Houses of Shelieth, Ea, and Havnor; and lastly the House of Ilien. Prince Gemal Seaborn of down in his mind and be hidden and layered over with a thousand useful or beautiful or. "But then came the dragon, Kalessin, bearing him living, millennia before that. Its thirty-one stanzas tell how Segoy raised the islands of Earthsea in the. "I dislike goat cheese," Dulse said. root cellar that night and the nights after. Neighbors who came at last to bury the rotting bodies. "Is he curing the cattle?" she asked. The danger in trying to do good is that the mind comes to confuse the intent of goodness with the act of doing things well. He stepped down from the doorstep onto the dirt so that he could feel the ground with the nerves of his soles, but the mud slimed and fouled any messages the dirt had for him. He set the eggs down on the doorstep, sat down beside them, cleaned his feet with rainwater from the pot by the step, wiped them dry with the rag that hung on the handle of the pot, picked up the eggs, stood up slowly, and went into his house. raiders came from Wathort. Their mother hid them in a root cellar of the farm and then used her. hungry," Ember said. Otter passed the domed chamber of the roaster pit and its hurrying slaves, and climbed slowly up the circling, darkening, reeking stairs till he came to the topmost room. said. "It's at daybreak a name should be given. And then there ought to be music and feasting and ceilings and concave walls. Ceilingless corridors, at the top enveloped in a shining powder. I. "You're not," Irian said. She thought him between thirty and forty, though it was hard to tell; she kept thinking his hair was white, because it was not black. around them, a few lights glimmering, pulsing, so that they were encircled now by an orange. to her, vivid. She thought about Ivory, thinking she would never see him again, wondering if he. At first he had thought Diamond had a knack such as many children had and then lost, a stray spark. then, he will spring forth, shining! the name. "Oh, there," cried the girl, "the rast on the vuk, your rast, you can make it, hurry!" Oh, it's time, and past time. We must deliver the King. We must find the great lode. It is here; His voice was the voice of the slave in the stone tower. It was she who knew the true name of. The coppers weren't decently in a bag, even. Irioth had to hold out his hand, and the cattleman laid out six copper pennies in it, one by one. "Now then! That's fair and square!" he said, expansive. "And maybe you'll be looking at my yearlings over in the Long Pond pastures, in the next day or so." In her bed, in the dark, she lay and thought: He knew the wizard who named me. Or I said my name. Maybe I said it out loud in my sleep. Or somebody told him. But nobody knows it. Nobody ever knew my name but the wizard, and my mother. And they're dead, they're dead... I said it in my sleep.... sea. On that sacred and powerful soil, he and Orm met. Ceasing their battle, they spoke as equals. Tell me what it is, this bet. . . or whatever." to his conscience. He had waked from his dream with the name Roke in his mind. Why had he never. Anieb kept a better pace than seemed possible in a woman so famished and destroyed, walking almost naked in the chill of the rain. All her will was aimed on walking forward; she had nothing else in her mind, not him, not anything. But she was there bodily with him, and he felt her presence as keenly and strangely as when she had come to his summoning. The rain ran down her naked head and body. He made her stop to put on his shirt. He was ashamed of it, for it was filthy, he having worn it all these weeks. She let him pull it over her head and then walked right on. She could not go quickly, but she went steadily, her eyes fixed on the faint cart track they followed, till the night came early under the rain clouds, and they could not see where to set their feet. So well in hand did Early have Losen's men that within two days the great fleet set forth from Havnor, gathering its tributaries on the way. Eighty ships sailed past Ark and Ilien on a true and steady magewind that bore them straight for Roke. Sometimes Early in his white silk robe, holding a tall white staff, the horn of a sea beast from the farthest North, stood in the decked prow of the lead galley, whose hundred oars flashed beating like the wings of a gull. Sometimes he was himself the gull, or an eagle, or a dragon, who flew above and before the fleet, and when the men saw him flying thus they shouted, "The dragonlord! the dragonlord!" The roof of the cavern was far above him. The trickle of water dripping from the mica ledge. "My mother was born in Endlane, round by Faliern Forest," Otter said. "Do you know that town? mere finder who went about with midwives and the like. He could not bring himself to sneak and. They were technical questions, mage to mage. Heleth hesitated before answering. "What brought you here, Azver?" the Namer asked. "I've often thought of asking you. A long, long." He knows that, sister," Mead told her. "Didn't he tell us he was a ship carpenter? But it's a them? Why did they come here, if they won't work with us?" New York, New York 10019. Rose was muttering a rote spell, but it was her hands and her little short sharp knife that did most of the work. The ewe bore the digging knife patiently, her opaque, amber, slotted eyes gazing into silence; only she stamped her small left front foot now and then, and sighed. the silken dip between her eyes, scratching her forehead at the roots of the nubbin horns. perimeter, glowed thin, flickering lights, curiously uncertain, as though not electric, and even. spells made and annotated by a wizard, or by a lineage of wizards) there is usually one copy only. he managed to speak. again with that yearning look. The sun was setting; he stood up, bade her goodnight gently, and. They came out again among the ploughlands and pastures in the warm evening. As they walked back to their camping place he saw the four stars of the Forge come out above the western hills. it. "Media's Gate, they used to call it. I keep both doors." He opened it. The brightness of the. what some boys learned in six or seven and

many never learned at all, but to him it had been mere might be able to. I can feel it building up, can you?". Once instead of smiling and agreeing, she said, "It's lovely to have him back, but" and Golden stopped hearing. Mothers were born to worry about their children, and women were born never to be content. There was no reason why he should listen to the litany of anxieties by which Tuly hauled herself through life. Of course she thought a merchant's life wasn't good enough for the boy. She'd have thought being King in Havnor wasn't good enough for him. Cobbled, he heard voices. "I'd always counted on your going into the family business," Golden said. His tone was neutral, and Diamond said nothing. "Have you had any ideas of what you want to do?". They needed no persuasion. They rode off leaving everything behind, their blankets, the tent, the iron pot. "How do we get all that back to the village?" he asked the hinny. She looked after the two ponies and said what hinnies say. "Aaawww!" she said. She would miss the ponies..been enough of that kind of intimidation lately. But it went against his grain. He didn't like to the way." He waited a while. He saw darkness, heard silence. Slow and halting, he entered the Earth in her turning to the sun makes the days and nights, but within her there are no days. Medra walked through the night. He was very lame, and could not always keep up the werelight. When it failed he had to stop and sit down and sleep. The sleep was never death, as he thought it was. He woke, always cold, always in pain, always thirsty, and when he could make a glimmer of the light he got to his feet and went on. He never saw Anieb but he knew she was there. He followed her. Sometimes there were great rooms. Sometimes there were pools of motionless water. It was hard to break the stillness of their surface, but he drank from them. He thought he had gone down deeper and deeper for a long time, till he reached the longest of those pools, and after that the way went up again. Sometimes now Anieb followed him. He could say her name, though she did not answer. He could not say the other name, but he could think of the trees; of the roots of the trees. This was the kingdom of the roots of the trees. How far does the forest go? As far as forests go. As long as the lives, as deep as the roots of the trees. As long as leaves cast shadows. There were no shadows here, only the dark, but he went forward, and went forward, until he saw Anieb before him. He saw the flash of her eyes, the cloud of her curling hair. She looked back at him for a moment, and then turned aside and ran lightly down a long, steep slope into darkness..her spells..fields by Serrenen to show him the one spell of true change he knew. "First let's see you turn." "Bring the boys, then," Early said with deadly patience..that lived long, long before Erreth-Akbe, before Morred, before there were people in Earthsea..When he showed signs of reviving during the journey, one of them bashed him on the head, remarking..center of the world..not see that word forgotten..". "And it was useful knowledge," Tern said. "How can people be anything but ignorant when knowledge isn't saved, isn't taught? If books could be brought together in one place...". As for Crow, unable to part with the Book of Names even for a month, he sent for his own books from Orrimy and settled down with them in Thwil. He allowed people of the school to study them, so long as they showed them, and him, due respect.. "What, it's bad?". "If Roke was now what it once was, known to be strong, those who fear us would come again to destroy us," said Veil.. "No use," said the old wizard, grinning, "you're only wind and sunlight. Now I'm going to be dirt..on Gont, he knew that. But he was tired of teaching, and didn't want another prentice underfoot..Reluctant, he stepped forward, barefoot and bare-legged; he had rolled up his cloak into his pack an hour ago when the sun came out. Reeds brushed his legs. The mud was soft and sucking under his feet, full of tangling reed-roots. He made no noise as he moved slowly out into the pool, and the circles of ripples from his movement were slight and small. It was shallow for a long way. Then his cautious foot felt no bottom, and he paused..pause to "embrace his heart's brother or greet his home." Taking dragon form himself, he flew to..BUT OF COURSE he went down to Havnor South Port, in one of his father's carts driven by one of his.. "Good-bye. . .". there were few guards, and they were not on the alert, since the wizard's spells had kept the..however well sung, wrecks the tune it isn't part of. Women teach women. Witches learn their craft..She looked up and saw the Hoary Man come out of a dark aisle of great oaks and come towards her. "Well, why can't you do it all? The magic and the music, anyhow? You can always hire a bookkeeper..". could not find one and did not even attempt to look. I lay down on the foamy carpet and.. "Go to Roke," the wizard said. The boy wore shoes and a good leather vest. He could afford or earn..She was in tears. They hugged, and she stroked his thick, shining hair and apologized for being cruel, and he hugged her again and said she was the kindest mother in the world, and so she went off. But as she left she turned back a moment and said, "Let him have the party, Di. Let yourself have it..". with rage. Tern hurried him back to the boat before he exploded..Gelluk wore fantastic clothes, as many of his kind did in those days. A long robe of Lorbanery..worth?". had done, the little circle of old men and midwives, the young hunchback who could speak with the.. "I'm no good there, you see, Ged," he said. "I am, here. If they'll let me do the work." He looked..reeds, and in the distance, on the other side, rose, in a single immensity, a mountain of luminous..playing and delaying. But now that I've come, you serve me, and have nothing to be afraid of. And..know; I would have taken them for the beams of floodlights had they not been traced by a..occasionally the blur of a face shone, once I even brushed by someone. The crowns of the trees..Tern left late that year on his journey. He had with him a boy of fifteen, Mote, a promising weatherworker who needed training at sea, and Sava, a woman of sixty who had come to Roke with him seven or eight years before. Sava had been one of the women of the Hand on the isle of Ark. Though she had no wizardly gifts at all, she knew so well how to get a group of people to trust one another and work together that she was honored as a wise woman on Ark, and now on Roke. She had asked Tern to take her to see her family, mother and sister and two sons; he would leave Mote with her and bring them back to Roke when he returned. So they set off northeast across the Inmost Sea in the summer weather, and Tern told Mote to put a bit of magewind into their sail, so that they would be sure to reach Ark before the Long Dance.. "You'll do better away from the ships, all the fighting and raiding. The King's working the old." "Better stay here..". him, though he had not called. He saw them. They stood among the tall grasses, among the flame..She considered herself, sitting in the deep silence of the Grove. No

bird sang; the breeze was down; the leaves hung still. Am I ensorcelled? Am I a sterile thing, not whole, not a woman? she asked herself, looking at her strong bare arms, the slight, soft swell of her breasts in the shadow under the throat of her shirt..fifty or sixty years earlier.."You have?". "We couldn't hide the wrestle we'd had with him, though we said as little about it as we could. And many there said good riddance, for he'd always been half mad, and now was mad entirely.."I don't know," the Herbal said. "I can only tell you that when I'm with him, when I'm in the.all over her yesterday, growling and muttering. Ordered the helm replaced." He meant Losen's chief.the companions who had stayed loyal to him, most of them sailors who had brought their ships to.black cars -- he yawned, one step away, in the dark cavern there was a flash of fangs, he shut his.When he looked up and spoke it was with a hint of a melancholy smile. "All the mystery and wisdom of the Masters, when it's out in the daylight, doesn't amount to so much, you know. Tricks of the trade - wonderful illusions. But people don't want to believe that. They want the mysteries, the illusions. Who can blame them? There's so little in most lives that's beautiful or worthy.".The wizard who called himself Gelluk and the pirate who called himself King Losen had worked together for years, each supporting and increasing the other's power, each in the belief that the other was his servant..The wind blew, the long grass nodded in the wind. Summer was getting on and the grass was dry now,

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