

CAST OF CHARACTERS PART II: THE CITY OF NIGHTSHADE

TARA - THE RED FOX - PC

ARCHETYPE: AMBITIOUS BARBARIAN

GENDER: FEMALE

AGE: 21

RACE: HUMAN - BRONZE LEAGUE

DESCRIPTION:

See Pictures to right

Tara possesses a tall, lithe body made muscular from her hard life in the tribe. Her hair is a bright flame red, cut at her shoulders. Lovely green eyes with a hint of mischief in them complete her striking look. Her face is very emotive, unable to contain her melancholy, joy, surprise, etc. She is very beautiful, but also has a casual disarming manner.

Tara is very expressive and playful. She has a hard time containing her emotions, positive or negative. Still, she is a strong young woman and can be very stubborn. Her years of service have made her resentful of authority, though she is willing to play along if she thinks she'll get what she wants in the end. Tara is not untrustworthy or scheming necessarily, she is simply very ambitious. Sexually Tara is a playful flirt and a terrible tease. She loves attention of any sort, and has been known to lead people on. When the mood strikes her she can be aggressive as well, but this is usually when she has an ulterior motive. Tara is also very superstitious and fearful of magic. She often interprets random events as signs, and actively practices the religion of the Bronze League. She believes in the powers of charms and potions.

BACKGROUND:

Tara was born the illegitimate daughter of a prominent warrior in her tribe. Her mother was the wife of one of the younger warriors. To avoid scandal, the incident was not talked about and Tara herself grew up in social limbo. Still, the flame red hair she shared with her father betrayed her origin. Not a recognized child of either family Tara was more of a servant than a daughter for years. Her resentment grew as she watched her legitimate half-siblings rise to stations of importance in the tribe.

However her older half-brother, Kai, took pity on her. Kai took her under his wing, giving her easier tasks under his direction and teaching her to defend herself in private. Tara discovered a knack for fighting, and she and Kai grew closer through their secret sparing sessions. She grew very melancholy when he was away raiding other tribes or Nightshade's outskirts.

One such expedition ended in disaster, and Kai disappeared. It was believed he was taken prisoner, and likely sold to the Blackmoor Fleet as a slave. Without Kai's protection, Tara's father resolved to rid himself of her and make her one of many wives of an older warrior in a neighboring tribe.

Faced with a dead end in her life at such a young age, Tara resolved to escape. Although she had been obedient for so many years, Kai's training had let out the fierce spirit within. So long ignored by her family, she found it easy to steal one of her father's swords. Then, she took a few prisoners from her tribe's raids and left with them bound before her. As the tribal shamans chanted around a flickering pyre for the battle-dead, Tara began her new life.

BODY: 7

MIND: 2

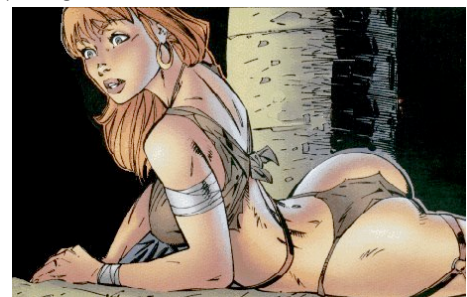
SOUL: 7

SKILLS - TALENTS

Beautiful, Daikan (Tribal Sword), Very healthy, Survivalist, Stealthy, Acrobatics, Dancing (tribal, but could learn other types)

FLAWS - WEAKNESS

Unsophisticated (from a barbarous culture), Poor, Superstitious, Bad at concealing emotions, Terrible tease, Sexually attracted to power



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GEAR

Daikan – Sword broad sword with a curved tip used by the bronze league (Bronze, Max Damage 3)

Soft leather boots

Few skimpy skins for clothes

Leather and animal tooth necklace- a potency charm

BACKGROUND

DOMANIK - HOUSE OF KOL - NPC

ARCHETYPE: MOODY SCHOLAR

GENDER: MALE

AGE: 18

RACE: HUMAN

DESCRIPTION:

See pictures to the right. Usually wears colors the color of shadow and smoke. Has a "pretty boy" face and features, and is sometimes mistaken for a girl. His fingers are often inkstained, and he often looks sad. The eyepatch is a mystery for one so young and a scholar to boot. Especially since he comes from one of the riches if most depraved families in all of Nightshade

BACKGROUND:

Rumor has it that he is part of the one of the most important and powerful branches of the Kol family. No one knows exactly which Kol is his father, but Alyssa is his older sister, and rumor has it that he studied in the Hall of Records to escape her depraved abuses.



ALYSSA, HOUSE OF KOL, THE DARK MAIDEN AND DAUGHTER OF ILLIANA - PC

ARCHETYPE: DEPRAVED MISTRESS AND SCION

GENDER: FEMALE

AGE: 22

RACE: HUMAN

DESCRIPTION:

See picture to right

A beautiful and exotic woman. Usually wears tight leather, along with carrying a lot of small blades on her body.

BACKGROUND:

She is currently running one of the Bordellos in the Blackmoor Slave Market, aptly named the Forbidden Fruit which is now really well stocked with slaves, so much so that she sometimes just for fun makes them copulate in the street outside of the bordello to advertise. She has cut rates in half with the supply of cheap slaves, and is going to expand the operation. She is one of the more powerful people in the City currently. Rumor has it that she has a love/hate relationship with her only sibling, Domanik. She is both upset that he left the Blackmoor Ward, but also happy that he has been forced to return due to lack of money.



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