

GLOSSARY

(m) – Moceni; (r) – Roscaran; (t) – Tamaran; (w) – Whyrian

<i>abeah</i> -	(m) officer of the crown with the authority to investigate deaths thought to be unnatural
<i>aelder</i> -	(m) polite term of address for an elder; also term of address for a member of the <i>Aelder</i> Council
<i>Aelder</i> Council -	(m) Odani ruling council
<i>annaren</i> -	(m) highest ranking servant in a household
<i>Avlas Feis</i> -	(m) festival celebrating the beginning of summer
<i>bakuin</i> -	(w) Whyrian unit of time
<i>baleste</i> -	(t) Bows
<i>binnish</i> -	(r) long sleeved, full-length, open fronted robe made of thin loosely woven woollen material
<i>Blot Aesildur</i> -	(m) Usandese festival marking the end of autumn
<i>brecca</i> -	(m) commander of the foot soldiers within a <i>garth</i> answerable only to the <i>Aelder</i> Council
<i>burh</i> -	(m) capital residence of a <i>hundrath</i>
<i>Cereli</i> -	(m) short for <i>Feis of Cereli</i>
<i>cuirsus</i> -	(m) a drink made from roasted acorns
<i>daglan</i> -	(m) members of a raid party
<i>daur</i> -	(m) a ghost one who is tainted by death
<i>Death Speaker</i> -	(m) one of the <i>rafharan</i> that can communicate with the dead
<i>drottir</i> -	(m) outlawed Tamaran mercenaries that have joined the king's <i>kynn</i>
<i>E gesō li auri de regos!</i> -	(t) She wears the gold of kings
<i>earlen</i> -	(m) female equivalent of an earl
<i>em hopt werat</i> -	(r) an informal greeting
<i>Erignvald</i> -	(m) home of the goddess Erign
<i>Esa!</i> -	(t) there
<i>feis</i> -	(m) festival

<i>Feis of Cereli</i> -	(m) Odani Moceni festival of lights marking the end of autumn
<i>felle</i> -	(m) a small knife used for skinning game
Foucault clock -	(m) an oscillating pendulum that moves with the earth's rotation.
<i>garth</i> -	(m) military compound
<i>geas</i> -	(m) an obligation or prohibition magically imposed on a person.
<i>gebur</i> -	(m) a middle ranking male member of the nobility
<i>geburi</i> -	(m) a middle ranking female member of the nobility
<i>gertas</i> -	(m) a circular tent made from sheets of felt over a collapsible frame
<i>gesith</i> -	(m) a high-ranking male member of the nobility
<i>gesitha</i> -	(m) a high-ranking female member of the nobility
<i>Hagaärd</i> -	(m) home of the god Haran
<i>har vang</i> blade -	(m) a single edged sword dedicated to the god Haran
Haranheim -	(m) temple dedicated to the god Haran
hartshorn -	(m) smelling salts
<i>heah</i> -	(m) a hunting knife
<i>he'beshi</i> -	(r) beloved
<i>henaar</i> -	(m) a liqueur made from fermented seaweed
<i>herjer</i> -	(m) Odani caste of male warriors responsible for defending a settlement
<i>heshi</i> -	(r) term of address used by a slave for their master
<i>hoa</i> -	(w) short for tal'hoa
<i>hof</i> -	(m) timber frame temple built using posts and lintels.
<i>hornung!</i> -	(m) an expletive
<i>hundrath</i> -	(m) a region consisting of a hundred homesteads
<i>Iw pa'beye</i> -	(r) my heart grieves for your heart
<i>jahesta</i> -	(r) second in command to the captain of a ship responsible for the ships rowers
<i>Juul Feis</i> -	(m) mid winter celebration
<i>kahnis</i> -	(r) term of address used to priests

<i>kala</i> -	(w) term of endearment to a woman, love
<i>kalasiris</i> -	(r) belted linen tunic with a gauze overdress
<i>kalo</i> -	(w) term of endearment to a man, love
<i>kappel</i> -	(m) a woven band showing a man's deed used in an Odani marriage ceremonies
<i>kechri</i> -	(r) millet pudding
<i>kek'yah!</i> -	(r) an expletive
<i>kerys</i> -	(m) beloved
<i>kuai</i> -	(w) chopsticks
<i>kucaval</i> house -	(m) a public place that serves <i>cuirsus</i> and other refreshments
<i>kuguile</i> -	(m) balls of fried fish served at a <i>feis</i>
<i>kynn</i> -	(m) a household's core warriors that act as body guards/honour guard
<i>kyusu</i> -	(w) a teapot with a side handle
<i>laet</i> -	(m) a low ranking male member of the Odani nobility
<i>laeta</i> -	(m) a low ranking female member of the Odani nobility
<i>maori</i> -	(w) loose knee length jacket
mark -	(m) Moceni unit of time
<i>martlet</i> -	(m) landless noble
<i>muna</i> -	(m) short sword
<i>murhai</i> -	(w) fool
<i>Mwe husu ni gal</i> -	(w) I should not have come
<i>Mwe murhai</i> -	(w) I am a fool
<i>na'heshi</i> -	(r) term of address used by a slave for any person who is not their master (does not apply to other slaves)
nine-night -	(m) a week
<i>Odani</i> -	(m) one of the two tribes that inhabit Mocene
<i>ofeca</i> -	(t) morsel
<i>palstr</i> -	(m) stale bread and usually topped with salted fish and other things
<i>Poch yanin!</i> -	(r) an expletive
<i>praam</i> -	(m) a small fishing boat

<i>pukhlavas</i> -	(r) a sweet made from nuts and honey layered between pastry
<i>Qi</i> -	(w) aura life force
<i>rafharan</i> -	(m) priests of the Moceni god Haran, literally Haran's ravens
<i>salerate</i> -	(m) bicarbonate of soda
<i>Sa'goa</i> -	(r) term of address for a god
<i>saya'sai</i> -	(w) thank you
<i>senmaður</i> -	(m) the unofficial wife/husband of a member of the herjer or verferi
<i>siliquae</i> -	(r) Roscaran coin equal to the cost of one horse (<i>siliqua</i> singular)
<i>spir letée</i> -	(t) shoot them
<i>storc-aerns</i> -	(m) houses built on stilts to lift them clear of storm water
<i>Taeda!</i> -	(t) Halt!
<i>Tal à ang Odaniska?</i> -	(m) Do you speak Odani?
<i>tal'hoa</i> -	(w) expletive
<i>te'kahnis</i> -	(r) term of address used to an archpriest
thane -	(m) Usandese title for a middle ranking nobleman
Tofana crystals -	(m) an untraceable poison
<i>umanori</i> -	(w) loose trousers
<i>Usanese</i> -	(m) one of the two tribes that inhabit Mocene
<i>usquebaugh</i> -	(w) whiskey
<i>verferi</i> -	(m) Odani caste of female warriors responsible for maintaining order in a settlement
<i>was danin</i> -	(m) good morning
<i>wecce</i> -	(m) commander of the <i>verferi</i>
<i>(Lord) Witan</i> -	(m) Head of the King's Council
<i>wulf</i> -	(m) general term for either of the <i>varwulf</i> or <i>wulfharan</i>
<i>wulfharan</i> -	(m) priests of the Moceni god Haran, literally Haran's wolves. Responsible for executions
<i>xicalli</i> -	(o) a drink made from cocoa beans spiced with chilli and vanilla

Ranks of the Nobility

Duke/Duchess (a Usandese titles)

Earl/Earlen (a Usandese titles)

Thane/Thaness (a Usandese titles)

Gesith/Gesitha (originally an Odani title)

Gebur/Geburi (originally an Odani title)

Laet/Laeta (originally an Odani title)

Odani nobles are never titled above *Gesith/Gesitha* unless they marry amongst the Usandese.

Children are always a rank lower than their parents until they inherit. For example the son of a Duke is an Earl etc. The children of nobles of *Laet/Laeta* rank are *martlet* (landless).

Usandese daughters can only inherit their mother's rank (prior to marriage) whilst the daughters of Odani nobles tend to inherit equally with sons.

Day-marks

aering - first day mark (dawn)

ataering - second day mark (mid-morning)

nòn - third day mark (noon)

undern - fourth day mark (mid afternoon)

Night-marks

glomé - first night mark (dusk)

coena - second night mark (evening)

middernin - third night mark (midnight)

aptann - fourth night mark (pre-dawn)

Bakuins (Whyrian hours)

Kast - first day hour (sunrise)

Kher - second day hour

Qébh - third day hour

Khept - fourth day hour

Mestha - fifth day hour

Entet - sixth day hour

Seit - seventh day hour (Noon)

Sennuf - eighth day hour

Mutef - ninth day hour

Tepa - tenth day hour

Qet - eleventh day hour

Sah - Twelfth day hour

Saget - first night hour (sunset)

Haat - second night hour

Heru - third night hour

Khau - fourth night hour

Ast - fifth night hour

Ustha - sixth night hour

Tauma - seventh night hour (midnight)

Beka - eighth night hour

Sert - ninth night hour

Nébt - tenth night hour

Bahi - eleventh night hour

Shesmu - twelfth night hour (pre-dawn)

List of Gods

- Erign - Moceni goddess of peaceful death
- Elait - Moceni goddess of love
- Eldebar - Moceni god of thieves
- Galma - Roscaran god of the sea
- Gibran - Roscaran god of luck
- Haran - Moceni god of violent death
- Huld - - Moceni god of smiths and mortal magic (twin of Haran)
- Jakhal- Roscaran god of death
- Karhi - Moceni god of war
- Lélan - Moceni god of harvest
- Lirgé - Moceni god of the sea
- Letal - Roscaran goddess of slaves
- Nu-wer - Roscaran goddess of rivers and floods
- Oŵr - Moceni god of gold
- Rän - Mocene God of weather
- Soavi - Moceni goddess of healing
- Vlok - Moceni god of contracts and marriage