

## SUMERISCHES GLOSSAR

"Now I won't have him here no more," Berry said, coming master of the house over her, with the. "None of your business if there is! You go off, you turn your back on me. Wizards can't have." "Avert!" Irian blurted out, making the sign to prevent word from becoming deed. None of the men. "Everything's for gain some way, I'd say. People have to live. But what do I know? I make my. Rose.... It doesn't work that way. Things don't mix." .there is no doubt of that: "The womb of the Mother lies under Samory." .no desire to travel and meet other kinds of people, or to see the world, saying he could summon. study with him because it might be dangerous not to. Oh," and Diamond beat his head with his. must be shown! And we'll show them, you and I. We'll teach them. You must have courage, Dragonfly.. "What Master?" .Taking slaves." .bring the girl back to health.. of the Great Bay of Havnor, a man stood up on the muddy sand: a man poorly dressed and poorly. file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (17 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:30 AM]. In Losen's service was a man who called himself Hound, because, as he said, he had a nose for. prison shut. The spells were gone, but the people in the tower did not know it, working on under. she had released me from an invisible chain, as if she had put a knife into my hand, a knife I. The Doorkeeper came back and said, "Come, Irian, and meet the Masters of Roke." Her heart began to. against him, so that he destroyed himself." He thought for a long time, and said, "She gave me her. but fair's fair, right? You wouldn't ask me to pay you what I have in mind to pay you, would you. of the same kind, nameless yet each with its own name. When she sat down on the soft leaf mold. Mostly the pupil was supposed to be with the Master, or studying the lists of names in the room where the lorebooks and wordbooks were, or asleep. Hemlock was a stickler for early abed and early afoot. But now and then Diamond had an hour or two free. He always went down to the docks and sat on a pierside or a waterstair and thought about Darkrose. As soon as he was out of the house and away from Master Hemlock, he began to think about Darkrose, and went on thinking about her and very little else. It surprised him a little. He thought he ought to be homesick, to think about his mother. He did think about his mother quite often, and often was homesick, lying on his cot in his bare and narrow little room after a scanty supper of cold pea-porridge -- for this wizard, at least, did not live in such luxury as Golden had imagined. Diamond never thought about Darkrose, nights. He thought of his mother, or of sunny rooms and hot food, or a tune would come into his head and he would practice it mentally on the harp in his mind, and so drift off to sleep. Darkrose would come to his mind only when he was down at the docks, staring out at the water of the harbor, the piers, the fishing boats, only when he was outdoors and away from Hemlock and his house.. held in my hand seemed to be made of paper, empty. But I quickly learned to control my body. In. He looked stern. The dragon bore him away." .content. There was no reason why he should listen to the litany of anxieties by which Tuly hauled. It is often a matter of considerable importance that the words of these lore-books not be spoken. It is often a matter of considerable importance that the words of these lore-books not be spoken aloud.. freedom than most village women and less need to fear abuse. Many pledge "witch-troth" with. something more. I spared him that, turning away as if I had not noticed anything, and went up the. He stopped and felt the dirt under his feet. He was barefoot, as usual. When he was a student on. returned, the Great Dragon Orm flew to the City of Havnor and threatened the towers of the king's. the ragged shirt and saying nothing. At last he said he must go on, and the children drifted away. sending, and knew that it was a true spell. She had sent him her touch, her voice saying his name,. he could tell her. He knew what she wanted to know and little by little he told it to her, and. on. But she wanted to come, and came, and I let a rope ladder out the window, and she climbed it. "Is she hurt?" the woman said. "Oh, the traitorous vermin!" She was stroking down the mare's right foreleg. Her hands came away covered with blood-streaked horse sweat. "There, there," she said. The brave girl, the brave heart." The mare put her head down and shivered all over with relief. "What did you keep her standing there in the middle of the dogs for?" the woman demanded furiously. She was kneeling at the horse's leg, looking up at Ivory who was looking down at her from horseback; yet he felt short, he felt small.. "Di," she said, and he looked up. His face was still round and a bit peachy, though the bones were. Hemlock nodded. "That is quite understandable, among children. And quite impossible now. Do you. Gelluk was sure that without him Losen's rubbishy kingdom would soon collapse and some enemy mage. "Ivory! That fellow that studied with the Hand? Is he here?" the Changer demanded of Irian,. sharp, but she was pretty. If it were not for those scarlet nostrils. . . She held on to me tightly with. had used with her at first, before she showed him she hated it. "Why would you be a man?" .formed the mouth of the cave, no bigger than a man or a badger needed to crawl through. He crawled. or the Wandlord, had paid court to Elfarran. Unforgiving and determined to possess her, in the few. the harbor, the piers, the fishing boats, only when he was outdoors and away from Hemlock and his. faced and bright-eyed and cheerful. He had taken it hard when his voice changed, the sweet treble. Day by day, as they talked in the old stableyard of Iria, where they had fallen into the habit of. city and all the east and south of Havnor. Exacting tribute from that rich domain, he spent it to. Hemlock might have known then what he was up against; but having told the boy he would not be his. The existence of magic as a recognized, effective power wielded by certain individuals, but not by. strong man in his prime, not likely to retire or die. Among the scholars and other teachers he had. castration and butchery. He had a pleasure in their trust in him, a pride in it. He should not,. right, as it should be. But we aren't. People aren't. We're wrong. We do wrong. No animal does. In these four great islands to the northeast of the main Archipelago, the predominant skin color is light brown to white, with hair dark to fair, and eyes dark to blue or grey.. Dulse had sent students on to the School, three or four of them, nice lads with a gift for this or. and sensed danger.. this man, yet if any did better than he in any thing, he found it hard to bear. It frightened him,. cowboys along. They made a camp of sorts, with a groundcloth and a

half tent. There was nothing to. "It isn't right. It isn't my true name! I thought my name would make me be me. But this makes it worse. You got it wrong. You're only a witch. You did it wrong. It's his name. He can have it. He's so proud of it, his stupid domain, his stupid grandfather. I don't want it. I won't have it. It isn't me. I still don't know who I am. I'm not Irian!" She fell silent abruptly, having spoken the name..everything he said was true, and his voice was moved and gentle as he said, "I could have known it.TARRY'S MALICE had left his nerves raw, and the thought of the party weighed on him till he lost his appetite. He thought hopefully for a while that he was sick and could miss the party. But the day came, and he was there. Not so evidently, so eminently, so flamboyantly there as his father, but present, smiling, dancing. All his childhood friends were there too, half of them married by now to the other half, it seemed, but there was still plenty of flirting going on, and several pretty girls were always near him. He drank a good deal of Gadge Brewer's excellent beer, and found he could endure the music if he was dancing to it and talking and laughing while he danced. So he danced with all the pretty girls in turn, and then again with whichever one turned up again, which all of them did..staff in the other, snarling when he missed his footing on the rocks. He sat down on the near bank.I am doing the wrong, I am the ill, Irioth thought. He stopped the spell words in his mouth,."You mean they'll oblige a wizard? But you aren't a wizard."It was true. He knew her name: Irian. It was like a coal of fire, a burning ember in his mind. His thought could not hold it. His knowledge could not use it. His tongue could not say it.."Decent?" I suggested. Her eyelids fluttered. Did she have a metallic film on them as."You could have taught me! You never would!".Dragonfly rolled her head round on her neck, stretching till the vertebrae cracked, stretching out.didn't.". "Dirt's easier to keep clean," he said, knowing the struggle already lost. It was true that all you had to do with a good hard-packed clay floor was sweep it and now and then sprinkle it to keep the dust down. But it sounded silly all the same..Atl and Htha) "word-beings," "those who say words," and therefore could mean, or include, dragons..powerless.."I do want you to stay. But don't stay! You're a finder, you have to go find. It's only that.commoners. Horses were all lords. They agreed to collude. He remembered walking among the great,.with them. "You and the cheese money will get along nicely.".spring where Rose had named her ten years ago. She stood there; the dog sat down beside her and.Irioth tried to say he did not want a quarrel. He tried to say that there was work for two. He."Because there are more of us! Gather twenty or thirty people of power in a room, they'll each seek to have their way. And you put men who've always had their way together with women who've had theirs, and they'll resent one another. And then, too, there are some true and real divisions among us, Medra. They must be settled, and they can't be settled easily. Though a little goodwill would go a long way.".back to his vines, and thirteen-year-old Dragonfly ran out of the house and down the hill to the."She gave me freedom," he said. "And I still feel that all I do is done through her and for her. No, not for her. We can do nothing for the dead. But for...". "You're welcome," she said, and hoisted whatever it was into a massive pottery bowl, and wiped her hands down her apron. He knew nothing at all about women. He had not lived where women were since he was ten years old. He had been afraid of them, the women that shouted at him to get out of the way in that great other kitchen long ago. But since he had been traveling about in Earthsea he had met women and found them easy to be with, like the animals; they went about their business not paying much attention to him unless he frightened them. He tried not to do that. He had no wish or reason to frighten them. They were not men.."To hell with the biologist. Does this mean that a man to whom you've given brit can't do."Every spell depends on every other spell," said Highdrake. "Every motion of a single leaf moves."I just sort of found out," said the boy, evidently not sure if his father approved..Huge figures in cones of floodlights; pouring from them was ruby light, honey light, as.Maharion and Erreth-Akbe became "hearts brothers." They spent ten years together fighting the Kargs, whose occasional forays from the East had in recent times become a slave-taking, colonising invasion. Venway, Torheven and the Torikles, Spevy, Perregal, and parts of Gont were under Kargish dominion for a generation or longer. At Shelieth on Way, Erreth-Akbe worked a great magic against the Kargish forces, who had landed in "a thousand ships" on Waymarsh and were swarming across the mainland. Using an invocation of the Old Powers called the Waterlore (perhaps the same that Elfarran had used on Solea against the Enemy), he turned the waters of the Fountains of Shelieth-sacred springs and pools in the gardens of the Lords of Way-into a flood that swept the invaders back to the seacoast, where Maharion's army awaited them. No ship of the fleet returned to Karego-At..He got to his knees, and thought then to whisper, "Thank you, mother." He got to his feet, and fell, because his left hip gave way with a pain that made him cry out aloud. After a while he tried again, and stood up. Then he started forward..he cleansed me, so that each time we grow purer together." The wizard took Otter's arm and walked."We have to finish the work here," he told her, and she looked at him mildly. All animals were patient, but the patience of the horse kind was wonderful, being freely given. Dogs were loyal, but there was more of obedience in it. Dogs were hierarchs, dividing the world into lords and commoners. Horses were all lords. They agreed to collude. He remembered walking among the great, plumed feet of cart horses, fearless. The comfort of their breath on his head. A long time ago. He went to the pretty hinny and talked to her, calling her his dear, comforting her so that she would not be lonely..He left her at the corner of the street, a narrow, dull, somehow sly-looking street that slanted up between featureless walls to a wooden door in a higher wall. He had put his spell on her, and she looked like a man, though she did not feel like one. She and Ivory took each other in their arms, because after all they had been friends, companions, and he had done all this for her. "Courage!" he said, and let her go. She walked up the street and stood before the door. She looked back then, but he was gone..Speech means Willow. "I don't entirely understand it. I think you don't understand it at all. Take."How's that?" she said. "You are. You have to be. Everybody is. What do you say? Shall.Maybe it was to escape the hunt that Medra came to Pendor, a long way west of the Inmost Sea, or.had known her name as soon as he saw her. But he must use some other name. He must not call her by.there was no room for two sorcerers in one village and he'd be back, maybe, when that man,

or."Mistress," said Hawk, "may I tell you a story?" He looked at the man he knew only as Otter..murmured. "So young. The tiny Prince, the baby Lord, Lord Turre. Seed of the world! Soul-jewel!"..we fought. And then it was over. He broke. Like a stick breaking. He was broken. But he fled away..said, "I can't do it by myself."..am Tinaral!" And his hands moved in a quick, powerful gesture, as if parting heavy curtains..Ayo closed her hand and opened it palm up, a fleeting sketch of a gesture, of a sign..a place of honor, but he wasn't one of the Nine. He'd been passed over. Maybe it wasn't a good."And we're out of buttons," Tern said. He was cheerful; as soon as he had thought of Pody he knew..teasing laugh of the girl and stood like a block of wood, rooted in the sand, not knowing whether..He had made a little heap of bits of eggshell on the ground by his knee. He arranged the white fragments into a curve, then closed it into a circle. "Yes," he said, studying his eggshells, then, scratching up the earth a bit, he neatly and delicately buried them. He dusted off his hands. Again his glance flicked to Irian and away..The Patterner pushed four pebbles into a little curve on the sand and said, "I wish the Sparrowhawk had not gone. I wish I could read what the shadows write. But all I can hear the leaves say is change, change... Everything will change but them." He looked up into the trees again with that yearning look. The sun was setting; he stood up, bade her goodnight gently, and walked away, entering under the trees.. "Master Hand," said the Doorkeeper, "she asked to enter as a student, and I saw no reason to deny..lives in it. He found himself standing two feet back, his hands stinging and his ears ringing and..wizard..began to eat..him, the way he spoke of the animals. He would have a way with them, she thought. He was like an..brought me to her place at this hour." He had never told Ogion anything about his first teacher, a sorcerer of no fame, even in Gont, and perhaps of ill fame. There was some mystery or shame connected with Ard. Though he was talkative, for a wizard, Heleth was silent as a stone about some things. Ogion, who respected silence, had never asked him about his teacher..but purposeful, down one of the tracks, and he went with her, a hand on her hip when the way was." But after the Summoner and I got over the bruises on our souls, as you might say, and the great stupidity of mind that follows such a struggle, we began to think that it wasn't a good thing to have a man of very great power, a mage, wandering about Earthsea not in his right mind, and maybe full of shame and rage and vengefulness..He sailed up the broad straits till Mount Onn was hidden by the headlands at the mouth of the Bay..Re Albi, and they both knew it..standing among the armed and armored men, said, "Him. Let the others be." And to Otter he said.. "Tailoring?"..now. From the very first moment I was invariably behind in everything that went on, and the..among the women who practiced magic..now to the other half, it seemed, but there was still plenty of flirting going on, and several..light on crockery, the hearth stones, the table. But nobody sat at the table. His enemy was gone..There was a pause. He forgot that he had to answer in words. "I'd stay if I might," he said. "I'd..continuously by hundreds of feet on the floor above; the all-embracing roar now swelled, now.. "I've been there."..size and prosperity..years before?.cheese, roast kid, company," he said..you are, fire and shadows and curses and falling down in fits. Uncanny. Always was uncanny, that..Gelluk was almost wholly absorbed in his own vision, but since Otter's mind and his were..listless with the heat, scrawny, staring without much interest at the strangers. Tern had walked

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