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saw a slope running down from where he lay towards a wall of stones, across which was darkness. his "oarless longship," he came to the island Solea and there saw Elfarran, the Islewoman or Lady. "Ah." Presently he said, "The Master Summoner is not old." And she got a sidelong look from those. The Summoner lifted his noble, dark face and looked across the room at the pale man, but did not speak. Without a word or gesture he turned away again and left the room. As he walked slowly past Irian, she shrank back from him. It was as if a grave had opened, a winter grave, cold, wet, dark. Her breath stuck in her throat. She gasped a little for air. When she recovered herself she saw the Changer and the pale man both watching her intently..away from her in the running of the water, and she floated in delight in the caress of the stream.,Changer's face remained stern, but he blinked, and after a little thought said, "I'm sure - yes - sound. She adjusted the back of it, gave me a smile, and left. I sat down. The cushions were.as if he had the power to.". "No. So this drinking is like wearing clothes? Just as necessary?". "I should go," she said. "I can walk in the Grove, but not live there. It isn't my - my place. And.she did not speak.. "I was told there's a murrain among the cattle here." Now that he wasn't all locked up with cold his voice was beautiful. He talked like the tale-tellers when they spoke the parts of the heroes and the dragonlords. Maybe he was a teller or a singer? But no; the murrain, he had said..Ever since he had walked on the green hill above the town and had seen the bright shadows in the grass, his heart had been easy. He was expectant, full of a sense of great strangeness, but not frightened. He stood still and looked at the people who came to meet him..The Doorkeeper caught up with her as she came to a cross-corridor and stood not knowing which way to take. "This way," he said, falling into step beside her, and after a while, "This way," and so they came quite soon to a door. It was not made of horn and ivory. It was uncarved oak, black and massive, with an iron bolt worn thin with age. "This is the back door," the mage said, unbolting it. "Media's Gate, they used to call it. I keep both doors." He opened it. The brightness of the day dazzled Irian's eyes. When she could see clearly she saw a path leading from the door through the gardens and the fields beyond them; beyond the fields were the high trees, and the swell of Roke Knoll off to the right. But standing on the path just outside the door as if waiting for them was the pale-haired man with narrow eyes..order against the forces of ruin? Will it be you, of all men, who breaks the pattern?".the door wide open behind him. She could see bookshelves and books, a table piled with more books.teaches. Maybe it's not a way of keeping the power pure, but of keeping the power to themselves..on the edge of twilight, a low wall of stones. And as he looked he thought he saw a woman walking.sternness, quick and tender as the first flame of a catching fire..where the paths seemed never to be quite where she remembered them, and often led on far beyond.about him. She hadn't seen a king when she first saw him, as with the other one..Throughout Earthsea, various springs, caves, hills, stones, and woods were and always had been sites of concentrated power and sacredness. All were locally feared or venerated; some were known far and wide.. "Learn your place, woman," the mage said with cold passion..file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (30 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:30 AM]. "She took my cup away," the Master of Iria said to the stranger, whining like a puppy, while his dogs yammered around him. "She broke it.".there was nothing much to say about herself.. "Then I'll carry the cheeses to Oraby," she said, "and sell em there. In the name of honor,.He stared at her, seeing a round-faced woman, middle-aged, short and strong, with grey in her hair and dark eyes under dark brows, eyes that held his, held him, brought the truth out of his mouth..Sparrowhawk had not gone. I wish I could read what the shadows write. But all I can hear the.breasts and festered eyes, who spat the spittle that ran from her poisoned mouth, and wiped her.a wrong turning somewhere. Tall reeds rose up close beside the paths, so that if a light shone.These legends are best preserved in Hur-at-Hur, the easternmost of the Kargad Lands, where dragons.Medra woke in pain, in darkness. For a long time that was all there was. The pain came and went.. "What is that?".mere toy, such as music or tale-telling, but a practical business, which his business could never."And a good thing too!" Golden said roundly. "What's become of that daughter of hers, then? Went.face in the black lane, hardly able to see where the other was. Dragonfly put out her groping hand."No, you weren't," she whispered. "If you had been, you would know.".There was a pause. He forgot that he had to answer in words. "I'd stay if I might," he said. "I'd.danced on the stops, and the fife played a short jig. It hit several false notes and squealed on.the sea turned thick too, so that the oarsmen could barely push the oars through it, and they were.Otter knew that a moment was coming when he might get free of Gelluk: of that he had been sure."He was only a child, and the wizards of that household can't have been wise men, for they used."Moo," said his guide, softly, and he saw the dim, small square of yellow light just a little to.To love power and to share it is the royal way. Look. Watch what I do." Gelluk held up the pouch.farther off, swords of light rose up cold and thin into the sky, whether homes or pillars, I did not.against all his warnings, and now Tangle was never anywhere near the house. Women's friendships.go "there and back again," and "there" is always the beloved familiar Shire. Don Quixote sets out."What's that all about?" Golden said to his wife, a rhetorical question. She looked at him and said nothing, a non-rhetorical answer..Ath did not. His book, lost for centuries, is now in the Isolate Tower on Roke..his grey cloak, carrying his tall staff of bone-white wood, about which a faint gleam of werelight.After spending the next several days trying to recapture the missing word, he had set Silence to."I have to have a single heart. I can't play the harp while I'm bargaining with a mule-breeder. I.the parents died young. So not much heed was paid to him, until they had to take notice of him.Ard nodded. "It is irrevocable"..bright the hawk's flight.bold, muddy-coated, with the sickness in it like a prickling, a tingling, a hotness in his hands..got to his feet and shuffled, lame and unsteady, back down the valley.. "Make the light," she said. Her voice was a whimper, plaintive. "Can't you make the light?". "Some flurries," he said. She got a good look at him now in the light of lamp and fire. He was not a young man, thin, not as tall as she had

thought. It was a fine face, but there was something wrong, something amiss. He looks ruined, she thought, a ruined man..So it proved. Indeed, to Golden's amazement, Master Hemlock sent back a scrupulous two-fifths of the prenticing-fee. With the packet, which was delivered by one of Golden's carters who had taken a load of spars down to South Port, was a note for Diamond. It said, "True art requires a single heart." The direction on the outside was the Hardic rune for willow. The note was signed with Hemlock's rune, which had two meanings: the hemlock tree, and suffering..All spells use at least a word of the Old Speech, though the village witch or sorcerer may not.lashed out her hooves at them, and he kept her from bolting only by a staying-spell and all the..When she was thirteen the old vineyarder and the housekeeper, who were all that was left of the..They set off along the wharves, asking for a ship bound south that might take a wizard and his prentice to the Isle of the Wise, and soon enough they found a heavy trader bound for Wathort, whose master would carry the wizard for goodwill and the prentice for half-price. Even half-price was half the cheese money, but they would have the luxury of a cabin, for Sea Otter was a decked, two-masted ship.. "I said Roke," Hemlock said in a tone that said he was unused to having to repeat himself. And..and she looked straight at him for the first time. Her eyes were clear orange-brown, like dark..Golden did not like the child. She was both outspoken and defensive, both rash and timid. She was a girl, and a year younger than Diamond, and a witch's daughter. He wished his son would play with boys his own age, his own sort, from the respectable families of Glade. Tuly insisted on calling the witch "the wisewoman," but a witch was a witch and her daughter was no fit companion for Diamond. It tickled him a little, though, to see his boy teaching tricks to the witch-child..There was a little noise, the soft clip-clop of the black mare's hooves, coming along the lane..for him to promise them..Three children, two boys of fifteen or sixteen and a girl of twelve, were taken by one of Losen's patrols south of Omer, running a stolen fishing boat with the magewind. The patrol caught them only because it had a weatherworker of its own aboard, who raised a wave to swamp the stolen boat. Taken back to Omer, one of the boys broke down and blubbered about joining the Hand. Hearing that word, the men told them they would be tortured and burned, at which the boy cried that if they spared him he would tell them all about the Hand, and Roke, and the great mages of Roke..farther into the room. "The Master Changer you have met," he said. He named all the others, but..Note on dates: Many islands have their own local count of years. The most widely used dating.."It doesn't matter.."our own way together, we'd do better, maybe.."he would be the one true king. Alone among men he would speak the words of making and unmaking. He..The first thing she thought was a king, a lord, Maharion of the songs, tall, straight, beautiful..followed.."If you ask me to, I'll talk," the young man said, so earnest, so willing to deny his whole nature at Dulse's request that the wizard had to laugh..as he wished. In the margins of the spells and word lists and in the endpapers of these books of..He stopped and felt the dirt under his feet. He was barefoot, as usual. When he was a student on Roke, he had worn shoes. But he had come back home to Gont, to Re Albi, with his wizard's staff, and kicked his shoes off. He stood still and felt the dust and rock of the cliff-top path under his feet, and the cliffs under that, and the roots of the island in the dark under that. In the dark under the waters all islands touched and were one. So his teacher Ard had said, and so his teachers on Roke had said. But this was his island, his rock, dust, dirt. His wizardry grew out of it. "My mastery is here," the boy had said, but it went deeper than mastery. That, perhaps, was something Dulse could teach him: what went deeper than mastery. What he had learned here, on Gont, before he ever went to Roke..What they had they shared. In that it was indeed Morred's Isle. Nobody on Roke starved or went."Animals. Anyone."I had to

smile..file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (48 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM].Printed on narrow sands under granite cliffs, in the first light, were the tracks of a bird alighting. From them led the tracks of a man walking, straying up the beach for a long way as it narrowed between the cliffs and the sea. Then the tracks ceased..own. This power had been a delight to him as a boy. He had never sought any use for it. It had..the connotations of the rune translated into Hardic. The names of commonly used runes such as Pirr..King Maharion himself, the story says, journeyed to Selidor to "weep by the sea." He retrieved.."At home," Otter said. It wasn't a lie. He did have a pouch at home. He kept his fine-work tools..were reclining, all facing the same way. I went down to the water's edge and saw, on the other..through fumes and smoke to the high room in the tower. He had to regain it all, to go through it.."What will you do?" she asked quietly..They worked and taught in the Great House. They saw it go up stone on stone, every stone steeped..The summer ended too soon that year. Rain came early; snow fell in autumn even as far south as..child, and she has no name. So then you wait. You open your mind up, like. Like opening the doors..Irioth's head drooped as if in utter weariness. All tension and passion had gone out of his body..purple, brown, and violet shapes, unlike anything I knew, like abstract sculptures come to life..soul! But they put men where we put the world. And so they hold that a true wizard must be a man..They were both on the hill now. She towered above him impossibly, fire breaking forth between..The way one does research into nonexistent history is to tell the story and find out

what..file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (37 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM].father, a sorcerer-pro prospector, over his choice of a teacher; his father had shouted that a student..monstrous eggs with iron mauls." Hearing of this, Orm's dragon anger woke again, and he "leapt for..into death, and return - it was not right. They broke a law that must not be broken. It was to..He knew he was no match for Early. To stop that first binding spell he had used all the strength of resistance he had. The illusion and the shape-change were all the tricks he had to play. If he faced the wizard again he would be destroyed. And Roke with him. Roke and its children, and Elehal his love, and Veil, Crow, Dory, all of them, the fountain in the white courtyard, the tree by the fountain. Only the Grove would stand. Only the green hill, silent, immovable. He heard Elehal say to him, Havnor lies between us. He heard her say, All! the true powers, all the old powers, at

root are one..sometimes in another. But it is always." "Oh, no, you're not, Master Otak. While you were out in the east range a sorcerer curer came by, a.went by. Only at a crossroads an old donkey grazing a stony pasture came over to the wooden fence.speakers (like most Hardic speakers) do not realise that their languages have a common ancestry..rest of the winter, except the cattle dying. "Besides," Tawny said, "my man's never averse to.pounded behind me; a girl ran toward the singer, pursued by someone; with a short, throaty laugh.Old Hardic differs in vocabulary and pronunciation from the current speech, but the rote learning and regular speaking and hearing of the classics keeps the archaic language meaningful (and probably puts some brake on linguistic drift in daily speech), while the Hardic runes, like Chinese characters, can accommodate widely varying pronunciations and shifts of meaning..Healer." He had no thought of hiding or protecting himself. Luckily for him there were no guards about; there were few guards, and they were not on the alert, since the wizard's spells had kept the prison shut. The spells were gone, but the people in the tower did not know it, working on under the greater spell of hopelessness..looked him up and down and said, "One man works weather on this ship. If it's not me, I'm off." by refugees fleeing the western lands and by interruptions to shipping and trade, since the.Never old. I can't teach you. I can take you into the Grove." After a minute he stood up. "Yes?" "No need," said the man like a falcon. "I will." And he said, "Irioth."Sunbright had not been gone three days when a new stranger appeared in town: a man riding up the south road on a good horse and asking at the tavern for lodging. They sent him to Sans house, but San's wife screeched when she heard there was a stranger at the door, crying that if San let another witch-man in the door her baby would be born dead twice over. Her screaming could be heard for several houses up and down the street, and a crowd, that is, ten or eleven people, gathered between Sans house and the tavern..Since the coronation of King Lebannen and the restoration of the High Courts and Councils in Havnor Great Port, Roke has remained without an archmage. It appears that this office, not originally part of the governance of the school or of the Archipelago, is no longer useful or appropriate, and that Ged, whom many call the greatest of the arch-mages, may have been the last..I still suspected, irrationally, of affectation, and I had the secret hope that I would come across.photocopy, recording, or any information storage and retrieval system, without permission in.her and bring them back to Roke when he returned. So they set off northeast across the Inmost Sea.great folk don't look for women to work together. Or to have thoughts about such things as rule or.And we were at it when the old men came in! I showed 'em! And if I could have got you in, I'd have." "We went farthest east," Azver said. "But do you know what the leader of an army is, in my.right, as it should be. But we aren't. People aren't. We're wrong. We do wrong. No animal does.pure stand like the Big Grove, the heart of his chestnut kingdom. In time, of course. Oak and.going to do in town, in Oraby, when they got paid off. He heard a good deal about the whores in.house, which, like most witches' houses, stood somewhat apart from the village. "Well," she said,.thought to ask him if he might want a bath, which he did. They heated the water and filled the old.Tenar of the Ring is there," said Azver..thought. He was used to being listened to, not to listening. Serene in his strength and obsessed." "What Master?".may well like their public name to be ordinary, common, like other people's names..battle with Orm over Mount Onn. "Flame and fire in the midnight air" could be seen from the palace.He was mad, and she didn't know what possessed her to let him stay, yet she could not fear him or distrust him. What did it matter if he was mad? He was gentle, and might have been wise once, before what happened to him happened. And he wasn't so mad as all that. Mad in patches, mad at moments. Nothing in him was whole, not even his madness. He couldn't remember the name he had told her, and told people in the village to call him Otak. He probably couldn't remember her name either; he always called her mistress. But maybe that was his courtesy. She called him sir, in courtesy, and because neither Gully or Otak seemed names well suited to him. An otak, she had heard, was a little animal with sharp teeth and no voice, but there were no such creatures on the High Marsh..Ivory smiled. He said nothing, but she knew how petty the doings of a village witch appeared to him, who had seen great deeds and powers. She sighed and spoke from her heart - "Oh, if only I wasn't a woman!".known. He saw it with the same uncaring interest with which he saw Tinaral's body and his own.arrived. Licky had left Otter outside sitting in the sun rather than in the room in the barracks.

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