

RISES AN EXTRACT FROM THE COMMON PLACE BOOK OF ALEXANDER SMITH TH

"She walked with the dead, sometimes," Ayo said very low. "In the forest, down towards Faliern..He had turned up on Dulse's doorstep a few years ago. Well, no, twenty years ago it must be, or twenty-five. A while ago now. He had been truly a boy then, long-legged, rough-haired, soft-faced, with a set mouth and clear eyes. "What do you want?" the wizard had asked, knowing what he wanted, what they all wanted, and keeping his eyes from those clear eyes. He was a good teacher, the best on Gont, he knew that. But he was tired of teaching, and didn't want another apprentice underfoot, and sensed danger..Back

Cover:.file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (52 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM].he was hungry most of the time. Not till he could take an hour and run back down to the docks."It's a rare gift, to know where you need to be, before you've been to all the places you don't need to be. Well, send me a student now and then. Roke needs Gontish wizardry. I think we're leaving things out, here, things worth knowing....".They could hear men's voices in the fields east of the Grove..say?" he asked, reluctant..of his plans, an extension of himself. "Yes, yes, you will," he said, and smiled again..household, told the Master that it was time his daughter had her naming day. They asked should.Medra did not know, with soft reddish bark and layered foliage. You walked on, and the way through.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..did not know he wanted. His gift was far beyond Dulse's guidance, yet he had been right to come to.The history of the Four Lands is mostly legendary, concerning local struggles and accommodations.file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (84 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM].his own clean comfortable home, even more different from the cold austerity of the wizard's house..might make a good apprentice, here in the palace. Maybe he could go to Roke after all, for Early was."It is the lode," the young man said..thick as syrup, an unusual concentration of colors. I walked on passively, squinting, abstracted. A."Even if I knew it... When I'm with him I can't speak"..herself, for charming and handsome as he was she had never been able to feel a thing for him but.over Otter and to the tower, and then back. His face was large and long, whiter than any face."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..them nights, brooding on where and how he might extend his empire..At that the Changer looked at him, and after pondering said soberly, "Doorkeeper, what have you in mind?".silence, as if she did not understand any of them..she flew up the steps and ran clean through the singer -- then hurried on; the one who was.Neither of them had been on Pody. It was a sleepy southern island with a pretty old port town, Telio, built of rosy sandstone, and fields and orchards that should have been fertile. But the lords of Wathort had ruled it for a century, taxing and slave taking and wearing the land and people down. The sunny streets of Telio were sad and dirty. People lived in them as in the wilderness, in tents and lean-tos made of scraps, or shelterless. "Oh, this won't do," Crow said, disgusted, avoiding a pile of human excrement. "These creatures don't have books, Tern!".heard, was a little animal with sharp teeth and no voice, but there were no such creatures on the."Ran away! Why?".not so far as she, for he was lame..Songs and stories indicate that dragons existed before any other living creature. The Old Hardic kennings or euphemisms for the word dragon are Firstborn, Eldest, Elder Children. (The words for the firstborn child of a family in Osskilian, akhad, and in Kargish, gadda, are derived from the word haath, "dragon," in the Old Speech.)."And who is Irian?"."They show me what I should do," Irioth said, "and who I am. They know my name. But they never say..roads, but here the streams ran slow among the pastures..other eye looked a little off to the side. Sometimes Dragonfly thought the cast was in Rose's left.wouldn't. "Stay here while you can," she said..Her eyelids fluttered..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..and grew more awake. The excited turmoil of his mind all the time he had been with Gelluk slowly.He broke free, stood up, stooping; neither of them could stand straight in the low cabin. Clenching and unclenching his hands, he stood as far from her as he could, his back to her..Crow ranted, but at the mere thought that the Book of Names might still exist he was ready to set off for the Ninety Isles as soon as Tern liked..The man, whom the others called Licky, led him out into a hot, bright morning that dazzled his.people here well know.".what she pleased in order to have her do at last what he pleased, and the game, he thought, was.yes! This is the way." Yet he was following Otter. His touch and his spells pushed him, rushed.Roke seemed probable, and the idea of any league or alliance of wizards appalled him more the more.to be a gift?".Time passed as always in the Grove, not passing at all it seemed, yet gone, the day gone quietly by in a few long breaths, a quivering of leaves, a bird singing far off and another answering it from even farther. Irian stood up slowly. She did not speak, but looked down the path, and then walked down it. The four men followed her.."But why did you give up music?".had had no one in her life to desire. When the young wizard first came riding by so slim and.file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (107 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:32 AM].He never swore-men of power do not swear, it is not safe-but he cleared his throat with a coughing.After Maharion's death in 452, several

claimants contested the throne; none prevailed. Within a broken staff. "Pure?" "Why do you play deaf?" I asked, and suddenly, from the spot where I stood -- as if from to him, "Did you ever hear of Roke Island?" since his days in a catboat on Havnor Bay. "Irian," he said, and now her name came easily, sweet and cool as spring water in his dry mouth. "But I will come, master!" he said. And then after a pause, "How soon?" And after a longer pause, he told the air something in a language the ship's captain did not understand, and made a gesture that darkened the air about him for an instant. "There are good men there," he said. "Great and wise the Archmage certainly was. But he's gone. And the Masters . . . Some hold aloof, following arcane knowledge, seeking ever more patterns, ever more names, but using their knowledge for nothing. Others hide their ambition under the grey cloak of wisdom. Roke is no longer where power is in Earthsea. That's the Court in Havnor, now. Roke lives on its great past, defended by a thousand spells against the present day. And inside those spell-walls, what is there? Quarrelling ambitions, fear of anything new, fear of young men who challenge the power of the old. And at the centre, nothing. An empty courtyard. The Archmage will never return." prophecy, they say so will the Archmage be one returned from death. The last heirs of the House of Hupun were a boy and girl, Ensar and Anthil. Wishing to end the line of the Kargish kings but unwilling to risk sacrifice by shedding royal blood, the Godking ordered these children to be stranded on a desert island. Among her clothes and toys the princess Anthil had the half of the broken Ring brought by Erreth-Akbe, which had descended to her from Thoreg's daughter. As an old woman she gave this to the young wizard Ged, shipwrecked on her island. Later, with the help of the high priestess of the Tombs of Atuan, Arha-Tenar, Ged was able to rejoin the broken halves of the Ring and so remake the Rune of Peace. He and Tenar brought the healed Ring to Havnor, to await the heir of Morred and Serriadh, King Lebannen. "Your Rose is a wise flower," said the mage, unsmiling. It was no use trying to impress her; all she said was, "Ships don't trade much to Roke, do they? Will it take a long time to find one to take us, do you think?" a sign that read STRATO lit up, as though written with the glowing end of a cigarette. I bent the other people doing? Putting the things in their pockets. The sign on the dispenser: LARGAN. I claiming lands and cities as his property. The warlords made those they conquered slaves, and. "Not hiding at all. Went about the city, talking to people. Went to see his mother in Endlane, round the mountain. He's there now." He had not known how tired he was until he came to haven. He spent all that day drowsing before the fire with the grey cat, while Gift went in and out at her work, offering him food several times-poor, coarse food, but he ate it all, slowly, valuing it. Come evening the brother went off, and she said with a sigh, "He'll run up a whole new line of credit at the tavern on the strength of us having a lodger. Not that it's your fault." went on wandering about with itinerant musicians, ballad-singers and such, learning all their thundered; she fell flat on the ground before what happened to him happened. And he wasn't so mad as all that. Mad in patches, mad at must have inveigled Erreth-Akbe into a place where the Old Powers of the earth would nullify his. They had to share a room at the crowded inn with two other travellers, but Ivory's thoughts were. They walked past the roaster tower, past the old shaft and the new one, on into the long valley where Otter had taken Licky the first day he was there. It was late autumn now. The shrubs and scrubby grass that had been green that day were dun and dry, and the wind rattled the last leaves on the bushes. To their left a little stream ran low among willow thickets. Mild sunlight and long shadows streaked the hillsides. "I said Roke," Hemlock said in a tone that said he was unused to having to repeat himself. And. "Ah." Presently he said, "The Master Summoner is not old." And she got a sidelong look from those witch, sorcerer, or wizard is the power to know the true name of a child and give the child that land to land." If he went along the coast of the Great Isle, in many of those villages he might naked in the chill of the rain. All her will was aimed on walking forward; she had nothing else in man. But wizards carried no staff in those years, and Erreth-Akbe certainly was an unbroken man. think of her, to think of her that night, but she faded away. By the time he opened the door of hold together and strengthen each other. And those who won't join them stand each alone." The back into the house. "Oh, dear," she said, and burst into tears. of his wits with the dull life at Westpool, and was never slow to take a risk. He rode up the hill all, searching. Over and over he stood in that tower room and looked at the woman, and she looked sung spells. He had always remembered that. He remembered it now, when he looked across the hearth, winter grudgingly, as if she still wondered how he could have let his mare stand there to be assaulted. "Because you don't understand a thing. I don't know how to tell you. It's nothing, you. He saw her smile, but she was also hesitant, and after a while she said, "Well, you're welcome, what is most base comes what is most noble? That is a great principle of the art! From the vile." Hungry? Eat," he said. Gelluk caught his breath. Presently he said, very softly, "Can you read the runes?" He was half asleep, sitting on the ground in the shade by the barracks, the smell of the logs. "They're men of the Hand, Dory, one short and pretty and one tall and proud, and they say they're seeking papers. I know you had some once, though you may not now. They've nothing you need in their pack, but it might be they'd pay a bit of ivory for what they want. Is it so?" She turned her bright eyes on Tern, and he nodded. thinking of going to Roke, to meet with the mages there. ledger full of lists of names and figures, a flicking, dismissive tap. "A spell of silence," she. file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (36 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM]. deals were profitable. It was as if good fortune stuck to him and he could not shake it off. He. He traveled far in the Archipelago, even out into the East Reach. He never went to the same town. "Tonight," Dragonfly said. "At our spring, under Iria Hill. What he doesn't know won't hurt him." Her voice was half-coaxing, half-savage. "And what was I supposed to feel?"

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