CURSE OF THE CRIMSON THRONE

ZREN	EN MALE HUMAN WIZARD 7 ALIGN NG INIT +3 SPEED 30 ft.		OFFENSE Melee cane +3 (1d6) Ranged light crossbow +2	SKILLS Appraise +8 Concentration +10		
	DEITY: Atheist HOMELAND: Absalom		and the second s	(1d8/19–20) Base Atk +3; Grp +3	Knowledge (arcana) Knowledge (geography) Knowledge (history)	+14
	ABIL	ITIES STR	DEFENSE HP 26	Spells Prepared (CL 4th, +2 ranged touch)	Knowledge (the planes) Spellcraft	+7 +14
	9 12	DEX CON	AC 13 touch 10, flat-footed 13 Fort +6, Ref +4, Will +8	4th—ice storm, stoneskin 3rd—dispel magic, fly fireball (DC 17) 2nd—bull's strength, invisibility, scorching ray, web (DC 16) 1st—alarm, mage armor, magic missile (2), shield	FEATS Combat Casting, Empower	
	19 15	INT WIS			Spell, Great Fortitude, Improved Initiative, Sci Scroll, Spell Penetration	
2715	9	СНА		0—daze (DC 14), detect magic (2), light	FAMILIAR Sneak (weasel, MM 282	<u>?)</u>

missile (CL 3rd, 46 charges); Other Gear cane (as club), dagger, light crossbow with 20 bolts, bracers of armor +3, cloak of resistance +1, headband of intellect +2, ring of protection +1, backpack, rations (6), scroll case, spellbook, spell component pouch, diamond dust (250 gp), 100 gp pearls (2), 100 gp

The son of a successful spice merchant, Ezren's childhood was pleasantly safe. This changed when his father was charged with heresy by the church of Abadar. Ezren spent much of his adult life working to repair his father's ruined reputation, but when he discovered proof of his father's guilt he abandoned his family and set out into the world. Lacking the spry limbs of youth, Ezren fell naturally into the ways of wizardry, swiftly becoming a gifted self-taught spellcaster. While he often argues on the value of religion with Seelah, and his atrophied sense of humor often makes him the butt of Lem's jokes, his world experience and keen wit are quite valued by his younger traveling companions.

SEELAH

FEN	ALE H	IUMAN PALADIN 7
ALIG	N LG I	NIT +0 SPEED 20 ft.
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Fort +9, Ref +4, Will +5

OFFENSE

Melee +1 flaming longsword +12/+7 (1d8+4/19-20 plus 1d6 fire) Ranged mwk composite longbow +8/+3 (1d8+3/×3) Base Atk +7; Grp +10 Special Attacks lay on hands (14 hp/day), smite evil 2/day, turn undead 5/day (+4, 2d6+6, 4th) Spell-Like Abilities (CL 7th) At Will-detect evil Spells Prepared (CL 3nd) 1st—lesser restoration, protection from evil Special Qualities aura of courage, divine grace, divine health, remove disease 2/week, special mount

SKILLS Knowledge (religion) Sense Motive

+5

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Heal

Ride

FEATS

Cleave, Mounted Combat, Power Attack, Weapon Focus (longsword) MOUNT Aristide (heavy warhorse, MM 273)

Combat Gear potion of cure moderate wounds (2), wand of cure light wounds (42 charges); Other Gear +1 full plate, +1 heavy steel shield, +1 flaming longsword, dagger, mwk composite longbow (+3 Str) with 20 arrows, cloak of Charisma +2, phylactery of faithfulness, backpack, rations (4), silver holy symbol, 64 gp

Seelah's parents were slain by gnoll raiders within months of their settling in Solku. When a group of Iomedae's knights arrived to help defend the town, Seelah was taken with their beautiful, shining armor. She stole a helm from one of the paladins, but became overwhelmed with guilt. Worse, before she had a chance to return the helm, the paladin was herself slain during the Battle of Red Hail. Wracked with guilt, Seelah confessed her guilt to the paladins and vowed her life to their cause. Over the years, her guilt has transformed into a powerful faith and conviction. She values Ezren's wisdom and Harsk's conviction, but it is irreverent Lem who Seelah is most amused by, even if she sometimes feels his jokes go too far.

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CHARACTERS

HARSK

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MALE HALF

ALIGN CG IN **DEITY:** Shelyn

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	AI	LIGN	LN I	ARF RANGER 7 NIT +3 SPEED 20 ft. HOMELAND: Druma	OFFENSE Melee +2 greataxe +11/+6 (1d12+5/x3) Ranged +1 heavy crossbow +11/+6 (1d10+1/19-20) Ranged +1 heavy crossbow +9/+9/+4	SKILLS Heal Hide Listen Move Silently Spot	+11 +13 +11 +13 +11
			TIES	DEFENSE HP 49	(1d10+1/19–20) Base Atk +7; Grp +9	Survival Wild Empathy	+11 +5
2	1	14 16 15	STR DEX CON	AC 19 touch 13, flat-footed 16	Special Attacks favored enemy (giants +4; undead +2), +1 on attack rolls against orcs and goblinoids	FEATS Crossbow Mastery,	
	1	.0	INT	+4 against giants Fort +7, Ref +8, Will +3	Spells Prepared (CL 3rd)	Endurance, Point Blank Shot, Rapid Reload	
	100 -	6	WIS CHA	+2 against poison, spells, and spell-like abilities	Special Qualities darkvision 60 ft., stability, stonecunning, woodland stride	(heavy crossbow), Rapid Shot, Track ANIMAL COMPANI	ON
		1	Start Starting of		cure moderate wounds (2), smokestick, t avy crossbow with 30 bolts, screaming b	0 0	r

amulet of natural armor +1, bird feather token, backpack, rations (4), signal whistle, tea pot, 12 gp, 30 pp

Harsk is, in many ways, not your standard dwarf. He prefers strong tea over alcohol (to keep his senses sharp), the wildlands of the surface world (where giants can be found), and the crossbow over the axe (which allows him to start fights faster). Yet few dare to mock him for his choices, for if there's anywhere that Harsk is dwarven, it is in his gruff and offputting attitude. Much of his anger stems from the death of his brother's warband. Slain to a man by giants, Harsk came upon the slaughter moments too late to save his brother. Harsk's hatred of giants has fueled him and shapes his life. His companions value his skill at combat even if they're somewhat afraid of him.

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FLING BARD 7		Melee +1 short sword +6 (1d4/19–20)	Bardic Knowledge +8	0
NIT +4 SPEED 20 ft.		Ranged mwk sling +11 (1d3-1)	Bluff +13	Mar I
HOMELAND: Cheliax		Base Atk +5; Grp +0	Climb +1	
		Special Attacks bardic music 7/day	Concentration +9	C.
2	·	Spells Known (CL 7th)	Diplomacy +15	
1	DEFENSE	3rd (1/day)—charm monster (DC 16),	Hide +8	
	HP 34	major image (DC 17)	Jump +3	E
AC 20 touch 16, flat-f	16.20	2nd (3/day)-alter self, c. moderate	Listen –3	E
		wounds, mirror image, sound burst	Move Silently +8	3
		(DC 15)	Perform (comedy) +13	
	Fort +5, Ref +11, Will +6	1st (4/day)—c. light wounds, feather	Perform (wind instruments) +11	R
	+2 vs. fear	fall, hideous laughter (DC 14), silent	Tumble +14	
		image (DC 15)	Use Magic Device +13	ß
1		0 (3/day)-detect magic, ghost	The second second	ľ
		sound (DC 14), light, message,	FEATS	
		prestidigitation, summon instrument	Dodge, Mobility, Spell Focus	
1			(illusion)	

Combat Gear scroll of haste, wand of cure moderate wounds (50 charges); Gear +2 leather armor, dagger, +1 short sword, mwk sling with 20 bullets, cloak of resistance +1, gloves of Dexterity +2, ring of protection +1, backpack, masterwork flute, rations (6), spell component pouch, sunrods (3), 49 gp, 20 pp

Although Lem was raised in the lap of luxury, his childhood was anything but comfortable. Growing up a slave in the devil-haunted empire of Cheliax exposed Lem to a shocking range of decadence and debauchery. He rarely speaks of his childhood, but one can see its effects in his high disdain for law and order, and his intolerance for cruelty. Always quick to side with the underdog, Lem has learned that his most powerful trait is his optimism and sense of humor—skills that almost make up for his small stature and impulsive nature. Lem's reasons for traveling with his current companions vary upon the day and his mood, but he certainly values their strengths-and the never-ending supply of comedy material their antics provide him with.

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