



Hearken to the prophet's words of And to the warrior of lost nights, blood-filled dreams and shortened nights,

Of hunger risen to claim its own, of arrogance turned to ash.

ONCE AGAIN, WE HAVE THE PROMISE THAT CAINE'S PROCENY WILL ULTIMATELY FALL TO HUNGER.

Het what does the hunger refer to: blood, souls, or evenperhaps the fust for power?

Hearken to the words of the seer. whose vision rends the veil of time

IT IS RUMORED THAT AMONG THE ANCIENTS, THERE WERE THOSE WHO COULD ALTER THE WARP AND WEET OF TIME.

Chose are rumors only, I am sure.

whose sword cries out for vengeance.

Hearken to the word of the scholar, for whom knowledge is a

> IT IS UNCLEAR WHETHER THIS IS MERE POETIC IMAGERY OR A SPECIFIC REFERENCE TO THREE DISTINCT SEERS. IF THE LATTER, THIS IS THE ONLY HINT WE ARE GIVEN OF THEIR NATURES.

Perhaps each section numbered below has its origin with a different prophet.

If so, then we are either missing one prophet, or else text has been added. Either is a discomfiting thought.

And ancient horrors are but dreams of things to come.

AGAIN, THE IMAGE OF HISTORY REPEATED. IT IS A PREVALENT THEME IN THIS SECTION.

Cainites must learn from their past.

Cell that to the young

From them shall come warning. From them shall come wisdom. From them shall come slaughter.

> INTERESTINGLY ENOUGH, THIS SEEMS TO IMPLY THAT THE PROPHECIES THEMSELVES WILL BE CAUSE FOR VIOLENCE.

Men have been known to do terrible things in the name of fear.

Do the prophecies of Gehenna warn of the last nights, or are they perhaps meant to cause them?

And if so, who first gave those warnings to Camites, and with what intent?

Oder di azal horrors soddie Clay Indo

Within the get of Caine there is a hunger stirring.

Once, twice, thrice the call to power and death

Will rend the souls of the Thir-

This is the death without blood-

This is the grave that has no ghosts.

A REFERENCE TO DIABLERIE? THE DEVOUR-ING OF THE SOUL ALLOWS FOR NO SPIRITUAL FRAGMENTS TO PASS BEYOND DEATH.

The Thirteen would seem to refer to the Antediliwians. Although there were undoubtedly more of them originally, thirteen is the number of clan founders cited in earlier sections.

Behold, one dies in silence, cries unheard.

Children will bear his name but not his blood.

Blissful in ignorance, savoring blindness.

His get live out the minutes one by one,

> A curious turn of phrase. Is it meant to imply that they might have lived out time according to some other pattern, had this not occurred?

ANOTHER REFERENCE TO TIME. COULD THESE BE THE SEERS?

Diesleri



While those who savor secret knowledge tremble,

Scouring the world for each last drop of truth.

There is no salvation in killing. Nor do the damned ever forget.

ot is rumored that Brujah was killed by his own childe.

Chat is a lie spread by the Ventrue.

But if not, it would imply that a portion of this prophecy might refer to the past, not the future.

Prophecies of things which time will reveal perhaps?

OR ELSE AN INDICATION OF HOW LONG AGO THESE WORDS WERE WRITTEN. WHAT IS PAST TO US MIGHT WELL HAVE BEEN THE FUTURE THEN.

The second shall be bound by magics
Claimed by magics, raped by magics.

A REFERENCE TO THE USURPERS, PERHAPS? THEY ARE THE ONLY CLAN WITH MAGIC.

Degenerate, thicking worms!

The reference might be to human sorcerers

Not if these prophecies deal with diablerie. That demands a Cainite offender.



His children shall be made into demons,

LITERALLY, OR MERELY BY REPUTATION?

Both possibilities are intriguing grounds for speculation.

Hunted for evils that are not their own.

Beware the anger of the banished. Beware the fury of the abandoned. Ten times ten times ten they wait.

Secret in shadows, savoring hatred.

Seldin?

IF THE ABOVE IS A REFERENCE TO 1,000 YEARS, THEN DURING THAT TIME THEY WILL RARELY BE SEEN, IF EVER.

Or perhaps they gain the Casombra as allies; that blood has power over shadows.

Could ten times ten times ten reference their numbers? That would make a mighty host indeed.

Preposterous!