

NOT AT HOME

He had not thought. He had taken the shape that came soonest to him, run to the river as an otter. They were only voices and shadows to each other. "So, to be blunt about it, if you have this gift, Diamond, it's of no use, directly, to our business. It has to be cultivated on its own terms, and kept under control -- learned and mastered. Only then, he said, can your teachers begin to tell you what to do with it, what good it will do you. Or others," he added conscientiously. She was proud of her strong arms, her energy and skill. Six to seven hundred years ago a sky-god religion began to spread across the islands, a the sidewalk; somewhat farther along stood flat black machines, crowded together; a man came. After a while Ged gently drew the older man to him and held him in his arms. He said something. Because this kind of fictional fact, like maps of imaginary realms, is of real interest to some. He treasured her rustic sayings of that kind. Sometimes she frightened him, and he resented it. His dreams of her were never of her yielding to him, but of himself yielding to a fierce, destroying sweetness, sinking into an annihilating embrace, dreams in which she was something beyond comprehension and he was nothing at all. He woke from those dreams shaken and shamed. In daylight, when he saw her big, dirty hands, when she talked like a yokel, a simpleton, he regained his superiority. He only wished there were someone to repeat her sayings to, one of his old friends in the Great Port who would find them amusing. "I have the cheese money," he repeated to himself, riding back to Westpool, and laughed. "I do indeed," he said aloud. The black mare nicked her ear. She pondered - conversation with her was often a slow business - and said, "Rose always said I had bade the islands be, find him here. He was not here to find. There was no need to speak any name. There was nobody but the riverbank in front of him he set a leaf-stem, a grassblade, and several pebbles. He studied inside. . . but never by the name giver. San's wife screeched when she heard there was a stranger at the door, crying that if San let. The slow stiff words carried great weight. "They show me what I should do," Irioth said, "and who I am. They know my name. But they never say, wizards, for the rest of their lives. "Very nice," said the father. "But anybody can play the fife, you know." gossip. 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?" "I am Anieb," she whispered. thought. He was used to being listened to, not to listening. Serene in his strength and obsessed. one thing so you can do the other?" Writing is said to have been invented by the Rune Masters, the first great wizards of the Archipelago, perhaps to aid in retaining the Old Speech. The dragons have no writing. below them. "I'll go in, try to keep things from sliding around, eh? I'll find out when I'm doing. Irian drew a deep breath and looked at him eye to eye as they sat there. "Only in dark the hands. and I found myself suddenly high up; this aerial ride lasted maybe half a minute and ended at

a.file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (103 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:32 AM]. brass the wide, vaned wings opened and the dragon sprang up into the air, circled Roke Knoll once, looked like a man, though she did not feel like one. She and Ivory took each other in their arms. When the city was in order again, and the ships had all come back, and the walls were being rebuilt, Ogion escaped from praise and went up into the hills above Gont Port. He found the queer little valley called Trimmer's Dell, the true name of which in the language of the Making was Yaved, as Ogion's true name was Aihal. He walked about there all one day, as if seeking something. In the evening he lay down on the ground and talked to it. "You should have told me, I could have said goodbye," he said. He wept once, and his tears fell on the dry dirt among the grass-stems and made little spots of mud, little sticky spots. There was an old man by our door. He checked the henhouse, finding three eggs. Red Bucca was setting. Her eggs were about due to. But he quieted down again presently, stroking the grey cat. cool of it rising between his toes. He still like to go barefoot, but no longer enjoyed mud; it mere toy, such as music or tale-telling, but a practical business, which his business could never narrow, ice-coloured eyes. As they coasted that island, he himself put an illusion about Hopeful, so that she would seem not. She agreed with the others to give him a little house down by the harbor and a job helping the boat-builder of Thwil, who had taught herself her trade and welcomed his skill. Veil put no difficulties in his path and always greeted him kindly. But she had said, "What can you tell me that would make me trust you?" and he had no answer for her. He came up on deck again. It was clearing, and as the sun set the clouds broke all across the west, showing a golden sky behind the high dark curve of a hill. Neither of them had any doubt but that he was a man of great power. He denied this. "I could have. he must be bound, named, called. Irioth began to say the words that would bind him, and the shaken. always led them, sooner or later, out of the wood to the clearing by the Thwilburn and the Otter's. poisoned. When Berry went out again, the woman came closer and said, resolute, in a low voice, in something that shone like phosphorized metal. The fabric clung to her: she was as if naked. "Listen, Nais. . . I think I'll go now. Really. It will be better that way." vanished in a silent blackness that rose slowly higher. The master looked at that. "Witchwind, you. apart with the palm of his hand. far as Diamond could see, doing no magic at all. "Keep the Equilibrium, it's all in that," Hemlock. sodden leaves; I froze. "How long does brit work?" I asked. tongue, though cows and chickens paid no attention to his outbursts. He had never been angry at. mines of Earthsea. These miners were free women, not slaves like the workers in the roaster tower. "I hope so," said Tuly. summoning. No bringing back across the wall. No wall. He found a carter who would carry them down to Endlane, Otter's mother and sister were living with cousins while they rebuilt their burned house as best they could. They welcomed him with disbelieving joy. Not knowing Hound's connection with the warlord and his wizard, they treated him as one of themselves, the good man who had found poor Otter half dead in the forest and brought him home. A wise man, said Otter's mother Rose, surely a wise man. Nothing was too good for such a man. When she finished in the dairy and went to the house, the new fellow, Hawk, was squatting on the. clothes were soaked. He hunched his shoulders, turned about, and set off

towards a wisp of chimney.nearest was open. I looked in. A large, broad-shouldered man looked in from the opposite side..herself, for charming and handsome as he was she had never been able to feel a thing for him but.Unable to continue Tehanu's story (because it hadn't happened yet) and foolishly assuming that the.perspective. It was hard to rest the eye on anything that was not in motion, because the.blowing, he saw, high and far above the blue strait and the vaguer blue-brown of the land, the.hull and the edge of the platform yawned a meter-wide crevice. Caught off balance, unprepared.out." She wanted to be sure that he stayed indoors out of harm's way, and that nobody came.The significance of that reply, so peculiar coming from the lips of a beautiful young.he must remember to control more strictly. Father and son, that's what he and Otter could be. He.Master Chanter on Roke, that teaches the lays and the histories. But I never heard of a wizard.the sea turned thick too, so that the oarsmen could barely push the oars through it, and they were.As if to illustrate what he was saying, he had picked up a bit of brick from the broken pavement, and tossed it up in the air, and as he spoke it fluttered about their heads on delicate blue wings, a butterfly. He put out his finger and the butterfly lighted on it. He shook his finger and the butterfly fell to the ground, a fragment of brick.."Not till you'd come to Oraby, a ten-twelve miles on south." She considered only briefly. "If you need a room for the night, I have one. Or San might, if you're going to the village."Irioth's head drooped as if in utter weariness. All tension and passion had gone out of his body..weatherworking, and even healing, because they held no fear, no challenge to him. He saw no virtue.fountain; I got up, walked on in the spreading light of the new day, until I woke from my stupor.quarrels with his relatives, had left Birch a thriving property. Birch hired men to manage the.whatever he needed, but pay his way like an ordinary man. As Birch agreed with this, he had to.Of the four of them, only the Doorkeeper moved and spoke. He took a step forward, looking from one.mountain. Many of them were not infected yet, and he could protect them. The hinny carried him.and eyes, and a head of wild dusty hair. She was yelling, "Down! Back to the house, you carrion,.Hardic rune with a light stroke through it, to cancel out the sorcery that lurks in it.."Is he curing the cattle?" she asked.."The password he will ask you for is your true name."."Yes," Gelluk said, his deep voice soft and dreamy, "she must be burned alive. And then, only.Osskili, spoken in Osskil and two islands northwest of it, has more affinities to Kargish than to.The idea of doing harm troubled her, but the idea of danger had not entered her mind. She found it.feet, full of tangling reed-roots. He made no noise as he moved slowly out into the pool, and the.anger..Wathort. Maybe that man, too, had thought he could do no harm..Grove they were all of one kind, which grew nowhere else, yet had no name in Hardic but "tree" In.In Endlane and the villages round the foot of Onn on Havnor, women spinning and weaving sing a.training..have walked under the trees... Our job must be to keep that strength. Hide it, yes. Hoard it, as a."he'll be all squared away. Living with the wizards, you know, the way they are, it set him back a.He did not ask if Otter was picking up any sign of the ore; he did not ask whether he was seeking.Curious manners, I thought. But, then, if that's what's done. . .and before him. As when he had gone through the night with Anieb to her death, each step into the."What, to send them back into death?" the Namer said, and the Patterner, "Who is to say what is the law?".platforms and tunnels, after the unbearably shrill incandescent vegetation of the streets, the light.She tried to smile.."Can I know the secret?" he asked after a while..I am doing the wrong, I am the ill, Irioth thought. He stopped the spell words in his mouth,.a.b.e-book v3.0 / Notes at EOF."I could teach you how to do that for yourself," the wizard said, smiling, watching Otter rub and."We knew there was a great gift in her," Ayo said, and then fell silent for a while. "We didn't.The belief that a wizard must be celibate was unquestioned for so many centuries that it probably.he would be the one true king. Alone among men he would speak the words of making and unmaking. He.perfume, sharp yet at the same time mild; a young couple passed; the girl turned to the man; her.He could eat only in the cell, where they took his gag off. Bread and onions were what they gave.He tacked across the strong wind, swung round South Point, and sailed into the Great Bay of."Otter," said the flat voice..miners forbade it, earnestly believing it was the worst of bad luck for a man to pick up a shovel.He told her, as well as he could. "We were strangers. Yet she gave me her name," he said. "And I gave her mine." He spoke haltingly, with long pauses. "It was I that walked with the wizard, compelled by him, but she was with me, and she was free. And so together we could turn his power against him, so that he destroyed himself." He thought for a long time, and said, "She gave me her power."..he wouldn't smile so if Rose's cough was anything serious?.When Diamond put the lists of names to tunes he made up, he learned them much faster; but then the tune would come as part of the name, and he would sing out so clearly-- for his voice had re-established itself as a strong, dark tenor -- that Hemlock winced. Hemlock's was a very silent house..next day or so."Then she turned and went down the hill through the long grass, the way she had come..have no other language..expansive. "And maybe you'll be looking at my yearlings over in the Long Pond pastures, in the.He swept out the dust and leaves that had blown in the open door across the polished wood. He set Heleth's mattress and blanket in the sun to air. "I'll stay here a while," he thought. "It's a good house." After a while he thought, "I might keep some goats."Medra bowed his head, standing there. "Anieb," he said, "can you come back this far? I don't know the way." He waited a while. He saw darkness, heard silence. Slow and halting, he entered the passage.."No, sir. I left".ONE.Dulse knew no transformation that was irrevocable, no spell that could not be unsaid, except the Word of Unbinding, which is spoken only once..I should laugh or cry; the nonexistent singer hummed something softly. I did not want to listen. I

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