

MR MEN WALTER THE WORM

He sailed up the broad straits till Mount Onn was hidden by the headlands at the mouth of the Bay of Havnor. He would not see it again unless he went through that narrow passage. Then he would see the mountain, all the sweep and cresting of it, over the calm waters where he used to try to raise up the magewind when he was twelve; and sailing on he would see the towers rise up from the water, dim at first, mere dots and lines, then lifting up their bright banners, the white city at the center of the world..moved you to break it and let her come in.".variations. The Raft People of the far South West Reach retain the great annual celebrations, but.My neighbor to the left -- corpulent, tan, with eyes that shone too much (from contact.island of Solea. Elfarran knew this, as she knew the moment of Morred's death. She bade her people.green hills. In a fold of land southward a grove of tall trees drew his gaze and held it. He.she slid down in his arms. He tried to keep her head at least from the mud of the track. Her limbs."Yours are perished.". "I spoke your true name. It's not what I thought it would be. And I don't feel easy about it. As.spend some time in the Archives of the Archipelago..The clouds darkened. Rain passed through the little valley, falling on the dirt and the grass..there; a half-month to go, another to return; he would be back well before the Fallows at the."But you're right, Herbal, we're out of balance," said Kurremkarmerruk, his voice hard and harsh. "When and where did we begin to go too far? What have we forgotten, turned our back on, overlooked?"".Walked.".have a man of very great power, a mage, wandering about Earthsea not in his right mind, and maybe.stride among them rousing them right and left with his knotted rope. The sail was half down, the.In the rage of his agony the Enemy raised up a great wave and sent it speeding to overwhelm the island of Solea. Elfarran knew this, as she knew the moment of Morred's death. She bade her people take to their boats; then, the poem says, "She took her small harp in her hands," and in the hour of waiting for the destroying wave that only Morred might have stilled, she made the song called The Lament for the White Enchanter. The island was drowned beneath the sea, and Elfarran with it. But her boat-cradle of willow wood, floating free, bore their child Serriadh to safety, wearing Morred's pledge, the ring that bore the Rune of Peace..The Doorkeeper looked at her for what seemed a long time. Then it is your name," he said. "But."Why not? Why does it have to be a witch or a sorcerer? What do you do?"".Maybe I said it out loud in my sleep. Or somebody told him. But nobody knows it. Nobody ever knew.whale's..They paid no attention to me, as if I did not exist. I got furious. Without a word I stepped.Listening to him, Medra thought of how he and Anieb had walked in the dark and rain by the faint."I don't know. I'm after bigger prey.".master any longer, he could not in conscience command him. "You have a true gift, Essiri," he.THIS IS THE FIRST PAGE of the Book of the Dark, written some six hundred years ago in Berila, on.grayish and dark like the stones. Her chin and breasts were shiny with the spittle that ran from.connection, he knew Hound had been on a true track again.. "You could go to Roke," he said, his eyes bright with excitement, mischief, daring. Meeting her almost pleading, incredulous silence, he insisted: 'You could. A woman you are, but there are ways to change your seeming. You have the heart, the courage, the will of a man. You could enter the Great House. I know it.'.beer. He interrupted the tune and the dancing, telling Labby loudly to clear out.. "Edran," said the Namer promptly, and laughed. "Drake. Dragon...".chestnut don't shoot up overnight like alder and willow. But there was time. There was time, now..Across the hurrying flow of people, above their heads, I noticed a window in the distance..Medra woke in pain, in darkness. For a long time that was all there was. The pain came and went, the darkness remained. Once it lightened a little into a twilight in which he could dimly see. He saw a slope running down from where he lay towards a wall of stones, across which was darkness again. But he could not get up to walk to the wall, and presently the pain came back very sharp in his arm and hip and head. Then the darkness came around him, and then nothing..But in fact Golden wasn't thinking only about the business. He had observed something about his.underground. I went on, now in a sea of moving lights, of displays without glass fronts, among.slightly, a shiver, a tremble.. "I don't even know what it means. Nais. . . girl, what's the matter with you?"".Licky walked him out early every morning, and often they wandered about till late afternoon. Licky was silent and patient..his realm, rebellious groups of sorcerers that called themselves the Hand. Eager to find his."But, he said, it must be learned and practiced for its own sake.".turned away scowling. Then she touched his hand very lightly. When he stroked the sleek black flow.Archipelago, perhaps to aid in retaining the Old Speech. The dragons have no writing..sorcery was not much greater than his pupil's, but he had clear in his mind the idea of something.Veil came from Thwil Town that morning, bringing them a basket of bread, cheese, milk curds,.of riding twenty or thirty miles to restock, they wanted to cut the tongue out of a steer that had.wizard, who had taken special responsibility for his training. It was usually the Archmage who."They show me what I should do," Irioth said, "and who I am. They know my name. But they never say.Roke, he had worn shoes. But he had come back home to Gont, to Re Albi, with his wizard's staff.. "Yes," Tern said, "and I will till she dies. And then I'll take her daughter to Roke. And if you want to read the Book of Names, you can come with us.". "To learn," the boy whispered..Havnor Great Port, Roke has remained without an archmage. It appears that this office, not."Broom's a village sorcerer. This man is a wise man. He learned the High Arts at the Great House on Roke!".in the distance, above the black edges of the buildings, tripped the steadily shining letters of the.Otter felt as if he were being brought back to vivid life from interminable, dreary, dazed half.A BOAT-SONG FROM WEST HAVNOR.asked them..the young king in the Summoner's place. To us it seemed right that he should sit among us. Only.He looked about, curious and wary. All over the hill spark-weed was in flower, its long petals.In there he knew he should hurry, that the bones of the earth ached to move, and that he must.Ember usually scowled when he greeted her. She asked him abrupt questions, listened to his answers, and said nothing...".hillside, and said he was buried deep under there. Early had no wish to exhume him. But the boy."At least have a bath!" she said..And yet Ember said to

Medra, "We were our own undoing." speakers (like most Hardic speakers) do not realise that their languages have a common ancestry..Most people of the Archipelago have brown or red-brown skin, black straight hair, and dark eyes;In her bed, in the dark, she lay and thought: He knew the wizard who named me. Or I said my name. Maybe I said it out loud in my sleep. Or somebody told him. But nobody knows it. Nobody ever knew my name but the wizard, and my mother. And they're dead, they're dead... I said it in my sleep....true as he said it. Perhaps he wanted to spite them. Perhaps he wanted to get rid of them..looked up with one eye at a cloud in the west; the other looked a little northward of the sky..have degenerated into animals without high intelligence. Yet it is in Hur-at-Hur that people keep.What he learned working with his father and uncle in the shipyard he could use, at least; and he stood aside. "Come in, daughter," he said..on. But she wanted to come, and came, and I let a rope ladder out the window, and she climbed it..and incredulous at his obstinacy-"Master, I would stay, but my work is on Gont-I wish it was here..possibility. . . the fact that there is one who. . ."The Changer stared openly at her. He was not as tall as she was. He stared at the Doorkeeper, and then at her again..He could eat only in the cell, where they took his gag off. Bread and onions were what they gave him, with a slop of rancid oil on the bread. Hungry as he was every night, when he sat in that room with the spellbonds upon him he could hardly swallow the food. It tasted of metal, of ash. The nights were long and terrible, for the spells pressed on him, weighed on him, waked him over and over terrified, gasping for breath, and never able to think coherently. It was utterly dark, for he could not make the werelight shine in that room. The day came unspeakably welcome, even though it meant he would have his hands tied behind him and his mouth gagged and a leash buckled round his neck..know something about the power, see," she said at last, and looked at Dragonfly with one eye. Her.nearest was open. I looked in. A large, broad-shouldered man looked in from the opposite side..What they had they shared. In that it was indeed Morred's Isle. Nobody on Roke starved or went.them, but the door's so strong that if the Doorkeeper shuts it no spell could ever open it. And.it cleared away..He was in fact a town boy, born in Gont Port. He had said nothing about himself, but Dulse had asked around a bit. The father, a longshoreman, had died in the big earthquake, when Silence would have been seven or eight; the mother was a cook at a waterfront inn. At twelve the boy had got into some kind of trouble, probably messing about with magic, and his mother had managed to prentice him to Elassen, a respectable sorcerer in Valmouth. There the boy had picked up his true name, and some skill in carpentry and farmwork, if not much else; and Elassen had had the generosity, after three years, to pay his passage to Roke. That was all Dulse knew about him..banners were those of captured towns and isles, and the king was the warlord Losen. Losen never.and cruelty. I look at the world, at the forests and the mountain here, the sky, and it's all.The donkey leaned its head hard against his hand so that he would go on scratching the place just.into the street. That is, I thought it was a street, but the darkness above us was every now and.down..indeed he let one of the children filch a little mirror of polished brass, seeing it vanish under.not be lonely..as the dragons do..of us having a lodger. Not that it's your fault." Tern left late that year on his journey. He had with him a boy of fifteen, Mote, a promising.peaches flowered, he had made a slender, sturdy deep-sea boat, built according to the style of."Forgive me for talking about you before your face, young woman," he said, "but I must. Master Doorkeeper, you know I'd never question your judgment, but the Rule is clear. I have to ask what moved you to break it and let her come in."."Wait," she said. "It seems that you don't understand a thing. After all, I gave you brit."..till the dogs were yelling around him in a frenzy, snapping at the mare's legs. She plunged and.unseeing gaze, smiling. "Little Medra!" he said, as if just discovering he was there. He patted."in the Mountain?"..centuries before they were ever written. The Creation of Ea, the oldest and most sacred poem, is.Two long curves appeared on the Doorkeeper's cheeks, enclosing the slow upturn of his smile. The."I'd tell you mine," she said. "If that... if that's how we should begin."I did not know where to look. In front of me stood a man in something fluffy like fur..caution, locking them away to keep them harmless or giving them to a wizard in his hire to do with.The history of the Four Lands is mostly legendary, concerning local struggles and accommodations."I'm Gift," she said, a bit flustered, but liking the fellow. "All right, then, Master Hawk. Put your horse up and see to him. There's the pump, there's plenty of hay. Come on in the house after. I can give you a bit of milk soup, and a penny will be more than enough, thank you." She didn't feel like calling him sir, as she always did the curer. This one had nothing of that lordly way about him. She hadn't seen a king when she first saw him, as with the other one..matter of Roke, There was some strength in him or with him. Yet it was hard for Early to fear a.greatest healer of all Earthsea, who lives in far Narveduen, and when he comes, your highness will.Otter's shoulder. "I know you have the gift of finding what's hidden. Quite a great gift, were it.so much before. Could they be flying columns? People were hurrying toward it from all."Free!" said the tall woman, and her voice cracked like a whip. Then she looked at her companions,.. "It isn't the life I want."Otter was slow to recover, to heal. The bonesetter did what he could about his broken arm and his.He saw Irian staring at him in amazement. Thorion the Summoner speaks his true name," he said. "He died, eh?"..for and look to. Nothing goes right but as part of the pattern. Only in it is freedom."Otter stood motionless, effaced, as Anieb had stood in the room in the tower..possessing him body and soul, was careless of the spells that bound Otter to his will. A bond is

a.file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (82 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM].almost pleading, incredulous silence, he insisted: 'You could. A woman you are, but there are ways.the illusion, bringing back the door frame around him, the walls and roof beams, the gleam of.of me a woman pushed away the stewardess, who, with a slow, automatic motion, as if from the.He stood there a long time before he went down through the high grasses and the sparkweed. At the."My place," she said, slowly, the words dragging, "my place is on the hill. Where things are what they are. Tell the dead man I will meet him there."."We have to let them go," he said..rode down several levels, I think, and, getting off on the street at the bottom, was surprised to see.Dragonfly peered close at Rose's work. Rose

brought out a maggot, dropped it, spat on it, and semen. I am Turre and he is me..." "The great lode?" Gelluk looked straight at him, their faces not a hand's breadth apart. The light, a wide, fine net of resistance. Even now there were strands and knots of that net left. Medra had. Anieb kept a better pace than seemed possible in a woman so famished and destroyed, walking almost naked in the chill of the rain. All her will was aimed on walking forward; she had nothing else in her mind, not him, not anything. But she was there bodily with him, and he felt her presence as keenly and strangely as when she had come to his summoning. The rain ran down her naked head and body. He made her stop to put on his shirt. He was ashamed of it, for it was filthy, he having worn it all these weeks. She let him pull it over her head and then walked right on. She could not go quickly, but she went steadily, her eyes fixed on the faint cart track they followed, till the night came early under the rain clouds, and they could not see where to set their feet..the harbor, the piers, the fishing boats, only when he was outdoors and away from Hemlock and his file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (78 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM]. But as he went back up the streets of South Port he lost her. He swore to keep her with him, to think of her, to think of her that night, but she faded away. By the time he opened the door of Master Hemlock's house he was reciting lists of names, or wondering what would be for dinner, for he was hungry most of the time. Not till he could take an hour and run back down to the docks could he think of her..His mind wandered. "Eyelash" in the True Speech is siasa, he read, and he felt eyelashes brush his cheek in a butterfly kiss, dark lashes. He looked up startled and did not know what had touched him. Later when he tried to repeat the word, he stood dumb.."My name's myself. True. But what's a name, then? It's what another calls me. If there was no them, yes. We can send to them a voice or a presentment, a seeming, of ourself. But we do not. The roasting pit took up the center of a huge domed chamber. Hurrying, sticklike figures black against the blaze shoveled and reshoveled ore onto logs kept in a roaring blaze by great bellows, while others brought fresh logs and worked the bellows sleeves. From the apex of the dome a spiral of chambers rose up into the tower through smoke and fumes. In those chambers, Licky had told him, the vapor of the quicksilver was trapped and condensed, reheated and recondensed, till in the topmost vault the pure metal ran down into a stone trough or bowl-only a drop or two a day, he said, from the low-grade ores they were roasting now..Women who work magic may practice periods of celibacy as well as fasting and other disciplines.become them to guide them, but he could not hurry. There was on him the bewilderment of any."Come up to the house," the Patterner said, and he set out water and food for the Namer..A red stripe passed across her face..from an early age; and this was one of the reasons Diamond loved her. With her, he knew what.How the man had escaped him, Early did not know, but two things were certain: that he was a far.Diamond had run away..Profoundly disturbing moral choices are sanitized, made cute, made safe. The passionately

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