

*For the Personal Attention of
Lisabetta Giacomi von Kolberg
of the House of Seven Mirrors
and of the Empire and its Chattels and Subjects
by Sovereign Virtue and the Will of the People
Empress*

My greetings and my congratulations upon your accession to the Throne. Long may you reign, and it is my solemn desire that relations between myself and your Conclave continue to enjoy their current degree of clarity or better.

We have not met. The name I use here is Ylenrith. I am an Eternal of Day and have been for a short time a friend of the Empire. I have never been its enemy and have no designs upon its power or territory. I like purity and order and dislike mess and fuss and politics. A variety of your Empire's projects interest me, especially your religion's attempt to purify souls: I am also quite fond of your orcs, who are much more interesting than other orcs.

Your books apparently say I seek worship and that's incorrect. Friends do not break each other's laws.

Upon that subject, I am missing a Herald, last seen entering the Hall of Worlds last summit. Your Archmage has been asked to investigate this and return them or their remains. I've given him a way to send me a little letter if there's anything else we have to say to one another right now.

In thorough and most excellent friendly regard,

*The Swan, She who is Purity,
the Cleansing Flame that burns not but drives away the dark,
Ylenrith by Power and Nature Eternal*