

**This contract is made between the Provider, who is:**

**Estavan i Renato i Guerra  
Dhomiro of the Renato Family**

**And, the Recipient, who is:**

**This contract is witnessed by:**

**Silvio i Renato i Guerra  
Scrivener of the Renato Family**

**The Terms of this Contract are as follows:**

- 1. The Offering.** On the day that the contract is signed, the Provider shall ensure the Recipient receives a document that the Renato Family understands, in all good faith, to have been written by Abraxus of Urizen in the first century of the Empire. Failure of the Provider to do so will render this contract void.
- 2. The Price.** The price for receiving The Offering in clause 1 is payable at each summit to a representative of the Renato Family. The price owed at each summit shall consist of:
  - 2.1** A number of Rings equal to the number of summits that have passed since the contract was signed, including that first summit

**2.2** *A number of doses of ceremonial liao equal to the number of summits that have passed since the contract was signed, including that first summit*

**2.3** *A quantity of mana equal to the number of summits that have passed since the contract was signed, including that first summit*

*This would be one Ring, one dose of ceremonial liao and one crystal of mana at the summit the contract is signed, two at the summit following, three at the summit after that, and so forth.*

**3. Contract End.** *This contract will terminate upon either:*

**3.1** *Proof that the goods received by the Recipient were not the works of Abraxus Whitespire of Urizen in the first century of the Empire, or,*

**3.2** *The death of either, or both of, the Provider or the Recipient, or,*

**3.3** *The completion of two of the three tasks outlined in clause 4 below*

**4. Ambition's Demands.** *The contract will conclude, with no further liability on either part, in the event that the Recipient complete two of the three tasks listed below:*

**4.1** *The Exemplification of Emperor Ahraz.* *The Freeborn have no Paragons and few Exemplars recognised by the Synod. This is an oversight and insult. Without Emperor Ahraz, there would be no Orc Preachers who spread The Way to Imperial Orcs. The Renato Family believes this*

most assuredly meets the Sign of Salvation. Liberating the  
ores has been benefitted the Empire and meets the Sign of  
Benevolence. The Renato Family has no presence, or  
influence, in the Synod, but believes passionately and  
virtuously that this should come to pass.

The signatory will secure Emperor Ahraz's exemplification  
by one, or more, Synod Assemblies.

Upon successful completion of this task, the Price listed in  
clause 2 will no longer include, or require, any ceremonial  
liao.

**4.2 The Aspirants to the Throne.** The Renato Family wishes  
the Senate to direct the Civil Service to create, and publish,  
a list of citizens who aspire to the Imperial Throne. The  
Senate should exhort such citizens to give their names to the  
Civil Service for this list.

Citizens who do not provide their names to the Civil Service  
for this list will have to answer for their lack of Ambition  
and Courage on the day that their intentions are declared in  
the Senate. This list would enable interested parties, such  
as the Renato Family, to know whom they might contact  
and consider putting their support behind.

The signatory will secure a successful Senate motion to  
this effect.

Upon successful completion of this task, the Price listed in clause 2 will no longer include, or require, any Imperial currency.

**4.3 The Interdiction of an Autumn Curse.** The Renato Family contains many who walk the Virtue Path of Prosperity. We believe this path is the surest way to swift resurrection and ascension, and threats to prosperity are a threat to the supernatural and spiritual wellbeing of humanity. The magics of Autumn contain a curse ritual that may be performed that is the antithesis of Prosperity. This curse, named *Like Water Through Your Fingers*, is vile and corrupting. Yet the casting of this curse is still legal under Imperial Law. The Renato Family desires the Conclave to use its powers of interdiction to declare this curse an act of Sorcery and therefore a crime against Imperial Law.

The signatory will secure a successful Conclave declaration to this effect.

Upon successful completion of this task, the Price listed in clause 2 will no longer include, or require, any mana.

**5. Clarification.** To be clear, the signatory need only complete two of the three tasks for the contract to be fulfilled and no further payment owed. The contract's intention is to encourage, and reward, the virtue of Ambition. The more that is achieved swiftly, the lower the total price of the contract shall be.

**6. Signatures.** Signatures and date of the contract are as below: