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Companion © Follow the Lead

• You take +1 ongoing while following the orders of your ally. O Easily Dismissed

You get +1 on Move Stealthily whenever you're not alone.
O Pull You From The Fire

• When you attempt to save your ally from an immediately dangerous situation, roll Alertness. S: As per Tie, but your ally gets the drop on the enemy as well. T: You avert the immediate aspects of your ally's fate. F: Fate intervenes and you merely swap places.

O Observant

You get +1 to Read a Person or Situation.

O Comforting Presence

You and your ally get +1 to Social Moves with each other. Obfuscating Stupidity

• When you might come under suspicion, roll Charm or Cunning. S: You avoid notice entirely; you're not even on the list of suspects. T: They're aware of your presence, but discount you as a suspect. F: Fate intervenes and someone learns something important about you.



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Devourer

O Predator

• You get +1 to rolls and harm with Biteshake and Swallow Whole.

O Natural Hunter

• You get +1 harm with Natural Weapons.

O Carnivore

• When you cause your opponent to mark 2 or more stars of Health in a single blow, you heal 1 star.

O Eclipse

• When you consume a part of a spirt, god, or great power, roll Spirit. S: You devour all the energy in the local area. T: You reduce the hold the power has on the area, but now it knows you and is waiting for its chance. F: That was a bad food. Fate intervenes.

O Dimension Belly

• When you eat something, you can choose to store it rather than digest it. You can store a boatload of stuff, and each item can be the size of a person.

O Drain the Blood

• When you drink the life force of another creature, roll Spirit or Power. S: Choose 2. T: Choose 1. F: Exchange harm and fate intervenes.

- The target grows weary and depressed for several days.
- You heal 1 star of Health.
- The target is briefly your thrall.
- The target does not recall your attack.
- The target takes -1 ongoing when disobeying you.
- The target takes +1 Spirit ongoing.
- PC Only: The target marks Experience and 1 Health.



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Outlander

O Sturdier Stuff • You gain 1 Armor

O Feral

• +1 harm with all Natural Weapons

O Great Beast

- At the beginning of each fight, pick one. Each lasts the duration of the battle, or until you are knocked out.
- Take +2 Armor until you mark a Health star.
- Take +1 ongoing on attacks.
- Add 2 Health stars to your Health Constellation.
- You can try a Risky Proposition to heal: Success clears 1

Health star.

• When confronted with a difficult landscape, roll Alertness. S: Shelter and food come easily. T: Either food or shelter can be had easily, but not both. F: Fate intervenes and you encounter a dangerous wild animal.

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O Plunderer

• You get +1 on Seize by Force Moves, including in war situations.

O Berserker

• When you Exchange Harm, you can add 1, 2, or 3 to the harm inflicted by *both* you and your opponent.

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Priest

O Healing Ritual

- When you take the time to perform a ritual to heal another, roll Spirit.
- S: Heal 3. T: Heal 2. F: Heal 1, and fate intervenes.

O Daily Prayers

• Each day you hold 2 for your prayers. You can spend this hold to take +1 on rolls on any action or Move related to your religion.

O Warding

• You gain +1 Armor against magic, the supernatural, gods, and the effects of Power Pools. You can extend this protection to all standing within arm's length.

O Ritual of Devotion

• When you perform a religious ritual for someone, roll Spirit. S: They hold 3. T: They hold 2. F: They hold 1, but fate intervenes and the enemies of your religion draw near.

- They can spend 1 hold for one of the following:
- Suppress an invocation of their Flaw.
- Take comfort in your religion.
- Cure feelings of guilt.
- Take +1 forward against supernatural dangers.
- Take +1 forward on Social Moves with fellow adherents. O Proclamation

• You get +1 to Threaten and Weight of Reputation moves. O Sacrifice

- When you sacrifice something to your gods, say what you are sacrificing, what you want, and roll Spirit. S: Pick 3. T: Pick 2. F: Pick 1, but fate intervenes.
- The ritual is resolved immediately, rather than in the future.
- You get what you wished for.
- Your god accepts the sacrifice as a gesture, rather than literal-
- ly, allowing you to keep the thing in question.
- You take +1 forward from the blessing of your god.



Shadewalker O Technique

- When you use your martial art techniques, declare a supernatural patron or source of your style and roll Cunning. S: +1 ongoing while you keep channeling that source. T: Take
- +1 forward on the technique, but the source takes an interest.
- F: Take +1 forward, but fate intervenes and the source takes something from you.

OAgility

You gain 1 Armor.

O Dancer

· When you perform a ritual dance, pick a source of great mystical power and roll Spirit. The dance affects all who see it, granting them a bonus or penalty to actions related to the

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Pool. S: You give +/-2 ongoing while dancing, or you open the source to all present. T: You give +/-1 forward, but the source infects you temporarily. F: Fate intervenes and draws everyone into the source of power unprotected.

O Darksome Folk

• At dusk, you can choose to take +1 ongoing on Spirit or Cunning until you encounter bright light or morning comes. If you're exposed to bright light before morning, you mark 1 health star.

O Flash Step

• You can use Melee Weapons as though they were Ranged. OAssassin

• You inflict +2 harm while your stealth is maintained.



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Socialite O Noble

• When you use your wealth or status, roll Charm. S: Your reputation precedes you, and they are eager to please. T: They're unwilling but cooperative. F: Fate intervenes: it turns out that a political adversary has a hold on them.

O Connections

• When you talk to others about a person, item, or event of interest, roll Charm. S: You find someone who has intimate knowledge of it. T: You find a few people to give you good clues. F: You find a lot of clues, but a lot of them are from the opposition. Fate intervenes.

O Commander

• When you deliver an order, those who follow it receive +1 ongoing while it can still be accomplished.

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O Bard • You get +1 Charm when performing music.

O Rogue

• When someone's plan is foiled, roll Cunning. S: You can capitalize on it whenever you like. Hold 3. Spend 1 hold to get +1 on a related roll. T: You take +1 forward to handle the situation. F: You can capitalize on it later, but fate intervenes when you do.

O Believable

• You get +1 to Beguile, Threaten, and Deceive Moves.



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Soldier © Combat Medic

- When you patch someone up in combat, roll Alertness. S: Heal 1 harm on your target. T: Heal 1 harm on your target, but take -1 forward to your defense. F: You and your target are caught out and fate intervenes in your ministrations.
- O Specialist
- · Pick one type of Weapon: Melee, Ranged, Natural, Aura. You get +1 harm with Weapons with that tag.

O Formation

- When you fight in formation, you can choose to take +1
- Armor ongoing, or give +1 Armor to all allies ongoing.

O Fortitude

• While you have 2 or more marked heath stars, you take +1

Armor ongoing.

O Duelist

 When fighting an opponent one on one, roll Alertness or Power. S: You Deal Harm to your enemy. T: You Exchange Harm with your enemy. F: Fate intervenes: your opponent Deals Harm to you.

O Weapon Blast

• When you charge up an attack to release all at once, roll Spirit and Exchange Harm. S: You inflict +4 harm on this attack. T: Your attack either misses and deals no harm, or hits for +4 on the enemy and anyone, friend or foe, nearby. The choice is yours. F: The attack goes wild or gets out of control. Fate intervenes: massive collateral damage is inevitable.



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Sorceress O Sanctuary

· You have a tower, hovel, or cave that you can retreat to, with 2 assistants or allies. When resting there, you and your allies clear all marked Health stars.

\overline{O} Creator

• When you Craft something (See Crafting Things in Journey) and the GM gives you several prerequisites, you can resolve one of them simply by using magic.

O Mindreader

Use Spirit instead of Cunning to Read a Person or Situation. O Summoner

- When you conjure a creature from a Power Pool, roll Spirit. S: Hold 3. T: Hold 2 and the Power Pool begins seeping into the area. F: Hold 1, and fate intervenes as the Power Pool invades. The summon disappears after you spend your last hold. Spend 1 hold to make your summoned entity perform one of these actions:
 - Exchange Harm with an opponent.
 - The Summon performs short series of physical actions.
 - The Summon watches a target stealthily and reports back .

to you.

- The Summon guards you from danger. •
- The Summon has a 3 harm Natural Melee Weapon and 5 Health stars.

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O Witch

• When you pry into mystic secrets or draw on the power of the gods, roll Spirit. S: Choose 3. T: Choose 2. F: Choose 1 and fate intervenes.

- The power *doesn't* invade your mind temporarily.
- You are not rendered insensate from your communication • temporarily.
- The power answers a question of yours.
- The power shifts its influence at your behest.
- You temporarily imbue an item with appropriate power. O Seer

When someone comes to you for advice, roll Spirit. S: You prophesize the outcome. As a Tie, but they also take +1 ongoing while following the prophecy. T: You reveal the dangers or forces that wish to stop them. F: You prophesize their doom. They take -1 ongoing until they perform a small quest, and fate intervenes on you for it.

Wyrdling

O Focus

• Pick a target and roll Cunning or Spirit. S: You take +2 choices or hold forward with Wyrdling Moves on that target. T: Take +1 choice or hold forward with Wyrdling Moves on the target. F: Fate intervenes. Your concentration is broken and you lose all your Focus holds.

O Telekinesis

• When you reach out with your mind, roll Spirit or Cunning. S: Hold 3. T: Hold 2. F: Hold 1 but fate intervenes. You can spend 1 hold to perform a discrete action or manipulate a single object at a distance. These manipulations can be anything you would otherwise be able to do with your hands.

O Warp Reality

• When you tamper with the fabric of reality within arms' length, you can reshape solid materials. roll Cunning or Spirit. S: Hold 1. T: Hold 1, but the effects are only illusory; others are not aware of this. F: The warping backfires; fate intervenes. Spend 1 hold for one of the following.

• Reshape the world around you: carve a boulder into stairs, mangle a machine's gears, cut a perfect square hole through a tree, bend spoons, etc.

• Meddle with an opponent's equipment, causing -1 Armor or -1 harm ongoing.

• Intentionally disguise your actions until an outside force comes in contact with your handiwork.

• You can warp reality at Ranged distance temporarily. O Mind Blast

• When you slam a foe with telekinesis, select a target within Ranged distance and roll Power or Spirit. S: Choose

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- 2. **T:** Choose 1. **F:** Choose 1, but you mark 1 health star and fate intervenes.
- Deal 1 harm Past Armor at any range.
- Push or slam target.
- Disorient target, they take -1 forward.

• Add the Area tag to this attack. OAegis

• When you focus your powers on defense, roll Cunning or Spirit. S: Hold 3. T: Hold 2. F: Hold 1 but fate intervenes. Spend 1 hold for one of the following:

- Take +1 Armor forward.
- Change the target of your Aegis.
- The Aegis protects against environmental hazards ongoing.
- Extend the Aegis to all within arm's length of the target.
- The Aegis protects against all psychic and mental attacks ongoing.

O Debris Storm

• When you let your psychic power rage like a hurricane, choose 3 from below. *Then* roll Power or Spirit. The Debris Storm has the Area tag, but what it affects depends on your roll. **S**: The storm affects all enemies in the area. **T**: The storm affects friend and foe alike. **F**: The storm affects *everything* within the area, and fate intervenes.

• Dust: Those affected take -1 ongoing to vision.

• Violence: Loose objects become high-speed projectiles, Dealing 3 Harm.

- Interception: Those within the storm take -1 harm.
- Force: Everything is thrown back out of the area.
- Scour: Those affected take -1 ongoing to Armor.
- Blinding: Those affected take -1 ongoing to attacks.



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Pact Mistress

O Bind Pact

• When someone makes an oath, vow, or promise to you, you can bind them to their word. Roll Spirit or Power. S: Hold 3. You can spend 1 hold to force them to take a single action to further their promise. T: Hold 2. You can spend 1 hold to give them +1 ongoing if they keep their word, or -1 ongoing if they break it. F: You give them +1 ongoing to follow their vow, but fate intervenes.

Player

O Benediction

• When you declare a vow with one of world's gods or spirits, roll Spirit. S: Hold 3. T: Hold 2. F: Hold 1 but fate intervenes. Spend 1 hold to induce the gods to assist you by modifying the world in some subtle way. If you break your vow, you lose your remaining hold and take 3 harm Past Armor.

O Stalwart

• When you swear an oath to finish some business or complete a complex task, roll Spirit or Power. S: You take +3 to Health stars ongoing. T: You take +1 Health star ongoing. F: Your resolve is broken, fate intervenes. If you can't, won't, or fail to complete your oath, you take harm equal to the stars you received Past Armor.

O Beast Mistress

• You forge a pact with a beast, animal, or minor spirit. Say what you will do for the creature and roll Spirit. S: The creature obeys all orders, and can fight for you. It has 4 Health

stars and a 3 harm Natural Melee Weapon. **T:** The creature will look out for you, go places, and observe things, but will not fight. **F:** The creature is insulted by your offer. Fate intervenes. If you fail to deliver on your promise, fate also intervenes.

O Truthsayer

• When you speak with someone you are suspicious of, roll Cunning or Spirit. S: Hold 3. Additionally, you can also compel them to speak the truth by spending 2 hold. T: Hold 2. F: Hold 1, but fate intervenes. You can spend hold at any time during the conversation to select or ask one of the following:

- Is this person telling the truth?
- Has this person broken their word?
- Will they honor their bargain?
- Is there another promise interfering?
- Calm someone in the conversation.

O Covenant

• When you entreat a spirit, great power, or god to protect and bless a place, roll Spirit. Any boons granted by the power are rescinded if the oath is broken, and you always know if it is kept or not.

• **S:** The power asks for a small but regular sacrifice in exchange for great and lasting prosperity.

• T: The power asks for great sacrifices regularly in exchange for mild prosperity.

• F: The power binds you instead, fate intervenes.



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