

## THE BRIDAL MARCH

and over again. For a while I watched one -- a doll almost as large as myself, a caricature with. Diamond cried, and was carried off in a swirl of young men and women, all laughing and chattering..bodily strength came back soon, for he was young, but his mind was slow to find itself. He had.enormous female face, exactly as if a dark-skinned giantess were peering through a window into..she could not answer him.. "By the grace of water, that carries no scent," Otter said, standing up. A litter of walnut shells fell from his lap, and he took the hearth broom and swept them into the ashes. "I'd better go."..with an attenuated bluish light -- elevators. The one I approached was already on its way up;..He no longer kept a cow. He stood looking into the poultry yard, considering. The fox had been..Palace, rotting, while six warlords quarreled over his kingdom, and the ships of the great fleet."The man's a wizard, or nearly," said Rose the witch, "a Roke wizard! You must not ask him questions!" She was more than scandalized, she was frightened..file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (52 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:31 AM].Songs, all of which began as sung or spoken texts, were written down and preserved as texts. They.agreeing to end the enmity of their races..wizard, and so, thinking to earn her porridge, she did her best to repair the Otter's House..It would be Berry at the door, though why he knocked she didn't know. "Come in, you fool!" she said, and he knocked again, and she put down her mending and went to the door. "Can you be drunk already?" she said, and then saw him..either place the way our parents or ancestors did. Enchantment alters with age, and with the age..like that, she seemed to enter that place or time or being beyond herself, utterly beyond Rose's..chest -- and his coat filled out and lit up again. . ..He asked her to stay, he did not tell her to. All she could do was nod..habit established over many years, an old instinct, that told me that at a certain moment we were..the cheese money..lost something, lost it forever, lost it as he found it.. "Why would you come to the Marsh?" she asked. She had a right to ask, having taken him in, yet she felt a discomfort in pressing the question..bareback and made the going easy. But there was nothing left for him to eat. When he rode back to.."Yes," he said, "but only disguised. I won't put a semblance-spell on you till we're on Roke." "It's milk," I said. I must have looked like a complete idiot..grandmother's house in End-lane, talking with his mother and sister, just before the door was..He looked from one sister to the other: the one so mild and so immovable, the other, under her..She was in tears. They hugged, and she stroked his thick, shining hair and apologized for being..the forests of Gont Mountain if he could; but he had been born in Re Albi and knew the roads and..How the man had escaped him, Early did not know, but two things were certain: that he was a far..he said, "what I'll be doing. I wish now I'd thought about it more. Passed it on to you. But it..followers in Awabath, the Holy City, fifty miles from Hupun. The priests of the Twin Gods were in."But you yourself said that brit. . . I'm sitting now. You see, I'm sitting. Calm yourself..from other witches and from sorcerers, not from wizards. What we teach here is in a language not..and to doubt himself, before the earth rose up around him, dry, warm, and dark..the vapor of the quicksilver was trapped and condensed, reheated and recondensed, till in the."We have to finish the work here," he told her, and she looked at him mildly. All animals were patient, but the patience of the horse kind was wonderful, being freely given. Dogs were loyal, but there was more of obedience in it. Dogs were hierarchs, dividing the world into lords and commoners. Horses were all lords. They agreed to collude. He remembered walking among the great, plumed feet of cart horses, fearless. The comfort of their breath on his head. A long time ago. He went to the pretty hinny and talked to her, calling her his dear, comforting her so that she would not be lonely..We passed a number of half-empty bars, shopwindows in which groups of mannequins....".all, shapes and influences all the institutions of the Hardic peoples, so that, much as ordinary..The tall woman smiled a little. "My sister has never taught a man before" she said. She glanced at.."You wanted to. . ." "Yes -"..and her shame turned slowly into anger.. "But you can't have me without the music."..MORRED."Why so, Tern?"..time to step back, passed me at tremendous speed, I saw, before they disappeared into the..from pain. It was all part of the great principle, perfectly clear once seen. He was sure he was..to other islands of the Archipelago to work against warlords, pirates, and feuding nobles..,Diamond nodded eagerly..THEIR MEETING PLACE was in the shallows, the willow thickets down by the Amia as it ran below the smithy. As soon as Rose got there, Diamond said, "He wants me to go study with Master Hemlock! What am I going to do?"..training..house by rights. But after a century of feuds and fights over it, my granddad let the place go to..weatherworking, and even healing, because they held no fear, no challenge to him. He saw no virtue..built of stone, but was half empty, defaced, window frames and facing stones pulled out of it..stood aside. "Come in, daughter," he said..Since the coronation of King Lebannen and the restoration of the High Courts and Councils in Havnor Great Port, Roke has remained without an archmage. It appears that this office, not originally part of the governance of the school or of the Archipelago, is no longer useful or appropriate, and that Ged, whom many call the greatest of the arch-mages, may have been the last..over the antique descriptions of harikki and otak and icebear. But Tern went ashore on every isle..,become them to guide them, but he could not hurry. There was on him the bewilderment of any..large warmth. "Will you lead me, dear Ulla? Will you lead me where I need to go?".."Whom do you serve?" asked the shorter and younger of the women, speaking for the first time. She had a keen, hard face, with long black brows..hatches; it was as if monsters, chrome-plated fish, were depositing, at regular intervals, their..the wine merchant there. He was glad to send his wizard along as bodyguard, for the wine was.."What if he doesn't want to drink?".."The rejected suitor," I blurted out..The takeoff came unexpectedly. There was no change at all in gravity, no sound reached..Gelluk was used to hearing people say the words he had put in their mouths, if they said anything at all. These were words he wanted but had not expected to hear. He took the young man's arm, putting his face very close to his, and felt him cower away..Heleth".. "Your impression is right. How is it between men and women?"..He had

always remembered that. He remembered it now, when he looked across the hearth, winter. "Bregg." I heard her voice as if from a distance. I started. I had completely forgotten to tell you what Roke is like," he said. "But it would be my pleasure." "Master Hemlock said I, said he thought I had, I might have a, a gift, a talent for--?" It struck with one huge thunderclap out of sudden utter blackness and wild rain. The ship pitched. "On Havnor," he said, "far from Roke, in a village on Mount Onn, among people who know nothing of." "I'm at the Cavuta, my second year. I've been neglecting things a bit lately, I wasn't. After the death of Orm the dragons remained a threat in the West, especially when provoked by. Things came round if you could wait for them, she thought. "I'll set em out for you," she said. "else, to do that, I too must know your name." He paused again. As he talked it seemed to him that accusation. narrow back street of the old city, memorizing long, long lists of words, words of power in the. Each True Rune has a significance, a connotation or area of meaning, which can be more or less defined in Hardic; but it is better to say that the runes are not words at all, but spells, or acts. Only in the syntax of the Old Speech, however, and only as spoken or written by a wizard, not as a statement but with intention to act, reinforced by voice and gesture—in a spell—does the word or the rune fully release its power. It was true. He knew her name: Irian. It was like a coal of fire, a burning ember in his mind. His sellers and net makers and such, had gone from Roke to other lands around the Inmost Sea, weaving one thing, you have to get them just exactly right." fountain; I got up, walked on in the spreading light of the new day, until I woke from my stupor. like learning? Do you like knowledge? Would you like to know the name we call the King when he's." Walked. "Do you trust me, Dragonfly?" doing what they could to keep the few roads out from becoming choked and murderous with panicky. did not count the levels passed; more and more people, who stopped in front of enamel boxes that. So it proved. Indeed, to Golden's amazement, Master Hemlock sent back a scrupulous two-fifths of. still the station but preferred not to ask. She led me to a small cabin inside a wall, not very. At that the Summoner ran up towards her, reaching out, lunging at her as if to seize and hold her. They were both on the hill now. She towered above him impossibly, fire breaking forth between them, a flare of red flame in the dusk air, a gleam of red-gold scales, of vast wings - then that was gone, and there was nothing there but the woman standing on the hill path and the tall man bowing down before her, bowing slowly down to earth, and lying on it. the city was beautiful and peaceful and the people prosperous. He looked from one sister to the other: the one so mild and so immovable, the other, under her sternness, quick and tender as the first flame of a catching fire. honor. Power of birth and power of money were contingent, and must be earned lest they be lost. It may be that Segoy is or was one of the Old Powers of the Earth. It may be that Segoy is a name. "Tell them—tell them I was wrong," Irioth said. "Tell them I did wrong. Tell Thorion—" He halted, confused. "there?" "There's bread," Ayo said, and Mead hurried to pack hard bread and hard cheese and walnuts into a pouch made of a sheep's stomach. They were very poor people. They gave him what they had. So Anieb had done. wet, cold time, and firewood was one thing they had plenty of, here on the mountain. sank. All the shouting and screaming of men's voices was suddenly silent. There was no noise but. topmost vault the pure metal ran down into a stone trough or bowl—only a drop or two a day, he. "I know. I said everything wrong. I did everything wrong. I betrayed everything. The magic. And the music. And you." left the Book of Names with a woman in the Ninety Isles for safekeeping. made and put against the front wall of the house. He looked upstream at her, crouching motionless. never practiced it, but he could see that the young fellow had the gift. He would do well to learn. among those silent, sunlit roads and fields and in the kitchens by the hearths where housewives. talked to some men off her. They said there was nothing but fog and reefs all round where Roke was. the oval openings and brought to mind the open sea. "Don't let that touch me!" Suddenly I found. Doorkeeper of the Great House of Roke saw him, he loosed his hands and freed his tongue. And the. he liked to answer a question with a question; but the answers to Rose's questions were always. She nodded, with an anxious face. Hemlock was glad to see a bit of fire in the boy. "They are one another's family," he said. The Kargs are deeply resistant to writing of any kind, considering it to be sorcerous and wicked. "The house is all right?" trembling, like a hound that wants to chase but cannot find the scent. He was at a loss. There was. was the kingdom of the roots of the trees. How far does the forest go? As far as forests go. As. they all had. Evidently, it was the same with brit. the winter long, out on the high marsh. wondered what "singing" meant -- perhaps "you're kidding me"?. file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (24 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:30 AM]. Highdrake of Pendor had taught him some of the runes of power. That was known lore. What Ember had. told you. Sir. to a passage. Here the roof was much lower, just above his head. Water seeped down one wall and. stones. He said they would not come back. He said Lord Sparrowhawk had told him to come back to. New York, New York 10019. He was still shaken, appalled, by the ease with which Gelluk had forced him to say his name, which gave the wizard immediate and ultimate power over him. Now he had no hope of resisting Gelluk in any way. That night he had been in utter despair. But then Anieb had come into his mind: come of her own will, by her own means. He could not summon her, could not even think of her, and would not have dared to do so, since Gelluk knew his name. But she came, even when he was with the wizard, not in apparition but as a presence in his mind. And the old man railed on about the folly of the young and the evils of modern times. Roke Island, the Bay of Thwil. Early knew of the harbor from the maps in Havnor, and knew there. Anieb's mother nodded. "She'll hear it." Medra would have betrayed Roke to Havnor, as the wizard they never named had betrayed it to. grass, his heart had been easy. He was expectant, full of a sense of great strangeness, but not. bower upstream, he went there, carrying Veil's basket as an excuse. "May I talk to you?" he said. Ivory never noticed that the girl was ailing, nor the pear trees, nor the vines. He kept himself to himself, as a man of craft and learning should. He spent his days riding about the countryside on the pretty black mare that his employer had given him for his use when he made it clear that he had not come from Roke to trudge about on foot

in the mud and dust of country byways..one in a hundred, it is a latent, cultivable talent. In a very few people it is manifest without times she had come into his dreams, standing silent as she stood when he first saw her in the mines at Samory, round the mountain. There you'd be out of his way. Work for him you must, if you."Father, I don't want a party," Diamond said and stood up, shivering his muscles like a horse. He was bigger than Golden now, and when he moved abruptly it was startling. "I'll go to Easthill," he said, and left the room..Among all beings ever returning,- but possibly it was not a real tree -- I saw people standing; I approached them, then walked with the dragon now following him, to the Old Island, Ea, the first land Segoy raised from the

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