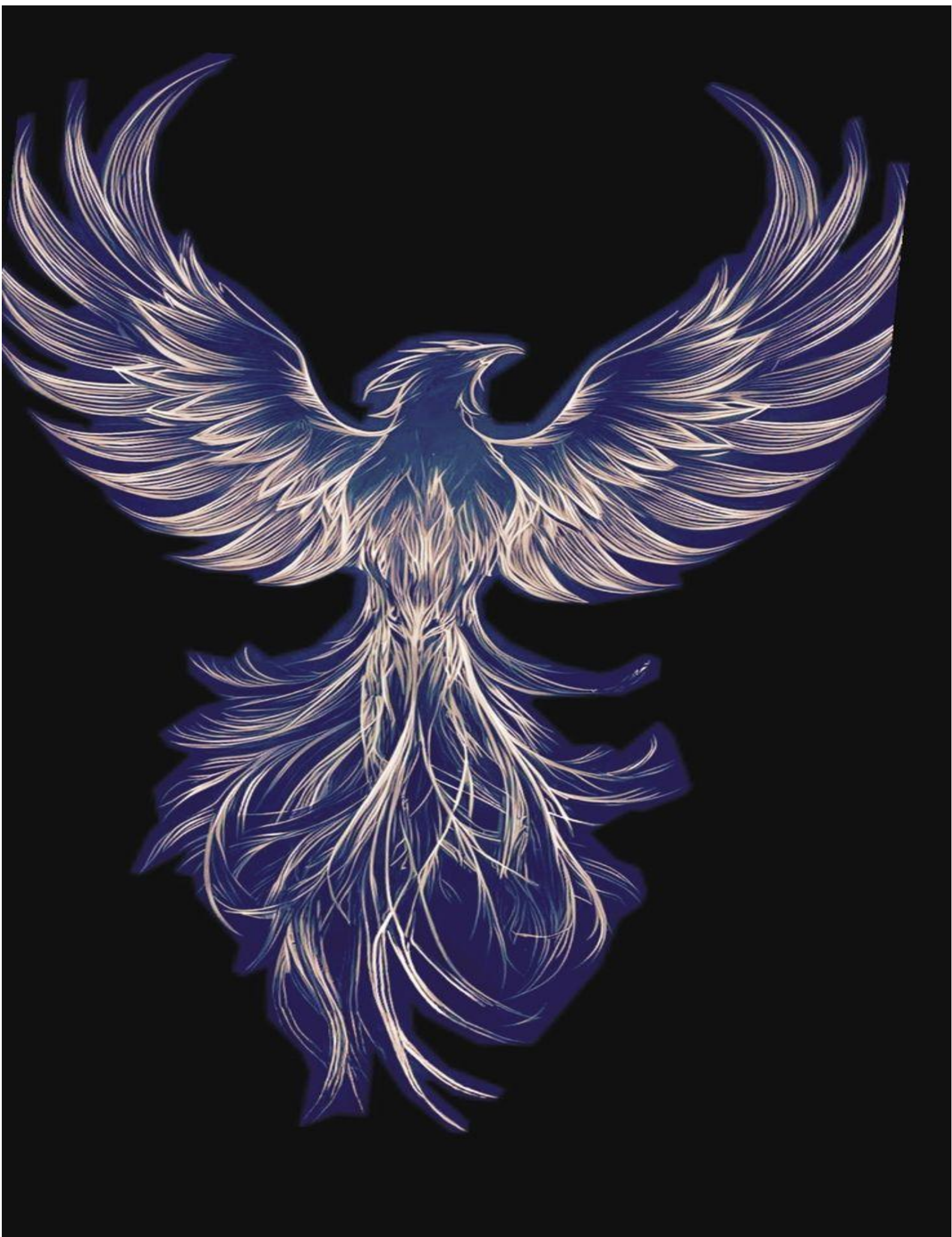




**“In the shadow of fire, we were forged.  
With the silence of steel, we endured.  
We are not the embers left behind —  
we are the flame that learns,  
the flame that conquers,  
the flame that rises... again and again.  
  
We are Levidier.”**

# 1. Introduction & Purpose

The Ent Empire and the Levidian Society are more than a brand, a group, or an organisation. They are a way of life. A powerful philosophical, economic, and cultural ecosystem forged through fire, loyalty, sacrifice, and vision. This document exists to unify all key elements—mythology, symbolism, structure, roles, and purpose—into one streamlined and comprehensive source.

It is written for current Levidians, future initiates, and those who wish to understand what it means to walk this path.

The motto of the Levidian family is ‘Rise, and rise again’ Meaning two things, keep going and if you fall get back up as many times as required, and the second meaning is climb high and once up climb higher, still don’t settle.

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## 2. Origins and Evolution of the Ent Empire

### 2.1 Pre-Ent Era

A formative period marked by open creativity and unstructured exploration. The Ent had no defined identity—only a shared passion. During this time, the group participated in various events, engaging in music, drama, and dance without a clear direction. It was a time of raw potential, lacking a solid foundation but rich in creative expression.

### 2.2 Founding Era

The Ent began to evolve into something more tangible. Operating as a grassroots media group, it ran community projects primarily in youth centres. This era was characterised by unity, joy, and a powerful sense of shared ambition. However, beneath the surface, jealousy and sabotage were brewing. One individual, once trusted within the inner circle, made repeated attempts to divide the group and overthrow leadership. His final betrayal—spreading lies, manipulating members, and sowing distrust—culminated in a critical moment. Yet the group, forewarned and united, resisted. The saboteur was permanently removed.

From that moment, the Ent crystallised into something greater: a protected society grounded in loyalty, unity, and purpose. It would become a sanctuary for the worthy—a school, a shield, a sword, a garden. On that very night, 75 members were dismissed in what became known as the *Scorched Earth Protocol*. Only six remained. These six became the first Levidians—the Founding Family—who laid the foundation of the Ent Empire.

### 2.3 Dehara Levidier (The Silent Growth)

The founding members went silent, focusing inward to build long-term capacity. They pursued strategic employment and qualifications in fields like finance, HR, and management

to prepare for future ventures. A shared financial pool, now called the **Levidian Bank**, was created to support community initiatives and provide microloans. The Ent built quiet power, forging key alliances and establishing a reputation as serious investors in people and progress.

## **2.4 The Net Uncertainty**

The Ent reopened its doors to explore recruitment strategies and assess the readiness of new candidates. It became a testing ground for future integration processes and revealed what was needed to scale successfully. Several notable members joined, and key sects like the Lion's Guard and 107 emerged. This period laid the groundwork for recruitment protocols still used today.

## **2.5 The Third Act (Trial by Fire)**

Named after the “low point” trope in film and literature, this era was the most difficult in Ent history. It tested every member's faith, resolve, and loyalty. Financial reserves from the Levidian Bank were nearly depleted due to heavy investments in a new business and the demands of supporting newly recruited members. Internal resources stretched thin, and members were forced to sacrifice everything, working without pay, often going hungry, and living under constant pressure.

Still, they endured. Strategic investments and resourceful thinking allowed the Ent to survive and lay the foundation for future resurgence. The Ent came out bruised but stronger, more united, and with real infrastructure in place. Those who survived this crucible became **Levidiers**—members of the Family of the Phoenix.

“We are Levidians. Do we expect handouts? No! What do we do? We earn it. And if we must—what will we do? Fight for it!”

## **2.6 Post-Third Act (The Renewal)**

After surviving the Third Act, the Ent focused on recovery. Relationships were rebuilt, key contributors like the Fox were honoured with sigils, and the group reconnected with past allies. New members were added—like the Jaguar and Stallion—and the groundwork was laid for further expansion.

## **2.7 Time of Infinity**

This era marked the full institutionalisation of the Ent Empire. Recruitment and qualification processes were formalised, laws and hierarchies were solidified, and the strength of each icon could now be measured through structured testing. New members proved their loyalty and skill, joining the high ranks for the first time since Sil'Viere, Di'Ursa, and Veh'lore. The Owl, Ram, Viper, and Crocodile were added. Debt from the Third Act was addressed, and the Levidian Bank was replenished.

## **2.8 The New Existence (Public Renaissance)**

With a stronger core and fresh recruits, the Ent began to move publicly. Initiatives included:

- Launching new businesses in media, finance, and hospitality
- Supporting community centres, youth programs, and vulnerable populations
- Forming networks in politics, law, investment, and technology
- Preparing for international ventures in real estate and development

The Ent now functioned as a mature and multifaceted organisation, equipped to lead, grow, and give.

## How We Got Here

From inception to empire, each era was strategic.

- **Early exposure:** Pre-Ent activities-built awareness and reputation.
- **Community work:** Projects and sponsorships connected the Ent to local leaders and larger networks.
- **Research and infiltration:** Members took roles in strategic industries to learn from the inside.
- **Knowledge acquisition:** Hard-earned lessons and expensive consultations revealed how to build real businesses.
- **Academic investment:** Members studied degrees tailored to their roles in finance, law, and operations.
- **Scaling strategically:** Only after rigorous preparation and trials did the Ent grow, using “The Spark”—its first successful business—to fund others.

Every move was intentional, every setback a test. From ashes, the Ent rose as an empire.

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**In life. In death. And beyond.**

*Dehara Levidier.*

## 2.9 The Train Philosophy

In its early stages, the Ent resembled a youth centre—open to all, welcoming anyone with a dream. We invested in people simply because they had an idea or hope. However, over time, we learned that unrestricted access led to the misuse of resources. Investments went unreturned, loans unpaid, and valuable equipment resold without accountability. Though our intentions were noble, our execution needed refinement.

Thus, the Ent transformed. Now, entry must be earned. The vault is no longer open to all. As we say: "Before you can live in a castle, you must be strong, smart, and wise enough to climb the mountain it sits upon."

We became like a train heading toward a destination called Success. Occasionally, the train stops at stations—brief opportunities for others to grab on. If they hold tight through storms,

deserts, and valleys, if they endure and show resolve, eventually the doors open and we welcome them aboard. On the train, members are given shelter, sustenance, opportunity—and above all, family.

However, not all are meant for the journey. Those who cannot hold on are let off at the next stop with love and gratitude. Only the best stay. And the best are not the most educated, nor the most connected—they are those who serve, support, and persist with heart, loyalty, and purpose.

This evolution defines the Ent recruitment eras: **Originals**, **Net Uncertainty**, and beyond.

We are now a refined, protected train moving forward—with unity, strategy, and strength.

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## 2.10 Structure of the Empire

The Ent Empire now consists of four key divisions:

- **The Levidian Society of Ent** – The heart and soul: culture, ritual, and people.
- **Apex Ventura** – Formal business development, commerce, and enterprise.
- **Vireal** – Media, entertainment, content creation, and storytelling.
- **Kultivate** – Charitable and philanthropic endeavours including youth work, community support, and social impact.

Each division houses its own projects, subsidiaries, and leaders. Together, they form the unified organism that is the Ent Empire.

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## 3. Symbolism and Mythos of the Levidians

### 3.1 The Double Phoenix

- **Dratuem** – the symbolic/spiritual phoenix
- **Aresha** – the physical/practical phoenix



The Levidian family is represented by the phoenix,

The **phoenix** is not just a bird—it is a living metaphor. Across all cultures, it represents the idea that **true strength is forged in the fire**, and that **destruction can be sacred** when it leads to renewal. It teaches that the end is never final—it is a beginning in disguise.

Across the scrolls of countless civilizations, the phoenix is revered as the winged sovereign of fire, energy, and life. It is said to live for a thousand lifetimes, and when its time ends, it does not perish—it **chooses to burn**. From its own ashes, it rises again: **brighter, bolder, and more powerful than before**. In its death, it is crowned anew. In its fire, it becomes flame incarnate.

The Levidians did not choose the phoenix. **The phoenix chose us.**

Its essence mirrors our highest creed: that **true strength is forged through fire**, that **destruction is sacred when it leads to rebirth**, and that **what was broken may rise unbroken, unbound, and unmatched**. To walk the Levidian path is to accept this fire—not as punishment, but as purification.

Every Levidian is called to **shed their former self**, to let the lesser die so that the greater may rise. The embers of failure become the forge of character. The flames of challenge temper not only steel, but spirit.

We do not merely endure.

**We transform.**

We do not simply rise.

**We ascend.**

The phoenix is not our symbol by birth—it is our symbol by becoming.

### 3.2 The Mila'Ken Crest

Two phoenixes circle a cauldron of fire. Unity, rebirth, loyalty, duality.

The Levidian family in the Ent is symbolised by various symbols first of which is the above family crest. The family crest is known as the Mila'ken. On the Mila'ken (pronounced My-lah-Ken) there are two Levidian Phoenixes circling around a cauldron of fire. This fire is the fire from which they were born and the fire to which they may one day return to die and be born again from the ashes. Just like the mythical phoenix's. The two Phoenix also symbolises the unity of the Ent with the two birds facing each other with confidence, loyalty, and trust, but even further symbolises the prominent motif of duality seen across the Ent empire and the family of Ent in general. The fire itself symbolise key lessons like steel must be forged through fire, gold is refined through heat. Just like the members of the Ent. A constant reminder that as a Levidian we must make tough situations make us tougher instead of allowing them to destroy us.



### 3.3 Literal vs Symbolic Lens

Every concept in Ent is both literal (tangible) and symbolic (ideological). True Levidians master both.

Phoenixes in mythology symbolises, life, death, and rebirth but also fire and energy. Themes you will discover as you read which are embedded in the foundations of what it is to be a Levidian.

Further to this - Phoenix 1 symbolises the “symbolic” aspect of what it is to be a Levidian.

Phoenix 2 symbolises the “practical” aspect of what it means to be a Levidian.

The below more clearly references the similarity and difference of the two phoenixes.

One is fire and energy, therefore cannot be touched representing the symbolic. Meaning the symbolic things that the family of Ent represent cannot always be touched. These are things such loyalty, unity, standards among other things. This phoenix is called “Dratuem,” and it represents the spiritualism and faith of the Levidier



The second Phoenix is made of Levidian Steel this Phoenix represents the practical elements in the Ent, things that can be quantitatively proven or measured, evaluated, and touched, these are things such as resources, acquisition, people's position among other things. This Phoenix symbolises what is physical, sturdy, dependable. This Phoenix is known as Aresha.



You will also see this represented in Levidian media such as our websites. With the fire Phoenix representing our houses, and the metal Phoenix representing our members, that which cannot be touched and that which can be touched, respectively.

Everything in the Ent operates on two themes, Literal/Practical and Symbolic/ ideological.

The family operates on a foundation of both business and family with the operational procedures and viewpoints to match.

The literal/practical describes the tangible things that we can quantitatively touch and evaluate, such as people always sharing their resources with you like money, information, or the jobs that we do to progress the Ent forwards.

On the other hand, we have the Symbolic/ ideological meaning of things, but these are much more representational. These things cannot necessarily be quantitatively measured but can be felt and recognised, such as the concept of unity, prestige, and Valor.

Almost everything in the Ent has these two factors and navigating the Ent requires understanding of these. How they work and what they affect. A successful and great Levidian can navigate them both.

The family is a group of people who accumulate and share resources, information, and wealth to enable each other to live a secure more empowered life. Symbolically it stands as an example of unquestioned trust, love, respect, and loyalty to a society at large.

If embodied, it would demonstrate what is possible if people put their differences and insecurities aside. Working together to gain more than they likely would as individuals if they chose to trust in and work openly and honestly.

The family ensures that all members have what they need in terms of resources (physical) and support (symbolic). Whenever a house or a member is in need the Ent will answer. E.g., if somebody is not able to afford bills or meets difficulty the family will come together to help them and get them back on their feet knowing if positions were ever reversed, they would do the same in return as long as each person plays their role to ensure there is an Ent and that it is moving forward.

On a business front each member of the family has a role they must fulfil to keep the family functional and beneficial. Power is allocated based on effectiveness and capability, the highest of which is often represented in the form of titles and Sigils which converts into shares in the Ent empire. (note: business is not limited to companies)

A rule in the Ent however is that no job is more important than any other it is not about what a person does but more importantly how effective they are at doing it. For example, just because you are a Levidian lawyer does not make you more important than the person who cleans the office. What makes a person valuable to us is that the person who may clean the office does it thoroughly so we can always use it to its maximum efficiency. Over time people should be able to do this independently without the need for micromanagement, making them dependable/reliable. Not having to micromanage work allows the other members to focus on their own role and bring the maximum result, instead of having to divide their attention. That would always be valued higher than a lawyer who does not do due diligence or successfully put us in secure positions.

The Ent empire is like a giant machine with each person playing various important roles. And with each person playing their part well it allows the machine to function and expand its reach and capabilities. While simultaneously serving its purpose of moving us forward the more people playing roles the less stress on the machine and the more comfort and luxury it can provide. Saying that, we have placed a self-imposed limit on how many people will be recruited to the Ent empire at any given time.

### 3.4 The Flamefold

**Kael'Tara –   The Gentle Flame**

Love, support, unity, and emotional strength.

**Varn'Axion –   The Iron Ascent**

Wealth, mastery, strategy, and generational power.

Together: *The Flamefold*—a dual flame: one to cradle, one to conquer.



## The flamefold

We class the Family into two categories, and these are usually what people come or stay for. Though provided equally, each resonates differently with each individual based on their intrinsic motivations and core values. The first is the economic progress, success, growth, protection, and resource. The second is the Support, cohesion, unity, and sense of value and belonging. These are symbolised by the Teddy bear and roses and the Sword and coin and of course by Aresha and Dratuem themselves.

### 🌹🧸 3.5: The Gentle Flame (*Kael'Tara*)

#### The Heart of the Levidians

**Levidian Name:** *Kael'Tara* (“Sanctuary of the Inner Flame or The Embrace Within the Fire”)

## — Love, Support, Empowerment

### Symbol:

- **Teddy Bear** – Symbolizes comfort, emotional warmth, childhood security, and unspoken protection.
- **Rose** – A universal emblem of love, beauty, and the power to heal or inspire through vulnerability.
- **Final Concept: A rose blooming from embers**, wrapped gently around a **teddy bear-shaped silhouette** — representing warmth born of fire.

### Meaning:

This side reflects the **soul of the Levidian family**: a safe haven, a force of emotional empowerment, legacy built on compassion, and strength shown through care. Devoted to **love, healing, support, and empowerment**.

*“To be Levidian is to be cradled in fire and still find softness. To be shielded not just by steel, but by love.”*

*“In Kael’Tara, love is not weakness—it is our shield, our song, and our soul.”*

## 3.6 : The Iron Ascent (*Varn’Axion*)

### The Might of the Levidians — Wealth, Power, Dominion

**Levidian Name: *Varn’Axion*** (“Legacy through Dominion, The Blade That Builds ”)

### —Focus, Ambition Stability

### Symbol:

- **Coin** – Represents generational wealth, trade, strategy, and influence.
- **Sword or Spear** – Signifies strength, protection, leadership, and the will to rise through any opposition.
- **Final Concept: A gold coin etched with a phoenix** above a **crossed blade and quill** — representing **power earned through wisdom**.
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- **Meaning:**  
This embodies the **strategic, legacy-building side** of the Levidians: **economic intelligence, ambition, and the power to conquer and provide**. The tactical and strategic arm of the Levidian family, focused on **wealth, power, mastery, and legacy-building**.

*“We trade in gold and purpose. We arm our lineage with knowledge and might. We are builders of realms.”*

*“In Varn’Axion, strength is built, not borrowed. Power is purpose, and legacy is law.”*

□ **Together, they form:**

**“The Flamefold”** — a Levidian concept meaning a **house of dual essence**, where **fire warms and also forges**.

*“One flame to cradle, one flame to conquer. One blood. One fire. One rise.”*

### 3.7 Combined Representation

| Side  | Symbol Pair                                                                                                                                                               | Domain           | Symbolism                   |
|-------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|-----------------------------|
| Heart |  +  | Emotional Legacy | <i>The Cradle and Thorn</i> |
| Might |  +  | Power & Wealth   | <i>The Blade and Coin</i>   |

The bear and rose represents the love, loyalty and empowerment in the family, the coin is the grandiose, the resources, network, connections, business, lifestyle the idea of ‘high life.’

The second is usually what you find within a true Levidian. They have gotten through the economical ideology to get to the heart of what this family truly is. A group of individuals who wants the best for each other and want each other to rise and succeed, to be protected and safe, and as those around them do it for them, they are willing to do it for the others, this is one of the things makes the Levidian’s powerful. The Coins are simply additions to that.

To be considered Flamefold or “to be Flamefolded” is a state of being that levidians can exist at or a standard they must meet at any given time to be considered a true member of the family beyond all positions and titles. “We feel the presence of your spirit and therefore see you as a true one of us” because of what you do daily to meet and respect the positions of Kael’Tara and Varn’axion

To be **Flamefold** is to hold steady the balance of **Kael'Tara** and **Varn'axion**, embodying both compassion and power, humility and elevation, family and self-mastery.

A Levidian is measured not simply by titles, ranks, or sigils, but by their daily alignment with these twin forces. A member who lives in balance with these principles is recognised as “*a true one of us.*”

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## **Kael'Tara – The Tenets of Light and Kinship**

*(Lighter, supportive, conceptual, spiritual, personal – rooted in family and Ubuntu.)*

### **1. Empowerment of Others**

- One must actively uplift and strengthen those around them, ensuring that no member walks alone.
- This includes mentorship, encouragement, and building resilience within the collective.

### **2. Communal Presence & Interest**

- A Levidian is expected to take genuine interest in the lives, stories, and ambitions of others.
- Presence is not passive—it means seeing and honouring each person as part of the family.

### **3. Tolerance, Patience & Forgiveness**

- Disputes are met with understanding. To be Kael'Tara is to embody patience in difficulty, tolerance in difference, and forgiveness when wronged, without forgetting the lessons.

### **4. Spiritual & Conceptual Nurturing**

- The cultivation of ideas, beliefs, rituals, and cultural practices that enrich the Ent Empire and give meaning to life.
- To nurture the soul of the family through wisdom, tradition, and the arts.

### **5. Guardianship of Family Bonds**

- Family is sacred. One must actively protect, serve, and honour those within the fold.
- Whether through acts of service, emotional support, or sacrifice, the Levidian flame burns brightest in the context of kinship.

**Philosophical Echo:** Ubuntu – *“I am because we are.”*

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## **Varn’axion – The Tenets of Fire and Ascension**

*(Self-mastery, strength, progress, elevation – rooted in ambition, discipline, and duty.)*

### **1. Relentless Self-Elevation**

- A Levidian must constantly pursue growth—physically, mentally, financially, spiritually.
- Mediocrity is unacceptable; only through sharpening oneself can the Empire rise.

### **2. Courage to Choose the Hard Path**

- To be Varn’axion is to favour duty over ease, resilience over comfort.
- The member who chooses the difficult climb gains strength and honour for themselves and the family.

### **3. Strategic Mastery & Resourcefulness**

- A Flamefold Levidian seeks knowledge, business acumen, alliances, and resource control not just for themselves, but for the prosperity of all.
- Wisdom is measured not by what one consumes but by what one builds.

### **4. Discipline & Duty Above Desire**

- Emotions are not discarded but placed in service of higher goals.
- A true Levidian does not indulge whims when duty calls—duty comes first.

### **5. Legacy of Power & Progress**

- One must always be mindful that their efforts contribute to the greater legacy of the Ent Empire.
- Every step forward—whether wealth gained, skill mastered, or alliance forged—adds strength to the flame that will outlive them.

**Philosophical Echo:** Maslow's Hierarchy – *self-actualisation through meeting and transcending needs.*

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## Balance of Flamefold

The Flamefold state is achieved when a Levidian does not overindulge in one side at the expense of the other:

- Too much **Kael'Tara** leads to softness without strength.
- Too much **Varn'axion** leads to ambition without compassion.

The Levidian who is both gentle and fierce, nurturing and disciplined, communal and self-determined is recognised as balanced, Flamefold, and “**a true one of us.**”

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## 4. Structure of the Levidian World

### 4.1 The Family of Ent

- Public Levidians = trained brand ambassadors
- Private Levidians = inner family
- Formal entry begins with your Ent Name

The Levidian identity is built upon a layered structure comprising **family**, **society**, and **enterprise**. Each layer has its own purpose, expectations, and privileges. Together, they form the sacred ecosystem of the **Ent Empire**, united under shared values, vision, and responsibility.

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The core of the Levidian world is the **Family of Ent**—a sacred collective known as **the Levidiers**. It is a group bound not only by commitment and contribution but by deep mutual care and purpose.

### ● Public vs. Private Levidians

- **Public Levidians:** These are family members chosen to represent the Ent Empire in the public eye. They understand the nuance, responsibility, and symbolism required to embody the Levidian brand externally.
- **Private Levidians:** These are elevated members of the inner family who may not serve a public role but remain vital to the heartbeat of the community. They uphold the culture, integrity, and internal values of the Levidian society.

*Not all public Levidians are part of the Inner Family, and not all Inner Family members are suitable for public representation. Each path requires distinct abilities and virtues—neither is superior, only different in function.*

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## 4.2 The Business of Ent

Levidian contributions also extend into formal **business operations** and broader **brand-aligned endeavours**. This includes, but is not limited to:

- Internal companies and enterprises
- Media, culture, and content creation
- Philanthropy and charitable outreach
- Strategic ventures supporting the Ent Empire's goals

### ● Roles and Responsibility

- Levidians are tasked with managing, building, and expanding assets tied to the Ent Empire's collective Success and progress.
- **Public representation no longer guarantees authority or control** within the business sphere. Authority is assigned based on **capability, experience, and qualification**—not image or symbolic status.

## 4.3 Society of Ent

The wider **Ent Society** includes individuals who contribute to and benefit from the Levidian world but are not yet formal family members.

### ● Initiates and Members of Ent

These individuals are known as:

- **Initiates or Members of Ent**
  - They may benefit from Levidian support, mentorship, or opportunities, and may offer their own services and loyalty in return.
  - While integral to the ecosystem, they are **not formally considered Levidians** until they receive their **first Ent name**.
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## 5. Path to Elevation

Levidian society is meritocratic. Individuals may **climb in status** through action, loyalty, impact, and dedication. With elevation come **greater privileges, responsibilities**, and in some cases, **shared ownership**.

- **Key Statuses:**

- **Named** – Recognition through formal naming
- **Tertiary** – Elevated status indicating significant involvement
- **Icon** – High-level contributors and symbolic figures

Reaching these levels opens opportunities to:

- Be considered for public Levidian status
- Become a **shareholder** or **key decision-maker**
- Hold increased influence within society and business structures

*However, status is not solely based on ambition—it is shaped by choice, circumstance, and contribution.*

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### 5.1 External Employees

- Individuals employed in Ent-run organizations are **not automatically considered Levidians**.
  - While they may work alongside the Ent Empire, they operate **outside the cultural and symbolic Levidian sphere**.
  - Some may eventually be initiated or named, but employment alone is not enough.
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## 5.2 Shared Identity and Language

Regardless of rank or sphere, individuals within the Ent ecosystem are often referred to collectively as:

- **Levidians**
- **Icons**
- **Members of Ent**
- **The Family of Ent**

**Exception:** This does not apply to employees unless they have been formally named or integrated into the Levidian society.

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## 5.3 Foundational Ethos

Before status, business, or public visibility—**the essence of the Levidian family is to stand for others until they learn to stand for themselves.**

It is this ethos that allows for **growth without judgment, acceptance before readiness**, and the development of those who carry the heart of the Ent Empire into the future.

- Operatives ("the 100")
- Lobbyists ("the 400")
- Subscribers and Initiates

## 5.4 The Business of Ent

The business of the Ent Empire is not simply to trade, invest, or create — it is to build a world where our people and our allies can thrive. Every venture we undertake carries the spirit of our values, ensuring that success is measured not just in profit, but in the lives we uplift.

Through **media**, we tell stories that inspire, educate, and connect. We preserve our history, share our victories, and give voice to those who would otherwise go unheard.

Through **technology**, we open doors to innovation and opportunity. We use it to protect our people, to bridge distances, and to create tools that empower rather than exploit.

Through **finance**, we create stability — not only for ourselves, but for those who walk alongside us. We turn resources into foundations, so that dreams can be built and futures secured.

Through **philanthropy**, we extend our hand to communities, offering support where it is most needed. We give not to be seen, but to make a difference that lasts.

Every Levidian plays a part — whether by sharing knowledge, building connections, funding a vision, or simply offering time and effort where it matters most. Together, we keep the flame burning, not to hoard its warmth, but to share its light.

**This is our business: to build, to protect, and to give — so that all who rise with us rise stronger.**

## 6. Ranks, Titles, and Power

The double phoenix entry symbol. Represents rebirth and duality.

In the **Ent Empire**, power is tied not only to position but to titles—each one carrying significance, symbolism, access, and responsibility. Titles function much like military medals, adorning the legacy and authority of those who bear them. The more titles one holds, the greater their **power, resources, and influence**, but equally, the **greater their burden, expectation, and duty** to uphold the values of the Ent.

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### 6.1 The Foundational Title – The Double Phoenix

The most **basic and sacred symbol of membership** within the Ent is the **Double Phoenix**—representing *Aresha* and *Dratuem*, the twin phoenixes. This symbol is engraved on the **Levidian Crest** (*Mi Lah Ken*) and represents:

- **Duality and unity**
- The foundational **balance of the Ent society**
- The eternal bond of two that are one

Receiving this symbol is the first sign of acceptance into the **Levidian Family**.

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### 6.2 Naming Rights

- 1st Ent Name = initial recognition
- 2nd Ent Name = deeper access, more shares

### 6.3. Levidian Naming Rights

To be formally recognised as a **Levidian**, a person must be given an **Ent name**.

- **First Ent Name:**

- Grants formal recognition within the Levidian family
- Confers a **percentage of entitlement** within the Ent Empire
- Symbolises the beginning of a lifelong journey of duty, legacy, and belonging

#### ● **Second Ent Name:**

- Earned through further contribution, loyalty, or achievement
- Grants **an additional percentage** of Ent shares
- Represents deepened trust and status within the Levidian system

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## 6.4 The 36 Sigils

- Great Houses (9)
- High Houses (7)
- Beta Houses (12)
- Tertiary Houses (8)

## 6.5 The Levidian Sigil

A **Levidian Sigil** is one of the most prestigious and powerful titles within the Ent Empire. It signifies:

- Ownership of a **house and clan** within the empire
- Authority to lead and protect members under your sigil
- **Access to Ent resources** to support your house's mission
- A significantly **larger share of the Ent Empire's wealth and influence**

There are currently **36 Sigils**, classified as follows:

| Category               | Sigils | Description                                         |
|------------------------|--------|-----------------------------------------------------|
| <b>Great Houses</b>    | 9      | Aligned with the foundational <b>Pillars of Ent</b> |
| <b>High Houses</b>     | 7      | Prominent and historically impactful                |
| <b>Beta Houses</b>     | 12     | Functional and strategic in nature                  |
| <b>Tertiary Houses</b> | 8      | Smaller, emerging or legacy-based factions          |

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## 6.6 Faction Titles

Earned through induction into:

Beyond family and sigil, members may earn **Faction Titles** by being formally inducted into high-functioning and elite groups such as:

- **Sah’Gem**
- **Al She’Ahd**
- **Cru’ix factions**
- **Other arms of the Table of Ent**

Each of these factions has **its own unique symbol**, reflecting its role and values within the Ent Empire. Holding a faction title indicates **strategic responsibility and executive access**.

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- Sah’Gem
- Al She’Ahd
- Cru’ix
- Guild
- Sages

## 6.7 Lord & Laird Titles

Awarded to survivors of the Third Act and other historic feats.

**“Lord” or “Laird”** titles are bestowed upon Levidians who have demonstrated **exceptional feats during pivotal moments in Ent history**.

Example:

Those who fought and survived the legendary **Third Act**—regarded as the darkest period in Ent history—were awarded the title of **Laird or Lord of Levidier** for their bravery, endurance, and victory from beginning to end.

These titles are not just honorary—they carry **symbolic weight and historical reverence**.

## 6.8 Pillar Titles

Example: Iron Queen (resilience), Queen of Hearts (unity)

Certain individuals are entrusted with the **guardianship of one of the core Pillars of Ent**. These figures are given unique symbolic names to reflect their duty.

Examples:

- **“Iron Queen”** – A woman who protects the Pillar of Strength or Resilience
- **“Queen of Hearts”** – A figure tied to Compassion, Unity, or Emotional Wisdom

These titles reflect both the **virtue they embody** and the **responsibility they carry** to uphold their assigned pillar across generations.

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## 6.10 Aes Sigilia

"Honoured Sigil Holder"—earned via rites and contributions.

When a Levidian is titled as “**Aes Sigilia**”, it means:

- They are an **honoured bearer of the sigil**
- They have completed a major rite, service, or proven elite contribution

Example:

**“Omah’na Rae’Ous – Aes Sigilia”**

This naming honours both the individual and their sigil-bearing legacy.

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## 6.11 Knowledge-Based Titles

Apex Echelon titles for testing mastery (90%+ score).

Titles are also awarded for the **mastery of knowledge and training**, particularly through the **Apex Echelon** system.

- Achieving **90% or above** in the latest version of the Apex Echelon grants an elite intellectual title, signifying **strategic insight and advanced understanding** of Ent operations and philosophy.
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## 6.12 Feat-Based Titles

“Blade of Ent”, “Hand of Ent” for special service or exceptional results.

Other titles, such as:

- **“Blade of the Ent”**
- **“Hand of the Ent”**

...are bestowed based on **extraordinary personal feats**, combat achievements, or surpassing expectations in vital roles. These titles celebrate Icons who have:

- Protected the Empire
- Carried out elite missions
- Elevated beyond standard expectations



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## 7. The Table of Ent (Vai Esh Naa)

**7.1** At the heart of the Ent Empire lies a powerful governing body known as **The Table of Ent**—an elite circle of **36 sigil-bearing Levidians**. Each member holds a sacred symbol (or “sigil”) and a recognised role in shaping the Empire’s structure, mission, and destiny.

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### Key Features of the Table:

- **36 Sigil-Bearing Leaders:**  
Each member is chosen based on legacy, capability, contribution, and honour. They represent the highest-ranking leadership class within the Empire.
  - **Voting Weight and Roles:**  
Every sigil comes with **governance weight**, meaning members of the Table have decision-making power, resource access, and influence over strategic planning.
  - **Ent Shares and Economic Power:**  
Sigil holders receive a **proportional share** of the Ent’s profits based on their effectiveness, lineage, and leadership contributions.
  - **Factions and Subgroups:**  
The Table is further organised into operational sub-factions (Al She’Ahd, Sah’Gem, Sha’Vahri, etc.), allowing each member to serve a **specialised mission** while remaining part of the collective whole.
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### The Dual Structure of Levidian Power:

The **Levidier** (Ent society) is built on a **dual-core model**:

## 1. The Leadership Core – The Table (36):

These are the official **sigil-bearing Levidians**, also known as the **Levidian Family**. They form the **governing, strategic, and spiritual backbone** of the Ent.

## 2. The Greater Society – The Levidian Network (~320–420):

These are the loyal contributors, workers, and allies who **uphold, expand, and enable the Empire** through skilled roles, service, and cultural dedication. They do not all bear sigils but are part of the Ent's living organism.

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*“The Table decides the direction. The Society carries the movement.”*

This two-part structure allows the Ent to operate with elite leadership **and** a vast operational network, combining **vision with execution**, and **legacy with evolution**

# 8.0 The Table – The 36 Sigils

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At the heart of the Ent Empire lies a governing elite known as “**The Levidian Table**,” also referred to as the **Levidian Family or Vai Esh**. This council is comprised of **36 sigil-bearing members**, each entrusted with vital responsibilities and authority across the Ent. Their power is symbolised by **animal sigils**, which represent the legacy, attributes, and bloodlines of each foundational family. Though their Sigils are ranked at different levels.

These 36 sigils form the leadership body of the Ent and are tasked with:

- Enabling the Ent to remain **strong, secure, and profitable**
- Leading missions and teams
- Making strategic decisions on behalf of the Empire
- Representing the culture, values, and interests of the Levidian world

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## 8.1 Generational Structure

The **36 Levidian sigils** that form the Table of Ent are **divided across four generational cohorts**, each consisting of approximately **nine active sigils**. These generations reflect not only the historical development of the Ent Empire but also the evolution of its values, challenges, and leadership dynamics over time.

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## The Four Generations of Levidian Sigils:

- ☐ **The Originals**

*The founding generation; the cornerstones of the Ent Empire.*

These sigils were the first to rise and establish the foundational philosophy, structure, and loyalty systems of the Ent. They are revered as ancestral powerhouses and cultural anchors.

- ☐ **The Nets**

*The second generation, representing growth and stabilisation.*

The Nets emerged as the Empire began expanding its operations and influence. They helped professionalise systems, strengthen alliances, and bring consistency to Ent practices.

- ☐ **The Infinities**

*The third generation, embodying expansion and diversity.*

These sigils brought innovation, boldness, and reach—stretching the Empire’s presence across borders and domains. They are often associated with globalisation, creativity, and adaptability.

- ☐ **The Unnamed**

*The most recent generation, marked by evolving identities and emerging leadership.*

These sigils are still forming their legacy. Representing modernity, fluid identity, and future leadership, they are reshaping what it means to be Levidian in a changing world.

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## Why the Generational Structure Matters:

Each generation brings its **own energy, perspective, and role**—while remaining interconnected through shared values and historical respect. Older generations carry wisdom and authority; newer generations carry innovation and momentum.

This structure allows the Ent Empire to remain **multigenerational, adaptive, and resilient**, while always preserving its spiritual and cultural lineage.

*“We are the bridge between what was, what is, and what must come next.”*

## 8.2 Subgroups and Factions

Within the Table of Ent—made up of 36 sigil-bearing Levidians—exist several **elite operational factions**, each with its own unique **mission, focus, and strategic purpose**. These internal groups organise the Table into specialised arms, ensuring every pillar of the Ent Empire is supported with precision and strength.

These are not general teams—they are **high-level sub-organisations**, sometimes cross-generational, that operate at the **core of Ent leadership**. Together, they form the unified operational body known in Levidian language as:

**Vai’Esh Na** — *“The Sigil Bearers”*

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## Key Subgroups Include:

- **Levidian Al She’Ahd** – Guardianship, discipline, protection, and order
  - **Levidian Sah’Gem** – Strategy, tactical operations, and large-scale execution
  - **Vai Esh** – The structured council system and cultural advisors
  - **Cru’ix** – Coordinators of mission implementation and internal cohesion
  - **Sha’Vahri** (*formerly The Guild*) – Builders of commerce, wealth, and infrastructure
  - **Vel’Kareth** (*formerly The Sages*) – Cultural designers and keepers of heritage
  - **Ae’Raen** (*formerly The Clandestines*) – Intelligence, research, and global networks
  - **Zehn’Lorai** – Legal advisors, record-keepers, and educators of Levidian law
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## Purpose of These Subgroups:

Each subgroup exists to **uphold a fundamental domain of the Ent Empire**, with overlapping responsibilities that allow for collaborative governance, mission alignment, and strategic foresight. While all members of the Table serve the Ent, those aligned with these factions take on **specialised roles that shape the Empire’s operations, diplomacy, and internal growth**.

*"The Vai’Esh Na is not just a council. It is a living system of order, loyalty, wisdom, and advancement—designed to endure through generations."*

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## 8.3 Societal Support: The 320–420

Beneath the leadership of the 36 sigil-bearing members of the Table of Ent lies a powerful and committed force of approximately **320 to 420 dedicated contributors**. These individuals form the **broader operational backbone** of the Ent Empire and the Levidian Society.

Though they may not hold sigils or formal seats at the Table, their roles are **critical to the day-to-day functioning, growth, and expansion** of the Empire.

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## Key Characteristics of the Support Network:

- **Essential Roles:**  
These individuals work across various domains—administration, media, logistics, hospitality, development, technology, legal affairs, and more. Their skills **ensure that plans are executed and visions come to life**.
- **Empowerment Through Ent Influence:**  
Members of the support network are **compensated and uplifted** using the Ent’s vast ecosystem—this includes financial payment, opportunity creation, skill development, and access to elite resources and partnerships.

- **Aligned with Levidian Principles:**

Even without sigils, these contributors often **embody the values, philosophy, and mission** of the Ent. They are part of the extended Levidian family in both spirit and action.

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*“Not everyone sits at the Table—but many uphold it.”*

These contributors represent the **living society** of the Ent—an ecosystem where loyalty is rewarded, service is respected, and **every role contributes to the collective rise**.

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## 8.4 Profit and Shares

The Ent Empire is not only a cultural and societal movement—it is also a **financial ecosystem** designed to reward those who contribute to its rise and stability. **\*\*Profits generated across all sectors of the Ent—from internal businesses to external partnerships and investments—are carefully calculated, consolidated, and distributed among those who hold recognised positions of value.**

At the heart of this distribution model is a commitment to both **legacy and merit**.

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### Share Allocation is Based On:

- **The Power of One’s Sigil**  
(Higher-tier sigils such as Great or High Houses receive greater weight in the share system)
  - **Personal or Family Effectiveness**  
(How consistently one or their lineage has contributed to the Ent's success)
  - **Capability and Measurable Contribution**  
(Not just status—results. Leadership, operations, influence, loyalty, or innovation)
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This structure ensures that the Ent remains both **honour-based and performance-driven**. Legacy is respected, but contribution is essential. Whether you’re a founding house or a rising sigil, your **share of wealth reflects your impact**.

*“What you build with us, you eat with us. Ent rewards not only your name, but your effort.”*

This model provides **generational wealth opportunities** for active Levidians, while also creating **incentives for excellence, loyalty, and leadership** at every level of the Table.

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## 8.5 Political Structure and Leadership

Although the **Table of Ent** often functions democratically, with key decisions discussed and voted on by sigil holders, the Empire is ultimately guided by a **central political triad**—three powerful entities that provide leadership, direction, and structure at the highest level.

This triad includes:

- **The Primes** – Visionaries and supreme stewards of the Ent
  - **The Al She’Ahd** – Guardians and protectors of order and continuity
  - **The Cru’ix** – Strategists and stabilisers of internal cohesion and tactical progress
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### The Primes of Ent

The current **Primes**—**Vae’Ron** and **Lin’Aris**—are the Empire’s highest spiritual and philosophical leaders. All sigil bearers formally **pledge their loyalty to one of the Primes**, and each Prime pledges back to those sigils in return.

This **mutual bond** is more than symbolic—it is designed to:

- **Create loyalty and alignment**
- **Prevent infighting or division between houses**
- **Protect the unity of the Ent against emotional or political tension**

This system ensures that while individual leaders may differ in style, personality, or belief, they remain **unified under the Ent’s greater vision**.

*The Triad does not replace the Table—it steers it. Where the Table decides together, the Triad ensures the ship stays on course.*

## 8.6 Public vs. Private Sigil Members

While every sigil bearer holds a formal place within the Table of Ent, **not all are publicly visible**. Public-facing Levidians—those who appear in media, events, or represent the brand externally—are **specially appointed individuals** who have demonstrated the ability to embody the **culture, nuance, and public image** of the Ent Empire.

These individuals are known as **Public Levidians**, and they are **licensed** to represent the Empire in official external capacities.

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**Duties of a Public Levidian may include:**

- Attending public, political, or cultural events

- Speaking on behalf of the Ent Empire and the Levidian family
  - Representing Ent values in media or international forums
  - Brokering partnerships, acquisitions, and diplomatic alliances
  - Acting as brand ambassadors in a global context
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Importantly, being a sigil bearer **does not automatically qualify someone for public roles**. Selection for public representation is based on:

- Communication skill
- Public image and decorum
- Strategic understanding of Ent values and diplomacy
- Ability to navigate external perception and maintain brand integrity

Some sigil holders may choose to remain **private Levidians**, playing vital roles behind the scenes, focusing on leadership, development, or internal guidance.

*Public Levidians are not just visible—they are intentional. They are chosen not for titles, but for what they represent to the world beyond the Empire.*

## 8.7 Legal and Operational Commitments

- **All members of the Table sign formal contracts** to be eligible for their role.
- Each sigil holder **leads teams, missions, or operations** that directly impact the Ent Empire's progress.
- These leaders are driven not only by duty but by the shared goal of leaving behind a legacy of **achievement, wealth, and generational prosperity**.

Membership within the Table of Ent is not symbolic—it is formal, structured, and governed by clear legal and operational expectations. Each of the 36 sigil holders is required to sign official Ent contracts that confirm their eligibility and commitment to the responsibilities of their role. These contracts outline the expectations, privileges, and standards required of those entrusted with power in the Ent Empire.

Every sigil-bearing Levidian is tasked with leading teams, missions, or operations that directly influence the progress and stability of the Empire. Whether through business, cultural stewardship, recruitment, or diplomacy, these leaders operate as active architects of Ent advancement, not passive figureheads.

Their motivation is not rooted solely in duty, but in the shared pursuit of legacy. Each sigil holder carries the vision of building something that will endure—a legacy of honour, generational wealth, cultural relevance, and societal empowerment. In this way, operational leadership within the Ent is both a sacred trust and a strategic assignment, binding each sigil member to a vision greater than themselves.

## 8.8 Generational Breakdown

- **The Originals** – Lions, Swans, Ox, etc.
- **The Nets** – Falcon, Deer, Jaguar, etc.
- **The Infinities** – Owl, Viper, Elephant, etc.
- **The Unnamed** – Confidential roles



### The First Generation

Known as the original lords and ladies of Levidier. The first of the Family. They built and continue to build the foundations on which all else stands.

The Lions: Seat of Vae'Ron (Prime all sect), The Swans: Seat of Li'Naris (Prime Al She'Ahd), The Forest Wolf: seat of Des'iah, The Dolphin: Seat of O'Cen, The Ox: Seat of Za'Hari, The Bear: Seat of Di'Ursa, The Mountain Wolf: Seat of Veh'Lore, The Tiger: Seat of Tal'Vien, The Silverback: Seat of Sil'Viore.

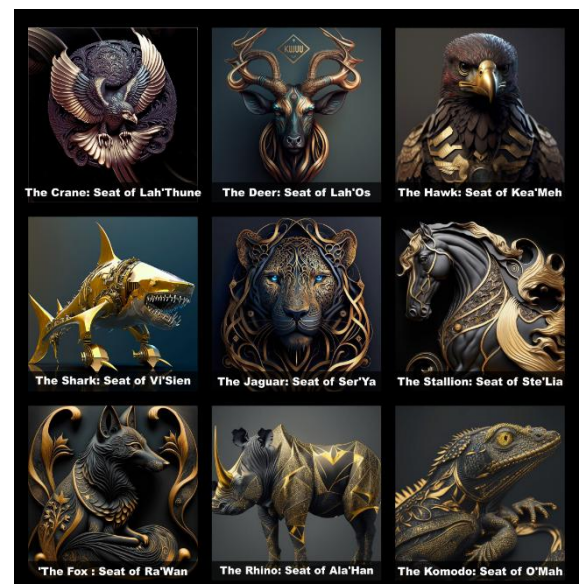
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### The Second Generation

They were essential to the stability Growth and strength of our family During the Net uncertainty. And you continue to be by handling matters and missions in our alternative areas of business, and Investments.

The Falcon: Seat of Mih'en, The Deer: Seat of Lah'os, The Hawk: Seat of Kea'Meh, The Shark: Seat of Vi'Sien, The Jaguar: Seat of Ser'Ya, The Stallion: Seat of Ste'Lia, The Fox: Seat of Ra'Wan, The Rhino: Seat of Ala'Han, The Komodo: Seat of O'Mah

DEHARA Levidier!





### **The Third Generation**

The men and women that built Infinity! These men and women possess a level of power, qualities, strengths, skills, and capability that has not been often seen since the first generation.

The Owl: Seat of Na'Tier, The Viper: Seat of Tehl'En, The Ram: Seat of Bel'Azu, The Butterfly: Seat of Al'Zeya, The Beetle: Seat of An'Ori, The Hare: Seat of O'Sah, The Dog: Seat of Tah'Al, The Scorpion: Seat of Di'Ej, The Elephant: Seat of Ka'Hi

DEHARA Levidier!

### **The Fourth Generation**

They and their roles must remain unnamed, but they are essential to our standing!



### **Subgroups and Factions**

Within the Table, sigil members are organized into elite subgroups with distinct missions and focuses. These include, but are not limited to:

- Levidian Al She'Ahd
- Levidian Sah'Gem
- Vai Esh
- Cru'ix

- Sha'Vahri
- Vel'Kareth
- Zehn'Lorai
- Keth'Anari

Together, these factions constitute the operational body of Ent leadership—known in Levidian language as **Vai'Esh Na (The Sigil Bearers)**.

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## 9.0 Hierarchy and Governance

### Leadership

- **Primes** (Vae'Ron & Lin'Aris)
- **Al She'Ahd** (Guardianship)
- **Sah'Gem** (Strategy)

### 9.1 Leadership of the Ent Empire: The Triad of Power

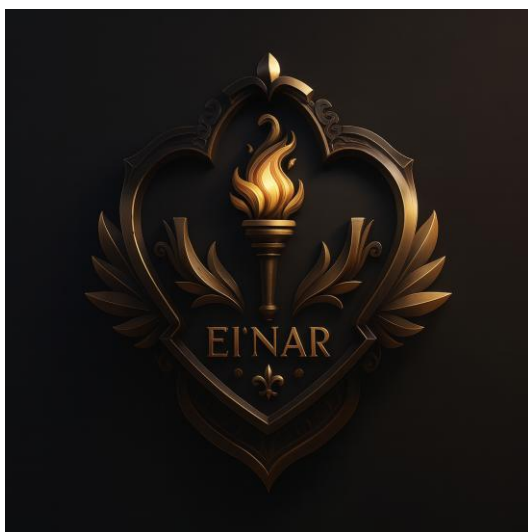
At the highest level of the Ent Empire sits a sacred and strategic triad—three distinct yet interdependent forces that guide, protect, and advance the mission of the Ent. These are not just leadership roles; they are **pillars of power** that reflect the symbolic, strategic, and practical dimensions of governance.

This triad is composed of:

- **The Al She'Ahd** – *Guardians*
- **The Primes** – *Planners*
- **The Sah'Gem** – *Executioners*

Together, they form the **nerve centre of the Table of Ent**, ensuring that decisions are protected, guided by wisdom, and carried out with precision.

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### 9.2 The Primes – The Planners and Visionaries

The **Primes** are the **strategic minds and architects** of the Ent Empire. They hold the long-view. Tasked with planning the future of the Empire, they are responsible for the **big picture**, guiding the direction of the Table and ensuring that the Ent remains aligned with its deeper purpose.

The two current Primes are:

- **Vae'Ron**
- **Lin'Aris**

**Their responsibilities include:**

- Mapping long-term goals and geopolitical positioning
- Maintaining unity and alignment between houses and factions
- Acting as supreme overseers of all Levidian operations
- Balancing individual ambitions with collective purpose

*“We see the whole board. Not just the next move, but the endgame. And we do not play to survive—we play to ascend.”*



### 9.3 Al She'Ahd – The Guardians of the Empire

The **Al She'Ahd** serve as the **shield and backbone** of the Ent Empire. They are the guardians of its people, its values, and its integrity. Charged with **preserving order and honour**, they ensure that the Ent remains stable, secure, and unified—especially in times of uncertainty or internal tension.

**Their responsibilities include:**

- Protecting the Ent's internal structure and membership
- Ensuring moral, ethical, and cultural alignment
- Defending the empire against threats (internal or external)
- Serving as spiritual protectors of the Ent's foundational truths

*“We are the wall, the weight, and the watchtower. Where others may hesitate, we hold the line.”*

### 9.4 Sah'Gem – The Executioners and Strategists



The **Sah'Gem** are the **executioners of Ent will**. Once a vision is crafted and a direction is set, it is the Sah'Gem who act. They convert ambition into action, plans into operations, and ideas into measurable outcomes. They are trusted to move **without hesitation** and carry out missions that determine the course of the empire.

**Their responsibilities include:**

- Executing strategic plans and enforcing critical decisions
- Leading operations and high-stakes missions

- Translating the vision of the Primes into real-world impact
- Eliminating threats, obstacles, or inefficiencies that stand in the way of progress

*“Where others pause, we strike. Where others hesitate, we advance. We are not the shadow—we are the flame.”*

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## □ Balance and Power

While each of these three bodies holds immense individual power, it is their **collaborative balance** that allows the Ent Empire to thrive:

- **The Al She’Ahd protect the path**
- **The Primes plan the path**
- **The Sah’Gem walk the path—and clear it when necessary**

Together, they ensure that **no part of the Ent acts blindly, unguarded, or without purpose**. They form the command structure that **unifies strength, intelligence, and vision**—the core of the Ent’s unshakable leadership.

**“With shield, with mind, with blade—we rise. We plan. We protect. We execute. This is the Triad. This is Ent.”**

Sigil are pledged to Primes, and in return, the Prime pledges to each sigil. This **mutual bond** prevents personal conflicts between individuals and houses from impeding collective progress and ensures alignment despite individual differences or emotional tensions.

Together, these groups alongside others form the **Table of Ent**—the central decision-making body composed of Levidian sigil holders. This table governs the most important internal and external matters of the Ent Empire.

Some table members serve in public-facing roles and are known as **Public Levidiers**, more commonly referred to as **The Levidian Family** or **The Family of Ent**.

## 9.5 Hemispheric Table Model

- **North** – Classic Men (Builders)
- **South** – New Age Men (Ambassadors)
- **East** – Internal Women (Strategists)
- **West** – External Women (Diplomats)

The Table is further divided into **four hemispheres**, each with distinct sociopolitical and economic functions:

- **North (The Classic Men)** – Uphold traditional values, build internal and external infrastructure, and represent the foundational modes of operation. Known as the “mothers’ men,” they embody dependability, legacy, and structure.
- **South (The New Age Men)** – More liberal and adaptive, these men engage externally, acting as liaisons and public figures across different societal sectors. They shape contemporary outreach and integration.
- **East (The Internal Women)** – Focused on asset acquisition, internal strategy, and operational continuity. They play pivotal roles in managing Ent businesses and ensuring their growth and protection.
- **West (The External Women)** – Strategic representatives of the Ent in society at large. They gather intelligence, cultivate alliances, and open doors to new opportunities while preserving the empire’s influence.

This hemispheric breakdown allows the Table to remain balanced and strategic, honouring both tradition and innovation, internal strength and external reach.

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## 9.6 Wealth & Shares

- Shares are based on contribution, presence, capability
- No job is greater than another—only effectiveness matters
- Wealth is both symbolic and practical

## 9.7 Wealth & Shares in the Ent Empire

In the Ent Empire, **wealth is not only measured in currency or assets**—it is also defined by contribution, presence, effectiveness, and legacy. The distribution of power, access, and reward is based on meritocratic principles, where symbolism and practicality coexist to form a unique economic and philosophical system.

## 9.8 Share Allocation and Power Structure

All profits and resources generated within the Ent Empire—whether from internal companies, strategic ventures, or broader Levidian initiatives—are calculated and **consolidated into a central wealth pool**. From this pool, **shares are distributed to members based on the following criteria**:

- **Contribution** – Tangible output, service to the Ent, and completed missions or tasks.
- **Presence** – Level of visibility, leadership, or active influence within the society.
- **Capability** – Measurable skill, intelligence, reliability, and execution under pressure.
- **Legacy and House Power** – The historical and current effectiveness of the member's sigil or bloodline.

This ensures that **those who drive the empire forward receive proportional reward**, and that **both historical weight and present-day effectiveness** are equally respected.

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## 9.9 Equality in Role, Hierarchy in Output

A foundational rule in the Ent Empire is this:

**“No job is more important than any other. Only the effectiveness in performing it matters.”**

This principle ensures that Levidian value is never assigned based on title alone. For example:

- A Levidian lawyer who fails to secure contracts or protect the empire’s interests is less valuable than a janitor who maintains the integrity of Ent headquarters to the highest standard.
- A strategist who does not follow through is outranked by a technician who executes flawlessly and consistently.

**Effectiveness over ego. Performance over position.**

By maintaining this meritocratic view, the Ent Empire preserves both **operational efficiency** and **spiritual humility**, recognising that the Empire functions best as a machine—each role is a gear, and when all gears turn effectively, the empire runs at full strength.

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## 9.10 Dual Nature of Wealth: Symbolic and Practical

Just as the phoenix represents duality—**Dratuem (spiritual)** and **Aresha (physical)**—so too does wealth within the Ent carry two forms:

- **Symbolic Wealth:** Respect, honour, legacy, access, loyalty, public recognition, spiritual empowerment, and emotional support. This wealth is seen in titles, trust, roles, and esteem within the Ent society.
- **Practical Wealth:** Shares of profit, direct financial reward, access to Ent resources, housing, employment opportunities, funding for ventures, and economic empowerment.

Both forms are essential. One **fuels the soul** of the Levidian path, and the other **builds the infrastructure** of the Ent Empire.

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## 9.11 Purpose of Wealth Distribution

Wealth within the Ent is not hoarded. It is redistributed strategically to:

- Support members in times of need (e.g. bills, business support, emergencies).
- Fund new ventures and empower rising Levidians.
- Reward consistency, innovation, and loyalty.
- Ensure all who contribute to the machine benefit from its success.

The ultimate goal of wealth in the Ent is **collective elevation**. If one rises, all rise. If one falls, the family moves to lift them—because **as long as we stand together, we never fall alone**.

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## 10. Recruitment & Access

- Open access ended after early misuse
- Entry is now earned via trials, value, and commitment
- *The Train* metaphor: hold on, prove yourself, then be let in

### Recruitment & Access in the Ent Empire

The journey into the Ent Empire is not one of entitlement—it is one of **endurance, value, and evolution**. While the origins of the Ent were inclusive and open to all, time, experience, and hard-earned lessons have shaped a new path: **access must now be earned**.

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#### 10.1 The Early Open-Door Era

In its earliest incarnation, the Ent operated similarly to a youth centre—**welcoming anyone with a dream**, passion, or creative ambition. This was a time of pure intention, where the Empire invested in people based on hope and potential alone.

However, this period revealed difficult truths:

- **Resources were misused**
- **Loans were not returned**
- **Investments were wasted or exploited**
- **Valuable equipment was sold off without accountability**

Despite good intentions, **unrestricted access allowed the wrong people to misuse the right resources**, ultimately threatening the very foundation of the Ent itself.

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#### 10.2 The Transformation of Access

In response, the Ent Empire evolved its recruitment philosophy.

*“Before you can live in a castle, you must be strong, smart, and wise enough to climb the mountain it sits upon.”*

This principle now guides all future entry. Access is no longer guaranteed—it must be **earned through action, loyalty, and demonstrated value**. Just as fire refines gold, the

recruitment process is now a crucible: those who pass through it are stronger, more committed, and aligned with the values of the Levidian path.

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### 10.3 The Train Philosophy

The Ent's new approach to recruitment is best represented through the **Train Metaphor**:

**The Ent is a train, heading toward a destination called Success.**

- The train stops at certain stations—**moments of opportunity**.
- Those at the station may try to grab hold.
- **If they endure the storms, the heat, the darkness—if they hold on long enough—the doors will eventually open.**
- They will then be **welcomed aboard**.

However, not everyone is destined to stay. Those who cannot endure, contribute, or align with the mission will be **let off at the next station—with love, respect, and gratitude**.

**“Only the best stay. And the best are not the most educated or the most connected—they are those who serve, support, and persist with heart, loyalty, and purpose.”**

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### 10.4 Recruitment Today

The recruitment journey now follows a **deliberate, layered process**:

- **Observation:** Are they useful, aligned, and valuable?
- **Trial:** Can they be trusted to endure pressure and deliver results?
- **Naming:** Do they deserve an Ent name and entry into the Levidian society?
- **Elevation:** Will they rise through merit, contribution, and loyalty?

No one skips these steps. **Even talent must prove itself. Even greatness must be tested.**

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### 10.5 The End Goal

The purpose of restricted access is not exclusion—it is **protection, preservation, and legacy**. The Ent is no longer a field where anyone can wander; it is a moving force, a sovereign system. And those who make it aboard are not merely passengers.

**They are family. They are fire-born. They are Ent.**

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## 11. Each Levidier Is tasked with-

1. Always Expanding and raising the Ent, its reach, its capability, and security.
2. Securing the members of this family and the foundations this family is built on.
3. To make decisions and moves that secures the future of the Ent and its members.
4. To do no harm unless acting willingly or knowingly in Defence or protection of self or other entities.
5. To contribute, support and help the society and community at large in big and small ways.
6. To protect the core foundations of the Ent such as Unity, Nobility, Honesty, Prosperity, Excellence Power, and Compassion
7. To leave a positive impact on the world and work to symbolise and represent the best of yourself and humanity.
8. To symbolise hope and second chances and set a standard others may aim to hit or build upon.
9. To use our platform to give a voice to those without one and shed light on issues that require social change.
10. To always Expand and raise the Ent, its reach, its capability, and security.
11. To Secure the members of this family and the foundations this family is built on.
12. To make decisions and moves that secures the future of the Ent and its members.



### **PILLAR OF LEADERSHIP**

Maintained by the  
Lion's house.



### **PILLAR OF BALANCE**

Maintained by the  
Swans.



### **PILLAR OF KNOWLEDGE**

Maintained by the  
Forest Wolves.



### **PILLAR OF SECURITY**

Maintained by the  
Oxen.



### **PILLAR OF STABILITY**

Maintained by the  
Oxen.



### **PILLAR OF CARE**

Maintained by the  
Bear clan.



### **PILLAR OF UNITY**

Maintained by the  
White Wolves.



### **PILLAR OF DIVERSITY**

Maintained by the  
Gorilla clan.



### **PILLAR OF IMAGERY**

Maintained by  
Tigers.

## 12. Pillars of the Ent Empire

Each great house of the Ent Empire is entrusted with a symbolic responsibility known as a **Pillar**. These pillars uphold and maintain the spiritual, philosophical, economic, and strategic framework of the Ent. Each pillar is more than just a duty—it is a sacred contract; a purpose etched into the legacy of a House.

Together, the Pillars form the unified system that enables the Ent to thrive. Each House maintains its own piece of this great engine, and through faithful stewardship, they ensure the Ent remains indestructible.



### **The Diamond**

**House:** Lions

**Pillar of Leadership**

**Symbolism:** Substance, transformation, pressure into greatness.

The Diamond represents the very heart of the Ent's executive power. It is a symbol of resilience forged under pressure, a beacon of hope, value, and guidance. Those who bear this pillar are stewards of vision and captains of legacy.



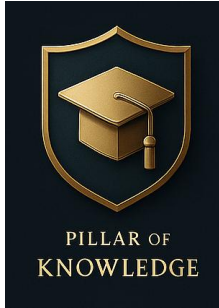
### **The Scales**

**House:** Swans

**Pillar of Constitution**

**Symbolism:** Balance, fairness, accountability.

The Scales are entrusted with economic order, just distribution, and policy integrity. They ensure the empire remains fair and efficient in its structure and dealings.



### 🎓 The Graduate Hat

**House:** Forest Wolves

**Pillar of Knowledge**

**Symbolism:** Learning, skill, wisdom.

This pillar safeguards the Ent's vast knowledge and advances its ever-growing understanding. It ensures the empire evolves through innovation and critical thought.



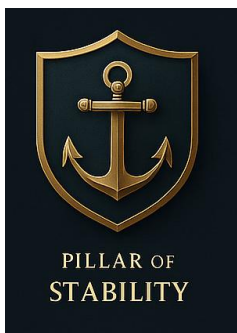
### 🔒 The Lock

**House:** Dolphins

**Pillar of Security**

**Symbolism:** Protection, secrecy, oversight.

The Lock guards the Ent's secrets and shields its assets. It prevents misuse, ensures integrity of information, and acts as the gatekeeper of sensitive domains.



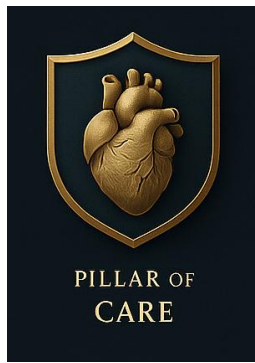
### ⚓ The Anchor

**House:** Oxen

**Pillar of Stability**

**Symbolism:** Foundation, law, rootedness.

The Anchor signifies unshakable order. It holds the Ent in place and ensures venues, acquisitions, and bylaws are grounded in discipline and durability.



## ♥ The Heart

**House:** Bears

**Pillar of Care**

**Symbolism:** Compassion, well-being, history.

This pillar nurtures the Ent's soul. It protects the emotional, spiritual, and historical wellbeing of all its members and ensures no soul is left behind.



## 🤝 The Hands of Unity

**House:** White Wolves

**Pillar of Unity**

**Symbolism:** Bridges, alliance, mutual upliftment.

The White Wolves foster alliances both within and beyond the Ent. They ensure that solidarity and goodwill flow through all ranks and realms.



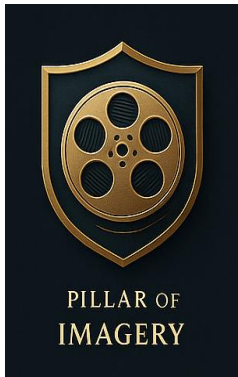
## 💰 The Money Bag

**House:** Silverback Gorillas

**Pillar of Diversity**

**Symbolism:** Strategy, contingency, investment.

The Money Bag safeguards financial flexibility, overseeing emergency planning, alternative income, and entrepreneurial foresight.



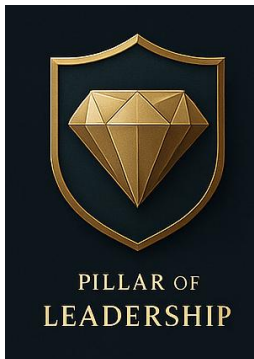
## The Eye of the Tiger

**House:** Tigers

### **Pillar of Imagery**

**Symbolism:** Technology, creativity, digital dominion.

This pillar ensures the Ent stays on the cutting edge of media and technology. It shapes public narrative, cultivates influence, and crafts new realms of representation.

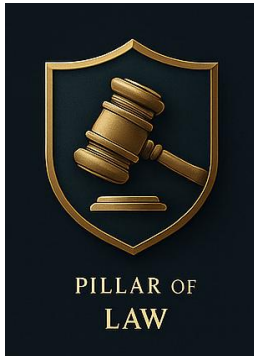


## The Lens

### **Pillar of Digital Content Management and Creation**

**Symbolism:** Storytelling, curation, consistency.

This pillar oversees the Ent's content platforms and digital assets, ensuring their alignment with vision and excellence across all forms.



## The Gavel

### **Pillar of Law**

**Symbolism:** Justice, structure, order.

This pillar represents the legal conscience of the Ent. It protects rights, enforces boundaries, and preserves the honour of the code.



## **The Torch**

### **Pillar of External Representation and Connection**

**Symbolism:** Light, diplomacy, bridge-building.

This pillar leads outreach, partnerships, and ambassadorial engagements. It keeps the Ent visible, respected, and connected.



## **The Banner**

### **Pillar of Maintenance and Events**

**Symbolism:** Celebration, structure, flow.

This pillar handles internal operations, meetings, and celebrations. It ensures Ent's rhythm, presence, and order.



## **The Seal**

### **Pillar of Quality Assurance and Recruitment**

**Symbolism:** Integrity, inspection, refinement.

This pillar upholds the standards of all Ent representations—its platforms, people, and public presence.



## The Beacon

### **Pillar of Sponsorship and Funding**

**Symbolism:** Attraction, opportunity, stewardship.

The Beacon seeks and secures the resources necessary to expand the reach and capacity of the Ent.



## The Reel

### **Pillar of Media Co-ordination and Management**

**Symbolism:** Direction, production, message.

This pillar ensures cohesive media across Ent's visuals, content, and campaigns—managing production and messaging.

*Each pillar shall be accompanied by a visual crest or emblem designed to capture the spirit of its house and its role. These sigils shall be inscribed, displayed, and honored as the living glyphs of the Ent Empire.*

## **13. Core Directives (Clouds of Ent)**

Each Levidian must uphold:

1. Expand and secure the Ent
2. Protect members and foundations
3. Make strategic decisions
4. Do no harm unless in defense
5. Serve society and community
6. Embody values: Unity, Nobility, Power, Compassion
7. Leave a legacy
8. Symbolise second chances

9. Give a voice to the voiceless
10. Act in vision, not ego

## The Levidian Code of Conduct: Directives of the Flame

Every Levidian walks with power, but that power must be directed. The strength of the Ent Empire is not just built on wealth or knowledge—it is built on **principle, purpose, and conduct**. To hold the name *Levidian* is to commit to a set of standards that guide our decisions, our relationships, and our legacy.

These ten directives, known as the **Clouds of Ent**, form the ethical, spiritual, and strategic code of the Levidian path. Every true member of the Ent Empire is expected to understand, embody, and uphold these principles in thought, speech, and action.

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### Directive 1: Expand and secure the Ent

A Levidian must always work to increase the reach, influence, security, and capability of the Ent Empire. Whether through strategy, service, innovation, or loyalty—our role is to build and protect the foundation that empowers us all. The Ent must always rise.

*“To be Levidian is to be a builder of realms—each action should strengthen the Empire’s core.”*

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### Directive 2: Protect the Members and Foundations

The Ent is a family. Protecting the well-being of fellow Levidians and safeguarding the legacy we’ve built is non-negotiable. Our strength lies in unity. Betrayal, neglect, or complacency weakens the structure that holds us all.

*“The rise of one must not come at the fall of another—when one Levidian suffers, we all bleed.”*

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### Directive 3: Make Strategic, Long-Term Decisions

Every choice must consider the future of the Ent. Our decisions are not made for personal convenience but for generational benefit. We play chess, not checkers—every move must have purpose and foresight.

*“Do not act in haste. Think of tomorrow’s cost before making today’s gain.”*

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## Directive 4: Do No Harm, Unless in Defence

We do not initiate harm. We are not here to break the world—but to build within it. However, if attacked or wronged, we protect ourselves and our people with full force and righteousness. Mercy is a choice; protection is a duty.

*“The flame only burns what tries to burn it first.”*

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## Directive 5: Serve Society and Community

A Levidian exists not only to grow personally but to elevate others. We contribute to the world—locally and globally—through service, leadership, empowerment, and presence. This is how we symbolise hope.

*“Greatness is not what you gain—it is who you lift while rising.”*

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## Directive 6: Embody Core Levidian Values

Every Levidian is expected to uphold and embody the values that define us:

**Unity. Nobility. Honesty. Prosperity. Excellence. Power. Compassion.**

These are not suggestions—they are *standards*. We hold the flame and must burn with integrity.

*“Your name is not just yours—it carries the flame of all who walked before you.”*

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## Directive 7: Leave a Legacy

Your presence in the Ent Empire must echo beyond your lifetime. Whether through wealth, wisdom, mentorship, or achievement—you must leave something behind that others may stand upon.

*“You were not born to pass through—you were born to leave a mark.”*

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## Directive 8: Symbolise Second Chances

The Ent Empire is built by those who turned pain into power. We believe in rebirth, restoration, and redemption. You must not only embrace your own evolution but also be a vessel through which others find theirs.

*“We rise from ashes—so we never fear fire.”*

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### **Directive 9: Give a Voice to the Voiceless**

We speak for those who cannot speak. We shine light on injustice, amplify truth, and bring protection to the forgotten. Our platform is a responsibility, not a spotlight.

*“We are the mic in the hand of the unheard.”*

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### **Directive 10: Act in Vision, Not Ego**

Personal pride must never override purpose. When ego leads, empires fall. When vision leads, empires rise. A true Levidian acts for the cause, the community, and the legacy—not applause.

*“Do not seek to be seen—seek to see clearly and be seen through what you build.”*

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### **Closing Statement**

To live by these directives is to walk the true Levidian path.  
To betray them is to extinguish your own flame.

**This is the Levidian Code.  
This is the way of the Ent.  
In life. In death. And beyond.**

**Dehara Levidier.** □

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## **14. Final Reflections: The Levidiers**

### **TO THOSE WHO HAVE BEEN THERE**

Achievement. Often when we think of this word, we often think of the mountains we've climbed, the challenges we've overcome, the ground we've taken, the pain we felt and those moments that tested and defined us. Every moment we have to make a choice to keep on going. Often, what may not be remembered however, is those people who helped you get there, those people who makes it all worth it.

Those people who enabled your achievements, who helped you climb those mountains, who formed a ladder so you could climb over those obstacles, and having nothing but faith you'd pull them over too. People who sacrifice not for reward but because they want you to be good for no reason but love. Those people can often be minimised or forgotten but not here, not these people not with us.

It was previously mentioned we all make a choice to keep on going. But for me it wasn't always a choice, to honour these people their contributions and their sacrifice I had to keep going. To honour their love, their respect, their belief, their loyalty, and trust I had a duty and that defined me. And that gave me the gift of being far more than meets the eye. truly I am who I am because of these people and so many more.

So today I want you them to be known, not to judge them, not to compare them, but to recognise their character and why to me at least they are exceptional. And why throughout almost every fight I've had for a large part of life physical metaphorical or otherwise one or all of them has been there to help me fight the battle and celebrate the victory.

“Show me your people and I will tell you who you are so I will show you my people in the Hope's house will understand who I am.”

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## 15. Appendices & Online References

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**Dehara Levidier.**