

Songs of Honour Debriefing

Gentlemen and ladies, we are met to discuss the plans going forward for the subjugation and destruction of all Ghostblood elements within the town of Notemos. Now, I won't pretend this will be an easy assignment. We know very little about our enemy; we know nothing about them, their language, their history or what they look like. But we can assume this: they stand for everything we don't stand for.

Wyrmlhero (GM)

Stick/Ecthelion III (Shadow)

Magestar/Straw (Spy)

TheMightyLopen/OrlokTsubodai (None)

Actions:

Shadow: Orlok

Spy: Phattemer, with any luck.

Kill: Stink

Day 1

Hello important people (Stick, Mage, Lopen) and unimportant people (Me, Straw & Orlok)!

Seems a tad mean. A good ally would at least pretend they're important.

Is it mean if it's myself?

Eh, maybe. Depends on the levels of self-loathing involved. Still, they have important parts to play in planning and helping to direct the village and so on. The Night turn isn't useless, even for those who are entirely Roleless.

Hopefully you guys live on the same side of the world as your compadres. I'm going to check the master doc.

I'm in the US and Stick is Middle East. So, I don't see much quality communication on our end. Magestar and Straw are both US. Lopen is US and Orlok is UK. So, kind of close there, depending on which side of the country Lopen lives on.

It's rare I get to talk to anyone that often, so you're lucky to have 4/6 in similar timezones. I can count the people on GMT on one hand and still have fingers left over.

4/6?

4 US people.

True.

Anyway. Speaking of timezones, it is half eleven, and while I can literally crawl out of bed to work, I do need to sleep.

Half eleven?

Yes?

Does that mean 11:30?

Yes, it's half past eleven.

Must be a UK thing.

You guys say something slightly different, yeah. It's just shorthand for half past. Anyway, goodnight.

Goodnight.

To my fellows: I likely won't be doing too much this game, seeing as I can't speak in thread and I won't be talking back and forth with my partner. General strategy then. First order of business is to decide whether the Shadow ability is worth using on myself and another player, or just two other players. Shadow is yourself and one other player, not any two players.

I'll probably be going to sleep shortly, but do have a reasonable degree of overlap with the US. I tend to stay up very late to talk to EI, and given we are normally able to communicate a vast amount every day, don't anticipate timezones presenting too much of an issue this game.

I will note that we'll want to consider how we approach EI very carefully. She is exceptionally good at reading me, and knows how I think in elimination games, particularly since having seen my AG3 spreadsheet - I believe she's now read all 700+ rows of it. I'd already warned her that I won't be doing a spreadsheet for this game, but she remains a major threat to me.

Lovely.

This ain't your color, Ecth. You can't have it.

I hope to do some more strategizing and stuff tomorrow, but now is typically about when I stop doing computer things.

Hi, this is Straw.

'Ello. This is gonna be fun. >:D

It is!

It's not nearly 1am, and I've just used up a lot of energy on posting in LG31, so will probably head to sleep now. I look forward to returning to a busy doc!

I haven't been evil in a while. Cool. :) I'm more afraid of bringing you down with me than the other way around Orlok. I do not have a very good track record as an eliminator. But we'll see, maybe I can pull it off this time. One thing I think could work in my favor is that I've been dying a lot lately, so I can get some sympathy if I really need it. ;P Not that it's worked in past games though... >>

I still need to read the rules a lot more before advice giving or anything.

The dice do seem to favour you as an Eliminator, don't they? Weird.

I do think EI should be a relatively high priority target - we speak for a couple of hours a day, and talk yet more. I am going to *struggle* to hide activity in an eliminator doc.

Yeah, that could be a problem. I'm fine with killing her off early if that's what you want to do.

Maybe not immediately, but fairly early.

We should think about it, and about who in the game is aware of how much we speak. At least Wilson isn't playing...

I shouldn't still be awake, but am wearing a 24 hour ECG which is keeping me awake, and am watching the LG31 thread, which I really shouldn't be doing.

I was surprised to see you back in here. :P Isn't it like, 2am or something?

Okay, so, we only need to get 8 kills? Wow. Because pairs die simultaneously. Interesting.

I'm here!

Huh I never considered being an elim this game. One would tend to think like that when you've been an elim once in 13 games :P

Wyrn, do we have a group kill?

You have a group kill.

We have a Spy. Hm. That'll be tricky if someone finds out about. Or if we want to use it for a scam or something. Could be fun though.

I have made a clarification for the Spy ability/Shadow ability on the thread.

Excellent. Both clarifications go in our favor! So I suppose Orlok will be sending in the kill, since we don't have a role(sadness).

Things seem to be going ok in the thread. Looks like Aman is Arin's (I think you meant Bart's?) partner, which is a pretty dangerous combo in my opinion. I think I may agree with a no lynch though. I was already thinking about proposing that in the first place, since I do think village!Lopen would go that route. It gives everyone a chance to participate as well as giving information roles more time.

I need to read the rules more carefully :P

What would be the purpose of a village Shadow, if there is one?

To hide good village roles, such as Spies, Assassins, or the bodyguard role. I wouldn't claim that if I were you though. :P

Where is everyone? :(

Here - I had a *long* day yesterday, and was asleep early. I need to be at work soon, sadly. This evening, I'll be focused on this game, and will likely have to begin sparring against EI. I think she wants us to do parallel analyses using my spreadsheet and compare them, which will be interesting.

"Interesting." Sounds like it'll be a pain. :P But where's the fun if there's no challenge to it, eh? ;)

Indeed. I might share my master sheet here, so you can offer help with thoughts. Although, that's probably not the best idea. She's seen me use the sheet in two games now, which gives her a good idea about how I think. I'll have to be consistent...

Whatever you want to do.

Lopen, are you spectating LG31?

Yes, I am. Sadly the spec doc and dead doc are merged, so I can't pinch hit. :(I was going to tell EI I would gladly pinch hit if anyone went inactive, but I've seen spoilers, so oh well.

I just asked Orlok about this in our PM, but I think it's probably a good idea that we try to keep fake conversations going in our separate PM's, just to keep up appearances. That might complicate things a bit, but I don't see any way around it. We're supposed to KNOW our partner is innocent, so that should lead to a lot of talking. Well, in some cases.

Idea's for strategy: Use Shadow ability on Orlok, Aman, or Elbereth? Seems like the most likely targets for info roles to target.

Spy role: Thankfully players show up as Ghostblood/no partner/roleless if covered by a Shadow, so using this for trickery should be a little easier. I'd be okay with using it to target anyone pretty much. I don't think it is as dangerous a role as I first thought.

Targets to kill/attack: Elbereth(dangerous to Orlok, and not a bad player besides :P), Aman.

Next I'd say Randuir or maybe Arraenae(she always gets after me if I don't post a bunch every Cycle >>).

Sounds good to me. :P Mostly I've just talked about whether or not we're secretly the same person in the PM with Straw.

Hello, anyone on?

Reporting in.

Hello everyone. Sorry for not being super active yesterday; It was Wednesday. The kill list looks mostly good to me as well.

I'd suggest that we don't kill El *first*, both because it'll be her last game for a few months, and because it does act as a small tell. Might be better to try to get her lynched. I'll think on it today.

Yeah... You're probably right. That brings up an important question, though. Can you lynch Night players? And can night kills target Day Players?

Hey, how was that post I made? :P It basically condenses my thoughts on the game, Village!Mage style. I'll work on my thoughts as an Elim in a bit, once I've cleared my head. LYNCH LEN. LYNCH HIM NOW.

Eh Hem. Yeah.

Also, I think I might agree with Lopen about Aman being Arin's partner, if he isn't actually Bart's. (I see no reason for Bart to lie though) Yes. You've said. But maybe he's trying to save himself? Idk.

It's just the writing style, but I'm fairly certain that's who it is. I could be wrong. I look forwards to the night cycle.

The Night People are important for communication. If we're going to convince villagers to protect us/not attack us, the night people are going to have to be the ones doing that.

As far as village night people go... Well, I'm happy that they're not voting. :P There's a lot of players that I'm glad won't be able to communicate super well during the day.

Looks like Bart's getting lynched. Should I tie the votes? I mean, I *did* say I'd do so

Sure. Looks good to me. :P

Wait, who are we slaying? And who's sending in the kill?

If I don't get a response, I'll send in a kill on Rae. Aman's probably gonna die soon, if he is Bart's partner, and we're lucky. Wouldn't mind some more discussion, though.

Actually, Stick, you might not want to tie those votes. Bartman (Bart + Aman) dying would be a good thing.

Btw, Stick, you're doing excellently as a villager. :p I keep forgetting you're an Elim, while reading the thread. :p thanks :P Though I haven't really posted much

Score's at 1-and-1 right now, right?

The votes? I think it's now two on lopen and two on...someone. hey wait it's two on lopen and one on Bart! Is it? I'm not good at counting votes

I am depressingly bad at vote-counting for a GM...

Gimme a second. Ok.

HH (1) : Lopen,

Bart (1) : Len

Lopen (1) : Drake

Len (1) : Bart

I've read these votes three and I keep getting different answers...

:P I just went off of what Lopen did. :P I could be completely inaccurate. Voting inaccuracies happen.

Wow, I can't type today. :P

For some reason I thought that Bart had voted on lopen >>

Huh. I don't... Th

He got kidnapped mid-sentence. Rip mage ink so? It would be smart for him to do that, but I don't want it to happen.

Bart should be slain. Slain. Whichever. Hopefully, he is in fact part of Bartman.

Right, my results now match yours.

With any luck, that means that we're both right. And not that both of us made the same mistakes. :p

Hey, does anyone know if this pink or this purple are used by anyone? There are actually probably a lot of unused colors, which are just too similar to a used color. Which bright pink?

Which purple?

Can I ask one of you to double check the numbers once again?

I'll do a count now.

Hello hello

Mister Anonymous Pumpkin

I won't be able to get on for the rest of the cycle. I'm putting my Shadow ability on Elbereth.

Bart: ~~Sart~~, Elenion, ~~Drake~~, ~~Jondesu~~ (1)

Headshot: ~~Jondesu~~, Lopen (1)

Elenion: Bart (1)

Lopen: Drake (1)

A four way tie, by my reckoning.

Excellent, thanks.

Night 1

And EI is *straight* in there with a PM.

She's had a PM drafted since 6pm today...

I've changed my mind. Let's kill Drake's partner tonight. :P

There, writeup done. Forgot a bit though, which annoys me, but it was just faux-philosophical ramblings from Khas anyway >>.

Have I mentioned in the past how much I enjoy your writeups?

Yes, but by all means don't let that stop you :P

I presume it would complicate things a little if we were to avoid a kill tonight. :P

Well, at the very least, it would mean there was no point in me spending time balancing the game >>.

Erm, why would we not kill anyone? At the moment, I'm kind of thinking Randuir is Arin's partner if Aman is Bart's. So I think that's a dangerous team. They're both good players, so having them know the other is village could be dangerous. Aman is a possible target, although I'd worry about protection. Might be worth the risk though.

Oh, we definitely should. I was making a (poor) joke, given Wyrms writeup ended by saying there was an attack. Ohhhh...right. XD

Arinian focused on you, right? I'd worry about taking him out D1, given there's so little else to focus on in the D2 lynch...

Focused on me? Not really. I mean, I don't remember him saying much about me.

EI just made my day, saying she's reading me as somewhat strongly village. :D Maybe the first time anyone's ever said that about me when I was an eliminator. Hehehe.

Ecthelion, don't forget to use your ability! I'd suggest also cloaking one of us, Aman, or EI. I don't know if I have a preference besides that.

I'll send in a kill on Aman for now, but it's just a precaution in case we don't get an order sent in. Orlok, feel free to change this if you want/if everyone else wants to kill someone else. Wait. Can I even send in orders? >> I don't think I can. Well, nevermind then. :P

Oh! Because PM's are open, we know the village has at least one Messenger. So that leaves 7 roles to find out. Because we've only got a Shadow, Spy, and roleless, I kind of feel like this distribution is about information, meaning the village probably has a couple scanner roles(alignment, role, etc.). Hopefully they don't have a bunch of extra lives or protects. >.< One thing to note is that protects *can't* protect themselves.

Ecth has sent in the order to shadow EI

Alrighty, thanks for the heads up. :)

Rand's leaning village on you too :P :O So very kind of him.

Neutral on Mage and I

I hate having a neutral read on me.

A neutral read is one step away from an Elim read.

So, what should Straw and I be doing?

It's also one step away from a village read

That's just semantics. :P

Straw hasn't posted yet, has he?

No, he hasn't. >.> Ah well.

Ooo. EI thinks I'm village as well. Noice.

Maybe we shouldn't kill her after all. :P

The risk is that I bring Lopen down with me... I'm going to have to start analysis this evening. I'll probably link you to a copy of it. I suggest we kill her N3 at the latest - there is significant scope to slip up here.

I think Aman *is* likely to be protected, so would suggest we go for an innocuous kill - or make it entirely random, to send the village chasing false leads. If they use the kill to gain information, let's give them as little as possible to glean accurate information from tomorrow.

Partially random kills are good. I'd suggest something arbitrary. :P When I'm an Elim, I usually try and go for something based off of the player list.

Last time, I started in the middle in worked my way out. It worked better then, because I had two kills. :P But arbitrary is good.

About to work through the thread doing an analysis - as a heads up, I expect there *will* be questions for all of you. In LG31, asking questions worked far better than actually putting suspicions in the thread, and I have a plausible (and real) reason to delay posting suspicions. It would be uncharacteristic of me, though, not to try to generate discussion.

We need to think about sharing partner's identities. EI's already asked for mine, and I said I'd liaise. I worry that it actually goes a little against the spirit of the game, so may have to make an argument on principle in the thread.

From analysis so far, I think there is a decent chance that EI is Arinian's partner.

Aman has claimed roleless in a PM with me.

Day 2:

LOL, I was joking about killing Drake guys. :P

I targeted Rae. >>

We can't target day players. I know, I just thought it was funny since I was calling for his blood. XD

I'd have liked him to have to respond to my questions, so this is somewhat unfortunate.

Alas alack, eh?

It's certainly not the end of the world.

It's good that we killed Drake as well, at least. :P With any luck, targeting smart players will continue to net us the deaths of... more smart players. :P

Aman expressed suspicion of EI in our PM, which is something to note. Interesting. I could probably suspect her if I wanted. Since she claimed to have a good village read on me. I'm a very paranoid villager if you haven't noticed. Maybe I'll ask you what you think of her in our PM Orlok. :P

That's nice.

I don't actually know if I can send in actions, which is why we went with Aman. Straw suggested it, and I didn't have a problem with it. I probably should have realized his claim... Ah well.

C'est La Vie.

Actually, Wyrn, did that go through?

I do need the Action to come from the Night player. I thought he was just asking your opinion. I need it to be unambiguous that it's a Night Action for that sort of reason.

Who's that using my colour? >> (Not just Wyrn)

Mage, I presume?

I didn't think I was using your color? My color is very different... Odd.

To explain, I killed Rae to get people to focus on her points, which means I don't need to explain ties with Lopen to El or Aman, and which should hold the Assassin a little more at bay for all of us.

Sounds good. If we could get an Assassin to kill a villager or two, that'd give us a huge boost. If there even is one. Which, I kind of doubt, since there's not a ton of players. Still, this is a QF, so there's nothing wrong with having it go by really *quickly*.

If anyone wants to criticise Elenion, he had two votes up within an hour of LG31 starting.

I'm going to sleep, now. It's pretty late...

It would be great to just get Sart lynched, then we wouldn't have to worry about El... hmmm. But if they find out Orlok is my partner and I pushed for village!El's lynch, that *could* come back to bite us. Oh well, I'm voting Sart.

I'm really hoping I can pull off being an eliminator this game. El and Rand backed me up a little, which should give me a boost, but things can change very suddenly. Hopefully I didn't make any kind of slip in my huge post just now.

Lopen, info-dump in our PM ongoing currently.

I always worry about making mistakes in large posts. :P Mostly, I worry about inconsistencies, since I tend to just write down what I'm thinking as I'm thinking it.

Only thing I can think of is that you start the post agreeing that revealing partners gives twice as much to analyse, but saying it wouldn't do much good right now due to a lack of material, and end the post saying you disagree with it overall. Although you do give reasons for both, it might read as fabricating the latter view when voting on Sart in order to add justification?

My view on the matter is simple, and largely stands whether I'm an Elim or a Villager. My post pretty well describes why I think it's a bad idea to reveal your partner.

(To be very clear, I was responding there to Lopen's megapost)

Yes, I know. :P I didn't vote on Sart, so I didn't think you were talking to me. It was fairly obvious anyway.

Just seen your post. Sound logic.

(I am slightly confused as to why people are now grouping me with Aman in analysis. It happened in LG31, too. I am nowhere near as great a threat with analysis as he is.)

It's because you're an old player, and fairly widely renowned. I mostly grouped you with him and El because I wanted to have an Elim on my list. :P However, you are fairly good at analysis, and even though Aman is reputedly extremely dangerous... Analysis can only get you so far, especially if you're dead. :P I've played against Aman before. I don't keep detailed enough track to say when or even if I've ever won directly against him, and besides, this game is very different from many others. But I'm not that I'm really scared of him. Especially as an Elim.

It will be interesting to watch him, this game. I'm not that worried about killing him early - he's apparently struggling to communicate through Bart, and is only posting RP in thread. Keeping him alive ought to draw attention from the survival of players like Lopen.

True. And then there are players like me, who are naturally ignored. :P

I *would* advocate that we try to engineer this to be a lynch of Sart, but think it'll be far safer to let it play out naturally. We should be able to win this by being conservative in giving away information - two more cycles puts us even with the village, if we don't lose anyone.

Umm. So what you're saying is that while it'd be cool to get Sart lynched, forcing it might reveal us?

I can see that. I don't think it will be hard to get Sart lynched. What with the villagers already disagreeing with him, it wouldn't take a lot to start a lynch. With any luck, what Lopen has already done should be nearly enough.

Essentially yes. That it would be *helpful*, but dangerous to force, and that doing so isn't worth it.

That got consecutively more concise. :P

Aaand, the Sart lynch appears to be happening anyway. :P

On *really* poor ground. If I were a villager, I'd be attaching Headshot again, I'm sure. He's been village in three games I've analysed, but to me looks evil in every one of them... why would a villager set up a fallback in case their logic was wrong?! If his logic is wrong, doesn't he *want* to be corrected?

Yeah... HH's actions are usually kinda strange.

The lynch on Sart is on really poor ground, though. He brings up some really good points about revealing your partner, which I'm slightly worried about. >.> I also don't like killing people who understand that they're dying for a stupid reason. But that's kind of silly, so I'm ignoring it.

TBH, though, I wouldn't be surprised if some of the more sensible villagers catch on. The only problem will be getting them to vote.

And I'm thinking like a villager again. >.>

I'm hopeful that Bart will vote Sart to save himself. Also, extra ammo to accuse Elenion: if the village voted for who was scanned/vig killed, we could have a Shadow/protect and his plan could benefit the elims. I didn't mention it since I don't want to somehow give away we do have a Shadow in case I get caught, and also because I'd like someone else to point it out(a villager) if possible. That way, I could have fairly good reason to switch my vote if the Sart lynch doesn't work out, since I've already stated some small bit of suspicion on Len.

So, it seems like all I've heard about from villagers are no-roles. Is it possible this is a vanilla game? I kind of wonder if Sart/El might be some kind of scanning role, but other than that, it seems like roles haven't been discussed almost at all.

Whoops. I feel partially responsible for that vote on you Stick. :P (you mean Jon's vote? I think it would be unusual if I *didn't* have a vote or two on me by now :P Everyone gets suspicious of me in the beginning of the games for some reason) Sorry about that. Next time I'll give you guys some warning before I say anything. That way I might not have to say anything! Other than that, things are going fairly well. I pretty much always expect everyone to turn against me at some point, but it hasn't happened yet! :P

My response to Elenion's plan is that it strikes me as rather similar to mayoring, and indeed, when players begin to be cleared, has huge potential to allow these players to direct actions.

I certainly don't play SE to be told what to do, whether by the majority or by individual players. Sadly, I'm probably going to be busy until close to rollover, but will almost certainly argue against this plan in the night turn, on point of principle.

I didn't know what to say, so the post I posted contains a whole lot of nothing >>

Gah I made a spelling mistake in the white text in my post and now my iPad won't let me edit it

>>

Sigh

Wow that actually worked. Sweet.

What white text did you include?

Something like: white text!! Long time since I used white text

The usual

Guys, do you think it would be a good idea for me to reveal my role? I feel like it's something I would do as a villager, especially in this game. Since I can't be actively targeted by Elims, it would be much safer to reveal myself as a scanner.

I'm not sure if there's any point in revealing now, unless it has some effect on the lynch. And since you could really just pick anyone to have "scanned," that's really up to us whether it would or not. Aaand you just posted something. >.>

:P Sorry. Would you have liked to have read over that before I posted it?

I didn't reveal my role. I just said I would consider it, and gave the reasons for doing so.

No worries, that works fine. It does seem to imply you've got a good role, but that's okay.

Yeah. I didn't really know how to phrase it otherwise. I noticed that implication, but I figured that it probably wasn't a big deal.

The biggest problem it could cause is that people start paying more attention to me, but that's not something I'm super worried about.

I'm going to try and cut back on my suspicions of Len. If I were a villager, I would be suspicious of him, but since you have already announced suspicion of him I'm not sure it's a good idea for us both to pursue that.

Yeah, that's probably best. I almost made a post about how his plan helps the elims more than the village, but I feel like people might see it as me trying to target him for the next lynch or something.

Even when I'm a villager I end up targeting people for upcoming lynchings. Usually I don't have enough data to back my gut reads, so I just try to slowly pile suspicion onto the people I'm suspicious of. :P Probably not the greatest thing.

I'm sure you're not alone in doing that. :P But lately, I've been getting lynched as a villager(granted, most of the votes were from elims, but still :P:P), so I'm trying to avoid any kind of hedging about this lynch.

Yeah. I'm certain that there is some kind of death curve. Like, as an inexperienced player you get let off for certain things, then as you become more experienced you start getting killed a little more. Then around the middle of the curve you don't get killed as much, because you're good enough not to get yourself lynched, but not so inexplicably great that people target you. Then, finally, you end up being an excellent player and people target you because you're just that good. :P

Mhm. Plus it just seems like lately people suspect me a lot. And I haven't been truly evil in like, 10 games or something. Amazingly, this game, when I actually am evil, some villagers have stated some trust in me. :D

I think I have died in 9 straight games now. Which is by far my longest death streak. So I'm hoping to break the streak this game!

Well, looks like the Sart/EI lynch might actually go through. That would be great. If EI found out I was Orlok's partner, that might look bad, since she actually gave reasoning for her reads in their PM.

I think I should place a vote on someone now. I've been stalling long enough >>

Hm. Who though...hm. can't be sart. I need to vote on another player..

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/135eQBdpzmk6jl9bRj84Aq1YEEbhllc5cFVMYDV0TcVo>

My post about Elenion - I honestly believe in what I'm saying, and am not arguing it merely because I'm evil. Thoughts?

I think it's fair. In the past, I've advocated we put vig kills to a vote during a Night Turn, but made it clear that it was just a suggestion rather than a "if you don't do this you're an elim" type thing. Which Len's post kind of makes it sound like. I don't think there's anything wrong with asking for players to make their opinion about who should be scanned or killed known, since that gives information and should help activity, but I agree that players should have the freedom to make their own decisions with their roles.

I've checked with Wilson, who is happy with the post. I think any control of actions, with implied suspicion should they not occur, is insidious, and undermines the game, and future games. We have a problem with inactivity. Removing half the actions from a set of players is going to discourage them from becoming invested in the game. Why do so, when you can't influence anything, and you're useful only for reading the thread, and typing in what they ask you to do?

Yeah, I think it's a good point to make. I know Len is just suggesting something he sees as helpful for his team, but I agree that it could take the fun out of the game for some players.

Well, I don't think I'll stay online on the Shard for now. I don't really have anything to post, so best not be seen. XD I might just take a nap, since I only got a few hours sleep last night.

Hopefully nothing goes terribly wrong! (not that I'd be able to do anything to stop it if it did :P)

Did you all see the cover for Oathbringer? I really like it. I thought the giant in the background seemed kind of comic book ish or something, but I still thought it was cool. :D

It's beautiful

Yup. Jasnah looks pretty amazing. :) This may be the most excited for a book I've ever been, tbh. I've already read TWoK and WoR 3 times, heh.

I never had to wait for any Brandon book until now. This sentence looks really wrong(kind of :P)(fixed it)

It's kind of the same for me. I just started reading his books like...hm. I guess it was around 2 years ago, but he had a lot of books, so I've been pretty busy with all of them until just a few months ago.

I started last year :P

I actually started with Steelheart, which is kind of an odd place to start.

Non cosmere and all. I started with Mistborn

I think Mistborn was the very next book I read. I'm not sure if Firefight was out yet. Then I read Elantris, then Warbreaker, I think. Finally got TWoK(I was pretty intimidated by it, so put it off for a while :P), and it's my favorite now.

After mistborn era one, I started with era two, then elantris, followed by tSA, and then warbreaker. Oh and then the reckoners and the rithmatist. Then all the novellas. Well not all, most. I also read white sand (prose) sometime in between

I only read the novellas recently. I hadn't read any of them, so I got Arcanum Unbounded. I haven't read White Sand though. I need to soon.

Prose? The prose is good. I don't know about the graphic novel. Khriss looks weird in the graphic novel. Whatever version is in Arcanum Unbounded. That and Allomancer Jak are the only things I haven't read that's in there. A few pages from the prose are there in AU I think. And some from the graphic novel

I didn't know about the cosmere until after I read twok

I didn't know until after WoR. :P I was just hoping to find more books by Brandon, and stumbled across the Cosmere. Eventually finding myself on the Shard. :D Which led to SE, somehow.

I got to the shard through Daniyah, and then discovered SE

Nice. I introduced my siblings to the Cosmere, and they've read some of the books. They played like, 1 or 2 games of SE too, but that was pretty far back. Never knew My little sister and older brother played LG15, and my little sister played a QF soon after that as well. LG15 sounds familiar...I think I've read the game

Do they like them?

Oh yeah, definitely. We read TWoK and WoR out loud together, plus Edgedancer. :) That was fun, although it took a few weeks for each(not Edgedancer though :P). (Yes, I figured :P)

Sounds amazing. I got one of my friends to read mistborn era 1 (that was about 7 months ago). She hasn't read any other Sanderson books since :/

Awww. Me and my older sister just read The Final Empire out loud. We're planning on starting the Well of Ascension soon.

My friend liked the series, but for some reason she didn't continue with the books. But i'll force her to. Some day.

You're a good friend. :D

:)

Although it was really fun reading TWoK and WoR with my siblings, I don't know if I could stand to do it with Oathbringer. XD It would take so long, I'd probably go crazy.

Is oathbringer longer than the first two books?

Yep. I think I saw it was like, 20-25% longer, but there are still some revisions to be made. I imagine it'll be 100-200 pages longer than WoR, which was already 1100 pages.

The longer the better XD

Couldn't agree more :D

I'm off to bed. See ya

Alrighty, sleep well!

Storms I can't sleep I haven't voted yet >> Almost forgot

Can I vote on Mage? And when we get the results of the lynch tonight, I'll shift my suspicions to the ones that participated in the lynch. Fair?

Umm, I suppose? I'm not sure it makes much difference at this point, since the lynch is all but set, but since you did say you'd vote, probably best to do so, even if it doesn't make a difference(which it hopefully won't :P).

As a side note, voting on an eliminator strictly because you know they're an eliminator could backfire on you if you don't give very good reasoning.

It's okay, I never give very good reasoning. No one should notice.

Lol, okay. I probably won't be on again until after rollover. Naptime!

Sleep time. Finally.

Mage vote on Sart. Only 14 minutes Mage

11 minutes. I should be asleep.

8 minutes

I was going to do that, but my post ran too long. :P I know that Wyrms hasn't said anything, but the timer is up.

What's the lowdown?

I seriously considered voting on myself to force a tie. :P I also had a fairly well thought out post ready to send, but I'm respecting the timer. :P

Wait, you (Mage) is an elim. Somehow I got you confused with Jon. That makes so much more sense now.

>.> Yes, I am indeed an Elim. :P

I'm assuming the vote finally landed on Sart. I haven't checked the accuracy of his tally yet.

Tonight I'm going to be able to start PMing, finally. Hopefully.

I see it as 4 for Sar, 2 for Magestar, 1 for Bart.

Double checked, definitely is.

Night 2:

It's a *good thing* El died. She'd apparently worked out that I was evil.

Well. Nice timing then, eh? :) She even seemed to stick with her read that I was village at the end, though she did seem to back down a bit. How'd she work out you were evil though?

And that's another roleless villager. Hm.

She won't say... apparently it's useful to her in future games. >> Heh, well that makes sense. :P

I guess I shouldn't have expected a villager to give advice to a living eliminator anyways. XD

Who else has claimed roleless to you?

Well, no one has claimed to me. But someone mentioned the possibility of no one having roles, implying they don't have a role. Drake/Rae and Sart/El didn't have one. And Aman claimed no role.

Did you see Aman's messages to me? We should kill him tonight - I mentioned that I suspected the village may be overpowered, to deal with the lack of time - he may infer that I know there's roles in the game.

I did see the messages, but I'm not sure he'd jump to that conclusion. After all, you did mention it was because of the speed of the game rather than anything else.

Sure. Which I think may actually be balanced by everyone having a cleared player to bounce ideas off. I hadn't given the impact of that much thought, before.

Same, tbh. I did think of it to begin the game, how it would make things harder for us, but the more I think about it, the nicer it sounds from a village point of view. It doesn't feel like the villagers have done much with it so far though.

Anyways, I don't think I'd be against killing Aman. Him and Bart were the second lynch target, so it may confuse the villagers. I'd like to see how this Night plays out before making a final decision though.

Sure. I think that's a very good point. I might put a preliminary order in now, just in case, but we can definitely change it. Randuir?

Sounds good to me. I still kind of think he's Arinian's partner, so I'd like to take out that duo.

If it helps, I can guarantee there are Roles in this game :D.

We know. >> We could probably claim anything. :P Well, except a kill role or Thug I guess.

Are ties coin flips, or no lynch?

Pretty sure they're no lynch. No lynch, as I dislike adding random elements into the game while it's running. I think my favorite way of doing tied lynch is Joe's way. EVERYONE DIES!!!

:D But I don't think that would work very well in this one. >.>

In theory, we could hammer tomorrow, then, assuming there are no village roles. If we don't hit a thug, or lurched target, we bring it to 3-5 tomorrow, and 3-3 by D4. Not something I'd advocate - far too risky, but an interesting observation.

Yup. It would definitely be a gamble. I feel *pretty* confident the village has no roles after this lynch, but I've been known to jump to conclusions far too early.

Wait. Lol. There has to be at least one messenger. >.<

:D Should have thought of that before I say I'm confident they're all roleless. *Sigh* It's fine, no-one noticed and no-one will read this doc later and see it. That's a small comfort at least. >.> I guess.

Hmm. Orlok, what do you think about you messaging Manukos and offering to tell him who your partner is if he tells you? Since I've stated I have a village read on him, it probably would seem natural and might get us an ally for the show of trust. Just a thought.

Hi, Straw here. How does spying on Aman sound?

Sounds like a plan. Maybe he'll turn out to be an evil Son of Honour! :O

I could message him, Lopen. I don't normally do so, and it would build a link between us, which isn't something I'd suggest doing(fair enough). El *may* have told someone else that she was suspicious of me N1, which doesn't help you. I don't think she could have, but it's a chance.

I'm suspicious of El. :P I would not be surprised if she's just saying she knew you were evil. :P If she really had figured it out, why didn't she say so through Sart?

I guess I could see her having figured it out... But I could also see her messing with you. :P

She was apparently paranoid of me. We've been sharing our analysis spreadsheets, so she's had a *lot* of material to look at.

Can I encourage any of you to sign up for LG32?

Not all at once, obviously. :P

Aman is suspicious of Mage for claiming to have a role. He thinks only eliminators have roles... I might have to claim roleless to Aman.

Hmph. Sounds like he's thinking along the same lines as I was. Although I know the Messenger is village. If he brings it up through Bart next Cycle(assuming we don't kill them, which is a definite possibility :P), maybe I could agree with him(basically a roleclaim, which I'm fine with if you are Orlok) and then ask that the Messenger reveal themselves or something? Actually, I don't know if that would do anything. :/ I think Len might have a role too

Okay, so, plans anyone? I'm guessing we're going to kill either Bart/Aman or Randuir. Ecth, don't forget to send in your order. Maybe just Shadow Orlok? Straw can scan whoever he wants, since I don't think it actually makes a difference(we know everyone's alignment and there's no alignment changing role(probably :P)).

What makes you think Len has a role? Well he proposed the idea of revealing roles and all that so I figured he might have one..I don't think anyone has publicly claimed to have one. But then again, he might have proposed the idea because he *didn't* have a role. But that doesn't make sense does it

Maybe if he felt powerless so he wanted to see what the village had? I don't know. He might have a role, but I don't really have a clue. There's 6 villagers left, and Bart has claimed no role(well, Aman has, so it's less trustworthy, but still :P). One of those is a Messenger. At least. I can't remember who said that about "maybe the village doesn't have any roles" or whatever. I'll have to go back and check at some point. Since that likely means they're roleless. Unless it was an intentional lie. Villagers don't usually do things like that, but we can't ignore the possibility. Still, it's worth going back to see who said that. Bleh, I can't seem to find that post. Harrumph.

Wyrms trolling us all and being the messenger himself? :P

I'll tell you now, I'm not a player >>.

Aman is going to make an analysis post tonight, rather than just RP. Apparently Bart isn't posting what Aman asks him to post. It's worth bearing in mind that this *may* bring Aman protection tonight, if it exists in the game.

Magestar, Straw, please scan someone tonight - your ability to claim soy is only useful if you have scans that can back it up. **Already done.** If you would like me to change it, I need a better idea.

I'd actually scan Len as a villager. :P

Guys, Aman just contacted me. On Night 3, should I claim scanner and tell him what he is in order to prove it?

I would avoid it. I'd suggest we kill him, frankly. He's claimed vanilla villager, and I think that's certainly possible. He's also unlikely to make the assumption that a scanner is village.

Ecth hasn't sent the order in yet

Send him a PM, so he gets a notification? Done

I might have to reveal you as my partner to Aman, Lopen. Should be fine.

I don't think Ecth would be on before rollover..

Wyrn, if Ecth doesn't, can I send in the order instead?

I am sorry, but would have to say no unless Ecth was inactive-inactive. **What do you mean by inactive-inactive?** As in 'the criteria in the original thread'.

It's okay, he'll probably send it in in time (two ins together look weird)

Wait, really?

Only night players can send in orders

Ok. Huh.

Rip shadowing powers

Rip spying powers. Straw put in an order on Len - who's a day player. And he hasn't gotten back on yet.

Straw! We need you!

Day 3:

Sorry, I don't see the issue with Straw targeting the wrong player. All of his scans are going to show up as Ghostblood regardless aren't they? Can't he just fake his scans? He could just say he scanned Stink N1 and Aman last Night or something. Obviously doesn't have to be those players, but my point is that he doesn't *have* to have scanned anyone.

Another successful kill! Well done me! Well, the *other* me. :P

Does the scan not turn up roles? If we 'scan' a villager and they have a role, we ought to know it. And what if the village have a shadow, too? If the village shadow obscured someone that we claimed to have scanned, we again jeopardise the claim.

For some reason I haven't gotten my info on my STINK scan.

The Spy role only scans for alignment I believe.

I think this is accurate.

And the only problem with Straw targetting an untargetable player is... Well, I'm not sure. :P

The only real difficulty would be if he/I later claimed to have scanned a shadowed player or something, as Orlok already stated.

Wyrn clarified that Shadowed players show up as "Ghostblood/no partner/roleless" so that wouldn't be a problem.

Okay, this is it. If we can pull off a village lynch this Turn, we *should* have this.

Stick, if you could, I think it would be a good idea to post something as early as possible, preferably with a vote. That way no one can call you out for lurking or anything.

Right after I get home

Ecth used the shadow role on Aman btw. In literally the last second :P

Oh, cool. At least he was shielded. :P

Oh, Straw scanned Stink.

And he was a Ghostblood, of all things. :P he's a Ghostblood?! :o

I see someone. Is that you, straw? Apparently not.

Aww, a Ghostblood? Too bad. :P I am a little sad I wasn't a Ghostblood this game, just because I've been a Ghostblood a few times before. #Ghostblood4lifeexceptthisone
I've been a ghostblood once!

:P

Ok, guys, important question: To reveal my role, or not to reveal my role?

Considering it shouldn't impact this lynch if you were a villager(I don't think?), I'd prefer you didn't. It just adds more attention to you, and will make players either focus on us more(the unscanned), or you(the scanner).

I agree with Lopen. I don't think that there's a strong case to be made for it at all. All three current lynch targets are villagers, and people would question why you hadn't revealed earlier in the turn. There's too much potential for the lynch to swing to Stick, Lopen or yourself, and no real advantage derived from it.

Good Point. :P Well, I had to ask, anyway.

I think my latest post might get me a vote or two on myself. It sounds too neutral. Oops.

Don't worry about it. :p The way things are going right now, either HH or Len are probably going to die. We'll probably win within the next few cycles.

Yeah, it looks fine to me. I'm still trying to cover all the angles though, just in case there is a Thug or Surgeon that blocks our kill or this lynch. I imagine that if we don't win this after our next kill(assuming the lynch stays on a villager this Cycle), Orlok might get some suspicion for still being alive. I guess if no one advocates partner claiming again though, that wouldn't be a problem.

I feel bad for HH :P

Yeah... I see what you're saying. :P

Watch me go the whole game without participating in a vote. :P

You haven't voted in all three cycles? Heh let's hope nobody notices

.I don't think so. :P If I have, I took it off before rollover.

I'm sort of hoping someone notices. If no one does... I'll be slightly disappointed.

If you want, I could point it out. ;P

There are a lot of votes on HH...everyone but Mage is voting on him I think. >> and HH himself

I don't see suspicion on me being a problem - you'd be equally worthy of that suspicion, Lopen, which is why the absence of partner claiming is so useful. I don't think they have an assassin, so we should be absolutely fine.

I'll put a kill in on Stink, if he survives the day.

It was Harvey/Manukos.

I presume you wouldn't end the game now even if there was no chance of the village winning here? E.g. No pewterarms or coinshots?

From which we can infer that one of them exists.

I would not, as technically the win conditions are you equalling the number of Villagers or all being dead.

Night 3

Well I could say I'm alive because no one knows my partner.

Killing Stink is fine with me. I may go back over the posts again to see if I can find out who

mentioned the possibility of everyone being roleless(assuming I didn't imagine that >.<), since there'd be less risk of them being a Thug.

Aman said Manukos claimed roleless, so it is unfortunate that he died. Still, even a failed kill tonight just requires you to convince one village to lynch Elenion.

Yup. One perk from Manukos dying is that I said I had a village read on him. So that could add to my credibility. Or people could look at it as if I knew he was village. :P

We could probably lynch Len or Drought. Multiple players have said they'd go after Len if HH was village, but opinions change sometimes. I might wait to post anything in the Day until I see how a couple of the villagers are thinking. Of course, if our kill goes through, it shouldn't matter.

Finally found it! It was Arinian who said that about no one having roles. Here's the quote from Day 2: "And you right about peoples with roles but we don't know if there any roles in this game. I

see possibility where Wyrms just wrote roles and then just didn't put them in game. Why not? "

I'm not sure if it really helps us though, since we don't know who his partner is. I'm fairly sure it's either Randuir or phattermer. Looking back at what Arin posted back on D1 for his partner, I kind of think it could be phatt. Rand mentioned that Arin should be careful about posting what his partner says, and that him and his partner narrowed down who Arin's partner could be to 3 people. That could be his way of hiding the fact that he actually is Arin's partner, but that seems kind of needless.

Shadow is in on Orlok like was suggested above. I think it would be pointless to kill Aman seeing as he's already dead :P

Hah, forgot to update that. :P Orlok has sent in the order to kill Stink already, so no worries.

Has Straw submitted an order for Spy or should I erase that?

I honestly have no idea. I was considering proposing we try and pull a Spy con, just for the fun of it, but then Straw/Mage didn't really get on anyone's good side early, so it seemed like too big of a risk, since it'd draw a lot of attention to them.

We're scanning Phattermer. :P Sorry for not getting on people's good sides fast enough.

At any rate, things are looking good.

I just wish I could have gained omnipotence. Ah well.

Rand's got neutral/village reads on Lopen and Mage :D

Elim on me. Heh XD

Well, we can't have everything. :P

Player list:

Day:

Elenion (Brandir Sebarial)

DroughtBringer (Groot)

Jondesu (Thorot)

Arinian (Arvian)

~~_Stick_ (Stick)~~

~~Magestar (Enoemos)~~

~~TheMightyLopen (Revali)~~

~~Drake Marshall (Mestow)~~

~~Sart (Sart)~~

~~Bartimaeus (Bart)~~

~~Hemalurgic_Headshot (Harvey)~~

Night:

STINK (Odd Man)

Figberts (Hak)

phattermer (Seixa)

Randuir (Battadin)

~~Ecthelion III (Amnar the Watcher)~~

~~Straw (Dave Davenport)~~

~~OrlokTsubodai (Locke Tekiel)~~

~~Arraenae (Neiha Solam)~~

~~Elbereth (Senja)~~

~~Amanuensis (The Soulcaster)~~

~~Manukos (Whiler)~~

Claimed Pairs:

Bart-Aman; (Bartman)

Sart-El; (Elsa)

Guessed Pairs:

El-Arinian; Elian (Ariel :P) (This is so much better. Go Stick. :P)

Rand-Arinian; Ranarin