

Suri is a first-year student in Pomefiore, who registered late due to receiving training for their Unique Magic from their aunt. They're close-knit friends with Gris and Kayle, being assigned the voice of reason and saving them from getting into trouble via Gris' pranks.

Appearance

Suri is a lithe and tall person with tan skin, accompanied by black hair with white opalescent streaks; a notable feature as a direct descendant of the Pendekar Fleet's bloodline. They wear their tailbone-length hair in a ponytail tied by a thin, navy blue ribbon, the height depending on the weather, with two chin-length tufts hanging from the side of their face. Their eyes are a milky gold, and they are noted to have thick, sharp eyebrows. There is a large, cross-shaped scar above their right brow.

Always in their right hand, is their walking stick. It is a long, durable silver stick with a black cushioned grip and safety loop. The tip of the stick is adjustable for multiple additions and at one point, Suri had a custom knife built into the stick. The addition had been removed, however, after Crewel discovered it. Often more than not, it is used for whacking their friends when they end up in too much mischief, rather than as a walking aid.

DORM UNIFORM

Suri's uniform as a Pomefiore student is similar to Epel's. The uniform consists of a black shirt with a high, white collar and purple buttons, along with long sleeves that have loops for their middle finger to slot through. They wear form-fitting black pants and heeled boots that are adorned with gold laces and trim.

On top of these, Suri wears a purple robe that reaches just above their knees. On the top-right corner of the robe, there is an intricate golden pattern displaying the Pomefiore logo. There is also a golden floral pattern, which displays the poison apple, on the outer fabric of their deeply slitted-sleeves. The inner sleeves of Suri's robe are rich-red with black trim, and they also have the same floral pattern.

Their robe is held together by a thick black sash, similar to a kimono obi. On top of their sash, there is another belt made out of red rope, which has been tied to their waist in a thick knot. On the ends of Suri's rope-belt, there are large red and yellow tassels.

School Uniform

Their school uniform is much simpler, with a black blazer, its lapels outlined in gold, and a badge of Pomefiore's logo at the breast pocket. Their dorm armband is tied around their left arm.

Suri Ram



“You’re always welcome on the ship. Life on the seas isn’t as bad as they say.”

Technical Information

Japanese	スリ・ラム
Romaji	Surī Ramu
Other Name	Knifefish (Floyd) Monsieur Chèvre (Rook) Adik (The Pendekar Fleet) Susuri (Gris) Rami (Kayle)
Voiced By	Yuki Kaida (Doctor from Arknights: Prelude to Dawn)
Game Debut	Book 1, Chapter 8

Biographical Information

Gender	Genderfluid
Age	18
Birthday	August 6th
Starsign	Leo

Depending on their decision, it is usually accompanied by a striped black and white bow around the collar. The button down blouse is white, coupled with a purple vest. Their shoes are a shiny black, threaded with silver near the ankles.

Pendekar

Not much about them changes, apart from their hair turning fully white with an opalescent sheen and their eyes becoming brighter, almost glowing. Around their right arm is an obsidian black, jagged vambrace that reaches their shoulder, a few thick black spikes protruding from the shoulder pad. Their vambrace’s glove is decorated with claw-like fingers. Red lines glow ominously throughout the entire vambrace.

Taming Sari notes that it is the weapon that has chosen Suri as its owner, as with every Pendekar once the blood has been unlocked within them.

This transformation occurred for the first time when they defended the involved students from Leona’s Unique Magic.

The vambrace is not exclusive to their right arm, as Suri has shown that it can manifest on their left arm as well, but they stated that it is simply because there are rarely situations that called for the usage.

As the ‘Final Will’, Suri’s hair loses the opalescent shine and becomes bone white in colour. Their eyes are now vermillion red, mimicking the state of ‘stupor’ that Tammie once went through, and their vambrace has now fused along their arm, making for a pain-inducing sight. Though barely noticeable, Suri’s limbs also grew longer, inciting a feeling of uncanny valley in those who caught on to such details.

Personality

To outsiders, they may seem uncaring and cold due to their permanent half-lidded eyes and poker face, but Suri explains that it is due to their alexithymia that they don’t really express their emotions well. Even moreso when confronted by a situation that requires them to have an expected or even an allocated emotion, Suri simply dons a (what they think) is a confused expression, which is more of an upset face to others.

Though their voice is soft, Suri speaks in a rather deadpan, almost monotonous tone, which sometimes becomes sarcastic when annoyed.

At their very core, once they have deemed someone worthy to care about, Suri is a loving and protective person, devoting their entire being to their cherished ones. This tends to be shown in the way that they always put Kayle and Gris before

Height	181cm, 184cm (with shoes)
Eye Color	Milky gold
Hair Color	Black with opalescent white streaks
Homeland	Kingdom of Heroes
Family	Taming Sari (Aunt) Lada (Aunt) Mahsuri (Aunt) Ummu (Cousin) Puteri Ram (Little sister) Unnamed mother (disowned) Unnamed father (disowned) Unnamed grandmother (deceased) Kayle (Adoptive ‘cousin’)
Professional Status	
Dorm	Pomefiore
School Year	1st Year (Registered late)
Class	A, No. 9
Occupation	Student Pendekar Fleet member
Club	Pop Music Club
Best Subject	History of Magic
Fun Facts	
Dominant Hand	Right hand
Favorite Food	White Rice with Spicy Eggs
Least Favorite Food	Bitter Gourd
Dislikes	Rash textures on clothing
Hobby	Practicing the fleet’s songs
Talents	Scent distinguishing

themselves, as well as constantly taking on tasks that are very difficult on their own so as to not burden others. Kayle and Gris join hands in trying to combat this mindset of theirs, even if it comes in the form of extreme and unconventional ways.

This is later explained, that Suri never intentionally meant to do so, but the thought of asking others for help never presented itself as an option to them.

But this kindness should not be mistaken for niceness; if the situation calls for it, Suri will gladly snap their friends back into reality and prod exactly where it hurts, though only because this is what they perceive as 'kindness'. In a way, it is.

Suri is also known to have a penchant for mischief that she hides from most people, her scheming and enabling ways going under the radar.

As the 'Final Will', she loses all that makes her a human, functioning much like a robot would. She speaks only when spoken to and only follows the last wishes of Suri before she had succumbed to the blood infection. Due to the nature of Suri's last wishes, the 'Final Will' is extremely protective of Kayle and Gris, to the point of suffocation, and would frequently wander around the grounds as if she was searching for something,

Skills and Magic

Unique Magic

Suri's Unique Magic is called [Coronal Tear]. Its base property is to purify, or return things to the way they were. This works with most, if not all things, the most prominent usage being Blot purification, as shown with Kayle and some of the Housewardens. Ironically, Suri cannot use this Magic on herself, and in the worst case scenario that they purify too much Blot, the same amount of Blot is then transferred onto herself.

Simply covering the object with their hand is more than enough but large scale purification requires charging up the spell before firing a spiralling beam of light towards what needs to be purified.

It's stated that because of how their Unique Magic works, Suri had to be trained properly by their aunt, which resulted in them registering into NRC one year later.

Brief Incantation: "Return that which I call mine. Coronal Tear."

Charge Up Incantation:

*[Heed me, needles of Time,
Return from whence you came,
To the wheels designed by fate.
Those who've yet to recall thy name,
Wander not into the golden thwaite.*

Solstice, glint and glisten, return that which I call mine.

Coronal Tear.]

Due to her constitution as a Pendekar, along with the anti-magic rituals and blessings that he must go through periodically, it's highly possible that Suri's magical reserves will eventually cease to be.

Pendekar Specialty

Suri's Specialty is tied to her voice, as depending on what she sings, she can increase the strength of her allies or cause her enemies to weaken.

As a member of the fleet, Suri was taught how to sing their shanties and even songs that can only be understood by those with the blood. Their voice can be heard through even the thickest of fogs.

Background

Suri was born in the Kingdom of Heroes from their mother, who neglected Suri throughout their childhood due to thinking that Suri was abnormal for not showing their emotions as clearly as the other kids and this was made worse when Suri was officially diagnosed with autism. She even sarcastically said that Suri is 'easier' to take care of, since their mother did not have to look after them as much. Suri's mother did not make an effort to communicate with them and even when she did, it was to scorn them for their 'unbecoming' behavior. She never responded when Suri did cry and reached out their hands towards her, only sparing a glance and scoffing out that they were already too big for her to coddle.

Their father, who was Taming Sari's younger brother, was only slightly better, trying his best to form a bond with her but never getting anywhere, as he always assumed what Suri would like from his coworkers' kids rather than asking Suri themselves; several times, he would buy Suri chocolate to cheer them up when each and every instance, Suri has shown an aversion to eating chocolate. Thus, Suri was left to be raised by their grandmother, who loved them as well as she could.

During this, Taming Sari visited Suri almost weekly, always making time to meet her niece and had gifted Suri a fox plush to keep them company when she was gone. However, her 'stupor' returned without warning one day and when she regained her consciousness, Suri was laying in her arms with a bloodied forehead, shards of a broken vase scattered on the ground. In her sorrow-filled guilt, Taming Sari fled from Suri's life for months on end until Lada told her that the next blood awakening would be Suri's.

Eventually, after Suri's grandmother's passing, Taming Sari returned to their house in the Kingdom of Heroes and declared that from then on, Suri would come to live with her and the Fleet; partly because of Lada's prophecy and partly because she could not stand being filled with any more guilt and sought to atone for her fault with Suri. Suri's mother was more than happy to hand them over to the Fleet, while their dad was more reluctant; Suri, however, was simply happy that their aunt did not abandon them, heart having long forgiven her.

Suri was raised on the fleet's main ship by their aunts, Taming Sari, Lada and Mahsuri. As members of the Pendekar Fleet are completely and utterly magicless, it came as an earth shattering shock that Suri could manifest magic and even their own Unique Magic. Lada began to doubt her own prophecy but Mahsuri reassured them by saying that there would always be exceptions to the rules. This would be proven true later on, when Suri manifests their own Pendekar Specialty during Leona's Overblot, becoming the first Pendekar in history to be a magic user.

When they received the letter inviting Suri to Night Raven College, Suri's departure was further delayed by a year by Taming Sari, under the reasoning that she wanted to train their Unique Magic to perfection.

As of their time in Night Raven College, they have been assigned as Kayle's magic tutor, Epel's 'supervisor' and the Pop Music Club's main vocalist. Post Book 6 has them partially taking on the role of supervising the overblotting patterns in NRC, though Tammie and the rest had reassured him that his safety should always come first.

Relationships

Kayle Foster

Best friends and, along with Gris, a part of a friend group affectionately dubbed as Halloween, Suri first met Kayle in the hallways of Night Raven College after following the scent of burnt meat and ink drops. They purified his gemstone for him and accompanied him on the way to Diasomnia, revealing that they were on an errand from Vil to return Silver's mantle.

When Suri had to recuperate after absorbing Riddle's overblot, Kayle had stayed by their side and comforted them regarding their feelings of inadequacy. This became the turning point in their closeness.

They occasionally talked whenever they bumped into each other but it wasn't after the exams in Book 3 and their recruitment into the Pop Music Club that their friendship became closer as Halloween. Dire Crowley had assigned Suri as his tutor to improve in the subjects that he nearly failed in, namely his practical magic subjects and as such, Suri strived to seek the most efficient way to ensure that Kayle would improve.

A sky-shattering revelation that was brought by their aunts Taming Sari and Lada would later change the trajectory of their friendship.

Gris Laveau

Best friends, though outsiders would beg to differ. Gris is constantly playing pranks on and with Kayle, which leads to Suri having to drag them out of trouble with other students and staff, alongside always giving him an unamused expression yet Suri continues to help him out whenever he needs it. They first met in the Pop Music Club during the club registration day along with Kayle; ever since then, they've been inseparable, always seen together wherever they go.

Just like Kayle, however, Suri deeply cares for Gris and becomes deeply distressed if they see him sad or angry, and seeks to keep him by their side.

Gris loves to give them 'friendship discounts' at Sam's Shop, which tends to lead to him being scolded by Sam.

NON-CANON: When Gris' soul was lost in Tartarus, Suri stopped at nothing to bring him back to the land of the living, even going as far as making a deal with the Ortho that guarded the gates to the underworld. Though this is one of the many alternate timelines as seen by Lada, it still goes to show just how much Suri cherishes Gris in his heart.

Taming Sari

Tammie is an individual whose mannerisms are about as stable as a short-circuiting motherboard. Prior to her appearance in the story, Suri has described Tammie as someone who is 'all over the place' and 'kind of weird'. Nevertheless, Tammie has never once treated Suri badly, even going as far as taking over the maternal figure position in caring for Suri, as well as the de facto captain of the fleet. It's implied that Tammie still holds regrets of the past regarding Suri's childhood, tries to atone for it by any way she can, causing Suri to feel rather discomforted.

She cares terribly deeply for Suri, willing to go to drastic measures just to ensure that they and their friends are happy; even when it meant going against an overblotted Malleus Draconia, Tammie did not back down and tried to find the best route to save Suri and their friends. Tammie was more than happy to invite Kayle and even Gris to come with the fleet, just so that Suri won't feel bad for 'leaving' them behind.

Lada

The de jure captain of the fleet as well as the closest confidant of Tammie and Mahsuri, Lada played a hand in raising Suri as her own. Mahsuri tends to joke that Suri took after Lada more than Tammie herself, due to them both sharing the same stoic and reserved disposition, as well as dry sense of humor.

Lada cares for Suri, though not as physically outward as Tammie and Mahsuri, and she has blessed Suri with protective incantations before they departed for Night Raven College; she taught the same incantations for Suri to use, in case they ever find someone that they would care for just as much.

Time and time again, she has warned Suri to not get himself involved too much in the lives of those at NRC, not out of hatred, but she too fears the day that Suri will have to fulfill her duty as a Pendekar and leave everything behind, inevitably breaking her heart; it reminds Lada far too much of what happened to Tammie, as if she was watching history repeat itself.

It was through Lada that Kayle discovered the answers to who he really was and what had happened to his biological parents.

Mahsuri

Suri's elder sister figure. She has taught Suri the formulas for their healing ointments as well as watched over them when they were a kid, making sure that they didn't topple over the deck. Mahsuri is also in charge of Suri's treatment and ensuring that his medicine is always in stock.

Aside from that, Mahsuri and Suri tend to gossip about the shenanigans that have happened in NRC.

Ummu

Her cousin, upbeat and bright, that she gets along well enough with. They train and work together during expeditions, with Suri being her 'driver' when Ummu is in her dragon form.

Puteri Ram

Suri's little sister, younger by thirteen years. Since she was born after Suri disowned his parents, he did not know of her existence until her father passed on a CD to Suri through Tammie; it was filled with pictures and videos of Puteri all the way up until her current age, treated and cherished in a way that Suri had never felt. Misinterpreting this as an act of condescension towards him, it almost led to Suri breaking down and throwing the CD away but Kayle and Gris managed to stop him in time.

They officially met when Tammie brought Puteri along for a visit to NRC, after which it was revealed that it was Puteri's idea, in which Suri's rigid awkwardness juxtaposed his younger sister's excitement in meeting her beloved sibling.

Over time, this awkwardness and mild resentment thawed into genuine care and love for his little sister, for he knew that resenting an innocent child would just bring the both of them unneeded hurt. Puteri's visits to NRC have become much more frequent, to the chagrin of her parents, and Suri welcomes her with open arms every time; Kayle and Gris join in on taking care of Puteri whenever Suri has other matters to attend to.

Riddle Rosehearts

Suri's tutor when Crowley implored for him to catch up with his studies. Riddle spared no mercy for Suri and would assign hours upon hours of reading to be done by the next day within the first week of the school year. While Suri found this odd and excessive, he spoke nothing of it and completed the tasks; this earned him the mild fondness of Riddle but the latter showed little of it nonetheless and continued their unrelenting tutoring sessions.

It was after Suri dove in headfirst to absorb Riddle's overblot that their friendship had progressed, though it can't be said if it was for better or worse.

Kalim al-Asim

Lilia Vanrouge

Cater Diamond

Unnamed Mother

Dead to her.

Unnamed Father

Also dead to her.

Trivia

- Suri's name references the Indonesian and Malaysian folk song "Soleram", which holds advice, words of endearments and others, of which parents would want to convey to their children when this song is sung during bedtime.
- They are blind and can see no more than five steps ahead of them. Beyond that, Suri describes it to be a mass of colors and shapes.
- Due to their Pendekar blood, their physical resilience and magical resistance is the highest out of all students.
 - They also have the innate ability to sense Blot over-accumulation which manifests as the smell of burnt meat and ink drips.
 - Being a Pendekar, Suri is 'ageless', which means that they will not die through biological means but can still perish due to fatal wounds.
 - The magic within them is in a fragile equilibrium with their Pendekar blood. Thus, Suri undergoes special treatment in order for their body to remain well.
- It is mentioned by Lilia that Suri has the same eye-shape as their aunt, Taming Sari.
- The friend group of Suri, Gris and Kayle are affectionately named as Halloween, as their respective animal representatives (black goat, black cat and baby deer) have connotations to sacrifices, demonic activity and misfortune. Suri is the black goat.
- They are not 'twisted' from any character, but shares the most resemblance by technicality with Rapunzel, i.e., changes occurring to their hair when using their magic and it being tied to their singing, as well as time-reversing abilities.

Gallery



Suri School Uniform Full Body



Best Friends 5Ever.



Halloween as Kitty Cats.



Halloween during Halloween



The cheebz.



Gris Fucking Dies



Rent was Due...



Kayle Fairy Gala SSR Groovy



Limited Edition Pop Music Club Photocards



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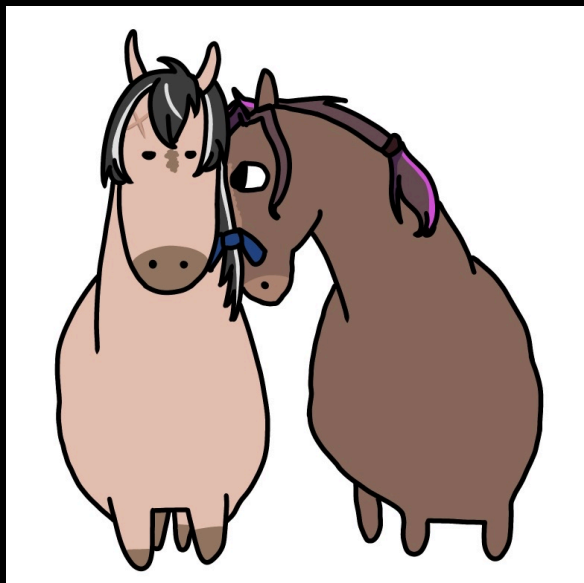
Pendekar Suri



Period Cramp Transfer Beam



Average Halloween Shenanigans



Hey. Pay attention to me.

Pendekars

Perceived as a band of mythical heroes by the average person, the Pendekars are actually a fleet of those who were blessed with special blood; one that has gifted them with the bane of being completely and utterly magicless in return for a 'Specialty' and nigh immunity to magic and the passage of time. As the name suggests, the members of the fleet are born and made warriors, fate set in stone to forever wage war against Overblot Phantoms that are wandering the lands. They have the inherent ability to sense accumulating Blot through the scent of burnt meat and the sounds of ink dripping.

The fleet is mostly comprised of women, all of whom share visibly similar physical appearances; one such trait being the primary indicator of their heritage was the opalescent white hair. They are also bestowed upon the gift of 'blood weapons', in which the concept is straightforward; once they have awakened their abilities as a Pendekar, more often than not involving life-threatening scenarios, their blood that had been spilled will form a weapon most suitable for the individual. These weapons can be summoned in battle using their blood, so most have at least one sharp accessory for them to use to pierce their skin.

Not all is unconditional, for the weapons have consciousness that have broken off from the individual and gain their own sentience through the shaping of their forms. If wielded for too long of a period, the weapon's consciousness will begin to 'infect' the individual and metamorphose them into a husk driven by their strongest wish. This phenomenon has been aptly named 'the Final Will' by Mahsuri and Ummu; it causes one to lose all individuality, and their eye colour turns red, hair becoming a bone white instead. They are also seen with their weapons at all times and in more extreme cases, the weapon fuses itself into the Pendekar's skin.

In incredibly rare cases, the weapon can take on a human form and operate on its own volition after being separated from its wielder. The only case known to date was Taming Sari, initially a magical keris used by her original owner, a Pendekar of the same name, before being obtained by Hang Tuah; eventually, she became a true human and Pendekar, following in the footsteps of her namesake.

Having been born with zero magic was not what made them unique, it is the fact that they receive a gift in return, known as a 'Specialty'. Each individual of the fleet has a Specialty solely for them, not unlike that of a Unique Magic, such as Suri's voice that has combat supporting capabilities and Lada's 'empathy' that calms all that surrounds her. These Specialties, however, operate on a completely different scale than that of Twisted Wonderland's environmental-based magic, sometimes even bending the rules of the world as they knew it.

They are not affiliated with any government bodies with the sole exception of S.T.Y.X, collabing with the latter to provide them with the captured Overblot Phantoms, in exchange for a handful of favors that they can cash in at any time with no limits. One such favor was the continuous blot poisoning treatment of Roberta Chantel. Sometime in the past, many of them had been in the Arcane Response Unit but due to clash of beliefs and unfair treatment, the Pendekars had quitted and were brought into the fleet.

Several of its members take post on land, to ensure that blot phantoms and even direbeasts don't interrupt civilisation.

Known Members

Taming Sari

Arguably its most famous member, only right after the human-turned-vampire Siong, Taming Sari, affectionately nicknamed as Tammie by her comrades and niece's friends, is the Admiral of the fleet and spearheads many of their

operations against the Overblot phantoms at sea. Her 'Specialty' is space ripping to an exact location, the condition being that it must've existed at any point in time, and her weapon is a bident, with the prongs curved like a keris' blade.

Tammie has cat-like milky brown eyes and, as a shared trait with the Pendekar bloodline, has opalescent white hair that's wavy and reaches just below her shoulders. Her fringe is parted with a thick strand of hair left out in the middle when not tucked back. Her skin is the colour of terracotta, and healed scars scatter themselves on her body from battles the fleet has encountered. A huge healed gash spans itself across her back from an encounter with a massive phantom. With short eyelashes and thick eyebrows, accompanied with an upturned nose and shark-like teeth, she gives off the impression of a haughty woman.

Tammie is extremely tall, standing at 200cm when taking her boots into count. While she wears a *kebaya nyonya*, the headpiece she wears is typically meant for men. She is typically seen with her bident, held loosely in an embrace by her left arm. When in her 'stupor', her eyes change into a ruby red colour and they lose their light.

She, along with her brother, was actually a blood weapon that had metamorphosed into a human during her time with Hang Tuah, her late companion; she was the blade while her brother was the sheath.

However, the initial owner of the keris, a Pendekar also named Taming Sari, had undergone the 'Final Will' phenomenon, and Hang Tuah successfully disposed of him after separating the keris from Taming Sari (the owner), in order to nullify the 'immortality' that the keris granted. Because the Final Will of the owner went unfulfilled and the keris was separated before he died while still retaining its consciousness, it took on his form and befriended Hang Tuah as his 'weapon'.

She lived much of her life alongside Hang Tuah operating on her previous owner's Final Will and slowly learning what it meant to be a human through him; he had shaped much of her moral compass, and who she is to the present day.

Hang Tuah gets slandered and sentenced to death > Taming Sari was sent to Hang Jebat's side > HJ's rage towards the monarch that sentenced HT was worsened by Tammie, and he goes on a killing rampage > The Famous Battle > Tammie's departure from Hang Tuah

Bloodlust worsens her, and kicks her stupor in, much like the actual keris

Lada

- Mount Ophir is in a diplomatic relationship with Briar Valley. As such, she is considered as close to Lilia and Malleus as their ally.
- She is also implied to have been there when Lilia adopted Silver.
 - Further cemented by the fact that she had taken Kayle into custody, taking care of him for 383 years before leaving him in the care of his current magicless foster family.
- Lada's curse isn't quite a curse, it is a simple memory-warping spell that allows her to never be recognised by others as a safety precaution. The Pendekars are the exceptions to this spell.
- She was the one who recruited Mahsuri into the fleet, and is also her wife.
- Lada and Tammie are related, not by blood, but rather by the same earthly magic that comes from their country of origin.
- The reason why she rejected the position of Admiral was because at the time, she thought it was funny if Tammie was the one who got the position instead.