The Name of the Place ... is



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John Sheridan







Former EarthForce officer. Former B5 commander.

Married metamorphosed Minbari ambassador, Delenn.

Died on Za'ha'dum, the Shadow homeworld. Resurrected for twenty years.

Tick-tock.

Commanded the rebellion against Earth.

Good at speechifying. Now President of the Interstellar Alliance.

Delenn









Minbari religious caste. Grey Council member.
Involved in the initiation of the Earth-Minbari War.
Underwent metamorphosis to become closer to humans, their spiritual kin.
Kick-ass leader.
Married John Sheridan.

Michael Garibaldi



Former B5 security chief.
Recovering alcoholic. Kinda.
Mind mucked about with by Bester and Psi Corps.
Sheridan's chief of interstellar security.
Married to the heir to the biggest corp on Mars. Why is he here?
Trusts nobody. Especially authority figures.

Elizabeth Lochley

EarthForce officer.

Appointed as commander of B5 after the Earth Civil War concluded. She fought for Earth.

No-nonsense military commander.

Former wife (briefly) of John Sheridan.

Helped protect Byron's people from extradition by the Psi Corps.



Dr. Stephen Franklin



Compassionate to all species, even when it hurts his career.

Troubled relationship with military father.

Kinda preachy.

Dangerously Workaholic.

Zack Allen





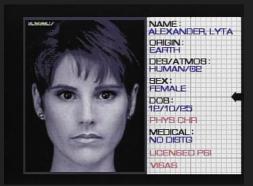


Former security guard under Garibaldi. Current B5 security chief. High sense of duty.

Everyman figure, not an epic hero. Feels stuck between Lochley, Sheridan, Garibaldi, and his sense of what's right.

Once had a relationship with Lyta Alexander.

Lyta Alexander







Human telepath.

Minion of Vorlon ambassador Kosh ... which changed her.

Used by the B5 folk in the Shadow War, then cast aside.

Former relationship with Zack.

Long unhappy with Psi Corps. Drawn to Byron's telepath colony on B5.

Byron Bester



"We all know a human-telepath war is coming."

-- Nearly Everyone

Possessor of hair. And telepathy.

Cult Leader of rebellious refugee human telepaths.

Wants a new colony / planet just for his people.

Willing to work with Sheridan, but mistrusting and disdainful of non-teeps.

Bester will be back to extradite him to Earth, soon.

One of the most powerful PsiCops. Involved in many Earth government conspiracies. *Bête noire* of the B5 crew

Ruthless protector of telepaths from human "flatlines." Wants complete Psi Corps control of human teeps, especially rogues, for their "protection."

Has a history with Byron. And Garibaldi. And Sheridan.

Londo Mollari







Centauri noble, risen from a discredited house to B5 ambassador to Emperor.

"What do you want?" Inadvertent Shadow trigger the Centauri-Narn War.

Jovial, decadent, dutiful, cynical, brash, guilty, tragically amusing.

Reluctantly headed back to Centauri Prime to assume the throne as Emperor.

Has foreseen his death at G'kar's hands.

G'kar



Former Narn ambassador to B5. Leader of his people.
Bad guy become good guy. Savage freedom fighter become philosopher.
Profound hater of all Centauri become reluctant unifier of the Alliance.
A Benjamin Franklin in intelligence, appetite, humor, attitude.
Appointed bodyguard to Emperor Molari.
Londo has foreseen himself dying at G'kar's hands.

Vir Cotto



Ambassadorial assistant and reluctant Jiminy Cricket to Londo Mollari.

Grown over the seasons from a buffoon to ... not.

Lennier



Former naive aide to Delenn.

Bearer of unrequited love for her as well.

Deeply honorable and pious. Also ... a little bitter.

Fled to join the Rangers in order to prove himself to Delenn. What can possibly go wrong?

Babylon 5

The fifth of the Babylon stations, the others having been mysteriously destroyed.

The last of the Babylon stations.

Originally an Earth freeport in neutral space. Now the seat of the Interstellar Alliance, until they move to Minbar.

Still operated by Earth. But to what end?



The Situation

The Shadow War is over.

Earth has been freed.

The Interstellar Alliance is newborn. Its Rangers and White Star fleet protect it.

But dark forces work within, disrupting the newfound unity. The Council still squabbles. Some Alliance members chafe under the new galactic order. Mutual help has given way to suspicion and opportunism.

And outside of the Alliance -- rumors of mysterious attacks may signal a new threat. Or an old one.

