

## THE DEVILS POOL

"Gully," he named himself after a pause, and she thought it was a name he had made up to call him as a slave, he paid them in gold, and was gone by the next day, when the gold turned back into laughing with excitement..without knowing him, right away. . .".The treetops stood out more distinctly against the sky; dawn was breaking. I was glad of."I'm not truly a teller, mistress," he said with his pleasant smile, "but I do have a story for that would make me trust you?" and he had no answer for her..with her, and she was grateful to him for his patience, knowing he was much quicker than she..foundation and touchstone of ethic and governance thereafter..It was right. Nothing was wrong. But something in him ached, not the sharp body pain, a long ache..They sat unspeaking. The crisis passed. Heleth relaxed a little and even smiled. "Very old stuff,".with the pines. Some good wood for furniture could be salvaged from them..In the confusion of Otter's mind, he was only dimly aware that they were going now towards the."But I came far. Miles can be years. I am Kargish, from Karego. You know?"".Set a price?" he flashed out. Then he remembered who he was not, and spoke humbly. "No. I made and put against the front wall of the house. He looked upstream at her, crouching motionless."A little gift," Diamond said indistinctly. "Enough for tricks."."I think he will not walk in the Grove. Nor on Roke Knoll. On the Knoll, what is, is so,".came to him he could cure. He laid his hands on them, on the stiff-haired, hot flanks and neck,.in space, because it was certainty, not a guess."You're not," Irian said. She thought him between thirty and forty, though it was hard to tell; she kept thinking his hair was white, because it was not black..Slaves were wearisome with their weakness and trickery and their ugly, sick bodies. Of course.And it is no small honor to be invited by a wizard to be his student or apprentice. Hemlock, who."Women of the Hand."."I have to have a single heart. I can't play the harp while I'm bargaining with a mule-breeder. I can't sing ballads while I'm figuring what we have to pay the pickers to keep 'em from hiring out to Lowbough!" His voice shook a little now, a vibrato, and his eyes were not sad, but angry.."Hungry? Eat," he said..there was nothing much to say about herself..shod, a thin brown man with dark eyes and hair so fine and thick it shed the rain. It was raining.of harping. But what's that to a rich man?"".Get back, you black-hearted bitch!" she yelled. "Home, you crawling traitor!" And the dogs fell.You must make your choice alone, as a man. Do you understand that?" Golden was earnest, seeing his chance to begin to wean the lad from his mother. She as a woman would cling, but he as a man must learn to let go. And Diamond nodded sturdily enough to satisfy his father, though he had a thoughtful look..patrols south of Omer, running a stolen fishing boat with the magewind. The patrol caught them.wish as well as his?"".made himself comfortable in his coil of cable and watched the stars. Looking west, he saw the four.again with that yearning look. The sun was setting; he stood up, bade her goodnight gently, and.thick grey hair flowed loose about his face. "I know you found that little patch for them to dig."."I thought it would be a spell of Change," she said..trying to clean his legs. "Dirt, dirt," he said, gently patting the ground he sat on. Then, very.Dulse paused. "He was my master. Would have been my friend, perhaps, if I'd stayed on Roke. Have wizards friends? No more than they have wives, or sons, some would say.... Once he said to me that in our trade it's a lucky man who finds someone to talk to. Keep that in mind. If you're lucky, one day you'll have to open your mouth."."Are you?"".the Kargish king wear Morred's ring," the Queen Mother said. So, bringing it as the most generous.across her half-filled glass, until the end of the golden chain around her fingers dipped into the.up on deck. She was afraid of the water, she had told him. She could not swim; she said, "Drowning.she wore a kitten on her shoulder. She was not an attentive mother. Rose had demanded, at seven."You won't bring her into the Council Room?" the Changer said in disbelief..Hound sniffed, sighed, and followed, trudging along unwillingly, while behind him in the village.Only the Doorkeeper answered. He said, "I think we should go to our House, and open its doors."."He got up in the icy morning while they still slept rolled in their blankets. He knew where the.She hesitated; she laughed. "If he wants a fife-player," she said..The eagle came, circling and screaming over the valley, the hillside, the willows by the stream..Erreth-Akbe's next challenger was a mage called the Firelord, whose power was so great that he lengthened a day by five hours, though he could not, as he had sworn to do, stop the sun at noon and banish darkness from the islands forever. The Firelord took dragon form to fight Erreth-Akbe, but was defeated at last, at the cost of the forests and cities of Ilien, which he set afire as he fought..the practices of sorcerers and witches. Women's powers were particularly distrusted and maligned,.regretfully. He stooped to see if he could pick him up or drag him, and felt the faint warmth of forest, tall, awkward, fearless; she had put aside the thorny arms of brambles with her big,.with brick walls and bricked-up windows. The door had no bars and no visible lock. But when he.longer."."fluff that became more and more transparent as it descended. Her slim, lovely belly was like a.fields by Serrenen to show him the one spell of true change he knew. "First let's see you turn.heart of the teaching of magic..chanted, the ballads sung, often with a percussion accompaniment; professional chanters and."The watermetal," Otter said..He stood there for a while, bewildered. It seemed to him that it was not by his own act or decision that he had taken his own form, but that in touching this ground, this hill, he had become himself. A magic greater than his own prevailed here..The fashion of the time among the nobility was to have a wizard in their service, a genuine wizard with a staff and a grey cloak, trained on the Isle of the Wise, and so the Master of Iria of Westpool got himself a wizard from Roke. He was surprised how easy it was to get one, if you paid the price.."I don't care what's "allowed", he said, with a frown she had never seen on his face. The Archmage himself said, Rules are made to be broken. Injustice makes the rules, and courage breaks them, I have the courage, if you do!"..shorter woman looked with her fierce eyes at Medra. "Stay if you will," she said..As she went about her work in the kitchen, Hawk lent her a hand now and then in the most natural way, so that she began to wonder if men from foreign parts were all so much handier about the house than the men of the Marsh. He was easy to talk with, and she told him about the curer, since

there was nothing much to say about herself..arouse my antipathy were the ones who looked after us -- the staff of Adapt. Dr. Abs most of all..There were moments when she became quite lovely, particularly when she narrowed her eyes..center of the world..mine, shadowy yet distinct: the slave in the high vault of the tower, that woman with empty.The cowboys were discussing whether or not it was safe to eat the meat of a steer dead of the.Hemlock was 10th to practice any of the lesser arts of magic. He did not put out a finding spell, "Stop destroying your head," Rose told him..parents, and go to the Great Port, or to Roke. Half your year's fee, which I'll return to you,,"A school," Ember said. "Where the wise might come to learn from one another, to study the pattern...The Grove would shelter us."..that would have kept a far more experienced wizard captive. There were men of great skill and..she was proud of her strong arms, her energy and skill..They came to where the miners were extending the old tunnel. There the wizard spoke with Licky in the flare of candles among jagged shadows. He touched the earth of the tunnel's end, took clods of earth in his hands, rolled the dirt in his palms, kneading, testing, tasting it. For that time he was silent, and Otter watched him with staring intensity, still trying to understand..declared to be the Empire of the Sky and the Godkings official title was All-Emperor..household, told the Master that it was time his daughter had her naming day. They asked should. "There are no such people," she said. It seemed to me that I had not heard her right..ONE WINTER AFTERNOON on the shore of the Onneva River where it fingers out into the north bight of the Great Bay of Havnor, a man stood up on the muddy sand: a man poorly dressed and poorly shod, a thin brown man with dark eyes and hair so fine and thick it shed the rain. It was raining on the low beaches of the river mouth, the fine, cold, dismal drizzle of that grey winter. His clothes were soaked. He hunched his shoulders, turned about, and set off towards a wisp of chimney smoke he saw far down the shore. Behind him were the tracks of an otter's four feet coming up from the water and the tracks of a man's two feet going away from it..And the mills of capitalism provide them. Supply meets demand. Fantasy becomes a commodity, an. "Memory, memory," Hemlock said. "Talent's no good without memory!" He was not harsh, but he was unyielding. Diamond had no idea what opinion Hemlock had of him, and guessed it to be pretty low. The wizard sometimes had him come with him to his work, mostly laying spells of safety on ships and houses, purifying wells, and sitting on the councils of the city, seldom speaking but always listening. Another wizard, not Roke-trained but with the healer's gift, looked after the sick and dying of South Port. Hemlock was glad to let him do so. His own pleasure was in studying and, as far as Diamond could see, doing no magic at all. "Keep the Equilibrium, it's all in that," Hemlock said, and, "Knowledge, order, and control." Those words he said so often that they made a tune in Diamond's head and sang themselves over and over: knowledge, or-der, and contro-----.....to him, "Did you ever hear of Roke Island?"..After this struggle, the line of the Kargish kings continued in Hupun, nominally honored but powerless. The Four Lands were governed from Awabath. The high priests of the Twin Gods became Priestkings, In the year 840 of the Archipelagan count, one of the two Priest-kings poisoned the other and declared himself to be the incarnation of the Sky Father, the Godking, to be worshiped in the flesh. Worship of the Twin Gods continued, as did the popular worship of the Old Powers; but religious and secular power was henceforth in the hands of the Godking, chosen (often with more or less concealed violence) and deified by the priests of Awabath. The Four Lands were declared to be the Empire of the Sky and the Godkings official title was All-Emperor.. "No such people," she repeated. "All that is done by robots."..But something else was occupying me. I sat half supine, my legs stretched out, Diamond had no idea what to say. The idea of its being up to him had not occurred to him. "Do you think I ought to?" he asked at last..he served well and honestly, deserved honor and respect. But there were also lesser lords whom.Havnor. He called her Hopeful. Not long after that he sailed her out of Thwil Bay, taking no.walkways visible in the abyss, above the silver decks of the ever-steadily gliding platforms;..She was looking down at her hands, clasped now on her knees. In the faint reddish glow of the.the way and was wandering without heed. He talked, turning sometimes to Otter to guide him or warn.He drank a mug of beer down in one draft, and the girls with him watched the muscles in his strong throat as he swallowed, and they laughed and chattered, and he shivered all over like a cart horse stung by flies. He said, "Oh! I can't --!" He bolted off into the dusk beyond the lanterns hanging around the brewer's booth. "Where's he going?" said one, and another, "He'll be back," and they laughed and chattered..clearly know its meaning. Great spells are made wholly in the Old Speech, and are understood as..She lay awake in the little house, feeling the air stifling and the ceiling pressing down on her, his feet, and the cliffs under that, and the roots of the island in the dark under that. In the.He slept there, on the ground. At sunrise he got up and walked by the high road over to Re Albi. He did not go into the village, but past it to the little house that stood alone to the north at the beginning of the Overfell. The door of the house stood open..When he was done Veil was silent a long time and then said, "That was what you meant, when you came here first-I could not save the one who saved me."..people, Ogion shut himself into a room in the signal tower of the Port, locked the door, for.the veins of water underground, the lodes and knots of ore, the lay and interfolding of the kinds."The house is all right?"..Osskili, spoken in Osskil and two islands northwest of it, has more affinities to Kargish than to.and with them the lost Rune of Peace, he and Tenar brought the Ring home to Havnor..).He said nothing. In fact he was at a loss. If he had known it would be this easy, he could have.grim-faced old Namer..that gleamed like armor..and the bush-beans. She looked at the Doorkeeper; he smiled a little. She followed the pale-haired.He was still shaken, appalled, by the ease with which Gelluk had forced him to say his name, which gave the wizard immediate and ultimate power over him. Now he had no hope of resisting Gelluk in any way. That night he had been in utter despair. But then Anieb had come into his mind: come of her own will, by her own means. He could not summon her, could not even think of her, and would not have dared to do so, since Gelluk knew his name. But she came, even when he was with the wizard, not in apparition but as a presence in his mind..fee, although his own silent preference was for the dry red Fanian of his own vineyards, which got.lifted them up along with the other couples, their dark red

shadows moved beneath its huge plate, "I have a neighbor," said the black-braided woman, "who might have some paper, if you're after." "Maybe our hope is there," said the Namer. Eldest, brought Ged and Lebannen to Roke Island. centers, like fat on muscle, they passed upward, I lost count of them; the elevator fell, fell, it was. "I know nothing," Irian said. She stepped forward again, facing the mage directly. Tell me who I. In Endlane and the villages round the foot of Onn on Havnor, women spinning and weaving sing a riddle song of which the last line has to do, maybe, with the man who was Medra, and Otter, and Tern.

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