



Dear readers, this edition has been released with a letter published by special request. King Briar of Lyonesse has requested that we share this, and we feel it as of crucial editorial integrity that it is released without any alterations or additions. We will note, as is standard practice we have used the title of Lady Gryphon, due to cultural differences her accurate title would not convey the appropriate level of respect to our readers.

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Crossing The Rubicon: A study in vaulting ambition

By [REDACTED] Briar of Lyonesse.

Friends, Gryphons, patriots and allies ...

The noble Lady Gryphon, Niobe Druses, would tell you that I, Briar [REDACTED] of Lyonesse, am an oath breaker and an outlaw, that I have broken faith with all bonds of fellowship and have no love for my people, my forebears, and my land. [REDACTED] these accusations have [REDACTED] truth, [REDACTED] these [REDACTED] be grievous faults, and I grievously shall answer them.

For Lady Niobe is an honourable woman, and her allies are all honourable [REDACTED].

The Lady Gryphon says that I am ambitious, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED] I am [REDACTED]. [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

For Lady Niobe is an honourable woman, and her allies are all honourable [REDACTED].

I am [REDACTED] hungry for war, [REDACTED] who has displayed an appetite for Gryphon blood [REDACTED] Who is responsible for the attack on Azgul Fort, a citadel on Gryphon Lands, [REDACTED] using an army tainted with unliving, contrary to all Gryphon oaths, and with the loss of many Gryphon lives [REDACTED]

It could not [REDACTED] be the Lady Gryphon, for Niobe is an honourable woman, and her allies are all honourable [REDACTED].

I have been [REDACTED] in league with demons [REDACTED].
Who has been cavorting with the unliving, in blasphemous revelry, [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]
[REDACTED] I can only extend my sympathy to the Lady Gryphon.

For Lady Niobe is an honourable woman, and her allies are all honourable [REDACTED].

