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Lore Items Concepts and Specs – The Legendary of the War of Light and Shadow

The concept behind this lore item is an OLD CHILDREN'S BOOK based on the FIRST GREAT DEMON WAR, colloquially known as THE WAR OF LIGHT AND SHADOW. It is an exaggerated and simplified piece of writing meant for children that tells the legend of the first war between the people of this world and beings from another world, called demons. There are very few records and documents about the real events of the First Great Demon War, so while based on a factual and historical war within the world, this children's book is mostly based off the LEGENDS and ROSE-TINTED tales of the HEROES in the war. Imagine it like a bedtime story told by parents to their children. This lore item is one of the Tome items the player can collect throughout the game and read once they have gotten it.

Try not to include too many facts or be too clear as to confirm any of this as fact for the reader.

General Information / Facts:

- World contains many sentient races. The main four are HUMANS, ELVES, DWARFS, AND ORCS.
- Magic exists naturally in the world
- Magic is believed to be a gift from the gods
- General belief is a pantheon of Gods, with the God of Light as the king of the Gods
- World is referred to as L'MENA (Derived from Lumen)
- Known Continents: EITHEA, WELSCAR, AZZUWA, ESTILIYA
- About 3000 years ago, an event called the GREAT CONVERGEANCE allowed L'mena to briefly merge with another world, referred to as KNOXIS (Derived from Nox)
- This merge greatly altered and effected both worlds, bringing over people, land, creatures, and magic from the other
- The merge corrupted L'mena, the magic brough over from the other world tainted the land, creatures, and people, destroying the environment and creating monsters
- A civilization of DEMONS, the people of Knoxis, were brough over to this world on the continent of Eithea
- Compared to the people and creatures of L'mena, Demons and their magic are stronger and better magically attuned due to adapting to their harsher and more dangerous world of Knoxis

About the First Great Demon War:

- The civilization of Demons brought over to L'mena formed an empire, under the DEMON EMPEROR XENO
- Emperor Xeno led his DEMON EMPIRE to conquer this new world
- Kingdom after Kingdom fell to his empire, and soon, five after the Great Convergence, they conquered almost all of Eithea
- The Demons used their magic to alter the land they conquered to make it more like their home
- They disliked the day and light of this world compared to their home, and used their magic to darken the sky and block out the sun within their lands
- The demon's magic tainted the land, infecting people and creatures, turning them into monsters

- The people and Kingdoms of Humans, Elves, Dwarfs, and Orcs that stood divided before and fought before, realized their foolish as they saw the thread of the demon empire
- The demons continued their conquest and spread their influence across all the Welscar and Azzuwa
- The separate kingdoms of Humans, Elves, Dwarfs, and Orcs all tried to stop the demon empire, but they were not strong enough
- After almost 20 years of losing the war, it looked like the Demon Empire would conquer the world
- It seemed all hope for the people of L'mena was lost, until the GREAT BATTLE OF JUNIS
- At the southern border of a small human kingdom called JUNIS, a rag tag group of soldiers from different races, mercenaries, retreating refugees, and an army of Junis Knights led by PRINCE DIO, defended against the attacking Demon army and were able to fight them off.
- The victory shocked both the people of L'mena and the demons
- Sparking new hope into the people of L'mena, the remaining kingdoms of Humans, Elves, Dwarfs, and Orcs banded together, following the example of Prince Dio, forming the GREAT ALLIANCE to fight the Demon Empire.
- With renewed vigor, the Great Alliance fought to resist the Demon Empire with all their might
- Over hundreds of years, Heroes like Prince Dio rose to defend the world of L'mena
- THE SENTINEL: LORD VALDR OF KARTH, THE SHADOW: QUEEN AIFE OF THE NORTHERN ELVES, THE FROZEN: MASTER DEORGON FLAMEBEARD OF THE EASTERN HILLS, THE BREAKER: ADARRA OF FORGOTTEN TRIBE, and THE CHAMPION: DIO VIII, THE HERO KING OF JUNIS
- After almost a thousand years of war with the Great Alliance and many loses, the Demon Empire was on the brink of destruction
- As the Hero King Dio VIII besieged the Demon Empire's capital, The Demon Emperor Xeno attempted to use forbidden magic to force another Great Convergence as a last-ditch effort
- But at the last minute, another Hero, MILA THE MEEK, used her magic to pray to the God of Light and cast a spell that caused the light of sun to burn all demons, distracting Emperor Xeno and allowing Hero King Dio to defeat him
- The Demon Empire fell apart, and the remaining demons hid deep underground as the Great Alliance on the surface continue their war on demon-kind
- Eventually, as hundreds of years go by, the Great Alliance is dissolved and the people forgot about the Demon threat, but they still hid underground, breeding and stewing in their hatred for this world of light and swearing to get their revenge eventually