

To Signora A,

Your willingness to write to us shows Courage unseen in most and it is true indeed that I have heard of your guilds skill in the art of butchering. You are known to us and we are intrigued that you have the Vigilance to appreciate our Loyalty to our good brothers and sisters. However, do not presume that means that we agree there is nothing much separating us for whilst some of you may understand the ways of the old country you do not seem to follow them as well as you might.

The territory of Anvil is not neutral; it is a den of law abiding cravens who would not hesitate to strike any that we would send out of fear for the threat we pose to their lives constantly beholden to Imperial institutions. We are facing a tide of hatred and vitriol since Autumn that it would not do for us to open up to. Additionally the reasons you give for our trust are meaningless, proving no form of Loyalty or confidence between us. You risk nothing with this letter if it is but a setup to advance your own Ambition as you have given no reason for us to believe your aims match with our own.

However we would not turn away a potential friend in the making and so instead provide you and your fellows a number of opportunities to provide us with gifts. Depending on your level of success with any of these concerns presented below then we would look to a meeting in the future on genuinely neutral ground where we may discuss further possibilities for gain.

To begin with, the scrutiny we face currently is unneeded. It would be best for us and for yourself if you helped the world at large believe we are no more if we are to ever have a chance to move and act freely as we once did. Put to rest this crusade against our family.

Secondly, there are a number of individuals that have gained our attention. We would heartily appreciate it if they were moved against in whatever way you see fit. When we make contact again in half a years' time we will hope for proof of your ingenuity. They are Regina Alcee Caeli Salvatici von Temeschwar, Vladimir von Temeschwar, Valimir von Temeschwar, Irada von Temeschwar along with anyone of the Ashen Tower.

Thirdly, we are interested in a Folly of Afarjasse as a business venture. A wayhouse for travellers on the border of that territory facing the Iron Confederacy would provide certain chances for business we believe would be mutually beneficial. 10 White Granite and 20 crowns invested in it is enough we believe to start such an enterprise and of course in return for pushing this this we would look to provide you with an appropriate cut as a gift. We have spoken of this and the other items to someone of the nation best suited for promoting this idea and we would suggest you contact him for both this plan and the others mentioned for it is known two fists are always better than one.

Finally. There will be a number of our seized assets placed upon the market for citizens to acquire. We would give you a friendly warning as an advance reward for having the Courage to contact us that it is in your best interests to stay away from them

We look forward to seeing what you can achieve.

Uncle.