I write with regard to my Lord Gawain Bedwyr, and the ring of Bedwyr which you won through your wonderful tales two seasons past. It is with sadness that I must report his passing. he died peacefully in his sleep last night and I know his Loyalty will guide him swiftly through the labyrinth. May you find it in your heart to raise a toast to him at this festival, and tell once more the tale that won you the ring, or the tale of the ring its self.

My Lord spoke often of the Imperial Orcs Items of Worth, and I know that he considered that ring to be as close to such as a Vawnishman can have. he had great respect for your traditions - his son was adopted from your nation, and he and his husband fought alongside your brave warriors on more than one occasion. The memory of house Bedwyr would be pleased if you would treat the ring as if it were an Item of Worth, to re-forge it using the ritual Jimeless hammer Rhythm when the magic should fade, and to keep its tales alive. In this way Vawn and the Imperial Orcs are quite alike. May we always remain strong allies and good friends.

Yours in memoriam,

Tristan

## Tristan, Seneschal of Bedwyr