

ROOARRR

AAAAAUGH!







THE POOL!
USE THE POOL!

GEE, YA
THINK?



FOR THE
DAWNFLOWER!

FOR THE
BLOOD
KING!

FOR
SEONI!

I COULD
HAVE HAD AN
INCUBUS!



UGH.
MY SHIRT IS
RUINED.

YOU
SERIOUSLY
CALL THAT A
SHIRT?

SEONI!



SARENRAE, BLESSED FLAME, DO NOT LET YOUR FIRE BE PERVERTED. PLEASE DON'T LET IT TAKE OUR FRIEND FROM US.



HUUURHI!



THANK YOU, KYRA. THAT WAS... UNPLEASANT.

PRAYE CRYDEN! I THOUGHT WE'D LOST YOU FOR A MINUTE.



YOU VERY NEARLY DID. WHATEVER THAT THING WAS, IT WAS POWERFUL. YET YOUR WEAPONS CUT THROUGH IT LIKE IT WAS NOTHING. I'M STARTING TO BELIEVE WHAT THE SHRIEZYX QUEEN WAS SAYING—MAYBE WE REALLY CAN TAKE ON THE CASTELLAN

YAGGOSAS
HAYTAS, HAYT
GUNNAN AY LAY
TUNNOS?

NICE TATS.

WATCH IT, RUNT.

SO NOW THAT WE'VE CLEARED OUT THE VERMIN, ARE WE CAMPING HERE, OR WHAT?



ABSOLUTELY. WE STILL NEED TO REST AND PREPARE BEFORE WE TAKE ON THE CASTELLAN. ONCE WE BARRICADE OURSELVES IN, WE'LL BE AS SAFE HERE AS IF WE WERE BACK AT THE RUSTY DRAGON.

BOLD WORDS FROM A WOMAN WHO WAS AN OVERCOOKED ROAST A MINUTE AGO.
YOU SMELLED DELICIOUS, BY THE WAY.



ALL RIGHT, OLOCH. YOU STILL OWE ME SOME TEETH, BUT YOU SAVED SEONI BACK THERE, SO I GUESS I SHOULD THANK YOU. DRINK?

DOES THAT MEAN YOU DON'T WANT THE DRINK?

I FIGHT FOR GORUM, NOT YOUR THANKS.

I DIDN'T SAY THAT.



PERHAPS VALEROS IS RIGHT. WE WORKED WELL AS A TEAM TO DISPATCH THAT POOL-BEAST. THERE'S MUCH WE MIGHT YET LEARN FROM ONE ANOTHER. SPELLS, LORE--

YEAH, THAT'S NOT GONNA HAPPEN. AS SOON AS WE AXE THE CASTELLAN, MY TEAM AND I ARE GONE.



WHY WAIT? THIS ROOM IS FULL OF WEAPONS--YOU COULD ENCHANT THEM ALL WITH THE POOL AND SELL THEM OFF BACK IN RIDDLEPORT. YOU'D STILL BE RICH, AND YOU WOULDN'T HAVE TO FIGHT THE DEMON.

WHAT, AND BREAK OUR BARGAIN? I MAY BE A VILLAIN, SEONI, BUT I'M AN HONEST VILLAIN. A MERCENARY'S ONLY AS GOOD AS HIS WORD. IF I LEFT NOW, I WOULDN'T BE ABLE TO LIVE WITH MYSELF.

MAINLY BECAUSE THE SPIDER LADY WOULD EAT ME.