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FAR BEYOND THE GLIMMERSEA, IN THE LAND OF
DANOW THERE ARE LEGENDS OF THE ALFASPRITES.

SEVEN SISTERS, THEIR ORIGINS SHROUDED IN MYSTERY,
WHO LIVE ON THE ENIGMATIC ISLAND OF TARA.

WHERE THEY COME FROM AND HOW LONG THEY HAVE
LIVED THERE IS NOT KNOWN, EVEN BY THE VILLAGE FOLK
WHO INHABIT THE ISLAND.

LIKE ALL SISTERS THEY HAVE THEIR SQUABBLES AND FIGHTS,
BUT THE FEW WHO HAVE ENCOUNTERED ALFASPRITES
REPORT THAT THEY ARE PLAYFUL, MISCHIEVOUS,
IMPULSIVE, CAREFREE AND MOST IMPORTANTLY...
HAVE THE ABILITY TO GRANT WISHES.

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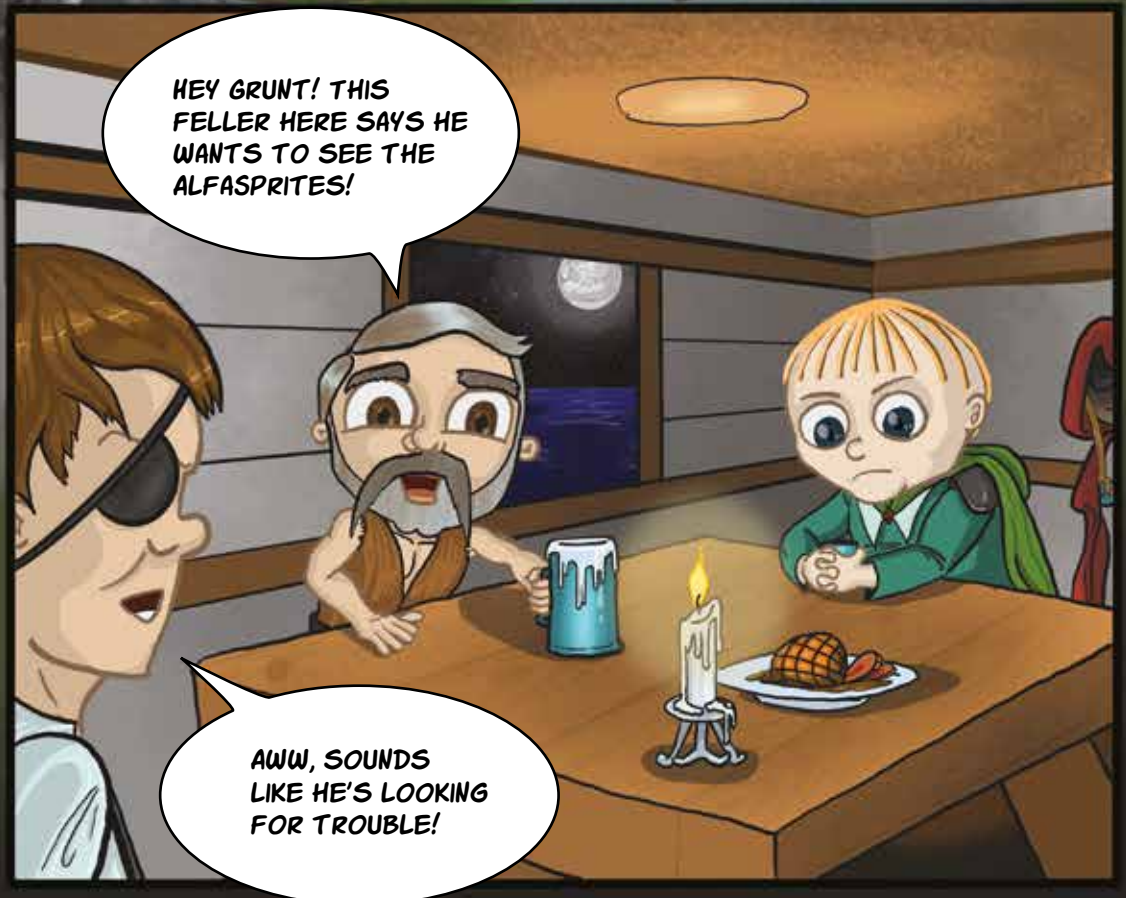
Part 1: Amber's Tale



THE QUIET VILLAGE ON THE COAST OF THE SLEEPY ISLAND OF TARA HAS MANY VISITORS FOR A PLACE THAT SEEMS SO INNOCUOUS. THIS IS BECAUSE THE ISLAND HAS SOME VERY REMARKABLE OCCUPANTS - WHOSE SECRETS DRAW PEOPLE FROM AROUND THE WORLD. FOR EVEN THE MOST IGNORANT ADVENTURER HEARS TALES OF THE

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ME AND SLAB HERE ARE LOCALS
- WE KNOW A THING OR TWO
ABOUT THE ALFASPRITES!

YOU TELL HIM
GRUNT!

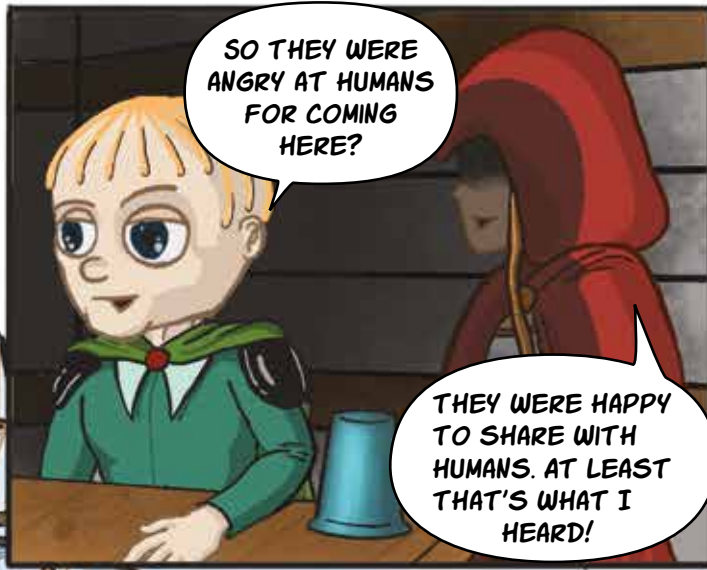
I HEAR THEY
GRANT WISHES...

LEMME TELL YOU ABOUT THE
ALFASPRITES. THIS ISLAND - TARA -
USED TO BE A PARADISE FOR THEM -
THEY LIVED HERE WITH FAIRIES AND
ALL MANNER OF MAGICAL BEASTIES.



BUT THEY WANTED
TO KEEP IT ALL
FOR THEMSELVES!





SO THEY WERE ANGRY AT HUMANS FOR COMING HERE?

THEY WERE HAPPY TO SHARE WITH HUMANS. AT LEAST THAT'S WHAT I HEARD!



HAPPY?! NOT LIKELY WITH THE ALFASPRITES!

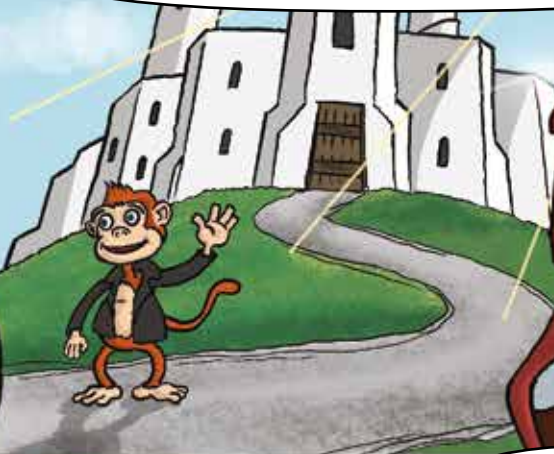
YOU SEE, WHILE PEOPLE ARE HERE ON TARA, THE LAND GETS LESS ...MAGICAL ... AND THIS MEANS THEY LOOSE THEIR MAGIC POWERS!



THAT'S WHY THEY GOT AN ANCIENT CREATURE TO BUILD THEIR CASTLE -SO THEY COULD HORDE ALL THE MAGIC FOR THEMSELVES IN ITS HEAVILY GUARDED WALLS. AND THERE THEY STAY - UNLESS THEY WALK AMONGST US MEN HIDDEN FROM DETECTION!



THAT'S NOT TRUE AT ALL! THE CASTLE IS TO PROTECT THE ALFASPRITES - AND TO STOP TOO MANY FORTUNE SEEKERS COMING TO REQUEST WISHES FROM THEM. AND IT WAS BUILT BY A CHEEKY MONKEY, NOT SOME SORT OF MONSTER!



QUIET GIRL! WHAT WOULD YOU KNOW OF THE ALFASPRITES?

WE'RE NATIVES TO THE ISLAND. - WE DON'T EVEN KNOW WHO YOU ARE!

YOU DON'T KNOW HALF AS MUCH AS YOU THINK! TELL ME DUNCAN - DO YOU REALLY WANT TO SEE THE ALFASPRITES?

I REALLY DO - I HAVE A WISH THAT I DEARLY WANT GRANTED.



ARE YOU DAFT BOY? THEY'RE DANGEROUS! THEIR WISHES GO WRONG ALL THE TIME!

HAVEN'T YOU LISTENED TO ANYTHING WE'VE TOLD YOU??



I DON'T CARE! I NEED TO MAKE MY WISH, NO MATTER WHAT THE COST!