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SORRY NO FULL VOLUME RELEASE WITH THIS ONE, DIDN'T HAVE ANYTHING TO WATCH WHILE SCANNING THE WHOLE BOOK SO, I JUST SCANNED 3 CHAPTERS

ENJOY!!!
In the frontier of the American West, a forgotten war was waged between the followers of Temozarela, an angel of blood fallen from heaven, and those who stood against the darkness. And somewhere in between walked Ivan Isaacs, a dead priest who sold his soul to the devil Belial for a second chance at life and the power to get his revenge. While Ivan hunted down Temozarela's followers, he kept a detailed log of his tragic journey. Now his journal has fallen into the hands of Father Simon, a modern day religious scholar who had been looking for this kind of miraculous proof of the divine to fortify his faith. Simon was summoned to the Heshion, a holy prison where the soul of Temozarela is sealed to this day, along with the soul of Ivan Isaacs. But before Simon can understand the evil that has been discovered in the present, he must first learn about the man who trapped it.
THE BLOODSTAINS AND COUNTLESS SCRATCHES... THIS BOOK STILL BARES THE SCARS OF THE WAR AGAINST THE HERETIC FOUGHT 300 YEARS AGO. I'VE SPENT MY LIFE IN PURSUIT OF FAITH, BUT THIS BOOK... IT CHANGES EVERYTHING.
Many believers want nothing more than to witness a miracle to justify their faith in God, but there are others who have lost their faith after seeing too many miracles.

I was dead once, but I was given a second chance at life.
IT WAS A GIFT FROM THE DEVIL WHO NOW OCCUPIES HALF OF MY SOUL.

IN DEATH I FOssOK GOD AND Was boN AGAIN A HERETIC.

A JOURNEY OF REVENGE, WOVEN IN BLOOD AND CORPSES—THAT IS THE LIFE THAT I HAVE CHOSEN.

BUT WHEN MY JOURNEY REACHES ITS END.

WHAT LITTLE IS LEFT OF MY SOUL WILL ALSO DIE OUT.
I DO NOT KNOW HOW MUCH LONGER I CAN CONTINUE TO WRITE.

SOMEDAY WHEN THESE WORDS STOP...

IT WILL MEAN THAT THE DEVIL HAS COME TO RECLAIM THE REMAINDER OF MY SOUL.
MY NAME IS IVAN IVAN DAAO.

AND THIS IS A RECORD OF MY NIGHTMARES.
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ENJOY!!!
HOW STRANGE. NOTHING'S CHANGED.

OLDSBURY IS JUST LIKE I LEFT IT.

HAHAHA...
WE'RE JUST A COUNTRY TOWN. NOTHIN' BUT CATTLE AND PRAHPE.

IF OUR TOWN HAD CHANGED. NOW THAT WOULD BE STRANGE.

CICK

NO...

THIS PLACE IS LIKE A HOME TO ME.

YOU MUST HAVE...
...STOPPED BY HERE BEFORE.
EVERYTHING THAT IS PRECIOUS TO ME...

...IS STILL HERE

PRECIOUS THINGS.

THEY ARE ALSO THE CAUSE OF MY PAIN.
I LEFT SUBLIMITY TO ESCAPE FROM THAT PAIN. EVEN THOUGH I KNEW I WOULD FACE IT ONCE MORE WHEN I RETURNED. 

I BELIEVED THAT PEACE WOULD TAKE AWAY THE LOVE I COULD NOT PURSUE.

KLUNK

KLUNK

KLUNK

DO YOU SEE THAT LARGE ROCK OVER THERE? LOCAL LEGENDS SAY THAT'S THE BURIAL SITE OF CHIEF CHINKA WONG.
HE WAS A GREAT HERO OF THE S仇WAK TRIBE.

YOU SAID YOU LIKE OLD STORIES, RIGHT?

LET ME TELL YOU MORE.

THEY USED TO LIVE RIGHT HERE IN OLD BURY.

ONE DAY, DEMONS CAME TO HIS TRIBE AND TORTURED HIS PEOPLE.

HUNDREDS OF YEARS AGO, BEFORE OUR PEOPLE MADE THEIR HOME TO THE S仇WAK INDIANS AND THE GREAT WARRIOR CHENNAWONG WAS THEIR CHIEF.

SO HE FOUGHT AGAINST THE DEMONS WITH THE HELP OF THE SCULS OF S仇WAK.

EVEN WHEN THE FIGHT WAS OVER, CHENNAWONG WANTED TO MAKE SURE THAT DEMONS WOULD NEVER RETURN.

SO HE IMBURE THE DEMONS IN HIS OWN SOUL AND HIMSELF INSIDE OF THE ROCK.

YOU REALLY ARE FOND OF OLD LEGENDS, AREN'T YOU, IVAN.
Sister Maria told me that you have lots of books that aren't at the orphanage.

I'm not, "Mr. Isaacs."

I know it must be hard at first, but please, call me father.

Yes, Mr. Isaacs.

Ivan!
They're here!

Hmph!

Nora!

Miss Gena. Where are you going?

It's time for tea.

Miss... Miss Gena!

Dad's here!

Aww... just leave it there!
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ENJOY!!!
GENA

SAY HELLO TO YOUR NEW BROTHER IVAN.

NORA SAID YOU'RE BRINGING A CUTE LITTLE SISTER...

HE'S A BOY!

AND... LOOK! HE'S WAY SHORTER THAN...
Ivan is two years older than you! Where are your manners?

He's a part of our family now!

Come now, Gena.

Ivan!

Ivan don't mind her.

She's really not a bad person.

I'm sure she'll like it if you treat her like a sister.

Kick!

Gena!
OUR FATHER WHO ART IN HEAVEN

I PRAY THAT THE FOOD YOU HAVE PROVIDED FOR US...

I ASK THAT YOU JOIN US AT THIS TABLE

AND POUR YOUR ABUNDANT BLESSINGS UPON US

...WILL GIVE US THE STRENGTH TO DO YOUR BIDDING HERE ON EARTH.

I ALSO ASK...

...THAT YOUR GRACE WILL FALL ON EVERYONE

TING

WHOA!

FWIP

AHHH!
AAAH!

WHAT DO YOU MEAN, "PHEW"?

DON'T YOU KNOW HOW TO STAY QUIET DURING A PRAYER?

WHAT'S YOUR PROBLEM?

HE DIDN'T DO IT ON PURPOSE. HE JUST HAS NO MANNERS.

THAT'S ENOUGH.

I'D SAY THAT THROWING SOMETHING DURING A SUFFER PRAYER TO KNOCK OVER SOMEONE'S GLASS...

...ALSO SHOWS A LACK OF MANNERS.

YOU IDIOT!

YOU'VE INTERRUPTED DAD'S PRAYER!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING?
WH... WHO?
DID YOU DO IT?
NOW, MISS GENA...
GENA!
...OR YOU CAN JUST FORGET ABOUT SUPPER...

YOU CAN EITHER APOLOGIZE TO IVAN...

TH... THAT'S OKAY.

I'M FINE.

THBB!
I HAVE NO INTENTIONS OF...

... APOLOGIZING TO YOU!

TODAY'S DESSERT IS CUSTARD CAKE.

SORRY, IVAN!

IT WAS JUST A JOKE.

DON'T APOLOGIZE ...

...IF YOU DON'T MEAN IT!
It's already been three years since my wife passed away.

How much longer will it take for Gena to open up again?

It'll take some time before the shock of losing her mother fades away.

At least she's brightened up a lot.

...in front of you and me.

I thought having someone her age around would help her.

Did I rush into this?

But Gena can't spend all her time...

...with only us forever.
U.M...

WHAT?

ARE YOU HERE TO...

...MAKE FUN OF ME?

THIS...

MR. ISAACS DOESN'T KNOW...

THAT'S BECAUSE THIS IS FOR YOU HERE...

EEK!

UH!
I know... you're going to tell on me...

...to father as soon as I eat it!

Uh...

No!!

I just wanted to...

...ask you something...

...

Lick lick

...

Lick

...

I want more...
FINE!

ASK ME, WHAT DO YOU WANT TO KNOW?

SINCE YOU KNOW YOUR MOM'S FACE...

YOU MUST HAVE LOTS OF MEMORIES OF HER

I DON'T EVEN KNOW WHAT MY MOM...

...LOOKS LIKE...

I WANT TO KNOW...

WHAT IT FEELS LIKE...

...TO BE HELD BY A MOM...
Tai: That was it?

That's what you wanted to ask?

Fine! I'll tell you.

It's like...
IT'S LIKE...

...A SCENT.

BUT...

...I DON'T REMEMBER WHAT KIND OF SCENT IT WAS.
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ENJOY!!!
IVAN!

DOESN'T MATTER.

...
IDiot... I'm talking about you!

Whether you live in this house or not...

...Doesn't matter to me! Idiot!!

Do you understand?

Huh?

Huh... Yeah!

Heh, heh, heh...

Don't even think about being treated like an older brother.

I'm taller than you...

And I'm stronger than you, too.

GOT that?

If you have other questions ask Nora, you Idiot!

Uh-huh.

This doesn't feel right.

SLAM
ISAAC'S RANCH IS STILL THE BIGGEST...

HA HA HA!

IN OLD BURY, RIGHT?

IT'S NOT JUST BIG!

AFTER JACOB ISAAC'S DIED...

THE RANCH HAS GROWN TO THREE TIMES ITS ORIGINAL SIZE WHAT A WOMAN!

...HIS DAUGHTER TOOK OVER THE RANCH SINCE THEN...

SHE'S FAMOUS AROUND OLD BURY

ON TOP OF THAT BECAUSE SHE'S SO BEAUTIFUL...

TAKING CARE OF A RANCH IS DIFFICULT EVEN FOR A MAN...

...BUT SHE MAKES IT LOOK EASY.

KLUNK KLUNK

KLUNK KLUNK
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP
STOMP

IVAN!

IVAN!

IVAN!

I V A N, C O M E O U T S I D E !

I S A D D L E D UP J U P I T E R !
GENA...

I TOLD YOU TO KNOCK BEFORE YOU COME IN.

WHY? AFRAID I'LL SEE YOU FOR THE BOOKWORM YOU ARE?

YOU DON'T HAVE ANYTHING TO HIDE DO YOU?

A DOLL!

IS IT FOR ME?

UH...

GENA! THAT'S... YOU SILLY...
IT'S A TYPE OF VOODOO DOLL ONCE USED BY SESHAWK TRIBE SHAMANS.

You can use personal artifacts on this doll to cast spells on specific persons.

The Seshawk used these voodoo dolls to fish demons.

They even stole souls of other tribes warriors with it.

I don't like it!

I swear, you waste so much time on useless research.

Anyway... What about Jupiter?

Oh, yeah!

Jupiter!
Obviousl
I couldn't
just put a
spell on
Jupiter

I'm not
a witch.
You know

Thanks
to her...

... Miss
Gena's
beautiful
legs are
all bruised
up.

What?

You
mean you
trained her?

Yawn

Neigh!

Huh?
Sorry, Sam!!

Gena! Watch where you're going!

Gena!!

Don't ask me, ask Jupiter!!

Slow down!!
I don't remember the exact moment I fell in love with her...

...but I do remember the moment when I learned that I am not supposed to be in love with her.

By then, it was already too late.
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ENJOY!!!
WHY... FATHER?
CONRAD IS ONE OF THE MOST PRESTIGIOUS SCHOOLS IN THE NATION WITH A HISTORY OF GREAT SCHOLARS.

YOU CAN DEVOTE YOURSELF TO CHURCH-RELATED RESEARCH ALL YOU WANT THERE.

BUT...

I HAVEN'T DECIDED WHAT I WANT TO DO, YET...

THERE'S ANOTHER REASON, ISN'T THERE?

IT'S BECAUSE OF GENA, ISN'T IT?

SHUT YOUR MOUTH!

Ivana!

GENA IS YOUR SISTER!!

HOW CAN YOU THINK ABOUT HER LIKE THAT?
GENA IS MY SISTER.

I HAD FORGOT TEN...

...WHAT MY PLACE WAS IN THIS HOUSE.

I'M JUST A FRIEND TO KEEP GENA COMPANY.

WHAT WAS I THINKING TO WANT MORE?

WHY YOU UNGRATEFUL!?
HOW DARE YOU!

THE DISCUSSION IS OVER.
I won't be happy...

Coward...

...until you return.
I almost forgot how beautiful Oldbury is.

It's been too long.

It's amazing...

KLUNK

Nine years have gone by...

Without there being the slightest change in Oldbury.

KLUNK KLUNK

What about you, Ivan?
WERE THOSE NINE YEARS...

...PLENTY OF TIME TO CHANGE YOU?

WHY...

...ARE YOU SO FORMAL WITH ME?

THE PAST NINE YEARS...

IT WAS A LONG ENOUGH TIME TO CHANGE EVERYTHING FOR ME.

THAT'S WHEN I REALIZED...
DO YOU RESENT FATHER?

NO I'VE NEVER RESENTED HIM

FATHER MADE THE RIGHT DECISION

HE PROBABLY AGONIZED OVER IT TOO.

I'M SURE IT WASN'T EASY FOR HIM

SIGH...
In the past nine years.

You really haven't changed a bit...

Can I tell you something you don't know?

I have ever since the day you left Oldbury.

Resent father.

Gena... Well... Doesn't matter anymore.

It's all in the past now.

Oh!

Don't you want to see how the library has changed?
SQUEAK

OH...

MY...

I CAN'T BELIEVE IT...

EVERYTHING IS EXACTLY THE SAME!

YOU HAVEN'T MOVED A SINGLE BOOK.

YOU KEPT IT THIS WAY FOR NINE YEARS?!
SIGH...
YOU DON'T REMEMBER?
EXCEPT FOR TOUCHING THE BOOKS...
IN THIS ROOM
YOU TOLERATED EVERYTHING I DID...

I KNEW...
I KNEW YOU'D RETURN TO THIS ROOM SOMEDAY
THE HARDEST THING AFTER YOU HAD GONE WAS...
SEEING THIS ROOM WITHOUT YOU IN IT
I came here—

Just to stop by while you wait for your new parish assignment from the church?

I know you wrote it in your letter.

...  

Yes...

Come on, Ivan.

I'm not a naive 16-year-old anymore.

Nora made a special dinner for your return.

I'll wait for you downstairs.

Don't stay too long in this old library.
Isn't it a bit early for a ride?

Not if you want to catch the sunrise.

Jupiter! It's been a long time!

Neigh.
How about it, Ivan?

Or did "father Ivan" forget how to ride?

Yawn

Whuh?

Neigh!

Jupiter?
Why don't we make things more interesting, Ivan?

The loser has to do what the winner asks!

Gena! Slow down!

Miss... Gena....

It's not me! It's Jupiter!
THAT WAS MY LAST GLIMPSE OF HAPPINESS AS A HUMAN
SYNOPSIS:

Before Ivan Issacs became the undead pilgrim who battles Temozapela's forces, he was just a mortal man with the usual human failings orphaned at an early age. Ivan was adopted by Jacob Issacs, a wealthy frontiersman who wanted his only daughter, Jenna, to have a companion. In the solitude of the Issacs' homestead, the two siblings developed stronger feelings than their father or society would allow. To escape from his desire, Ivan entered seminary where he found a new interest: the study of ancient religions. Nine years later, father Ivan Issacs is still haunted by memories of his true love but a new figure has begun appearing in his dreams—a knight templar, a holy defender of the crusades. Now Ivan stands at a crossroads: one path leads to ancient demons, the other to a forbidden love. Whichever path he chooses will certainly lead to damnation.

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SHORT, AND QUICK CHAPTER
ENJOY!!!
I believe Father Ivan Isaacs is here waiting for a parish assignment.

We're here to escort him.

I am Father Raul Piestro...

Head priest of Saint Verteinez Church.
Miss Isaacs...

If you don't mind, I'd like to speak to you in private.
SURE

PLEASE, GENA...

I HEARD A LOT ABOUT YOUR SISTER...

...ON THE WAY OVER HERE.

SHE'S A REMARKABLE PERSON.

WHY DON'T YOU TELL ME NOW.

I KNOW YOU'RE NOT HERE TO ASSIGN ME A FAVORITISM.
The real name for Saint Vertinez Church is Michael's Sword.

It's a secret organization within the Vatican that answers only to the Pope himself.

In times of need, they have the authority to take matters into their own hands—even without the Holy Father's knowledge.

It's principal duty...

...to expose all heretics!

You seem to know a lot about our organization.

...Father Ivan.

Of course I do!

I was under your group's investigation.

Five years ago when I was in seminary.
IT WAS EXACTLY FIVE YEARS AND FOUR MONTHS AGO...

...DURING YOUR FRESHMAN YEAR AT CONRAD SEMINARY.

I HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED ALL DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS FOR THAT INCIDENT.

I THOUGHT THAT THE MATTER WAS CLOSED.

IS THERE A...

PROBLEM WITH THAT AND MY NEW PARISH ASSIGNMENT?

THERE ISN'T A PROBLEM, PER SE...

...BUT THAT IS THE REASON WHY WE ARE HERE TODAY.

YOUR ESSAY...

AH, THANK YOU.
This essay you wrote about the existence of demons in ancient religions... about the connection between those demons and Catholicism...

This was the cause of your investigation was it not?

That was just a theory... based on my personal research.

Do you really think the Vatican’s secret organization would get involved in a mere theory by a seminary student?

Your interpretation of ancient religion has even the experts flabbergasted.

You were only recommended... to keep you from further research.
NOW...

WE ARE IN NEED OF YOUR HELP.

HELP???

YOU NEED MY HELP?

WE MEMBERS OF SAINT VERTINEZ...

...HAVE ENCOUNTERED A DIFFICULT SITUATION

IN OUR EFFORTS TO SOLVE THIS SITUATION...

WE HAVE ASKED FOR HELP FROM NOT ONLY THE VATICAN BUT FROM EXPERTS IN PARISHES AROUND THE WORLD.

WE STILL ARE NOWHERE CLOSE TO SOLVING IT.
SOLVING IT?

SOLVING WHAT?

AN ENIGMA.

PERHAPS A TEST FROM GOD...
...or perhaps some cruel joke of the devil himself.
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ENJOY!!!
JUST WEST OF NASHVILLE

...THERE'S A SMALL MINERS TOWN CALLED STONE TALES...

WE FOUND IT THERE...

FIVE YEARS AGO.

THERE'S A MONASTERY WHOSE AGE AND ORIGINS ARE A MYSTERY.

SOON AFTER THAT WE FORMED A TEAM OF RESEARCHERS...

...TO UNCOVER ITS ORIGINS.

BUT THE RESEARCH ABRUPTLY ENDED...

...AFTER THREE AND A HALF YEARS...

MURDER.

ALL OF OUR RESEARCHERS WERE MURDERED.

WHY?
ALBERT ASHLEY.

BUT HE WAS ALSO THE FIRST HEAD PRIEST OF ST. VERTINEZ.

...AND MY PERSONAL SPIRITUAL LEADER.

THE MURDERER WAS...

...ONE OF OUR OWN RESEARCHERS.

WE DON'T KNOW.

WHY?

HOW?
...NOT KNOWING THE POWER OF ITS FORCES...

YOU WHO ENTER INTO THE DARKNESS...

YOU THINK YOU CAN ILLUMINATE THE DARKNESS WITH BURNT ASHES?

FA...

FATHER ALBERT?

ETUSE ANKH KOSS PROACTA

ETUSE MONDE MELEBARI

!!

FOOLS OF FAITH!

...AND RUN AWAY FROM THE DAMNATIONS OF HELL!
ANYONE WHO DISTURBS DOMAS PORADA'S REST...

...WILL SUFFER FOR ETERNITY IN THE FIERY PIT OF DAMNATION!

DOMAS...

...DON'T KNOW WHY HE TURNED INTO A PSYCHOTIC MURDERER...

...BUT HIS FINAL WARNING WAS DEFINITELY MORE THAN THE RAMBLINGS OF A MADMAN.

DOMAS PORADA...

I BELIEVE THAT...

...DOMAS PORADA HOLDS THE KEY...

...TO THE MYSTERY OF FATHER ALBERT'S DEATH.
WE TRIED EVERYTHING...

TO NO AVAIL.

WE HAVE YET TO FIGURE OUT THE MEANING OF ANY OF THE INSCRIPTIONS.

THAT'S WHERE WE ARE RIGHT NOW.

WILL YOU HELP US, IVAN?

YOU'RE THE ONLY ONE...

...WHO CAN HELP US.

FATHER IVAN.

THIS IS NO MORE REQUEST FROM ONE PARISHIONER TO ANOTHER.

IT IS YOUR DUTY, TO HIS HOLINESS, TO YOUR FAITH... TO YOURSELF.

OKAY, I WILL.
I'll do everything in my power...

...to help you.

By saying those words...

I was condemning Gena and myself to a place worse than hell.
I won't throw them away.

Not one thing in this room.

Step... Gena...

I am exactly the same...

I don't have the strength...

I think this is all I need...

Mmm... with the rest of the books...

Feel free to...

I'll leave it as is...

As I was nine years ago.

To break free from the cage I'm in...
AND I HAVE NEVER BEEN MORE ASSURED OF MY DECISIONS.

...THAN I AM NOW.

YOU'RE SUCH...

...HYPOCRIT!

I'M SORRY...

WHY DON'T YOU EVEN ...

...GIVE ME A CHANCE?

ARE YOU WILLING TO THROW EVERYTHING AWAY FOR FAITH?

EVEN LOVE?

TELL ME, IVAN.

TELL ME THAT YOU DON'T LOVE ME.

GENA...

I'M SORRY.
WHAT WAS I AFRAID OF?

I'LL WAIT...

HOWEVER LONG IT TAKES YOU...

...TO TRUST YOUR HEART...

I'M GOING TO WAIT!

I DON'T CARE HOW LONG...

DO YOU...

...HEAR ME, NANN ISAACS?!

I...

I...

I'M GOING TO WAIT FOR YOU.
We're done loading your luggage.

Where are your other belongings?

Thu-thump

No... I see.

I'll be all right.

Shall we be going then?

Thu-thump

Neigh

Giddy up!

Neigh

Neigh

Died the memories of my wretched childhood?

Thu-thump

Th-thump

Keep me from seeking my true happiness.
Faith without trials and tribulations is like drinking water when you're not thirsty, you can't truly appreciate it.

For my life, filled with uncertainty, I don't mean to pry...

...but you seem to be distracted by some things.

Religion can comfort us in our times of need, but it can't take away all of our worries.

As long as your heart is with God, those trials can only make you stronger.

...and if I had allowed myself to stay with her?
WELCOME...

...HE WHO KNOWS THE SECRET OF AWAKENING.
NOW...

REAWAKEN ME FROM THIS MATRIX OF SILENCE!
SYNOPSIS:

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ENJOY!!!
He came to this land.

...from a time long, long ago.
His armor was made of silver...

...his mouth was full of praise for the Lord...

And his sword

His sword was his condemnation of the heretics

He led an army filled with hatred for the heretics

And he took great pleasure in the pagans' deaths
IVAN, THE ONE WHO KNOWS THE SECRET OF AWAKENING...

THE TIME HAS COME!

REAWAKEN ME FROM THE MATRIX OF SILENCE!
GASP!

YEE...

A LITTLE.

A DREAM...?

THU-THUMP

THU-THUMP

AH!

You must have been dreaming.

You kept moaning.

A bit tired?

Look!

We're here.
REMAKING ME...

...FROM THE MATRIX OF SILENCE!
SYNOPSIS:

- Before Ivan Issacs became the undead pilgrim who battles Temozarela's forces, he was just a mortal man with the usual human failings. Orphaned at an early age, Ivan was adopted by Jacob Issacs, a wealthy frontiersman who wanted his only daughter Jenna to have a companion. In the solitude of the Issacs' homestead, the two siblings developed stronger feelings than their father or society would allow. To escape from his desire, Ivan entered seminary where he found a new interest: the study of ancient religions. Nine years later, Father Ivan Issacs is still haunted by memories of his true love. But a new figure has begun appearing in his dreams: a knight templar, a holy defender of the crusades. Now, Ivan stands at a crossroads. One path leads to ancient demons, the other to a forbidden love. Whichever path he chooses will certainly lead to damnation.

ENJOY!!!
THAT DREAM... WAS IT A VISION?

BUT, WHY? WHY WOULD THOSE IMAGES APPEAR IN MY DREAM?

THERE'S NO RECORD OF...

THAT MONASTER IN ANY CHRONICLE.

NO ONE KNOWS IF IT WAS BUILT BY...

THE PIONEERS OF STONE TALE...

...OR BY PARISHIONERS OF A NAMELESS DENOMINATION.
YOU WHO ENTER INTO THE DARKNESS, NOT KNOWING THE POWER OF ITS FORCES...

YOU THINK YOU CAN LIGHT UP THE DARKNESS WITH BURNED ASHES?

ANYONE WHO DISTURBS DOMAS PORADA'S REST WILL SUFFER FOR ETERNITY IN THE FIERY PIT OF DAMNATION!!

Dante's Inferno
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ENJOY!!!
It's amazing.
He reads it like a book...

Oh, my.

That's right, only a few symbols written here and there escaped the bonfires.

I have had personal interest in ancient languages, even before I started seminary.

But I'm positive that this inscription is a protection ward used by the ancient Belarians.

Only a few symbols and guesses... using a few symbols and guesses...

There only exist in the tales of Heretic literature. Even at that, all relevant materials were destroyed during the middle ages when Heretic trials ran rampant.

How can I interpret the whole thing?

The symbols are different. From those I've seen before..."
This is Father Ivan Isamaos... an expert in ancient language. The Holy Father has testified to his expertise. He should be of great help in our research here.

Well...

Shall we?

I heard that you were young...

But I never imagined you'd be this young.

It's nice to finally meet you, Father Richard Clemens from Puyan's Seminary.

We have to trust in the power that our Lord has bestowed upon us...

...and gather all our knowledge for this mission.
I had never felt so small and insignificant.

As when I first encountered Domis Tomah...

My paternal obsession with that ancient artifact...

...threw everything in my life into oblivion.

My guilt towards Gena...

My suspicion of Father Mestad...

But...

Even Oblivion could not save me from the harbinger of darkness in my dreams.
OCTOBER 14TH, XXXX.

IT WAS AMAZING.

THE INSCRIPTIONS ON ROMAS' PILLAR AREN'T JUST A WARNING—they seem to form a sophisticated mathematical formula.

IT'S AS IF THE PILLAR IS AN ELABORATE PUZZLE BOX, BUT HIDDING WHAT?

I WILL BREAK THIS PUZZLE...

...BUT IT WILL TAKE TIME...

...PERHAPS A LIFETIME.
OCTOBER 20TH...

IT MIGHT BE PREMATURE, BUT I THINK I'VE DECRYPTED THE FIRST SECTION

THE MATHEMATICAL FORMULAS ON DOMAS PORADA...
IVAN...

WHAT DO YOU HOPE TO FIND HERE?

WHO... WHO ARE YOU?

DO NOT TEST YOUR FAITH.

IT IS NOT THE CURSED FUTURE THAT AWAI...
If afraid! You will soon lose all that you love and roam the land...

...Your lamentations mixed with vengeance, leaving a trail of blood.
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Enjoy!!!
I came here because...

There's a book that I wanted to show you...

A book?

It contains secret records of the heretic trials...

DURING THE MIDDLE AGES

...that cannot be revealed to the world

You seem to have nightmares quite often

I came in a few minutes ago...

It's filled with the dark secrets of the Catholic Church...

Father Pibstro...

Just couldn't wake you, you're a heavy sleeper, Father Van.

I thought it might be of help to you...

...in your research.
HOW CAN THIS...

I BELIEVE, FATHER IVAN, THAT YOU HOLD IN YOUR HANDS...

THE KEY TO SOLVING THIS ENIGMA.

SLAM!

UNRAVEL THE SECRETS OF DOMAS PORADA

PLEASE

I'LL DO MY BEST.

GOOD NIGHT...

STRUT

STRUT

STRUT
OCTOBER 27TH...
12 OF MY RESEARCH...

WHAT WAS WRITTEN IN THE BOOK WAS MY BIGGEST CLUE IN UNVEILING THE SECRETS OF DOMAS PORADA.

BUT WHAT FINALLY BROUGHT ALL OF THE PIECES TOGETHER?

NO...
TH...
THIS CAN'T BE!!!

I'VE BEEN INTRODUCED TO AN UNBELIEVABLE HISTORY...

...IN THE BOOK FATHER RIESTRO GAVE TO ME.
THIS CANNOT BE A COINCIDENCE!

THEN...

...IS DOMAS PORADA THE SOURCE OF MY DREAMS?
This is insane!

Formulas aren't working.

But we haven't exhausted all the possibilities, yet.

We can try to calculate...

Father Clemons enough?

Let's face the facts.

All we know is that the inscriptions are written in syllabary. Nothing more.

Perhaps we're just lacking the wrong formulas.

We have but one option left...

The number of possibilities is infinite!

According to my calculations...

To be honest...

I'm not convinced that there are any mathematical formulas.

Hidden in these inscriptions...

A simple relic of an ancient religion.

Domas Porada isn't...

Domas Porada isn't...

That will be unnecessary.

A simple relic of an ancient religion.
FWUMP!!

THE DOMAS PORADA IS A PRISON...

...WHICH HOLDS THE SOUL OF THE DEVIL!

DOMAS PORADA WAS CREAT... IN ORDER TO WEaken THE DEVIL'S SPIRIT... UNTO KEEP HIM CHAINED WITHIN.

...AND TO KEEP HIM CHAINED WITHIN.
IT ALL STARTED IN 803
THEME, WITH A
KNIGHT TO BE AIDED BY THE
CHRISTIAN KNIGHT
RODRI GOMEZ. THE
WHO WOULD
LATER BE CALLED
TEMOZARELA.
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ENJOY!!!
THOSE WHO CAN HEAR, LISTEN TO THE CALL!
THOSE WHO CAN SPEAK, PRAISE THE LORD!
GOD HAS BEGONE US TO ARMS!
GO FORTH...
...GOD'S WARRIORS!
BRACICK THE HERETICS AND RECLAIM THIS DEFLED HOLY LAND!
UNLEASH GOD'S WRATH UPON...

LORD!

ALL HERETICS MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN, SHALL SEE THE END!

THE LORD'S WRATH WILL ABATE ONLY WHEN THE BLOOD OF ALL HERETICS FLOWS THROUGH THE LAND LIKE A MIGHTY RIVER
BEHOLD!

CLUNK

DEATH TO THE HERETICS!!

BAPTISE THE LAND IN THEIR BLOOD!
IVAN ISAACS WILL RETURN IN
PRIEST VOLUME 5: BALLAD OF A FALLEN ANGEL
IN WHICH THE DARK HISTORIES OF TEMOZARELA
AND BELIAL ARE AT LAST REVEALED.