# LEGEND OF THE SEEKER ROLE PLAY GAME SCREENPLAY

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FADE IN:

EXT. PLAIN DAY

KAHLAN run away from an unknown enemy. She stops because of a green shining wall which she can't overcome. HORSEMEN come to her. On front the COMMANDER.

> COMMANDER You reached the boundary, Confessor! There is no place to run!

BATTLE: Tutorial with Kahlan and three Horsemen.

Kahlan uses a magic blue shining light to cross the boundary.

EXT. FOREST DAY

RICHARD is eating a apple while he see Kahlan running away from black SOLDIERS.

## RICHARD

I should help her!

LEVEL: Richard run across the forest and fight against soldiers until he find kahlan.

BOSSBATTLE: Richard and Kahlan are fighting against the Commander.

The Commander falls from cliff.

RICHARD Are you okay? Your hand is bleeding.

KAHLAN

I have to go.

#### RICHARD

Where?

KAHLAN There is someone i need to find.

RICHARD Who? Maybe i can help you.

KAHLAN Don't worry about me. Take care of yourself.

Kahlan runs away.

RICHARD I should go home and ask my father about this.

LEVEL: Richard goes to his family house while he must figthing against monsters in the forest.

INT. FAMILY HOUSE OF RICHARD DAY

Richard explains his DAD what happend.

RICHARD This woman used magic. But there is no magic beside the boundary.

DAD She and these men came from the midlands.

RICHARD That can't be right.

DAD I'm so fool to think this day will never come.

SOUND: horse whinny from outside.

Both look through the window and see horsemen coming.

DAD You have to leave now!

RICHARD But where?

DAD Go to the black hill and find Zedd.

RICHARD That crazy old man?

DAD He will explain everything. Tell him I send you.

RICHARD

Dad...?

SOUND: knocking at the door.

DAD Richard you have to go! Now!

Richard leaves the room.

EXT. OUTSIDE THE HOUSE EVENING

LEVEL: Richard follows a way to the house of Zedd.

Richard enters the house.

INT. ZEDD'S HOME NIGHT

Richard hear ZEDD and Kahlans conversation.

KAHLAN Now bring me to the Seeker.

Zedd recognize Richard.

ZEDD

He is here.

KAHLAN

Him?

RICHARD Seeker? What do you talk about?

KAHLAN

(to Zedd) You never told him? You was supposed to train him. Prepare him.

ZEDD

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KAHLAN You should have told him that he is the first true seeker in the last thousand years. He has a destiny!

ZEDD Who are you to decide the mans destiny?!

KAHLAN It's not me. It's the prophecy.

RICHARD Stop! What do you talking about? Whats the seeker?

KAHLAN Tell him the truth. Tell him what he is.

Zedd goes to Richard and starts to explain.

INT. PICTURE SHOW NIGHT

PICTURE: dark background with a evil man with a bloody knife.

ZEDD

First you need to know about a man named "Darken Rahl". He is a beast who came from the underwold to shock the dreams of humankind.

PICTURE: A baby.

ZEDD Two years ago a prophet spoke on his deathbed of a true seeker. A child whos destiny would be to seek out and kill the greatest evil of all. Darken Rahl!

PICTURE: Town in night, buring houses.

ZEDD With his last breath the prophet named the town which the child had been born. I saved you before Darken Rahls assasins could killed you.

PICTURE: Zedd on horse in front of the boundary.

ZEDD I crossed the boundary at night unseen. You in my arms.

INT. ZEDD'S HOME NIGHT

RICHARD So... According to this fantasy who is my real father?

ZEDD I don't know.

RICHARD

ZEDD Kahlan is a Confessor and s

Kahlan is a Confessor and she helps you on your way.

RICHARD

Confessor?

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KAHLAN A ancient order of women. They find the truth no matter how hard people made try to hide it. And if the seeker should arise to protect him with her life. My name is Kahlen. You did save my life. I came here to bring you this. Kahlan hold in her hands a book.

A book?

RICHARD

KAHLAN Not just a book. It's the book of counted shadows.

ZEDD The book contains the secrets of power.

KAHLAN If Darken Rahl gets it, he will use it to control every corner of the world. And we would all become slaves. The prophecy says that the Seeker will use the book in his quest to defeat Rahl.

ZEDD Read it.

Richard opens the book but can't read it.

RICHARD Maybe this seeker you looking for know this language but i don't.

#### KAHLAN

Try!

RICHARD (readed) Truth ... of the words ... of the book of counted shadows...

Richard is confused.

# RICHARD

How...?

ZEDD Because you are the true Seeker.

KAHLAN Give him the sword and name him.

RICHARD

#### What sword?

Zedd makes a sword in the room visible.

KAHLAN This is the sword of truth. ZEDD In the hands of the Seeker it has the power to fight against the evil.

KAHLAN And with it you will kill Darken Rahl.

RICHARD No.. no.. i don't believe this. If any of this would be true my father would have told me. Get out of my way!

Richard runs out of the room.

KAHLAN Richard! Wait!

ZEDD

Let him go.

KAHLAN

What?

ZEDD He needs to find the truth for oneself.

EXT. OUTSIDE OF ZEDD'S HOME NIGHT

LEVEL: Richard goes the way back home, but in the middle of his way he is attacked by an GAR. BOSS BATTLE: Richard fights against the Gar. Kahlan and Zedd joins the battle.

RICHARD What was that thing?

KAHLAN

A Gar.

Richard takes the horse of Zedd.

KAHLAN Where are you going?

RICHARD I go to my father before something horrible happend to him like this.

Richard rides away.

EXT. FAMILY HOUSE OF RICHARD NIGHT

The house is burning. Richard find his father bleeding on the ground outside the house. Richards Dad lies dying.

DAD Richard! Here me!

#### RICHARD

Dad?

DAD Every word he told you was true. But i will always be your father.

Richards Dad die.

### RICHARD

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The Commander appears in the background. Richard recognize him.

# RICHARD

You!

COMMANDER Tell me where the witch is.

RICHARD I never help you.

COMMANDER Are you really prepared to die for someone you don't even know.

RICHARD She didn't kill my father! You did!

BOSS BATTLE: Richard fights against the Commander.

Richard is to weak and the Commander wins.

The Commander has "the book" in his hands.

COMMANDER You brought me the book. Hahaha.

The Commander runs with the book away.

EXT. CLIFF WITH SUSPENSION BRIDGE NIGHT

The Commander is on the other side. Richard comes to the bridge.

RICHARD I got to kill you! You gonna die!

The Commander cuts the ropes of the bridge. The suspension bridge falls.

Kahlan and Zedd come to Richard.

KAHLAN The book? RICHARD He has it. I failed. ZEDD Not jet. We can still stop him. RICHARD I'm not the Seeker --ZEDD -- No! You are the true Seeker! In this life we can't go back only forward. RICHARD I lost everything. ZEDD Not everything. You have me and Kahlan. And if you stop Rahl than your father won't have died for nothing. RICHARD Teach me. . . . EXT. ON THE CLIFF NIGHT MUSIC: heroic Zedd holding the sword of the truth. ZEDD Richard Cypher will you accept the name of the Seeker. RICHARD I will. ZEDD Than I, Zeddicus Zedd Zu'l Zorander, name you! Zedd spell a fire ring around Richard. Richard holds the sword in the air. EXT. ON THE CLIFF NIGHT Zedd and Richard are sleeping, but Kahlan is awake. Richard wakes up and recognizes Kahlan.

RICHARD

Your right?

KAHLAN I miss my family.

RICHARD

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KAHLAN My parents are both gone. My sister is last. Just me now.

RICHARD It's not easy to lose people you love.

Something starts to shining blue next to Kahlan. Kahlan unsheathes a blue shining stone.

RICHARD Thats the magic you used to find Zedd.

KAHLAN And get thru the boundary.

RICHARD

What is it?

KAHLAN Shar is a night wisp. She got me thru the boundray and let meet Zedd. She is talking to you.

RICHARD What she is saying?

KAHLAN She thank you that you accepted the name of the seeker and took up the sword.

A light wave appears in the background.

RICHARD What was that?

KAHLAN I think they try to destroy the boundary. We should sleep now to be rested for the next day.

RICHARD You are right.

Richard and Kahlan fall asleep.

RICHARD We must find him before he can bring Darken Rahl the book.

LEVEL: Richard, Kahlan and Zedd move trou a forestlevel, fighting against some monsters until they reach a small bridge.

People with weapons are waiting there. A LEADER starts to speak.

LEADER This is the witch! Get her!

RICHARD She is not a witch!

LEADER Until she came this was a peaceful place to live.

BOSSBATTLE: Richard, Kahlan and Zedd fight against some farmer and the Leader.

The leader and the people run fearfully away.

RICHARD Whats wrong with them?

ZEDD The people are afraid. They looking for someone to blame. People will believe a lie because they want to be true or because the afraided might be true.

# RICHARD

What now?

ZEDD We must find the book. The man who have it will try to cross the boundary.

LEVEL: Richard, Kahlan and Zedd move on until they reached the boundary.

The boundary is attacked by someone from the other side. She is lightning sometimes.

ZEDD Rahl has doing his working. The boundary is getting weaker.

# VOICE

Richard!

RICHARD Did you hear that? Who is there?

ZEDD

Shadowpeople.

KAHLAN Souls of the dead. It said they can travel into the boundary from the underworld.

VOICE

Richard?

RICHARD They are talking to me.

VOICE

Come home to us.

Richard goes to the boundary.

VOICE I miss you. I want to see you again.

ZEDD They are not real! This is a trick to take you into the underworld.

Richard want to touch the boundary.

KAHLAN No! Richard! Don't!

Zedd throw Richard away but Zedd is shocked by a light from the boundary.

Zedd!

RICHARD AND KAHLAN

Zedd falls to the ground.

 $$\operatorname{RICHARD}$  We have to take him to a healer.

 $${\rm KAHLAN}$$  We have to find the man with the book.

RICHARD Than you stay with Zedd and I find the book.

KAHLAN You can't go alone. It's to dangerous.

#### RICHARD My destiny. My decision.

LEVEL: Richard walks throu forest until he find a cottage.

EXT. GLADE WITH A COTTAGE DAY

Richard sees how the Commander with the book runs away. A OLD WOMAN appears.

OLD WOMAN He has the stone!

He want to follow him but a monster stops him.

BOSSBATTLE: Richard is fighting against the monster. Kahlan comes later to the battle.

The Old Woman goes to Zedd whos lying on the ground.

OLD WOMAN Here is shadow poison on work.

RICHARD Can you help him?

OLD WOMAN I see what i can.

RICHARD Okay. We must go and find the book.

OLD WOMAN With my night stone he is able to walk thru the boundary.

RICHARD We should hurry.

LEVEL: Richard and Kahlan goes thru another forestlevel until they reached the Commander on the boundary.

EXT. ON THE BOUNDARY NIGHT

RICHARD Give me the book!

COMMANDER Haven't you learned your lesson yet?

BOSSBATTLE: Richard and Kahlan fight against the Commander.

KAHLAN You did it! You are the true seeker.

Richard and Kahlan hug.

A explosion destroys a part of the boundary.

SOLDIER Find the seeker and kill him!

Many soldiers come thru the boundray.

Zedd appears.

ZEDD I think you will need my help now!

SOLDIER The Seeker! And he has the book!

RICHARD You want the book? Here it is!

Richard destroys the book with his sword.

SOLDIER

Take them!

BATTLES: Richard, Kahlan and Zedd figth against waves of soldiers.

KAHLAN You destroyed the book!

RICHARD I must do it to keep the book from the soldiers.

ZEDD

It was right what you have done. You keeped the book from getting it to Rahls hands. Being the seeker means making difficult choices. And Richard made the first of many today.

Zedd is looking to the whole of the boundray.

ZEDD The boundary is open. What do we next?

RICHARD Like you said: in this life you can't go back only forward.

They are going thru the boundary.

EXT. ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE BOUNDARY MORNING

RICHARD So where we going exactly?

ZEDD Find Rahl of course.

KAHLAN Would not be easy. He moves from palace to palace.

RICHARD So how we find him?

ZEDD One step in time. Where we don't find Rahl we find people who need protection of his dark magic.

RICHARD I will be ready.

EXT. WORLDMAP DAY

WORLDMAP: Group is standing on the whole of the boundary.