

## **Prestigious Hort**

Race: Demon of Curiosity

Class: Wizard (Bladesinger)

Background: Charlatan

Hort, as a curiosity demon, always possessed the drive to explore and discover. In order to satiate this impulse, he joined a traveling band of mercenary, led by the kromacvin Leilland. She too possessed the will to explore that burned within Hort, and the two quickly became friends. He joined the group as an errand boy, but his curiosity drove him to learn new skills, and he climbed the ranks of the organization. Over the course of many years, Hort and Leilland's relationship grew, from friends to confidants to lovers. In order to cement their special bond, Hort made a demonic pact with Leilland, swearing to always be there for her.

As a soldier, he learned the art of the blade and of the arcane, mixing the two as part of his battle style, gaining the nickname of 'Prestigious'. Leilland herself wielded divine magic with a deadly efficiency. However, the constant need for mercenary led to Hort making more and more pacts with Leilland to make sure they were strong enough. Eventually, he reached his limits and lost his corporeal form, a fate that awaits demons who overextend their abilities. The last thing he saw before fading away was Leilland's horrified face.

However, this was not the end for Hort. For reasons unknown to him, he suddenly came back, standing weakened in a long forgotten battlefield. Seeking to go back to his love, he eventually found out that exactly 9 years had passed since his 'death'. Worse, he learned that his old band of mercenary had all died in battle 2 years ago, save for Leilland who is now missing. Far from the warrior he once was, he now travels anonymously, under the alias of Dino. His goal: to regain enough of his former strength and find out where is Leilland.

Ideals: There's always another secret to be discovered.

Bond: His partner Leilland, who mysteriously disappeared.

Flaw: Actions have consequences.... but I'll deal with those later.