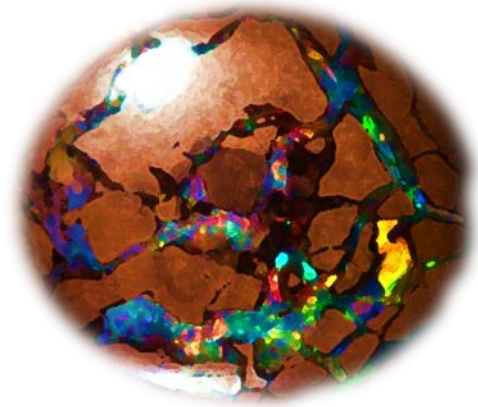


The Stone and the Prophecy



“The stone discovered in the Wave Echo Cave... is the last surviving dragon egg known to god and man.”

-Journal entry from Wave Echo mage

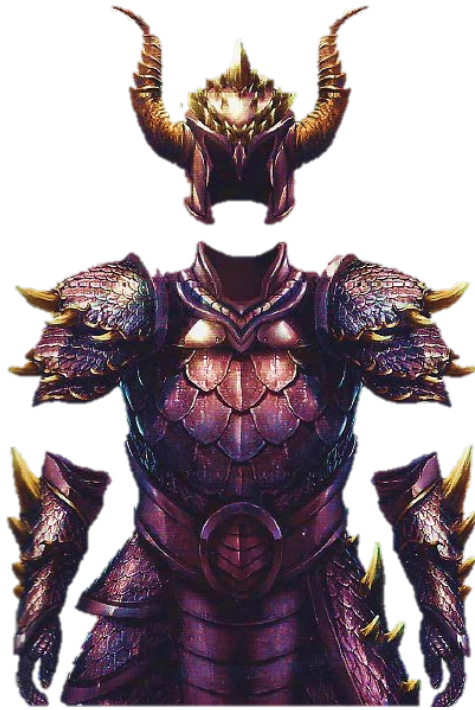
Egg Backstory

The egg was buried away into the mountains long ago when the riders and dragons were on the edge of extinction. The interesting thing about this egg, however, is that it hold no true chromatic color. This is because this egg is an offspring of a Chromatic dragon and a Copper dragon. The mages of the mine, thinking that the dragons and Dragonrider's sought doom upon the world, chose to have the egg remain hidden in the mountain after their attempts of destroying it failed. It worked for over 500 years, until a group of adventurers uncovered the mine, and a Dragonborn connected with the Dragon Soul within the egg. The Dragonborn does not realize it, but he has the *Gift of the Rider*, and is able to telepathically communicate with any dragon that makes a bond with him. When this connection was made, the goddess Tiamat was alerted.

Tiamat and the Way of the Dragon Cult

The cult known as the Way of the Dragon has been searching for this egg for millennia. The cult worships dragons and dragon riders as gods, and have collected many ancient treasures that the Rider's used in the first and second *Great Dragon Wars*. Amongst these treasures are four of five Legendary Armor pieces. The fifth was buried with the stone in the caves, along with the egg. The Cult plans to bring Tiamat from her plane of the Nine Hells, and summon her to destroy the Earth.

The Armor of Prophecy



*“This armor, used to slay the last of the Dragonriders, could be used to bring about their resurrection”
-Tiamat to the Way of the Dragon*

The *A armor of the Last Rider* was constructed by the Humans during the Second *Great Dragon War*. The magical armor, when worn, gives the wearer incredible strength and power specifically designed to hunt and kill dragons. Knowing that this armor could potentially stop Tiamat, the cultist have collected as much of the armor as they can in hopes of preventing anyone hindering their great plan.

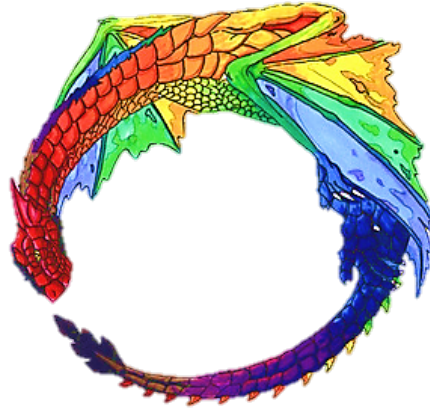
The Egg and the Armor

According to prophesy, the one who brings about the end of mankind’s rule of the Earth will be brought by the one who wears this armor. This is the primary reason why the cult seeks the armor so badly.

Tiamat fears that the one in possession of the egg has great potential to raise the dragon and defeat her. She has commanded the cult to find the egg before this can take place as one last safe measure before her return. The egg also serves a second purpose to the cults: to bring back the age of the dragons. They believe they have found a way, through experimentation, to breed the egg with a creation the cultists have recently made.

However the cult recognizes the danger of both the egg and the armor together in the hands of a new warrior who plans to stop Tiamat. Combined with the effects of the armor, the dragon and Dragonrider would be all but impossible to defeat...

Thelduin



"Hello..."

-Thelduin to the Dragonborn Paladin, Sassafra

Thelduin, meaning *ruler* or *king* in the language of dragon magic, is a multicolored Chromatic dragon with a bronze belly. Thelduin's outer scales do not have a single color. Instead, they reflect all spectrums of light simultaneously, like that of a prism or the color of oil on water. Thelduin has a strong and bold personality, but he can be gentle and playful when need be.

Because of his scales, Thelduin cannot control his breath weapon naturally, and breathes a random type when attempting to use his breath weapon. He is also resistant to *all* damage types (based on breath weapons).