

## The Sundered Lands Synopsis:

Our campaign takes place in The Sundered Realms, a fantasy world steeped in magic and adventure, as with danger and chaos. Though thriving and beautiful, this is a fractured place, scarred by a cataclysmic event that Arcanists and Scholars have come to call the 'Conjuncture of the Spheres'. However, it's more commonly known as the Collapse.

History tells us that our world, the 'material plane' was once separated from many parallel worlds. Most prevalently, those of the Fey (the Feywild) and the Night Creatures (the Shadowfell) which existed as reflections of our own. Ancient and esoteric texts describe outer planes where the gods dwelled, inner planes of elemental power that met in a nexus of elemental chaos, and the utterly alien far realms.

However, over a century ago, some powerful (presumably mystical) force brought these worlds together in a violent collision. As the spheres came together some were obliterated entirely and others encroached upon one-another in unexpected ways. As these many realities mangled themselves together, causing untold destruction and chaos, nothing was left entirely intact. The more insidious consequences of the Collapse are still the subject of fierce debate and deep consternation.

The material plane collided most fiercely with its parallels in the Feywild and the Shadowfell. Many places were destroyed or consumed by the intruding remnants of these realms. As a result, entire peoples, places, and cultures have been lost. Leaching out of these intrusions to this day are the volatile energies of the Fey and the foul, corrupting presence of the Night Creatures. There is talk that, disturbed by the Collapse, powers far older and more ruinous are stirring in forgotten places.

The remaining provinces of the material plane have come to be referred to as the 'Sundered Lands', populated by a heterogeneous mix of human and inhuman races that organise themselves into city-states, kingdoms, theocracies, frontier settlements, and roving caravans. More to come!