Sonaerrius,

As I said I would keep you informed on what is known, here is what we currently know. Treat anything that I say below this as something I am assured of to the best of my knowledge, and that I trust all of the sources that have given me this information.

Ankabi has been taken by the forces of her father and has been returned to the Onyx City. She is being held in the Tower of Vultures in preparation for her upcoming marriage. No indication was given as to the timing of said marriage, but it seems that this was an arranged betrothal that she ran away from some twenty years ago.

Note that Rashaad has offered the full resources of the Docks Adventurers Guild to rescuing her. For my part, I need no promise of compensation, and will personally lead whoever wishes to accompany me to free her, sultan be damned!

For what we know of her prison, and the help she has given us to effect her rescue, we are told that such a place is warded from all magics, and is guarded by soldiers and traps. I will assume that the Sultan of the Onyx City will have placed some of his best soldiers to the task of protecting her and ensuring that she not escape.

From what she tells us we need, she says that those that seek to rescue such a prisoner must be healthy, or clever, or strong. We require one that possesses powers granted to one that walks the path of the Mind. She also states that “one must be willing to go where the night goes” which I am less familiar with. Not sure if this meant to refer to one of the faithful of the gods, or if it simply means that we must be willing to go to a very dark place to accomplish what must be done. She also states that we need one that is not faint of heart.

Know that any aid you can offer is aid that I will directly, or indirectly, use to ensure her return to us. This is as much as I can promise. Know that I go into all of this knowing what I must do, and what dangers it may pose. I do so willingly for her.

At this point, information is as valuable to me as any items you may have. Offer what you can and I will be grateful for anything that you can give. And if you cannot give anything else, then I am still grateful for what you have given me.

Another Storyteller and Friend