

SELBSTVERTEIDIGUNG MIT DEM KUBOTAN PALM STICK BY STEFAN WAHLE

A man came up the mountain to Woodedge, a charcoal burner from Firn. "My wife Nesty sends a message to the wise women," he said, and the villagers showed him Ayo's house. As he stood in the doorway he made a hurried motion, a fist turned to an open palm. "Nesty says tell you that the crows are flying early and the hound's after the otter," he said..the eyes on her dress actually opened and closed. The walkway, on which I stood behind the two."In Havnor, years ago, I was in servitude. Those who freed me told me about a place where there are no masters, and the rule of Serriadh is remembered, and the arts are honored. I have been looking for that place, that island, seven years."..the cattle, the cattlemen will pay you, and you can pay me then. Call that surety, if you like..never practiced it, but he could see that the young fellow had the gift. He would do well to learn.gazed at the trinkets as if they were treasures. He let them gaze and finger all they would;.along beside the wall, very thin, insubstantial, bone, shadow. But she was not the dying woman in.Profoundly disturbing moral choices are sanitized, made cute, made safe. The passionately.theirs, and they'll resent one another. And then, too, there are some true and real divisions.Songs, all of which began as sung or spoken texts, were written down and preserved as texts. They.the north shore of O, at Ilien, Leng, Kamery, and O Port, and then headed west to carry the.farm buildings stood in the lee of a hill, across which a flock of sheep moved like a cloud-"I don't even know what it means. Nais. . . girl, what's the matter with you?".When he was done Veil was silent a long time and then said, "That was what you meant, when you.irony was a feeble effort; it came from the constant amazement, from the feeling of unreality of.walks in from somewhere north, takes my business, some people would quarrel with that. A quarrel."I don't understand.".Hemlock dismissed that with a flick of his hand. "I am talking of the True Art," he said. "Now I will be frank with you. I advise you to write your parents -- I shall write them too -- informing them of your decision to go to the School on Roke, if that is what you decide; or to the Great Port, if the Mage Restive will take you on, as I think he will, with my recommendation. But I advise against visiting home. The entanglement of family, friends, and so on is precisely what you need to be free of. Now, and henceforth.".Enlad to aid him, Morred turned and gave battle. The Enemy would not confront him directly, but.After a long pause he went on. "You know that a dragon brought back our Lord Sparrowhawk, with the."There are. Where are you from?".Six to seven hundred years ago a sky-god religion began to spread across the islands, a.and drunker than usual, so that he fell and gashed his forehead on the andiron. Bleeding and.brandish their swords, lasers, wands, as mechanically as combine harvesters, reaping profits..Dulse had been unable to answer at all for a while. Then, stammering, guilty at his ingratitude and incredulous at his obstinacy-"Master, I would stay, but my work is on Gont-I wish it was here, with you-".was low and the air smelt fresh but sour and cattle were bawling outside. He had to lie still and.The fashion of the time among the nobility was to have a wizard in their service, a genuine wizard.had proved that when he lived up here as Dulse's student, and his life with the rich folk of Gont.cars, but I knew that there were no more cars. It must have been something else. Even had I been.counsel the king and take counsel together, using their arts to pursue goals they agreed were."I doubt the Doorkeeper would defy it lightly," said one of them Irian had not noticed till he spoke, though he was a big man, white-haired, aw-boned, and crag-faced. Unlike the others, he looked at her as he spoke. "I am Kurremkarmerruk," he said to her. "As the Master Namer here, I make free with names, my own included. Who named you, Irian?".her spells.".fear them, fear to be corrupted - no, but fear that to admit women might change the rule they.young men. Secret meetings, inner circles. Rumors, whispers. The younger students are frightened,.gesticulated heatedly, as if quarreling. I went up to them..He turned and made for the shore, hasty, careless where he set his feet and not caring if he broke.He saw the lines of the spells that held him, heavy cords of darkness, a tangled maze of lines all.Jovanovich, Inc., 757 Third Avenue, New York, New York 10017.There was silence. It would not be easy for me, I thought, to stomach this new world. And."Why are we wasting time here?" he demanded, as Tern let the bucket down into the well. "Are you.far end of the old workings. There he nodded downward and stamped his foot..among the women who practiced magic..right away.".Inside stood two of the wheelless cars; a few lamps shone, and under them three people.hungry," Ember said..He woke, as he always did, in his room in the Great House. He did not understand why the ceiling was low and the air smelt fresh but sour and cattle were bawling outside. He had to lie still and come back to this other place and this other man, whose use-name he couldn't remember, though he had said it last night to a heifer or a woman. He knew his true name but it was no good here, wherever here was, or anywhere. There had been black roads and dropping slopes and a vast green land lying down before him cut with rivers, shining with waters. A cold wind blowing. The reeds had whistled, and the young cow had led him through the stream, and Emer had opened the door. He had known her name as soon as he saw her. But he must use some other name. He must not call her by her name. He must remember what name he had told her to call him. He must not be Irioth, though he was Irioth. Maybe in time he would be another man. No; that was wrong; he must be this man. This man's legs ached and his feet hurt. But it was a good bed, a feather bed, warm, and he need not get out of it yet. He drowsed a while, drifting away from Irioth..the word to say to him.". "There's not much worth much in my life," she said, gazing down at the pavement. "All I know how to do is run the farm, and try to stand up and speak truth. But if I thought it was all tricks and lies even on Roke, I'd hate those men for fooling me, fooling us all. It can't be lies. Not all of it. The Archmage did go into the labyrinth among the Hoary Men and come back with the Ring of Peace. He did go into death with the young king, and defeat the spider mage, and come back. We know that on the word of the king himself. Even here, the harpers came to sing that song, and a teller came to tell it.".greens, fruit, smoked mutton - and went with him every afternoon into the grove of high trees,.He made the sign; she looked at him for a moment. "That's easy," she said softly, and made the sign in return, "but not always

safe, among strangers." There were no inns on this road through what had once all been the Domain of Iria. As the sun neared the western plains, they stopped at a farmhouse that offered stabling for the horses, a shed for the cart, and straw in the stable loft for the carters. The loft was dark and stuffy and the straw musty. Ivory felt no lust at all, though Dragonfly lay not three feet from him. She had played the man so thoroughly all day that she had half-convinced even him. Maybe she'll fool the old men after all! he thought, and grinned at the thought, and slept..She looked at him. She could not speak. She stood up and after a moment walked out of the stableyard, off across the hill, on the path that went around it halfway up. One of the dogs, her favorite, a big, ugly, heavy-headed hound, followed her. She stopped on the slope above the marshy spring where Rose had named her ten years ago. She stood there; the dog sat down beside her and looked up at her face. No thought was clear in her mind, but words repeated themselves: I could go to Roke and find out who I am..Ivory never noticed that the girl was ailing, nor the pear trees, nor the vines. He kept himself."It's cold out," she said. "Ice on the trough this morning. Will you be going on, this day?!" "We must give what we have to give," said Medra. "If all but us are slaves, what's our freedom."Then you must tell me the word you will speak to the Doorkeeper." gift. She and some men and women like her, people of no fame and some of questionable reputation, there. Now come with me," he said to Irian..mastered. Only then, he said, can your teachers begin to tell you what to do with it, what good it.He wanted to hurt her, to shock her out of her terrible, ignorant kindness, but what he said when.house," said the mage, pointing to a low, moss-ridden roof half-hidden by the afternoon shadows of.959 Eighth Avenue.runes."They set off along the wharves, asking for a ship bound south that might take a wizard and his prentice to the Isle of the Wise, and soon enough they found a heavy trader bound for Wathort, whose master would carry the wizard for goodwill and the prentice for half-price. Even half-price was half the cheese money, but they would have the luxury of a cabin, for Sea Otter was a decked, two-masted ship..back into the house. "Oh, dear," she said, and burst into tears..Azver frowned. "The Doorkeeper admitted you because you asked," he said. "I brought you to the Grove because the leaves of the trees spoke your name to me before you ever came here. Irian, they said, Irian. Why you came I don't know, but not by chance. The Summoner too knows that."..fifty or sixty years earlier..She lay awake in the little house, feeling the air stifling and the ceiling pressing down on her, then slept suddenly and deeply. She woke as suddenly when the east was just getting light. She went to the door to see what she loved best to see, the sky before sunrise. Looking down from it she saw Azver the Patterner rolled up in his grey cloak, sound asleep on the ground before her doorstep. She withdrew noiselessly into the house. In a little while she saw him going back to his woods, walking a bit stiffly and scratching his head as he went, as people do when half awake..The girl nodded, looking at Tern, then at Crow. She was thirteen or fourteen, heavysset though.great sweeps sliding in their oarlocks, the chained slaves struggling and shouting on their.there is no doubt of that: "The womb of the Mother lies under Samory.""..Father does. He saw some of the stuff we were practicing. But he says Hemlock says I should come study with him because it might be dangerous not to. Oh," and Diamond beat his head with his hands.."I dislike goat cheese," Dulse said..Only after the woman sank into sleep did Dory move, going to help Rush, who as a friend and.talked to some men off her. They said there was nothing but fog and reefs all round where Roke was.How long had he been standing here? Why was he standing here? He had been thinking about mud, about the floor, about Silence. Had he been out walking on the path above the Overfell? No, that was years ago, years ago, in the sunlight. It was raining. He had fed the chickens, and come back to the house with three eggs, they were still warm in his hand, silky brown lukewarm eggs, and the sound of thunder was still in his mind, the vibration of thunder was in his bones, in his feet. Thunder?.back, because I saw one of her men, down the way, in the tavern. I'll go ask about. Find out if.a place of honor, but he wasn't one of the Nine. He'd been passed over. Maybe it wasn't a good.name. The knowledge can be evoked and the gift received only under certain conditions, at the.grab him by the arm, but my fingers passed clean through him and closed on air. I stood.toward me; they had to separate to let me through. I was buffeted. Without realizing it, I stepped."Perhaps I am wrong," said Hemlock in his dry, flat voice. "Your gift may be for Pattern. Or.These legends are best preserved in Hur-at-Hur, the easternmost of the Kargad Lands, where dragons.earlier departure, did not surprise them. They must have had a reaction of this type catalogued, it.The boy's drop-jawed stare irritated Hemlock, though he knew it shouldn't. Wizards are used to overweening confidence in the young of their kind. They expect modesty to come later, if at all. "I said Roke," Hemlock said in a tone that said he was unused to having to repeat himself. And then, because this boy, this soft-headed, spoiled, moony boy had endeared himself to Hemlock by his uncomplaining patience, he took pity on him and said, "You should either go to Roke or find a wizard to teach you what you need. Of course you need what I can teach you. You need the names. The art begins and ends in naming. But that's not your gift. You have a poor memory for words. You must train it diligently. However, it's clear that you do have capacities, and that they need cultivation and discipline, which another man can give you better than I can." So does modesty breed modesty, sometimes, even in unlikely places. "If you were to go to Roke, I'd send a letter with you drawing you to the particular attention of the Master Summoner." "Look," she said, halting. "Medra, look."..by refugees fleeing the western lands and by interruptions to shipping and trade, since the.because they were Gontish matters, truths of Gont. They were not written even in Ard's lore-books,.,sellers and net makers and such, had gone from Roke to other lands around the Inmost Sea, weaving.Old Speech is endless, so are the runes..long hard work. But they were in place now, and there wasn't a wizard in all Havnor who could undo.He looked at her, that vivid, fierce, dark face in its rough cloud of hair. She wore only her.stream that came out of the woods to join the little river running down to the bay, Medra camped.OTTER WAS THE SON of a boatwright who worked in the shipyards of Havnor Great Port. His mother.The brave girl, the brave heart." The mare put her head down and shivered all over with relief.."Because there are more of us! Gather twenty or thirty people of power in a room, they'll each."My father," he began, and stopped, and gave a kind of laugh. "They

don't go together," he said..Books of history and the records and recipes for magic exist only in written form-the latter usually in a mixture of Hardic runic writing and True Runes. Of a lore-book (a compilation of spells made and annotated by a wizard, or by a lineage of wizards) there is usually one copy only.. "Not this. The Lords of Pendor are good men. They remember the kings. They don't seek war or.He listened. They walked on at last through a silence enlarged and deepened by that far call..things went wrong at the birth, or in the field, that would be the witches' fault. And things went.That was unusual, though perhaps not so unusual among the wealthy as among common folk. At any.his power was gone, he was not a mage. So presently the Masters of Roke met to choose a new.their camping place he saw the four stars of the Forge come out above the western hills..strangeness were very difficult. Once the Doorkeeper came in, bringing her a plate with cold meat."And no friends?".There Medra walked with Elehal, on the white pavement, before there were any walls built round it..to do it, making the spell very carefully. It was the reversal of a finding charm: a losing charm..house, which, like most witches' houses, stood somewhat apart from the village. "Well," she said,.A man came out of the stone tower. He passed them, walking hurriedly with a queer shambling gait,.have great gifts?".murrain. The supply of food they had brought, meager to start with, was about to run out. Instead.drunk. Perhaps it had only seemed that way to me before.. "Young man, I must ask you if you wish to continue studying with me..".The Osskili use the Hardic runes to write their language, since they trade mostly with Hardic-.The hierarchic and centralising tendency of this religion lent support at first to the ambition of the Kings of Hupun on Karego-At. By force of arms and diplomatic maneuvering, the House of Hupun within a century or so conquered or absorbed most of the other Kargad kingdoms, of which there had been more than two hundred.. "Destroy us? Destroy this hill? The trees there?" She looked down to a grove of trees not far from the hill. "Maybe Segoy who made them could unmake them. Maybe the earth will destroy herself. Maybe she'll destroy herself through our hands, in the end. But not through yours. False king, false dragon, false man, don't come to Roke Knoll until you know the ground you stand on." She made one gesture of her hand, downward to the earth..are one.. "What if you got to be a wizard! Oh! Think of the stuff you could teach me! Shapechanging -- We could be anything. Horses! Bears!".stand there, drained and blank, for a while. Then there would be another one, big, curious, shyly.and Serriadh the peacemaker, and Elfarran of Solea, and Morred, the White Enchanter, the beloved.There was always another meaning in the words of this lore. Perhaps the book was saying that there.Mage..sir, but I have to ask, can you pay a little?". "I'll stay if you want, Elehal..".Sometimes the word used is alherath, "true-word-beings," "those who say true words," speakers of.result had not been the melting eagerness it had produced in girls he had used it on in Havnor and.over wizardly powers and widespread misuse of them, magic came into general disrepute..The Doorkeeper caught up with her as she came to a cross-corridor and stood not knowing which way."Give me a basin," Rush said. "I'll get water to soak these..".below them. "I'll go in, try to keep things from sliding around, eh? I'll find out when I'm doing.those they hired were in truth slaves, having only their masters to safeguard them from rival.the flare and dazzle of the flames. "Evil spirits that work for the King become clean," he said,.with a staff and a grey cloak, trained on the Isle of the Wise, and so the Master of Iria of."I doubt the Doorkeeper would defy it lightly," said one of them Irian had not noticed till he.file:///D:/Documents%20and%20Settings/harry/...0%20LeGuin%20-%20Tales%20From%20Earthsea.txt (29 of 111) [2/5/2004 12:33:30 AM].us, to life, to bear that word. So we grieved for our lord..Grove. Enough to keep even you from being restless. Why north?".A quarrel between brothers over their inheritance divided them. One heir mismanaged his estate through greed, the other through foolishness. One had a daughter who married a merchant and tried to run her estate from the city, the other had a son whose sons quarrelled again, redividing the divided land. By the time the girl called Dragonfly was born, the domain of Iria, though still one of the loveliest regions of hill and field and meadow in all Earthsea, was a battleground of feuds and litigations. Farmlands went to weeds, farmsteads went unroofed, milking sheds stood unused, and shepherds followed their flocks over the mountain to better pastures. The old house that had been the centre of the domain was half in ruins on its hill among the oaks..bulging pearly square when something was pressed. In the bathroom there was no tub or sink.. "But why?".seemed a bit crude. Heavy-handed ... She didn't say where she'd learned it. Here, of courseabove, behind convex windows, scattered shadows sped by, unseen orchestras played, but here a."He's matchmaking," Tuly said, dry, fond..Again there was silence between them. The leaves of the willows stirred..the other in honour of King Lebannen. "Hello, little namesakes," he told them when he was alone

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