

Darkly Fae Character Guide

Aedan O Cuana

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

Younger brother to Cathair, Aedan is haunted by trauma after being kidnapped and tortured by the traitor Ultan. Once carefree and reckless, he now trains obsessively, determined to never be vulnerable again.

Arianne Byrne

Unseelie Fae, Clan Deachair

Princess of the Deachair, Arianne leads her clan in secret after her father's disappearance. Forced to play a dangerous political game, she tries to protect her people while hiding the truth of their weakness.

Belemus

Fae Deity, God of Fire

A primordial fae god whose bloodline lives on in his descendants. His power is potent and dangerous, and his daughter plays a pivotal role in the fate of the realm.

Bree Duncan

Human, Seer Guard (Probationary)

Peter's younger sister, Bree is assigned to protect Aedan during Ultan's trial. Though seen as inexperienced, she proves her worth and earns a place of respect.

Bronwyn Byrne (d)

Unseelie Fae, Clan Deachair

Former queen of the Deachair and Arianne's mother. Her death left a void that Arianne struggles to fill.

Callistra Byrne

Half-Fae Witch, Deachair Lineage

Daughter of King Drustan and a powerful witch, Callistra's name alone sends fear through the realm. Arianne turns to her in a desperate bid to save their people.

Cathair O Cuana

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

High Prince of the Moraine, he is devoted to his people and tormented by their decline. He falls for Winnie, a human dreamer, whose connection to the fae may be the key to their salvation.

Daegus O Cuana (d)

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

Father to Cathair and Aedan, Daegus was once the consort of Queen Eimear and a powerful figure in the Moraine. He was ultimately tried and banished to the Everdark for violating the sacred Trocaire, a betrayal that shook the clan to its core.

Danielle Ackerman

Human

Mel's tough, overworked mother. Protective and sharp-tongued, she's had her share of heartbreak and bad choices in men.

Drustan Byrne

Unseelie Fae, Clan Deachair

The missing King of the Deachair. His absence is a closely guarded secret, known only to Arianne and a few trusted allies.

Edeline Whitmore (d)

Human

Winnie's grandmother and an earlier bearer of the dreamer gift. Her belief in magic shaped Winnie's childhood and opened the path to the fae realm.

Eimear O Cuana

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

Queen of the Moraine and mother to Cathair and Aedan. Her iron will and political savvy hold the fragile clan together, even in the face of betrayal and war.

Flann Kerr

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

A loyal servant and carriage driver in the Moraine court. Trustworthy and unshakable, Flann is a quiet constant in a chaotic world.

Liam MacNeil

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

Head of the Palace Watch, Liam is a fierce warrior who develops an unexpected bond with Mel. Her emerging powers spark something ancient and dangerous in him.

Lila Whitmore Price (d)

Human

Winnie's mother, whose death hides secrets about her magical bloodline. Her connection to the fae may be deeper than anyone guessed.

Maureen Whitmore

Human

Winnie's pragmatic aunt, who unknowingly raises a child tied to fae destiny. She keeps Winnie grounded in the human world.

Margaux Fannon

Unseelie Fae, Clan Deachair

Ariane's devoted maid and friend. She is the first to deliver the message that may save their clan from destruction.

Matthew Price (d)

Human

Winnie's father, a kind and steady presence in her early life, whose death left her orphaned at a young age. His loss, along with her mother's, shapes much of her emotional journey.

Melania "Mel" Ackerman

Godblooded Human

Winnie's best friend, Mel discovers she is the daughter of Belemus. Her fiery temper and god-infused powers make her a force to be reckoned with.

Nessa

Cat (Fae Familiar?)

Winnie's seemingly ordinary cat is anything but. Her eerie timing and behavior suggest deeper magic at play.

Onora Valemere

Seelie Fae, The Light Clan

Queen of the Light Clan, Onora leads her people with poise and quiet power. Wise and powerful, she balances clan pride with a fierce devotion to preserving magic.

Peter Duncan

Human, Seer Guard

A flirtatious but dedicated guard, Peter walks the line between fae and human worlds. He develops feelings for Regan despite her icy exterior.

Regan McCrae

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

The fiercest warrior in the Royal Guard and secretly in love with Prince Aedan. Stoic and feared, she masks her loyalty with steel.

Siobhan Lorne

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

A gentle servant in the royal household. She plays a small but meaningful role in maintaining peace during palace unrest.

Tearloch Donne

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine

Cathair's closest friend and Captain of the Royal Guard. Tearloch is torn between loyalty and logic as the threat of war grows.

Ultan Kavanagh

Unseelie Fae, Clan Moraine (Disavowed)

Once the queen's trusted advisor, Ultan used forbidden magic and manipulation to revive the Dark Clan's influence. His betrayal nearly shattered the Moraine and set fire to the realm.

Winnie Price

Human, Aislingeach (Dreamer)

Winnie has dreamed of the fae for years, only to learn her visions are real. Her bond with Cathair and her magical lineage make her central to the fate of both realms.