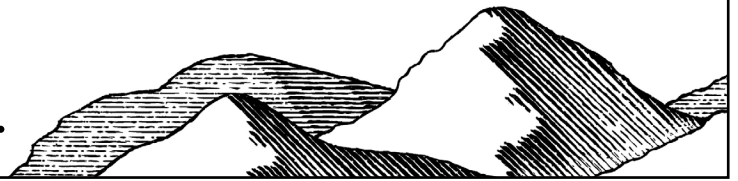


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## EDITORS' NOTE

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Welcome to *Inkwell*.

Each page is inviting you into its content, and the content of its neighbors. These articles are excited to meet you, and the words have been waiting—ready whenever you're ready, come on in whenever and wherever you feel comfortable! There are word searches and doors and a linear progression laid out for you. The choices being offered are suggestions and don't mean to overwhelm, or to order, control, demand, or command your journey through this text. Signposts have also been erected to help facilitate directions you choose.

For your adventure you need:

- Pen or pencil
- Scissors
- Scratch paper
- Self!

The *Inkwell* has arrived; a depth of pen collaboration and free-spirited writing. That is, until the Deadlies get you, until Mr. Red Pen paralyzes, and until the Inner Critic dominates your mental processes. Fear not traveler. Though these creatures you may have seen prior to this reading, they are in fact within these pages. Know this, these creatures can be analyzed in their own specialized habitats, understood for whom they are, and conquered if need be. So tread lightly and freely, as you explore the realm known as the *Inkwell*. There's no path like your own!