

# *Immersion Tables*



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*Immersion*  
*Tables*

a free resource for GMs

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*“The mulberry trees are so thick you almost missed the tavern. But once inside, you smell the onion-sautéed lamb being served up with dates. The only thing sweeter is the fresh, hot honeycakes that follow it to your table.”*

## Introduction

I want to start off by saying *thank you* to my amazing viewers, subscribers, and friends within the YouTube and Facebook RPG community. Your support and interaction since my channel first debuted in October 2012 has been amazing and rewarding for me. I look forward to interacting and sharing with many of you in the future as my channel will continue on. I could thank so many people individually at this point for their advice, mentoring, and support but it would consume too much more of your time. I will close the introduction with a single note of gratitude to Chloë Rose for her astounding work at making these tables not only a reality, but a sweet-looking one at that. And now friends, a gift from me to you!

## Instructions

These tables have the goal of being an immersive tool that is quick and easy to use. Just roll the dice as the tables instruct or go through the lists and pick for yourself. This resource can be used mid-game as an improvisational tool or in the preparation stages before you actually play.

» **Table 1** provides you with multiple choices for trees and foliage that can set a scene.

» **Table 2A** and **Table 2B** provide you with a main dish, fully prepared and served with sides!

» **Table 3** provides you with ideas for sundry tomes to fill your world's library shelves with.

» **Table 4** provides the names of those who inhabit your world, be they lord, lady, brigand, or barmaid.

Use these tables as you wish and refer to the upcoming examples for inspiration.

## Examples

Your adventurers are walking down a road, and you're in need of some trees. You roll 1d4 and 1d6: 1, and 5 - mulberry.

*“The roadside tavern is hard to see, thanks to the thick mulberry trees that guard it like armor.”*

Once in the tavern, your adventurers approach the barkeep, and now you need a meal to be served. You break out 4d20s and 1d12 and roll: 17 - onion, 17 - sautéed, 19 - lamb, 20 - dates, 3 - honeycakes.

*“Once inside the tavern, you can smell the onion-sautéed lamb being served up with dates. The only thing sweeter is the fresh, hot honeycakes that follow it to your table.”*



One of your adventurers starts looking around the tavern's bookshelves. You roll 2d20s 3 times: 12 - The Brave, 19 - Flower(s); 17 - The Esoteric, 3 - King(s); 3 - The Sapphire, 4 - Hero(es).

*“After the meal, you find the bookshelf is home to a few volumes that you are unfamiliar with. The Brave Flower and The Esoteric King are new to your eyes yet everyone knows the blue tome sitting next to them. The Sapphire Hero is a tale told to all in this area.”*


The adventurer peers through *The Sapphire Hero*, his arcane knowledge tells him that there are secrets in these pages, and thinking he'll have an easy go of it, attempts to pilfer the book. You roll 2d20s and 1d8: 8 - Avia, 3 - Berwin, 1 - stone.

*“A beautiful, but large woman walks up to you, tapping you on the shoulder. ‘Put my father's book back on the shelf, or I'll show you the infamous fists of Avia Berwinstone.’”*


**Table 1: The Foliage**

<b>Roll 1</b> 							
1		2		3		4	
<b>then roll 1</b> 							
1	alder	1	apple	1	ash	1	aspen
2	birch	2	cedar	2	cherry	2	chestnut
3	coffeetree	3	cottonwood	3	crabapple	3	dogwood
4	elm	4	hemlock	4	hickory	4	maple
5	mulberry	5	oak	5	peach	5	pear
6	pine	6	plum	6	spruce	6	willow


**Table 2A: The Main Dish**

<b>Roll 1</b>  <b>for each column</b>							
1	aged	1	baked	1	bacon	1	acorns
2	peppered	2	stuffed	2	mutton	2	leeks
3	cinnamon	3	blackened	3	moose	3	apples
4	salted	4	toasted	4	pheasant	4	mushrooms
5	garlic	5	boiled	5	boar	5	asparagus
6	curried	6	smoked	6	pork	6	onions
7	ginger	7	braised	7	chicken	7	beetroots
8	pumpkin	8	hot	8	quail	8	peas
9	honey	9	burnt	9	deer	9	cabbage
10	cocoa	10	steamed	10	rabbit	10	peppers
11	lemon	11	glazed	11	duck	11	carrots
12	melon	12	boiled	12	salmon	12	potatoes
13	lime	13	golden	13	elk	13	chestnuts
14	thistle	14	stewed	14	sausage	14	sprouts
15	mint	15	roasted	15	goose	15	cranberries
16	plum leaf	16	dried	16	squirrel	16	figs
17	onion	17	sautéed	17	ham	17	corn
18	willow	18	fried	18	trout	18	walnuts
19	orange	19	spiced	19	lamb	19	dumplings
20	apricot	20	charred	20	veal	20	dates



**Table 2B: Tableside Extras**

<b>Roll 1</b> 							
1	oatloaf	4	eggs	7	oats	10	brandy
2	cheese	5	rye loaf	8	cider	11	pie
3	honeycakes	6	milk	9	crackers	12	wine

### Table 3: Sundry Tomes

Roll 1 		then roll 1 	
1	The Blood Red	1	Poet(s)
2	The Royal	2	Bard(s)
3	The Sapphire	3	King(s)
4	The Diamond	4	Hero(es)
5	The Collapsed	5	Dragon(s)
6	The Parched	6	Mountain(s)
7	The Reigning	7	Flag(s)
8	The Ruling	8	Castle(s)
9	The Mad	9	Fort(s)
10	The Ancient	10	Sea(s)
11	The Young	11	Land(s)
12	The Brave	12	Crown(s)
13	The Cowardly	13	Sword(s)
14	The Rusted	14	Shield(s)
15	The Wavering	15	Moon(s)
16	The Sworn	16	Sun(s)
17	The Esoteric	17	Thief(ves)
18	The Stoic	18	Shadow(s)
19	The Frigid	19	Flower(s)
20	The Tepid	20	Bull(s)

### Table 4: Lords, Ladies, Brigands, & Barmaids

Choose Male or Female. Roll 2  and 1 							
<b>Male Names</b>							
1	Alan	6	Andreas	11	Evan	16	Bran(don)
2	Caddock	7	Cellen	12	Davyd	17	Wald(er)
3	Berwin	8	Deegler	13	Tristan	18	Ellis
4	Alcid	9	Grigor	14	Griff	19	Howell
5	Yanto	10	Mervin	15	Maks(im)	20	Thom(as)
<b>Female Names</b>							
1	Alis	6	Betha	11	Betryssa	16	Cerdiwen
2	Lewela	7	Cianna	12	Moriga	17	Nesta
3	Nerys	8	Avia	13	Aderau	18	Mabina
4	Daeba	9	Mara	14	Glenna	19	Aenora
5	Sionet	10	Teega	15	Rianin	20	Wyn
<b>Surname: Take remaining d20 result and add ending</b>							
1	-stone	3	-sson	5	-ting/-ding	7	-berg
2	-dale	4	-spring	6	-av/-ev	8	-us/-sus