

At a time not so long ago, actually closer than one would think, there lived a strong and wise man. For the time being we will call him Ramled or Ram, which represents not only his physical prowess, but also his strong will. Ram worked hard, played hard and studied hard, and became a well rounded man. Ram achieved excellence in all matters, Physical, Spiritual, and Mental, and during his education he met a young woman whom we shall call Mari.

Mari had also achieved excellence in all matters. She was sound of Mind, strong in Spirituality, and all peasants found her to be exceedingly beautiful.

Well as fate would have it, Ram and Mari met each other and fell in love. They were to be married, but Ram had already decided to serve for his kingdom's militia. Ram served, and when it was convenient, he and Mari were married. This Marriage happened only days after the Holiday celebrating the Christ Mass.

Well, anyways, Ram and Mari had many children and went from kingdom to kingdom and finally settled in a small kingdom in the Grasslands. Ram, being a wise man and working with many different trading and agricultural groups, bought a small plot of land for him and his family. He even had a small Castle erected for them to live in. And this is the beginning of the story of one of the most prosperous kingdoms ever.

Ram and Mari and their children worked the land and made it a stunning sight to behold. They built fields for the food that they would sustain themselves on. They built small shops and inns for the travelers and planted many trees for shade.

Ramled always provided for his family and was aware of the need for sport to keep the morale up. On his great plot of land he would have his family and friends participate in great games that were usually enjoyed by all.

Travelers heard of the Kingdom of Ramled and came to visit his fine land. All sorts traveled there: Commoners, Nobles and even strangers from far off lands who appeared in bright colors. Ramled welcomed all, and all enjoyed his hospitality.

Now one may wonder about this tale and what its point is. It seems to be a happy story with little or no plot. But before I, the storyteller give that important information away I first want you to find your place in the story. I will now describe the Children of Ram and Mari, and I'm sure you will find that you relate to one of them if you don't already relate to Ram or Mari.

Leoj took to the outdoors. He was known throughout the land for his patience and his understanding of nature. He married and he and his wife moved to the mountain kingdom of Hatu. They had children and now live a very happy and successful life.

Eitak was known for her creativeness, as well as her strong will. It is rumored now that she is free from the chains of the pipe and ale and started a new life with which she is very pleased. She moved to the northern kingdom by the great lake.

Eiluj was always known for her physical prowess, and like her dad was wise in most matters. She and her husband decided to be the guiders of future generations and to teach them well in all matters. She also excelled in crafts and had many children.

Emorej was brilliant and brave and stood by his morals. He was innovative and now travels to the ancestral kingdom to market his inventions. He also married and has children.

Nasus married one who taught the lessons of the Great one and now they travel spreading the word. They have children and great faith and have just returned from the southern land near the salty water.

Acissej had a mind of her own and was very skilled at the use of the abacus. So skilled in fact she moved west to the Greatest of the Salty Sea's coast and worked with the best abacus users.

Erodoeht became a singer of songs; a speaker of poetry and teller of tales not unlike the one you read now. In fact, it is rumored that he wrote this tale, but that cannot be confirmed.

Now that you know the kingdom and its rulers and their children, there is something else you should know. This noble and seemingly perfect family had problems just like every other family – relationships were constantly being built up and broken down. Sometimes even this noble family forgot how great each of the other members are, and would engage in bickering and name calling. They were all guilty and they all had to learn to function better as a family so the kingdom of Ramled could be peaceful once again.

Finally all the family members stopped arguing and became great and noble once again. The Kingdom of Ramled became immortal on the books of mankind as an example to the rest of the civilized world. And all of the family members achieved excellence, and the Reunions were of such a magnitude that there was so much laughter it was said that they shook the very foundations of the earth.

