

ISV Tamerlane

Arrowhead-shaped, Eriel-class battleship attached to the [Meidua Red Company](#). By design among the fastest ships in the Empire.

“ The *Tamerlane* was vast, a dozen miles end-to-end, with dozens of decks and hundreds of chambers, so much of it disused and sealed off while the main crew slept.

...

Feet drummed the metal floor, rattling where the promenade ran over another bank of Sparrowhawks waiting in their mag tubes. He passed doors on his right that opened onto halls that led inward, past offices and armories toward the tram line that ran along the *Tamerlane*’s spine from bow to stern clusters. Above his head, pipes gleamed and mechanisms clicked with clockwork precision, controlling the shutters that controlled the narrow windows.

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the sleeper cells many floors above, beneath the *Tamerlane*’s dorsal hull

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“ The *Tamerlane*.

The Eriel-class battleship had been a gift from the Emperor, granted to me in lieu of a planetary fief when he named me a knight and re-legitimized me as a lord of the blood palatine. From engines to bow-cluster she stood more than twelve miles long, pointed and flared like a knife blade from her prow to the convex arc of ion engines above the three huge fusion cones. The heavy armor on her dorsal side gleamed glossy and black in the sunlight, weapons clusters concealed beneath hatches outlined in gold, and beneath that armor the bays and fuel tanks and crew decks hung like an inverse city of towers or forest of trees swept back in a gale. More than fifteen thousand men lived aboard, and nearly seventy-five thousand slept the long and icy sleep of the soldier in great holds high above beneath the dorsal hull.

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Text Occurrences:

[Empire of Silence](#)

Mentioned
N/A

Present

N/A

Spoilers

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[Howling Dark](#)

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[Demon in White](#)

Mentioned

Chapters 3, 4, 9, 11, 12, 14, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, 44, 47, 48, 49, 51, 53, 54, 57, 59, 60, 61, 62, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 72, 77, 79, 84

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Chapters 5, 6, 7, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 26, 32, 33, 35, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 45, 49, 56, 65, 71, 73, 87

Spoilers

N/A

[Kingdoms of Death](#)

Mentioned

N/A

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N/A

Spoilers

N/A

Ashes of Man

Mentioned

N/A

Present

N/A

Spoilers

N/A

Disquiet Gods

Mentioned

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N/A

Spoilers

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[Shadows Upon Time](#)

Mentioned

N/A

Present

N/A

Spoilers

N/A

[Novellas](#)

Mentioned

The Lesser Devil - N/A

Queen Amid Ashes - Chapters 1, 3, 5, 6, 7

The Dregs of Empire - N/A

Present

The Lesser Devil - N/A

Queen Amid Ashes - Chapters 8, 9

The Dregs of Empire - N/A

Spoilers

The Lesser Devil - N/A

Queen Amid Ashes - N/A

The Dregs of Empire - N/A

Tales of the Sun Eater & Other Stories

Mentioned

Tales 1 (The Demons of Arae)

Present

Tales 1 (The Night Captain)

Spoilers

N/A