

HOLE IN THE SKY BANTER CARDS

I.

- You feel like you're living the wrong life... something sinister is at work.
- You've had dozens of dreams of an alluring woman dressed in blue finery.
- Once you were stopped on the road by cruel bandits, but they saw something in your face, called you a madman and ran away!
- You quit your job [say what it was] a few months ago. It was beneath you. It's not what you were meant to do.

II.

- Everything in your life has gone wrong.
- In your bones, you feel like you should be a noble, a scion who rules over a massive land.
- You've been dreaming about a woman whose face is entirely in shadows. You can't get her out of your mind
- You are hungry all the time. The other day you dined upon a great fish but it tasted like sand.

III.

- Nothing in your life is as you expected it to be. You're just constantly... bored.
- You feel like something evil has snatched your destiny away. What kind of demonic forces are at play here?
- You've had many dreams, but lately they've been happening during the day, while you're trying to work at the farm.
- You saw a magnificent merchant vessel far out at sea a few days ago. It made you long for a better life.

IV.

- You've felt more and more detached from everyday things.
- Sinister forces have been watching you for quite some time.
- You've dreamed of a beautiful woman who shimmers in blue. She promised that your enemies will become her enemies.
- You feel like you were born for something truly great, something that all bards might sing about, but someone stole it from you!

V.

- You cannot get it out of your head - there has to be a greater point to life!
- Tonight will be the full moon, and you feel that something special will happen along with it.
- You dream constantly. Every night there is a different dream, but they all have a woman's ghostly voice narrating them.
- Once time you heard a woman's voice tell you again and again to meet you at the Great Cliff.

VI.

- Everything is so unsatisfying... your friends, your family, the food you eat, everything.
- You are sure the stars have destined you for something much greater [say what it might be!].
- You have had a dream of a ghostly woman in blue. "Become my ally," she tells you. You know she is your loyal friend.
- The village near here is small and pointless. How do people live their lives doing such mundane work?

As a fun way to kick off the game and impart important information to players, hand these cards out. In any order, players should take turns reading or paraphrasing any one of their tidbits of information. Once they've gotten through all of the bullets, the adventure begins normally!