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Introduction

GURPS Dungeon Fantasy is about monsters – and treasure. Delvers slay, trick, intimidate, or negotiate with the monsters to get the treasure. The most prized treasures are magic items. And the most prized magical items are the legendary artifacts and unique items that make a campaign special.

This supplement is a collection of unique and rare items that make one particular campaign – Felltower – special. Many of these items include standard spells from *GURPS Magic*. All of them include powers that are unique or that defy easy association with existing spells or abilities.

WHAT IS FELLTOWER?

Felltower is the nickname for a long-running *GURPS Dungeon Fantasy* campaign overseen by the author, Peter Dell'Orto. It's a pick-up game that has been going since 2011, has seen over a dozen players and multiple dozens of delvers and henchmen, and has been played for well over 100 sessions to date. It's centered on a city – Stericksburg, named for its founder – and a nearby megadungeon known by various names but most commonly as "Felltower." It's packed with lethal monsters, treacherous traps, and staggering treasure hoards. Plus magic items – a lot of magic items.

Felltower megadungeon is deep - at least seven levels and sublevels have been explored, more are known, and many more are rumored. It's also wide - levels sprawl across hundreds of yards and some feature 100+ rooms. It's also limitless – it is a nexus of gates to many different worlds, locations, and dimensions, each of which connects to more worlds, locations, and dimensions. Because of this, the campaign features a variety of magical items with different cultural themes. It also includes a number of magical items that featured in a previous campaign, which in turn contained items from even earlier GURPS campaigns. Many of these items have seen use by multiple adventurers over multiple campaigns! There is no guarantee that they are balanced, fair, reasonable, or appropriate for all games. But they all spring from actual play, and they all fit well within the niche of dungeon bashing that is GURPS Dungeon Fantasy. And all of them are somewhere in Felltower . . . somewhere. Now, if you so choose, they can be found in your dungeons as well.

A MATTER OF COST

For most items in this book, no cost or value is listed because the majority of them are unique, or at best rare. They aren't up for sale. What delvers can get for them in town is largely based on what those delvers can get away with asking for. Their mundane values are used to calculate power-item capacity, but even this may be modified up or down because of the supernatural effects of the items themselves. In short,

these items aren't found up for sale, and if sold, sale price will involve negotiation.

Some consumables *do* have costs listed. The GM may wish to make such items available for purchase, and the merchants and purchasers of the world know the value of such items.

RECOMMENDED BOOKS

The items in this supplement are presented in the style of *GURPS Dungeon Fantasy 6: 40 Artifacts*. Readers will need that book in order to understand the origins of the items in this book. Additionally, *GURPS Magic* is required for the spells used in the artifacts. For more items in this vein, see *GURPS Dungeon Fantasy Treasures 2: Epic Treasures*.

There were rings of power and amulets of protection the like of which had not been seen since the Golden Age of Anderle. They had recovered bows that could speed soul-devouring shafts the length of a kingdom. And swords against which little could stand.

- Glen Cook, The Swordbearer

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