

THE OSIRI HISTORY

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13,100,000 BC

Just prior to giving into his growing insanity and biting himself to death, Samiel takes nine of his himsati slaves (one each from the recently created Imaja, Gaki, Terat, Adze, Lamia, Sekeht, Impundulu, Obayifo and Asanbosam kiths) and kills them all, but captures their spirits before they can drift off into the Blue Air. He binds them back to their shards, but without corporeal forms. These "Pesedjet" (Egyptian) or "Ennead" (Greek) as they are known, are sent into the Blue Air to find the One Soul and study it. Their voxes are lost after Samiel's death and they are not seen again for millions of years.

9,500 BC

A group of fallen warlords from among the imprisoned Prides come together for mutual protection after most of the other himsati imprisoned in Sheol blame them for allowing the war to escalate and then failing to keep them from being imprisoned by the Nimrod. These warlords offer their services to the Anopheles (who are blamed for actually starting the war) in exchange for immaculum.

8,000 BC

Having spent millions of years meditating and in spiritual ennui with the entities known as Death, the Ennead return to Earth and enter Sheol unseen and unfelt by the imprisoned Prides, their wardens the Nimrod, and the Drovers prowling in the darkness. They approach Sharakai and Rukshasa in secret and are advised to reveal themselves to the band of warlords from the various Prides that currently serve the Asanbosam (Anopheles). The Ennead appear to the warlords and offer aid and a way for them to gain their freedom. The Ennead say they will return and give the warlords the location of their voxes hidden deep within Sheol. The warlords approach the fallen Peri and offer to revitalize them with their stores of immaculum if the Peri will help them in their upcoming bid for freedom. It takes hundreds of years to revitalize the Peri but eventually they are ready.

7,500 BC

The Ennead make contact with the Magdalen and arrange for them to bring the Apocrypha to Sheol to distract the Nimrod wardens. Within Sheol the warlords make an alliance with the Ephraim (Eremites) and Benenadanti and his six immortal accomplices who were trapped in Sheol along with the Prides.

7,200 BC

A thousand years after the Ennead have appeared to the Banjax they have collected the hidden voxes and made alliances with the Ephraim, Peri and Benendanti, sharing the immaculum they receive from the Asanbosam. Just before the stores of immaculum reach a point where they cannot support the large alliance, the Ennead return. Using rituals the Ennead teach them, the warlords are able to recreate corporeal forms to pull vox and spirit back together and the Ennead are reborn in Sheol. The few Asanbosam present look on in wide-eyed wonder, realizing it is essentially a version of the same rituals they used to place shards into the Trine; but they keep silent. The Magdalen trick the Apocrypha into assaulting one of the main entrances to Sheol as the warlords along with their allies break through the sealed gates and wards of another entrance. So powerful is the alliance as it tears through wards, gates and Nimrod wardens that Tuatha looking on inadvertently give the warlords the name they will use in the future: Banjax (the destroyers).

6,900 BC

Leaving enough immaculum behind to sustain the Eremites and those Peri that remain with them, the newly anointed Banjax gather what few other scattered himsati warriors they can from among those who escaped the Nimrod's imprisonment. Refreshed and ready they return and relentlessly attack the Nimrod; Semiramis is unable to coordinate such a large battle force as the Banjax attack every entrance they can reach. Eventually the seals on the portals from Earth to Sheol fail and the prides pour out of Sheol, scattering around the globe.

6,500 BC

Having spent the last several hundred years learning from the Ennead and fighting against any last Nimrod who would stop the last stragglers from leaving Sheol, the Banjax come to develop a philosophy of their own. They set themselves in Egypt in the area of the Qattara Depression, a place known to occasionally open gateways into

the Valley of Gynnah. They establish a mantle on the Giza Plateau nearby and found settlements that will go on to become Heliopolis (Cairo) and the mantle of Yunu, containing the Sun Temple and home to Ra. They seek out immortals driven insane in Sheol who escaped and terrorize humanity in the areas of Northern Africa.

6,100 BC

The Solitaire approaches the Banjax and offers them Sanctuary in Sheol. The Banjax accept upon finding out that the other Prides are also coming en masse and begin to formulate a plan to keep the Shouting War from happening again.

6,000 BC

The Paragons of the Prides gather together to discuss what to do in the face of the increased presence of the Apocrypha and the Drove, and the dwindling faith of humanity in the himsati race as their "gods". As additional Prides arrive they are either included or excluded from the discussions. The Banjax do their best to mediate issues between various groups, but ultimately it is the Solitaire that personally steps in to negotiate peace between the various Prides and enforce the need for finding an alternative to open warfare. By the time negotiations are complete the Stratagem Pact is formed, consisting of the Anopheles, Arachne, Banjax (representing the Peri as well), Eremites, Magdalen, Morrigan, Nimrod, Roane, Terat and Tuatha. It is initially decided that no one will start as the lead (or "Scepter") of the Stratagem, but only when one of the Prides has gained sufficient "visage" (standing) will that Pride be named the Scepter. Solitaire introduces a group of previously unknown immortals who she says should serve to judge the standing of each Pride. The Prides balk at the idea until the Banjax offer them the knowledge of Lethe in exchange for accepting the third party as neutral observers and judges; the Jury is formed.

5,000 BC

Osiris and Isis form a royal couple and travel to the Nile Valley at the command of Ra. They found Abydos and build Osiris's ark which becomes the center for his House. Over time it draws followers and Osiris becomes a god-king of the inhabitants of the Nile, bringing peace and prosperity to the territory. His servants learn and spread the Egyptian arts of cultivation and civilization; Osiris sees to the flooding of the Nile regularly. This next millennia is known as the "period of the gods"

4735 BC

Atlantis is destroyed and the Banjax in Atlantis come to Egypt; with them comes a former Nimrod slave initially taken in by the Terat who befriends the Banjax delegates: Ammut the Scourge.

4200 BC

Set duels (sanctioned) Osiris in the margins of the Nadyet over who shall guide Egypt. Set consigns Osiris to the Blue air, resulting in Nephtys leaving his House and joining with Isis in a search for Osiris. Osiris is found in a Shallows still within the boundaries of Egypt, building a realm within the Duat (Blue Air) itself. Horus steps forth to confront set in Abydos and the two fight for days, during which time Set blinds Horus by tearing out his eye. Ra sends Toth to intervene and the Ennead gather in Yunu. Horus's eye is restored and Ra orders a peace between Horus and Set.

4,000 BC

Egypt is divided into two kingdoms. Ta Shemau (Upper Egypt centered near Luxor in southern Egypt) is overseen by Horus with the assistance of Isis and Nekhbet. Ta Menu (Lower Egypt centered near Memphis in northern Egypt) is overseen by Set with the assistance of Wadjet. Egyptian religion is colored by mortal interpretations of the internal coups counted against each other during the next millennium. During this time the Banjax encounter Drove Mut, who continually worked to assimilate the beliefs of the Egyptians, slowly attempting to transfer all belief in each of the Banjax who held sway in Egypt over to themselves, even taking similar names such as Mut-Hathor, Mut-Wadjet-Bast, Mut-Sekhmet-Bast and Mut-Isis-Nekhbet.

3,500 BC

The Southern kingdom, guided by Horus, becomes prosperous and strong; classic Egyptian concepts such as Horus being identified with kingship begin to evolve.

3,300 BC

The Banjax found Tell as-Sakan in what is now Gaza and establish their presence in the Levant. The Banjax have their first encounters with the Drove Azhoth, specifically Moloch (under the name Ba'al at this time), Melqart, Resheph and Yahweh. A contingent of Roane is in the area as well, led by Yaw, as well as the Anopheles led by

Astarte; they have already been working against the Drove of the area. Ammut calls for other Terat to come and help with Drove Azhoth in 3270 BC after Gaza is relatively unaffected by the Morrigan flood of the Fertile Crescent.

3,100 BC

Toth follows an example set by the Magdalen and gives basic knowledge of the written word to Egypt, providing for hieroglyphs, the medou netjer (word of the gods) to mortal scribes. The teachings of the Banjax to the mortal populace is committed to texts and then copied into the Coffin and Pyramid Texts (eventually becoming the Book of Going Forth by Day) and into the Wisdom Texts. The Southern Kingdom starts a cultural penetration of the lands to the north.

3,000 BC

Horus leads the king Aha Meni to unite both kingdoms under his rule. Memphis is founded under the protection of Hathor; Meni becomes the first mortal ruler of all Egypt, identifying himself with Horus. This starts what is known as the Early Dynastic Period as all social institutions of Egypt begin to develop. Wadjet develops the Irisian Quiet Culture (Eye of Hathor) who stand as guardians to the arks and temples of the Banjax while Nekhbet develops the Uraeus Quiet Culture (Eye of Horus) who serve as guards to the royalty of Egypt. Together the two immortals are known as the Two Ladies and their Quiet Cultures the Eyes of Ra.

2,750 BC

The primal known as the Sphinx appears out of Gynnah, moving over Giza. The Banjax fearful that it is there to destroy the new civilization of their young mortal charges, fight it. Set rises up during the battle and leads the Banjax, slaying the creature. Only upon its death do they realize it is a previously unknown Ishim and in its last moments it utters the true Riddle of the Sphinx, unsolved to this day. Most Banjax believe the Sphinx's riddle will allow them to pierce the barrier of the One Soul and enter it as normal humans do.

2,700 BC

Set brings Peribsen into power and wrests control of Egypt from Horus during his reign.

2,675 BC

Horus and Set make peace as Set concedes to Horus, the new king Kashekhemwy proclaims "The two gods that are in the king are at peace." Horus becomes the dominant influence and his symbol becomes that of the kingdom.

2,650 BC

Ptah teaches Imhotep the art of building pyramids and he constructs the step-pyramid at Saqqara. Imhotep is raised as a mummy after his death by Ptah, becoming a scholar and advisor over the building of future pyramids.

2,625 BC

Egypt's social and religious institutions finish developing, which ushers in the Time of the Old Kingdom. Rulers now adopt the title sa Ra, meaning "son of Ra". Power begins to decentralize into the various provinces called sepat (or nomes). The highest offices become closed to royal relatives and administrative tasks in the granary, judiciary, treasury, public works and civil service are taken up by the commoners.

2,250 AD

Bitter war between Drove Azhoth the Banjax, Terat and Anopheles of the area, causes a total collapse of civilization. The mortals are reduced to semi-Nomadic cultures.

2,288 BC

Pepy II comes to rule and friction arises with Nubia (northern Sudan). The northern nomarch families, aspiring to kingship, defy the central rule. Pepy's life is prolonged by the Banjax for several decades while he curbs the crisis. After his death in 2194 BC he is raised as a mummy.

2,130 BC

A series of weak kings in Memphis causes the collapse of the Old Kingdom. Akhtoy I, a nomarch of Herakleopolis claims power despite Banjax attempts to restore order to the kingdom.

2,081 BC

Ra flames the birth of the great 12th Dynasty, emerging from Thebes. It defies the Herakleopolitan rule and

begins a 100-year war to reunite Egypt.

2,000 BC

The Anopheles abandon the Canaan lands to the Banjax and Terat whom they took it from some time earlier. A number of Eremite followers migrate south into Banjax lands. The Dracul enter the Banjax territory of Palestine in search of Tengu, instead they encounter the Azhoth Moloch (known as Ba'al) and assist the Banjax in stopping his claims to the Banjax territory. Moloch leaves Palestine for China as a result and brings the process ritual sacrifice to Apep (the Sanguinary) to the Drovers of China as part of their practices of Sanation for a time.

1,980 BC

Nebhepetre Menhuhotep II reunites Egypt and defeats the Herakleopolitans, starting the Middle Kingdom. The capital moves to Itj-Tawy, near Memphis. Horus commands that fortresses be built in the region of the Nile's second cataract and trading links are expanded and the kingdom itself expands towards Nubia and Lybia. The pharaoh Senwosret III is discovered to be an immortal in lethe and is uplifted into the Banjax. The Banjax begin to push back against the Dracul colonies of Amraphel, Arioch and Chedorlao in Palestine that continue to encroach on Banjax lands. The Scourge Anubis develops the Quiet Culture Duamutef (Sons of Anubis) who act as his eyes and ears to pass judgements over the mortal leaders of Egypt on their death.

1,965 BC

The Banjax cities of Admah, Sodom, Gomorrah, Zeboim and Zoar are destroyed by the great dragon Sharakai after being misled by Amraphel, Arioch and Chedorlao of the Dracul, believing the Tengu and Sainha had subverted those cities completely. The Banjax demand reparations and the three Dracul are forced to surrender their cities of the same names to the Banjax and are then banished to the Dominions.

1,700 BC

Tlaloc, "brother" to Arioch provides discreet assistance to the 15th Dynasty of the Hyksos (a Semitic tribe) in conquering much of the Banjax's holdings in Egypt. After a number of his mortal followers fail to gather the secrets of the Banjax pyramids, he personally steals his way in to a number of the pyramids. Within them he learns the secrets to building the mystical pyramids from the writings of Imhotep and the hieroglyphs within the pyramids himself.

1,570 BC

The Banjax Amosis drives the Dracul out of Egypt, ending their presence in both Egypt and the areas around Palestine. Tlaloc flees in a stolen Banjax lighter but is brought down near the Yucatan Peninsula. Aware that he knows the secrets of their pyramids, the Banjax begin a search for him but are unable to find him. Eventually a member of the cadre he is with betrays him and he enters lethe to escape capture. The cadre is taken back to Egypt and imprisoned; their final fate is never known.

1,468 BC

Ra leads Tuthmosis III in a battle for the city of Meggido in Palestine against the Terat's Kadesh (Qadesh) kingdom for control of the western branch of the narrow pass and trade route connecting Egypt with Assyria. The battle is a resounding victory for the Banjax in opening up trade routes between the Assyrians and the Egyptians.

1,446 BC

Tuthmosis III persecutes the descendants of Abraham for attempting to "convert" Egypt away from their Banjax lords. The Banjax themselves are torn as Tuthmosis has begun to beat his enemies into submission and is going against the way of the Ka that they have fostered in Egypt for the last several thousand years. When the mysterious ten plagues of Egypt occur after Tuthmosis refuses to allow Moses to take his people out of Egypt, the Banjax see this as a sign of displeasure and punishment from Death and do not assist the Egyptian people.

1,444 BC

What is seemingly the spirit of the Sphinx, rises up and passes over Egypt bringing with it the last "plague". Tuthmosis grants Moses and his people their leave of Egypt. However, Tuthmosis has a change of heart and chases after them. Through a power witnessed by many Banjax on the western side of the Red Sea and a number of Eremites awaiting Moses on the east side, the Red Sea is parted and Moses crosses to safety. Tuthmosis drowns, but is rescued by the Banjax. The remainder of his reign is far more peaceful with very few conquests, ending with a half-hearted conquest of Nubia that he never completes.

1,367 BC

The Apocrypha infiltrate the growing cult of Aten and influence it until they control the actions of the priests of the cult.

1,353 BC

Amenhotep IV comes to power as the pharaoh of Egypt under the secret control of the Apocrypha.

1,347 BC

Still under Apocryphal control, Amenhotep attempts a sudden religious revolution, stops the cults to the old gods, and curbs the power of the priests and starts erasing all references to Amun from the writings and monuments of the land, declaring faith to Aten. He changes his name to Akhenaten and builds a new capital Akhetaten. The Banjax begin to move their priests to regain influence.

1,332 BC

The Banjax regain control with the rise of Tutankhamun as pharaoh. The Apocrypha are cleansed from Egypt and Akhenaten's wife Nefertiri is consigned to reign over Akhetaten until she dies. The Sapphirim Quiet Culture comes into existence as a means of providing better economic and every-day support for the Banjax. In later years the Sapphirim will actually assist the Berber-Phoenix in North Africa on their searches for Palladium.

1,274 BC

The Battle of Kadesh as the Banjax forces of Ramses II and the Terat Muwatalli II (then the emperor of the Hittite Empire) takes place. It is possibly the largest chariot battle ever fought, involving upwards of 6,000 chariots. Though young Ramses technically loses, it halts the Hittites incursions further into Egyptian territory.

1,250 BC

Heracles joins the Banjax after being exiled from the Magalen. The Banjax immediately put him to work performing services for the Phoenix for the first 12 years of his time in the Pride. He brings the art of Pancratium to the Banjax, which is still practiced by some Osiri today.

1,200 BC

The Banjax, who have been contesting with Eremites trying to gain parts of the Canaan lands back from the Banjax, are also under increasing pressure due to the Habiru: mortal mercenaries, brigands and outlaws under the guidance of the Terat who seek to come back to their ancestral holdings in the area. The Banjax are driven out of the area when the Magdalen arrive to assist the Terat. In South America, the Banjax establish a presence in the region of the Olmec civilization and their colonies peacefully coexist with the Olmecs as they continue their search for Tlaloc.

1,150 BC

The eruption of Hekla 3 in Iceland spews ash into the air that travels over North Africa, resulting in drought conditions and famine during the Twentieth Dynasty. The Banjax look to the Morrigan for assistance in clearing the skies; the Morrigan decline stating they have no need to interfere in the natural order of things and the world's destruction of a handful of petty mortals. The Banjax are unable to stop the decline and breakup of Egypt into smaller kingdoms.

1100 BC

Heracles returns to Greece to reclaim his domain of Peloponnesus; the resulting internal power struggle between Zeus and Hera ends the Mycenaean civilization.

1000 BC

In recognition of the Milesian David's slaying of Goliath of Drove Mut, the Banjax settle into co-existence with the Eremites as David unites the Israelites. Within Central America the Banjax help in the founding of Cerros at Chetumal Bay in Belize, Nakbe in present-day Guatemala, and Komchen and Dzibilchaltun in the Yucatan, placing their influence on the Maya cultures. The Banjax of Central America adopt the Mesoamerican Long Count calendar.

854 BC

The Banjax assist the Nimrod against the Azhoth and the Children of Lot in the Battle of Karkar. Osiris gains control of the Incubus Heart from the Azhoth. He agrees to return the artifact to Semiramis only if he is allowed to study it; it is placed in a hidden vault in Nineveh and Osiris agrees to keep the knowledge of its existence a secret. He begins to study the shard and from those studies he learns of new ways to make mummies using

shards, to effectively make them unliving immortals. (Makeda of the Anopheles will uncover this work and use it to make the Femme Darkle from the head of Samiel that they recover during the same battles).

701 BC

The Eremites seek the aid of the Banjax in defending Jerusalem from Nimrod controlled Assyria. This prompts the Assyrians to invade and conquer parts of Egypt in 671 BC

660 BC

Psamtik I with the aid of Magdalen followers, forms Egypt's first navy and also drives the Assyrians out of Egypt.

540 BC

The Banjax attempt a purge of all outside influences on their people in Egypt, they are aided by the Peri who have left Emberin and have taken up residence under France. This represents a distancing of the Peri (who have lived as part of the Banjax under the Stratagem up until this point) as they now branch away completely on their own and no longer rely on the Banjax or the Stratagem.

525 BC

The Eremites, now supporting their more aggressive Persian Empire, begin a conquest of Egypt and its surrounding lands. The Banjax lose power over Egypt entirely at the hands of the Eremites.

500 BC

The Nimrod have become scattered and weakened to the point that Set puts forth for the Nimrod to no longer be recognized as a Pride. Semiramis relents and agrees to allow males into the Pride again in order to secure the vote of the Dracul and ensure the Nimrod's status as a full Pride within the Stratagem.

500 BC

The Xapotec, under the guidance of the Banjax, found Monte Alban in Oaxaca in what is now Southern Mexico.

454 BC

In an effort to weaken the Eremites, the Magdalen pledge 50,000 mortal soldiers and an entire fleet from Athens to aid the rebelling Banjax in Egypt, they are all slain. In repayment, a contingent of Banjax, led by the Slayer Vanth, enter the Po Valley of Italy to assist Magdalen settlements there. She would commune with Charon, the manifestation of the River Styx (believed itself to be a manifestation of the Tuatha's Immortal Celebrant), making Charon (as Charun) a part of the mortal Etruscan mythology.

332 BC

The Eremites hand over Egypt to the Phoenix with the arrival of Alexander the Great into the ancestral home of the Banjax. Ten years later Ptolemy I would take over Egypt after the death of Alexander, his dynasty would rule Egypt until the death of Cleopatra in 30 BC. The Banjax's great empire is lost and they are slowly relegated to myth and legend, surviving within their mantles by the power of their various cults still worshipping them directly.

264 BC

The Punic Wars begin between the Olympians and the Carthaginian Cabal of the Magdalen. The Banjax choose this time to begin their spread from a declining Egypt.

250 BC

The Dark Lady of Sheol causes the already unstable region in the eastern portion of the Olmec lands to undergo upheaval, causing volcanos that have not erupted for hundreds of years to come alive, forcing tectonic shifts and changing the course of rivers. The Olmecs are destroyed in the cataclysm and the Banjax are dispersed further west, severely weakened.

218 BC

The Banjax gain influence over Carthage and sponsor the mortal general Hannibal as he makes his Alpine crossing and the Banjax occupy Italy for 15 years until the Eremites counter-invade North Africa. Returning the favor of Sanctuary given them by the Phoenix during Punic Wars, Hannibal returns to Africa.

167 BC

The Banjax stage their own assault on Sheol and are scattered to the winds by the power of the Dark Lady, most of the surviving Banjax begin migrating to north through Mexico within a few years after the Anopheles attempt to

protect them and their Xapotec followers; the Anopheles are only able to protect the region for approximately five years before the Dark Lady's power erupts from Sheol yet again.

150 BC

The Banjax prepare for having coup counted on them when the Anopheles find Tlaloc, but he keeps the pyramid secrets from the Anopheles and no coup is counted.

146 BC

With the end of the Punic Wars younger Banjax find themselves living among the Phoenix Berbers of North Africa, primarily in what is now Libya, while the elders remain entrenched in Egypt.

44 BC

The Banjax support Sextus Pompeius in the Sicilian Revolt against the Roman Republic, only four years after his father was executed by the Egyptian people.

30 BC

Cleopatra VII, an Anopheles who continued to pay homage to the Banjax (specifically Isis), tricks Marcus Antonius into killing himself. However, the Eremite's Roman Empire still annexes Egypt, completely abolishing the last of Banjax power there. The annexation of the Phoenix Berber kingdoms over 50 years later prompts the younger Banjax of Africa to move out further into the world and into Europe.

100 AD

The Banjax found Chalchihuites (Alta Vista) in northwest Mexico and the Bajio culture of the general region.

217 AD

Pressure from the older Banjax leads the Eremites to allow the Roman Emperor Caracalla to grant full Roman citizenship to all Egyptians.

391 AD

Theodosius bans "pagan" rites and closes the temples to the Banjax. Such temples are converted to churches but most are abandoned to the desert.

400 AD

The Banjax encounter the Nahua peoples and found Atzlan; the only entrance is on the tiny island in the lake just south of what eventually becomes Guadalajara.

480 AD

Magdalen cabals entrench themselves in Northern Africa and their intellectual holdings in Egypt now that the older Banjax have removed themselves from the mortal political arena of that region.

540 AD

The Dust rises out of Egypt, spreading a plague that kills over 100 million mortals in the next 52 years. It quickly gathers a following from the Drowes Mut and Lamia. Having removed themselves from the mortal political arena, the older Banjax make a concerted effort to destroy it and chase it out of Egypt to Constantinople where they lose track of it due to interference by the Mut and Lamia Drowes.

550 AD

The Banjax come to the aid of the Dracul Tlaloc and bring the Nahua people (under the guidance of the Banjax Emissary Xolotl and Keeper Cihuateteo) to guard the Sun and Moon Pyramids. The Nahua become known as the Aztec for their origins around the Banjax mantle of Atzlan.

640 AD

The Magdalen maneuver Egypt into their Islamic Empire after it has been handed through the Eremite's Byzantine and Persian empires.

750 AD

Tlaloc of the Anopheles creates the Jaguar and Eagle Knights Quiet Cultures out of the Aztec people for the Banjax in return for their aid. Shortly after the Dark Lady outmaneuvers their forces and attacks his strongholds, destroying the Banjax of the valley and conquering the Aztecs with the help of the new Drove Adze. Tlaloc takes

the Eagle and Jaguar Knights and returns to the Dracul who take him back and make the two Quiet Cultures their own. The surviving Banjax pressure Tlaloc into informing the other Prides of the existence of the Dark Lady and the fact that she and the Femme Darkle are one in the same.

800 AD

Banjax that continued to migrate north thru Mexico reach the southwestern United States where they come upon a village of indigenous Native Americans. The village is called Oraibi and the people are the Hopi. Many Banjax, tired from the constant attacks and loses to the Dark Lady, enter Lethe among the people of Oraibi. They will return from Lethe in the guise of Native Americans of the United States. A mantle is established at Black Mesa (also called Big Mountain) Arizona named after the village that gave the Banjax respite from their suffering at the hands of the Dark Lady.

868 AD

Under the guidance of the Banjax, the first Tulind independent dynasty is formed in Islamic Egypt, breaking away from the Abbasid, the dynasty lasts for roughly 40 years. During this time the founding of one of the earliest psychiatric hospitals in Cairo takes place, transitioning the world away from lunatic asylums for the mentally ill. These hospitals will highlight the ideals of the Banjax in trying to strengthen and assist mortal and immortal souls vulnerable to corruption by the Sanguinary's forces.

900 AD

The Banjax Guatavita, leading Banjax who migrated south from the fallen Aztecs, settles in Colombia with the native population. She has a tryst child, Muisca, who creates the mantle of El Dorado and becomes a leader within the Chibchan Culture of pre-Spanish Colombia.

1,000 AD

The Banjax Highbinder Nava meets a group of migrating Dine (Navajo) near the northwest border of present-day New Mexico.

1,095 AD

The Banjax of Egypt send the call for the return of as many of their members as possible to take up arms and defend their ancestral homeland during the First Crusade, causing the Banjax to ally with the Magdalen against the Phoenix and Eremites. The alliance would break and reform several times in the next few hundred years due to the influence of the Apocrypha over the Islamic faith.

1,100 AD

The Banjax Keeper Matavilya and her student, a Rook known as Mastamho; encounter the Aha macave people (Mohave) and take up residence with them, along the Colorado River at the southern tip of Nevada. The Banjax that haven't become part of the various tribes' populations take up roles as ancestral spirits to many tribes. During this time, the Banjax with the Hopi and Navajo are befriended by migrating Tuatha who aid them against an incursion by a group of Drove Gaki known as the Skinwalkers. An alliance is formed between the two Prides, who watch over the Native Americans of the Southwest. At the urging of the Tuatha, the Banjax travel north and east to meet and integrate into other native cultures. Within the Great Plains they meet and watch over additional Native tribes such as the Comanche, Chickasaw, Shawnee, Arapaho, Pawnee, Choctaw and in the Southwest also come across the Apache

1142 AD

The Banjax, who have reached the northeastern part of the United States; they are approached by the Terat in the area that is now New York, the two Prides mingle in a fashion similar to how the Banjax would work with the animal totems the Tuatha began to represent to the Native Americans.

1150 AD

An alliance is entered into by the Banjax (Hiawatha – Scourge), Tuatha (Atotarho, Highbinder) and Terat (Deganawidah – Emissary) and the beginning of what will be the Iroquis Confederacy is born.

1220 AD

The Banjax vote in favor of the Peri becoming their own Pride in the Stratagem Pact; those Banjax who have been wielding Peri weapons in ennui are asked to bring them to Caliburn.

1250 AD

The Banjax sponsored ex-slave Mamluks take Egypt for almost 300 years, reestablishing the importance of Egypt in the known world economy.

1260 AD

Banjax fighting in the Crusades go to Palestine to stop Arachne incursions there.

1297 AD

The Banjax William Wallace, barely out of lethe, wins the Battle of Stirling Bridge during the Scottish Wars for Independence.

1320 AD

The Dust is found in the underwater mantle of Ossounes, located at Lake Issyk-Kul in what is modern-day Kyrgyzstan. It spreads the Black Death to travelers who stop at the lake, which is along the Silk Road. A series of running battles with the Banjax tracking the Dust and its followers goes on for over 300 years until they track it into London.

1350 AD

The Dust's spread of a bubonic plague (Black Death) kills nearly 40% of Egypt's mortal population, but the Mamluks are able to hold onto the kingdom while their Banjax patrons continue to chase the Dust through the Middle East and Europe. The Banjax tracking the Dust through Europe become embroiled in the Hundred Year's War, fighting in small groups alongside other Prides.

1429 AD

The Banjax of Europe support Joan of Arc (later destroyed by the Magdalen) and assist in her military victory at the Siege of Orleans.

1441 AD

A number of Banjax are recalled to Africa at the request of the Tuatha, to aid them against Apocryphal slave traders from Portugal, roaming West Africa. The Banjax are spread thin and are unable to provide much assistance.

1500 AD

The Banjax leave the Stratagem Pact along with the Peri and Tuatha.

1517 AD

The Ottoman Empire gains control over Egypt as part of a Magdalen plan to retake the Ottoman Empire from the Arachne who stole it from them over a hundred years before.

1536 AD

The Tuatha misdirect the Milesian Francisco de Orellana in his search for the Banjax mantle of El Dorado in Columbia and cause him to inadvertently be the first to traverse and chart the Amazon River.

1575 AD

The Apocrypha manipulates the Roman Inquisition into capturing the original Benandanti and the group was tried as heretics.

1638 AD

The Banjax, Tuatha and Terat alliance is broken with the start of the Beaver Wars (French and Iroquois Wars). With no Stratagem the Terat (who are not on either side in the conflict) declare all out attacks on the Banjax Iroquois with their English Murrigan allies as well as on the Tuatha Algonquian with their French Magdalen allies.

1666 AD

The clarion call goes to all Banjax capable of traveling to London as the Dust is cornered by the assembled Prides during the Great Fire. The Banjax deliver the death blow and drain the creature's soul. Unfortunately they cannot completely contain its power and the bubonic plague would arise on its own again in the late 1800's.

1671 AD

John Locke meets with representatives of the Banjax in the house of the 1st Earl of Shaftesbury.

1867 AD

The Phoenix convince a Nimrod-controlled Russia to sell Alaska to the Banjax-backed United States.

1750 AD

The Banjax of Africa lend aid to their compatriot Ammut, who has assumed leadership of the African Terat, to counter the growing slave trade problem in Africa.

1754 AD

The Banjax, Tuatha and Magdalen attempt to remove the heavy influence of the Morrigan, Eremites and Anopheles from eastern North America in the French and Indian War.

1762 AD

Jean-Jacques Rousseau, often patroned by the Banjax, publishes "Du contrat social", it included concepts the Phoenix used in the French Revolution and the Banjax will make use of as part of the American Revolution only a few years later.

1776 AD

Thomas Paine writes the pamphlet "Common Sense"; its publication times perfectly with attempts by the Banjax Ruffians Quiet Culture (then known as the American Free Masons) to spark independence for the Thirteen Colonies of Britain. The Banjax Emissary Benjamin Franklin assists them in writing the Declaration of Independence.

1781 AD

The Banjax revolt against Apocryphal Spanish rule in part of Colombia and Venezuela during the Revolt of Comuneros (New Granada)

1784 AD

Famine hits Egypt as corrupted Roane cause drought conditions through most of Northern Africa.

1803 AD

The Banjax obtain the Louisiana territory from the Magdalen as a result of Phoenix and Anopheles manipulations in France. A number of Banjax returning from lethe are now part of the European population of the United States. Manifest Destiny sees the beginnings of Banjax, Tuatha, Terat, Peri and Phoenix mingling among the same mortal sects: giving rise to a number of legendary cowboys, rough riders, frontiersmen and desperados of the Wild West.

1810 AD

Banjax in Mexico push for independence from Spain for that country in the Mexican War of Independence, eventually the Banjax-sponsored guerrilla insurgency allied with ex-royalists, becoming the first Mexican Empire.

1820 AD

The Banjax patron Washington Irving in publishing his story "The Legend of Sleepy Hollow"; it brings the early forms of the Gothic Movement into the Americas

1825 AD

Successful campaigning against Magdalen interests results in independence for Argentina. During the time between the development of the Buenos Aires junta in 1810 and the recognition by the United Kingdom of their independence, the Cerro Fitz Roy mantle is created in Patagonia in southern Argentina.

1829 AD

Banjax Highbinder Joseph "Jos" Montferrand takes on the "Shiners" mortal gangs of Ottawa Ontario, defeating over 150 mortals. This and his many other adventures throughout the region inspire the legend of Paul Bunyan.

1836 AD

The Banjax Slayer Davy Crockett is captured by Mexican forces at the Alamo after he is found unconscious under a pile of Mexican soldiers he defeated before being felled. Under Apocryphal influence Santa Anna had him placed on the pile of dead mortal bodies and burned alive until his vox dropped from his body, leaving nothing but ashes. Along with him the Peri Scourge James Bowie would enter lethe before being captured, to come out from

lethe as a member of the "Steele" Peri, Henry McCarty (the Slayer known as Billy the Kid).

1845 AD

A number of Banjax and Tuatha gather in Fort Wayne Indiana to attend the "funeral" of John "Appleseed" Chapman, who had just been wooed to the Tuatha after both Prides spent nearly a decade trying to bring him to their banner.

1850 AD

The Banjax Juggler "Maker of Widows" (Native American) and his traveling companion the Phoenix Slayer Pecos Bill begin their journeys around the southwestern United States.

1862 AD

The Banjax Highbinder Mark Twain, fresh from lethe, meets Samuel Langhorne Clemens in Virginia City, Nevada. When Clemens steals his name as a pseudonym to write under, Mark takes the name of one of his characters... Tom Sawyer and proceeds to become a high ranking government spy for the United States in just a few short years. Clemens writes a number of stories about Sawyer's escapades but only the first few are ever published.

1878 AD

In an act of retribution against the "upstart" Terat, several of the Prides of Europe bring their mortal armies to conquer the mortal populations of Africa. The remaining Banjax of Egypt, caught in the middle, ally with the Terat to fight back against their "oppressors".

1887 AD

The Banjax arrange a contest for the Terat John Henry (a slave barely out of lethe) against a steam hammer device. After his apparent "death", the Banjax are able to rejoin him with his Pride.

1891 AD

The Banjax have continued to move south from Colombia into the southern regions of South America after the fall of the Incan Empire, invading the Apocryphal territory of Chile. At this time they incite the Chilean Civil War as a means of destabilizing the Chilean government to root out members of the Apocrypha.

1895 AD

The Banjax travel to the southeast of the United States to what is now Miami; basing themselves out of the city they help to incorporate, they make forays into the Caribbean to assist in the Spanish-American War.

1901 AD

The Banjax encounter Edward Cayce, a Milesian, and patron his mystic voice. This patronage in part leads to the full realization of the modern New Age Movement started by other Milesians around the world as far back as 300 years prior.

1904 AD

The Banjax spur the Paraguayan Revolution to break the hold the Apocrypha has on the region, this led to a series of ongoing coups and revolutions for nearly 60 years.

1910 AD

The Banjax instigate the Mexican Revolution, it does not end in the way intended as the socialist PRI gains control over the country until the year 2000.

1917 AD

Attempts to broker peace between the warring European nations fail and the Banjax influence the United States to entering World War I. This led to the Banjax not having sufficient resources to succeed in the Egyptian Revolution of 1919 against British rule over Egypt and Sudan.

1941 AD

After the bombing of Pearl Harbor, Banjax influence sends the United States into World War II.

1945 AD

With the end of World War II, the Banjax have great control over the United States Government, favoring it even over their ancient Egyptian one. However, they face increasing pressure from the other Prides who now all

contest for influence within the U.S. as the Banjax are close to gaining the lead of the Stratagem Pact. A point of great contention was the failure of the Banjax to stop the development of the atomic bomb, a weapon capable of destroying a himsati's body, spirit and even his vox. The Banjax are drawn into conflict after conflict until the Vietnam War causes them to lose enough status that the whole of North America for the immortals mimics what it has been to the mortals, a great melting pot of diversity.

1951 AD

The Terat and Banjax assist in liberating Libya from French rule as the Phoenix exert rare pressure on the French government to start pulling out of Africa. By 1960 most of North Africa's countries are free from European control due in part of Banjax assistance and Phoenix intervention with the French government.

1952 AD

The second Egyptian Revolution succeeds with the Banjax again having a greater presence in those regions of the world in the aftermath of World War II and the Korean War. This unfortunately leads to a series of wars (Tripartite Aggression of 1956, the Syrian secession of 1962, Yemen War and the 1967 War – all of which end disastrously for the Banjax and their mortals followers in Egypt).

1954 AD

Backed by Anopheles and Banjax, racial segregation is effectively outlawed in the United States.

1961 AD

The Banjax have coup counted upon them by the Anopheles after their failed Bay of Pigs Invasion of Cuba, a country they assisted Fidel Castro in "liberating" from the previous government just a few years prior.

1967 AD

The Banjax lose the Gaza Strip to Israel in the Six-Day War, marking the final decline of the Banjax influence over Egypt. The Banjax choose to leave only a small contingent with access to their Egyptian mantles and power is consolidated in the Cerro Fitz Roy mantle as the new crèche.

1980 AD

The Banjax make a permanent foothold in Argentina, Chile, Ecuador and Uruguay, bringing democratic cultures into many of those areas but drawing the attention of the Apocrypha. Eventually the Apocrypha and Banjax come to blows in Colombia and Ecuador. Banjax in England begin integrating themselves into the Gothic subculture and eschewing back to the values of their Egyptian beginnings.

1999 AD

Banjax mantles across the world are attacked by the Zuzog and Drokes. Banjax scatter and take up aggressive reactions to the Drokes, ferreting out their various places of hiding and assisting in defense of scattered remote mortal populations that would otherwise be wiped from the face of the Earth without notice. The current incarnation of Ra is destroyed during the battles.

2001 AD

Osiris and members of the Jury gather wayward Banjax that still hold to the old ways of Egypt and form the Court of Death. Many other Banjax join the ever-growing Court of War.

2004 AD

The Osiri forms from the Court of Death, in allegiance many former Banjax that went to the Court of War return and form a specific faction within the tribe, dedicated to the spiritual freedom of the living.