**CORONATION RITUAL OF THE KING OF THE MOUNTAINS**

Let the Trumpet of LANFORG be sounded at each of the four corners of the kingdom.

Let king-designate call the heads of all the settlements of the realm to meet at the High Altar of Mithras on Mount Gaxto at the next Solstice or Equinox.

Let the High Priest of Mithras call the ceremony to order.

Let the 12 Silver Guardsmen of the Kingdom clash spear on shield and call out the candidate’s name three times.

Let the king-designate place the crown on his own head and grab the horns of the High Altar and speak the following oath:

**THE OATH OF THE LAWFUL KING OF THE MOUNTAINS**

IN THE NAME OF THE GODS,

I SWEAR THAT I HAVE NEVER AND WILL NEVER DECEIVE NOR DISOBEY THE TRUE GODS OF THE LAW

I SWEAR THAT I WILL PROTECT AND DEFEND MY SUBJECTS FROM THE DESPICABLE FORCES OF CHAOS AND THOSE TREACHEROUS NEUTRAL SCUM.; AND THAT I HAVE ALWAYS SUPPORTED THEM AGAINST THEIR FOES.

I SWEAR THAT MY WORDS TO THE PRIESTS OF THE LAW ARE AND HAVE BEEN ALWAYS RESPECTFUL AND TRUE.

I SWEAR NEVER TO TAKE THE MINIONS OF CHAOS INTO MY SERVICE.

I SWEAR NEVER TO PUT MY INTERESTS BEFORE THE LAW.

SO LET IT BE WRITTEN, SO LET IT BE DONE, I TAKE THE THRONE OF THE MOUNTAINS BY THE NAME OF

[INSERT NAME HERE]

Whereupon, the High Priest of Mithras shall speak forth:

“Is there anyone here who disputes the king’s oath or claim to the throne?”

If no one should object, let the High Priest say “Long Live the King” and his reign begins.

If someone should object, the High Priest of Mithras will judge the matter.