

Letters of Mark

May 1978 – At Cambia Fare a Fealty Tourney was fought. All Households, Shires, Baronies were allowed to enter. The Freehold entered. Having mutual aid treaties with Isles and Darach, their fighters added to the already powerful Freehold fighting force. (Making the Freehold army 50 strong). To the disbelief of everyone, The FREEHOLD takes the field. This had not been expected. Angels and Drieburgen swear Fealty to The Freehold, (To send aid for the next year or until the next Fealty Tourney.)

June 1979 – The second half of Angels Anniversary was a Melee War of Fealty. This was very well attended as several units wanted to clear their names. This time the Freehold led an army made up of fighters of the Freehold, Darachshire, Reislingshire, and Isles. (Making the Freehold Army close to 65 Strong)The melee finished with the Freehold still standing. This basically left the Freehold and its Allies with fealty owed from Angels, Drieburgen, and Lyondemere.

July 1980 – At Lyondemere's 6th Anniversary the Freehold was challenged. The Freehold (30 fighters Strong) then bought the Chivalry (23 at this event) for 200 Bottles of beer and wine. There was only one point that the Freehold actually needed to use the "Reserves" (Knights) and a whole 7 were sent in to help the fight. The Freehold won this battle.

September 1980 – Freehold sponsors a Melee battle at Angels 10th Anniversary. The Freehold again beats the whole Kingdom. (30 fighters strong).

May 1983 – Last time fealty is brought up. West/Caid War in San Louis Obispo. Freehold army and Allies Isles and Darach beat both Kingdom armies in one field battle.

June/July 1983 – King Jason suggests that the Freehold write up a set of Letters and suggests the form they take.

Current – Since these Letters were written both sides have agreed to "Lose" the Documents.

So just what were the Letters of Mark? (By the way did you know that Sebastian de Grey wrote the Letters of Mark? Sebastian's Legal name is Mark, thus the spelling.).

- 1) The Freehold is acknowledged as the superior fighting force in Caid.
- 2) The Freehold is to cease all war efforts against the Geographic units of Caid.
- 3) Unless sides are evened up at a War the Freehold must have no less then 50% of its Army under the Flag of Caid.
- 4) The Freehold may call on the full Army of Caid but, every time the Freehold uses the Army of Caid, Caid may use the Army of the Freehold within 12 months for whatever needed.