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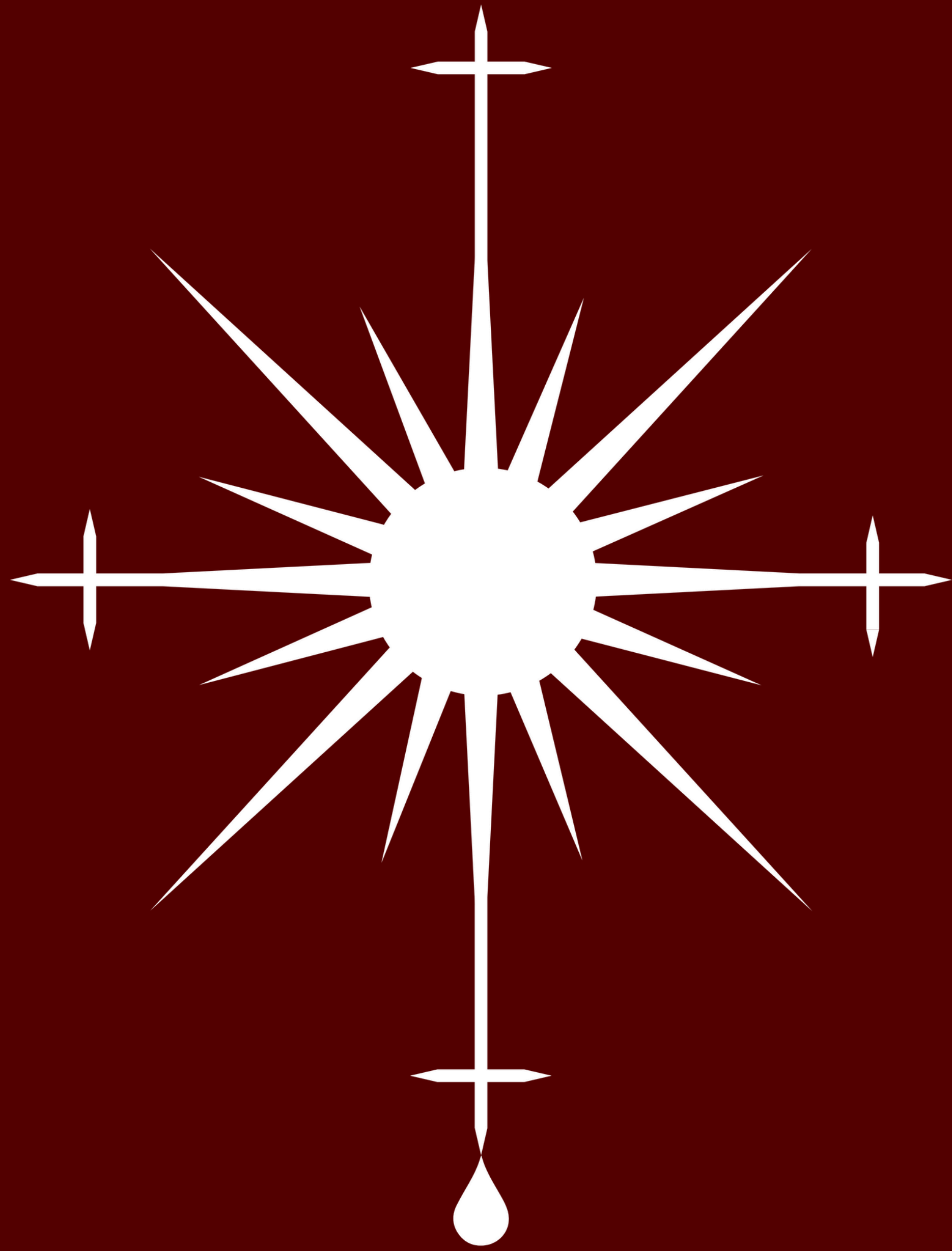
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The Cardinal Virtues



SILENTIUM

The membrane between the waking world and the shadow is fragile. To tear it is to invite ruin. We do not merely hide; we curate the reality of the flock.

TEMPERANTIA

A river without banks is a flood; an immortal without discipline is merely a monster. Govern your thirst, that you may govern the world.

PASTORATUS

As the gardener tends the rose, so does the Pax tend the mortals. Walk among them to prune the unruly, feed the soil, and ensure the harvest remains bountiful

MERITUM

Blood is birthright, but station is conquest. Through cunning, accumulation, and service, the Neophyte becomes the Adept, and the Adept becomes the August.

We are delighted to welcome you to London.

As the crown jewel of the Pax Sanguinis, this city is more than a home; it is a vibrant ecosystem of history, culture, and limitless potential. Whether you are here to build your legacy or simply to enjoy the finest nights Europe has to offer, London provides the perfect backdrop for your eternity.

We have prepared this Resident Resource Guide to help you navigate your new environment with ease and confidence. Inside, you will find everything you need to thrive:



- **Staying Connected:** A walkthrough of Hemanet & Plasma—your all-in-one hub for housing, finance, community engagement, and more.
- **Dining & Wellness:** The London Zoning Map—A curated guide to our designated sustainable feeding districts and protected areas.
- **Your Support Network:** An introduction to your local Accredians—dedicated civil servants available any time to assist with your transition.
- **Community Life:** Sanctuaries & Events—How to access our exclusive venues and participate in the social calendar.

A Note on Access:

The services outlined in this guide are part of the comprehensive benefits package available to Registered Citizens. If your Blood-Parent is a member of the Pax, your access is likely already active.

For our Unpledged Guests:

We want to ensure you have full access to the support you deserve. If you are not yet Registered, simply approach any Accredian. They will be happy to guide you through the fast-track initiation process so you can start enjoying the benefits of Citizenship immediately.

Welcome to the fold.





HEMANET

CONNECTION WITHOUT COMPROMISE

The modern night requires modern solutions.

Hemanet is more than a network; it is your digital sanctuary. Built parallel to the mortal web but entirely independent of it, Hemanet allows you to navigate the global economy, manage your assets, and connect with your community without the risk of exposure. In an age of total surveillance, we offer the ultimate luxury: true privacy.

Security in Your Blood

Commercial technology is fragile. The Pax Hardware Suite is built by trusted manufacturers to our exacting standards. Every device is secured by our proprietary Rubedo™ Encryption Protocol that responds only to your personal touch. Your device knows you. It reveals for no one else.

To ensure the integrity of our ecosystem and uphold the virtue of Silentium, Hemanet is accessed exclusively through the Pax Hardware Suite:



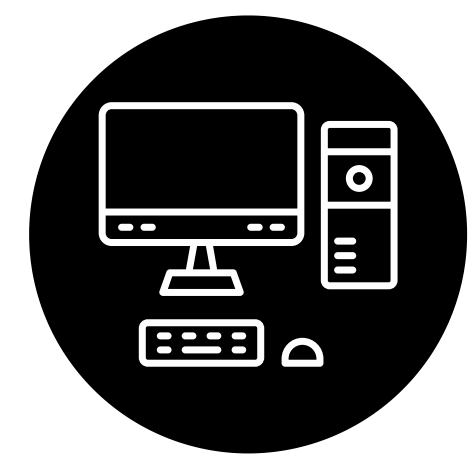
Personal Communicator

Mobile device provided to every Registered Citizen upon Baptism. Your unlife, in your pocket.



The Professional Series

High-performance tablets and laptops issued to Citizens in specialized roles, designed for seamless workflow integration.



The Refuge Powerhouse

State-of-the-art desktop terminals pre-installed in all Pax-Verified housing units, capable of true technological marvels.



Flexible Access for Guests

Not yet a Citizen?
You don't have to disconnect.

We offer Guest Connectivity Packages for our Unpledged residents. Simply visit a local Accredian to discuss a monthly rental plan that fits your lifestyle. Stay linked to the pulse of the city, on your terms.



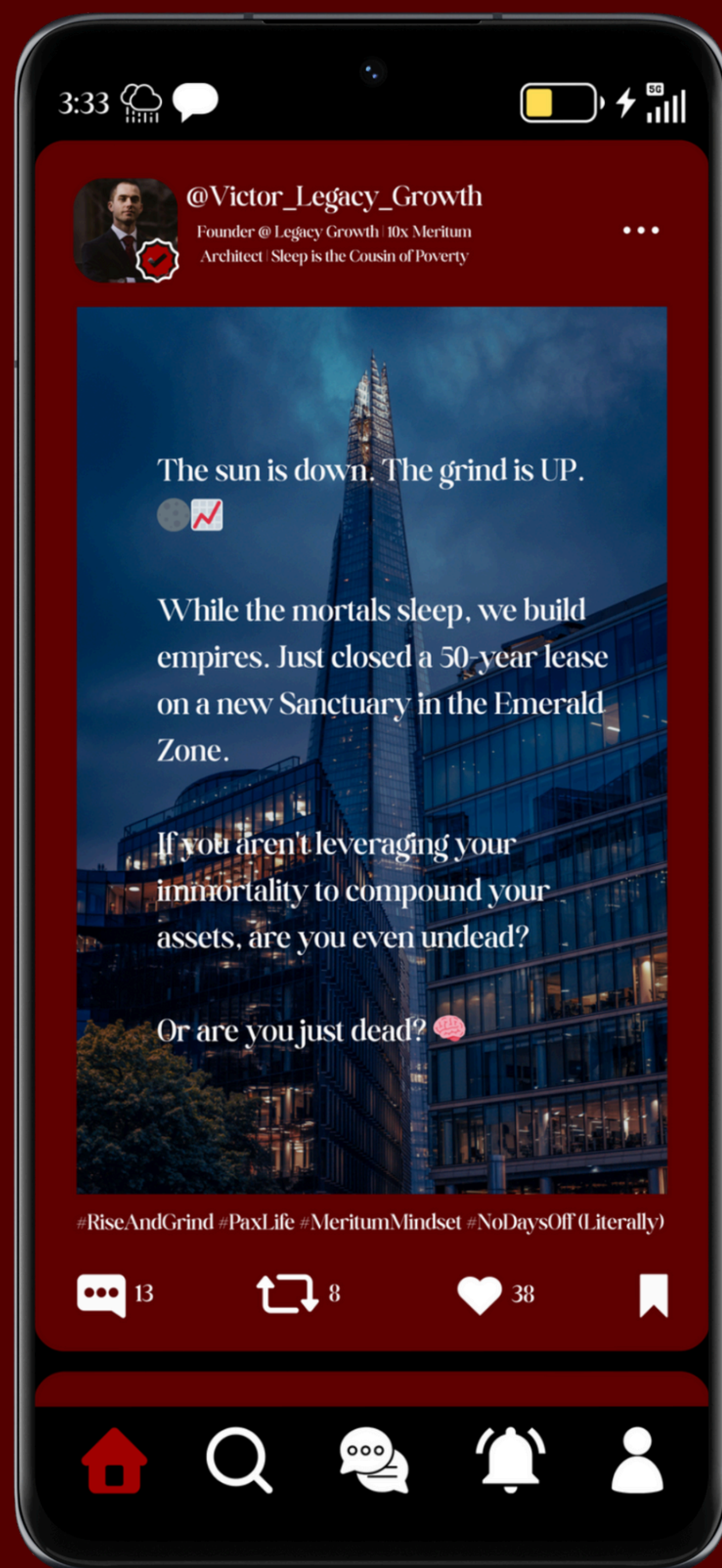
plasma

One Application
For Eternity



“your existence is singular;
but it need not be alone.”

Plasma is the lifestyle superapp designed exclusively for the Hemanet ecosystem. Seamlessly integrated, infinitely scalable, and complimentary for all registered users, Plasma bridges the gap between your needs and the world that supplies them.



plasma social

Curate Your Circle

Solitude is a choice, not a sentence.
Build your network on your terms.

The Inner Sanctum: Keep your visibility **Private** to enjoy encrypted communication exclusively with trusted contacts.
Peace of mind is standard.

The Global Stage: Ready to expand your influence? Toggle to **Public** to connect with kin across the globe. Share updates, build your brand, and step into the spotlight.

plasma banking

Wealth Without Borders

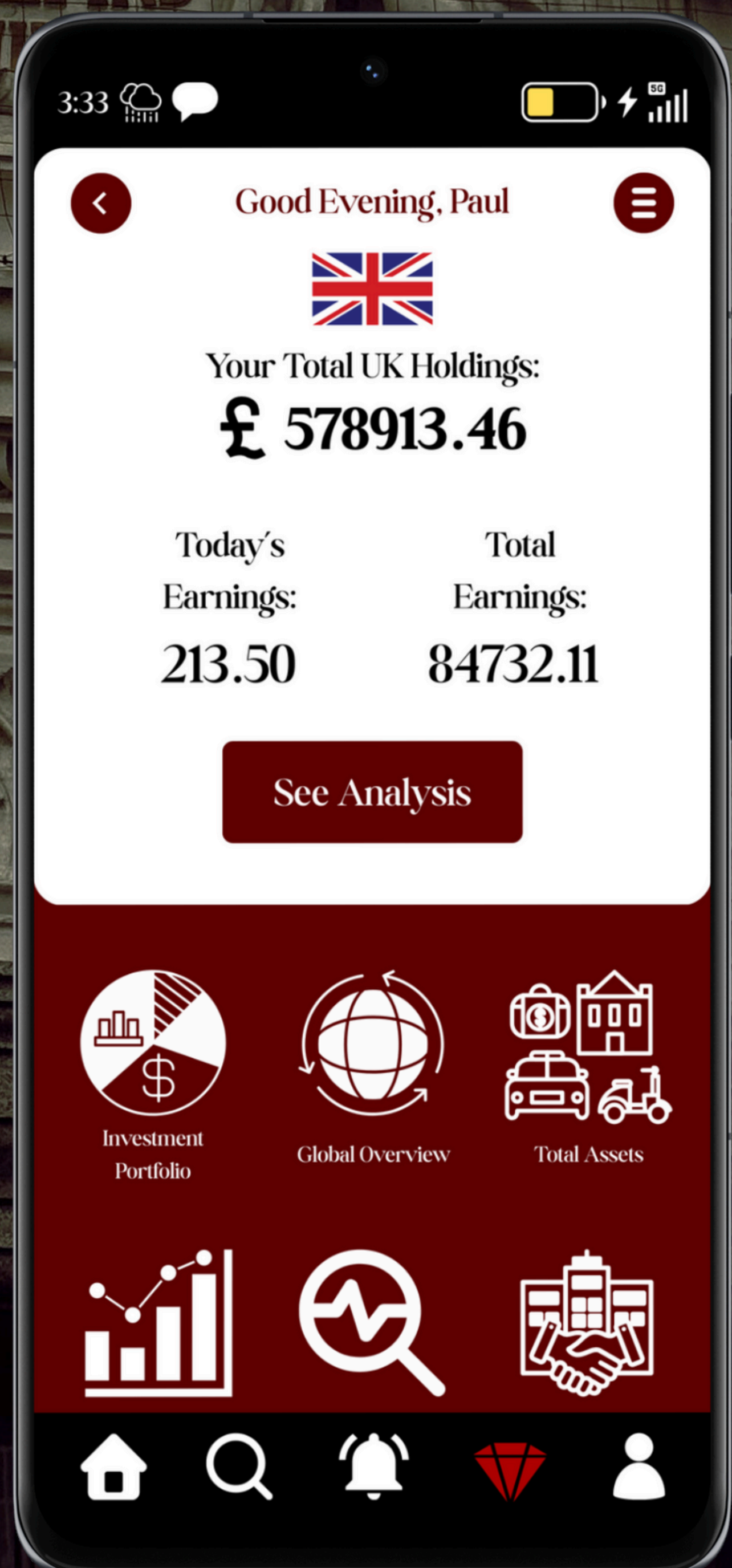
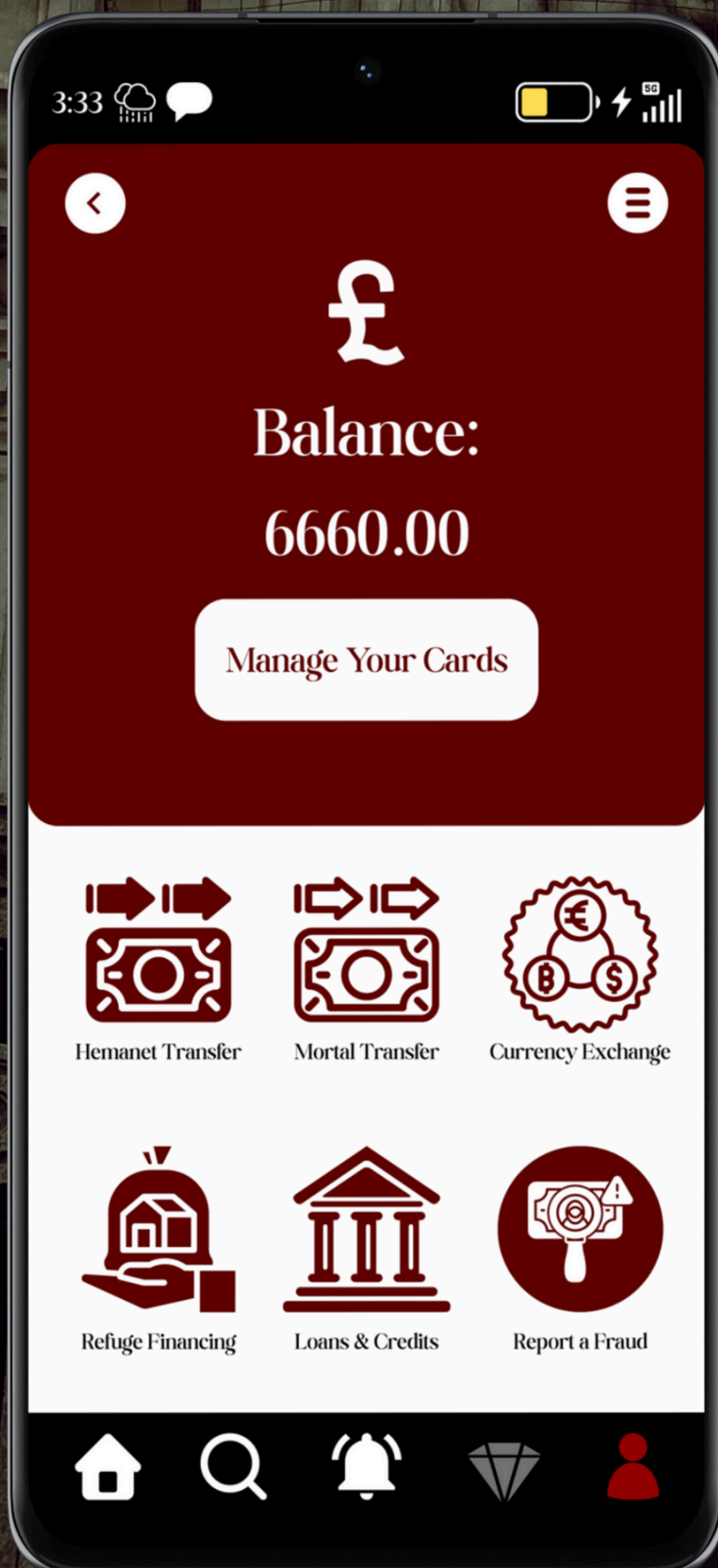
The mortal economy is volatile; your assets shouldn't be.
Our state-of-the-art FinTech suite, Plasma Banking, allows you to transact across mortal and immortal markets with absolute discretion.

The Essential Tier

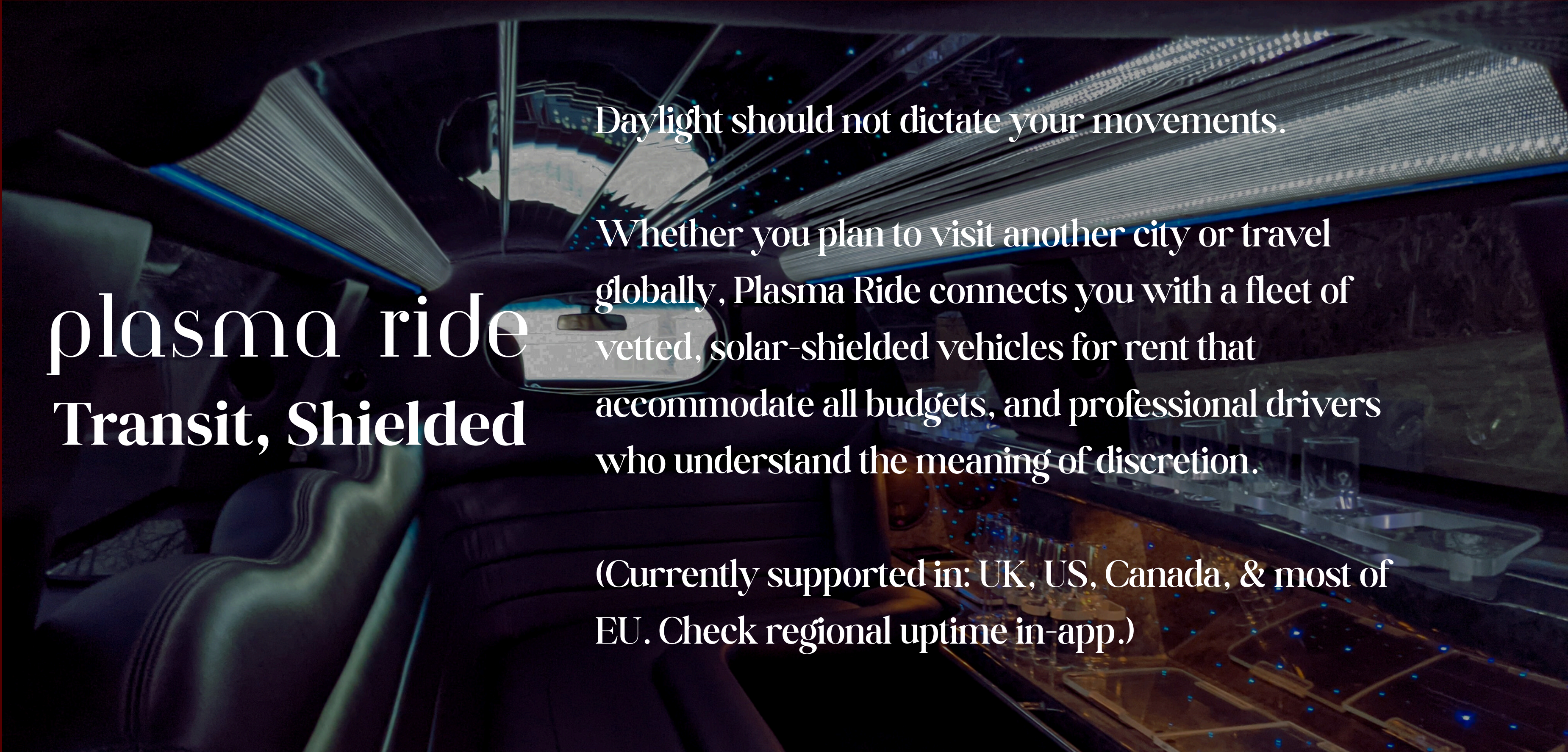
Complimentary for all users.
Instant peer-to-peer transfers within the Hemanet network and national integration with mortal finance system.

The Sovereign Tier

For those requiring complex international asset management, our premium banking features offer unparalleled financial power. Eligibility subject to background review.



Currently supported in: UK, US, Canada, & most of EU.
Check regional uptime in-app.



plasma ride

Transit, Shielded

Daylight should not dictate your movements.

Whether you plan to visit another city or travel globally, Plasma Ride connects you with a fleet of vetted, solar-shielded vehicles for rent that accommodate all budgets, and professional drivers who understand the meaning of discretion.

(Currently supported in: UK, US, Canada, & most of EU. Check regional uptime in-app.)



From the mundane to the esoteric, if you desire it, we can source it.

Leverage our international supply chain to buy and sell with confidence. Our logistics partners guarantee secure, on-time delivery directly to your Refuge door.

(Currently supported in: UK, US, Canada, France, Germany.)

plasma marketplace

Acquisition Simplified



plasma refuge

Find Your Peace

Stop scrambling for shelter; start discovering your home.

Browse our expansive catalogue of Helio-Certified™ properties. Every unit is inspected on-site by specialists to ensure total light-proofing and security compliance. Rest easy knowing your haven is verified.

(Currently exclusive to the UK. Global expansion imminent.)

A SPECIAL NOTE FOR OUR NEOPHYTES: BRIDGING THE AGES



The Pax Sanguinis is a tapestry woven from centuries of wisdom. Our Legacy Citizens carry the weight of history. It is the privilege of the modern Neophyte to ensure that this history is not left behind by the pace of innovation.

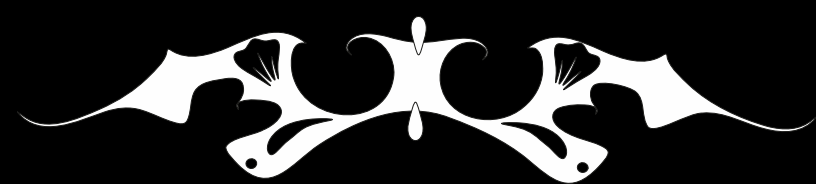
We understand that introducing a Legacy Citizen to the Hemanet ecosystem requires delicacy.

Your Blood-Parents and seniors are focused on high-level machinations; they should not be burdened with the minutiae of interface navigation. That is where you come in. As a digital native, you have the unique honor of acting as a Technological Conduit for your Lineage.



HOW TO APPROACH THE CONVERSATION

We have prepared a series of Respectful Deference Scripts to help you introduce Plasma without disrupting the hierarchy:



Instead of: "You need to use this app to pay rent."

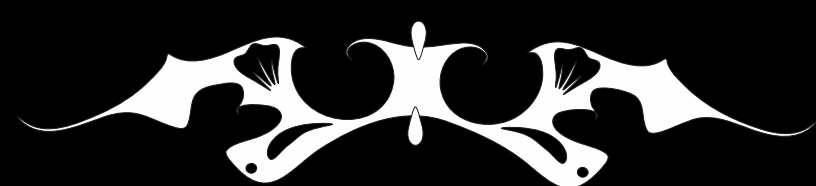
Try: "My Lord/Lady, allow me to demonstrate a new tool that streamlines resource acquisition, leaving you more time for your greater works."

Instead of: "Your old phone is a security risk."

Try: "This device has been consecrated with Rubedo™ Encryption to ensure your privacy remains impenetrable to mortal eyes."

Instead of: "Here is how you send a DM."

Try: "A method to command your subordinates instantly, from anywhere in the city."



NEED VISUAL AIDS?

Do not weary your seniors with lengthy explanations. Direct their attention to The Plasma Academy on Plasma Social.

Recommended Viewing: "Touchscreen & Dynasty: A Masterclass in Modern Control" (Video, 3 mins).



THE AMBASSADOR'S BOUNTY

The Pax rewards initiative.

Successfully onboard a Legacy Citizen (verified by their first biometric login), and you will be eligible for the Ambassador's Reward Package:

50% OFF any purchase under the Food category on the Plasma Marketplace for A MONTH. (Valid for 30 nights from activation. Not applicable to live vessels. Terms and conditions apply.)

Successfully guiding a Legacy Citizen into the digital fold is a demonstration of Civic Character. It proves your dedication to the community and your ability to navigate complex inter-Lineage dynamics.

Should you choose to apply for a Accredian position in the future, be assured that verified success in this initiative will be favourably noted in your application review.

Help them connect.





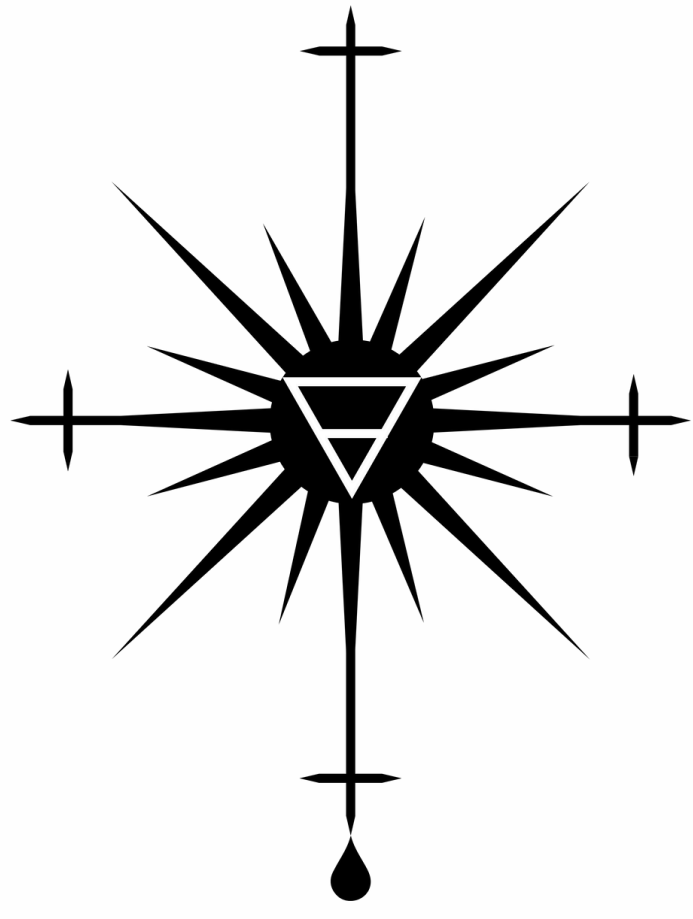
KNOW YOUR SUPPORT NETWORK

The Dicasteries

The Pax Sanguinis is a complex organism,
and the Accredians are its hands.

Whether you are securing a permit,
tracing your Lineage, or resolving a
dispute, there is a dedicated Dicastery
ready to facilitate your request. Do not
hesitate to engage them. They exist to
serve the structure that sustains us all.





THE NIGREDO DICASTERY

Seal Color: Black

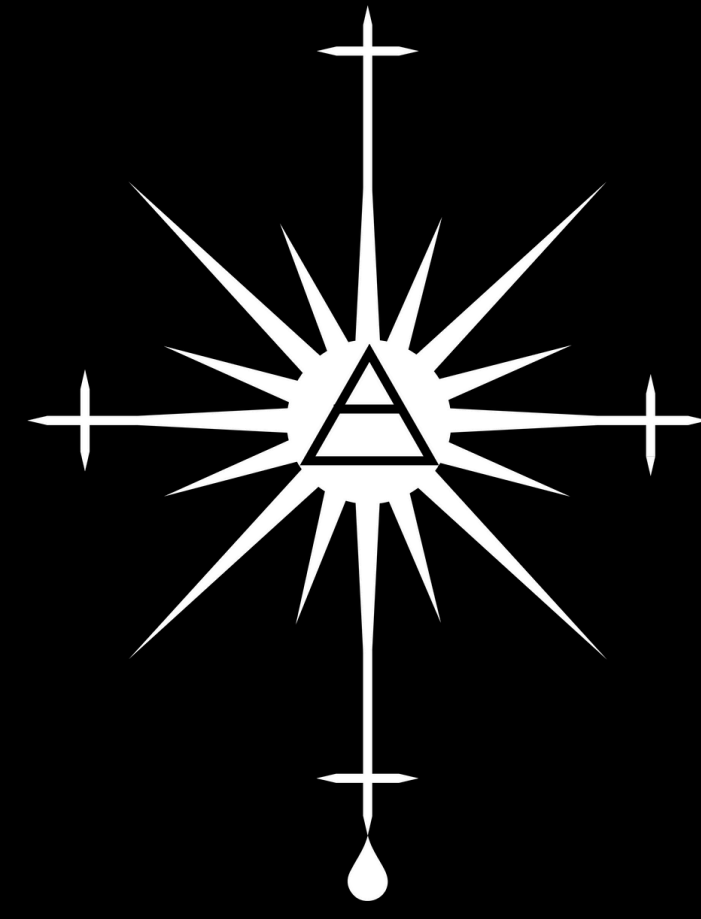
Jurisdiction: Intelligence, Analytics,
& Historical Preservation.

“In the darkness, we find the truth.”

The Pax is built on centuries of wisdom. The Nigredo Accredians are our scholars and analysts. They oversee the vast data ocean of Hemanet, ensuring our digital borders remain secure while excavating the archaeological and esoteric history of our kind.

How They Help You: They provide access to the Archives, verify historical claims, and offer threat assessments for your district.

The Modern Edge: They monitor real-time information flow to ensure no breach of Silentium threatens our way of unlife.



THE ALBEDO DICASTERY

Seal Color: White

Jurisdiction: Judiciary, Law
Enforcement, & Conflict Resolution.

“Purity of conduct creates harmony
of existence.”

The Albedo Accredians are the arbiters of the Pax Sanguinis order. They enforce the Immutable Edicts, settle inter-Lineage grievances, and maintain the physical security of our Social Sanctuaries.

How They Help You: If you are the victim of a crime or a breach of contract, the Dicastery stands ready to adjudicate.

The White Shields: The Dicastery sends out elite White Shield units into Restriction Zones for special peace keeping missions. Their sacrifices make sure no one is left unprotected.



THE CITRINITAS DICASTERY

Seal Color: Yellow or Golden

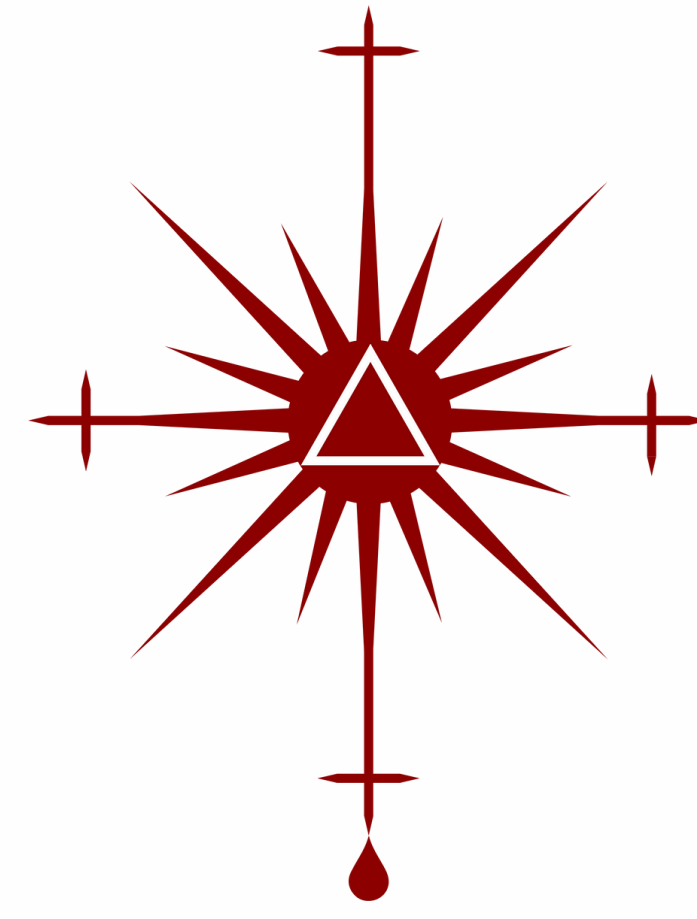
Jurisdiction: Finance, Treasury, &
Asset Allocation.

“Prosperity is the heartbeat of peace.”

The Citrinitas Accredians are the custodians of our economy. Fully integrated with Plasma Banking, this Dicastery ensures the fluid movement of capital between the mortal and immortal spheres.

How They Help You: Contact them for assistance with Refuge financing, business loans, currency exchange, or unfreezing assets.

For the Entrepreneur: They manage the Pax Investment Fund, offering grants to Citizens who show exceptional commercial promise.



THE RUBEDO DICASTERY

Seal Color: Blood Red

Jurisdiction: Population Welfare.

“In blood lies an unbreakable bond.”

We are one family, and every drop matters. The Rubedo Accredians act as the registrars of our race. They authorize the sacred rites of Baptism and Tethering, ensuring that every expansion of our numbers is sustainable and sanctioned.

How They Help You: Visit them to apply for or register a new Thrall or Bloodkin, update your Lineage records, or undergo your mandatory decennial biological audit.

Knowing Yourself: They maintain the Aspect Database, helping you understand your potential.



ACCESSING YOUR SUPPORT NETWORK

The Pax Sanguinis is designed to be omnipresent.

Whether you require administrative approval or emergency adjudication, an Accredian is never far away.



DIGITAL ACCESS: THE PREFERRED PATH

For the most efficient service, we recommend utilising the Dicastery Portals on Hemanet. From permit applications to dispute filings, 90% of administrative tasks can be resolved instantly online.

Locate an Office: Use the Plasma Map module to find the nearest staffed bureau. Real-time wait times and office hours are updated minutely.



FIELD IDENTIFICATION: THE MARK OF OFFICE

We understand that sometimes, the night demands immediate, face-to-face resolution.

If you require assistance while in the field—or in the unlikely event of a network disconnection—you may identify an Accredian by their Seals.

Every active civil servant bears the Erythrochymic Seal of their respective Dicastery on the back of their left hand.

Secure Visibility: The Seal is rendered in proprietary alchemical ink, calibrated to fluoresce exclusively within the vampiric visual spectrum. To the mortal eye, they are invisible; to you, they are beacons of order.

Look for the Seal. We are always within reach.

THE LONDON ZONING

SUSTENANCE & SECURITY

London is a living organism, and like any body, it has its rhythms. To ensure the safety of our Citizens, the Albedo and Nigredo Dicasteries maintain a real-time zoning of the metropolitan area.

We strongly encourage all Citizens to align their dining habits with the zone that best suits their Lineage profile and social standing.

Emerald Zone

Status: High Stability

The Atmosphere: The beating heart of the Pax. Here you will find the grandest Dicastery offices, the primary Lineage Sanctuaries, and the Refuges of our esteemed Augusts. The streets are pristine, the mortal herd is well-curved, and the Accredians maintain a constant, reassuring presence.

Recommended For: Those with established influence and refined tastes. A preferred environment for our Aurelith patrons, Lacrima creatives, and senior Ichoryne scholars.

Advisory: Access is open, but scrutiny is high. Conduct yourself with the elegance this district demands.

Amber Zone

Status: Commercial Flux

The Atmosphere: The vibrant pulse of the city.

These districts offer a blend of affordability and opportunity, perfect for the ambitious Neophyte building their legacy.

While Pax authority is absolute, the atmosphere is more dynamic. A space for growth, negotiation, and the occasional grey-market thrill.

Recommended For: The industrious middle strata.

A common haunt for Haidukyn tradespeople, Vargr pathfinders, and Ichoryne field researchers.

Advisory: Exercise standard caution. Unsanctioned elements occasionally operate here; report any irregularities to your local Accredian.

Restriction Zone

Status: Non-Compliant

The Atmosphere: Regrettably, certain

boroughs remain resistant to our stabilization efforts.

These areas are characterized by disorganized crime (Unpledged activity), biological instability (Duskborn sightings), and an elevated risk of Hunter attention.

Recommended For: No one, especially Neophytes.

ADVISORY: ENTRY IS STRONGLY DISCOURAGED. THE PAX CANNOT GUARANTEE ASSET RECOVERY OR PHYSICAL SAFETY WITHIN THESE PERIMETERS. TRAVEL AT YOUR OWN RISK.



SPECIAL GUIDANCE FOR OUR TUMULARI CITIZENS

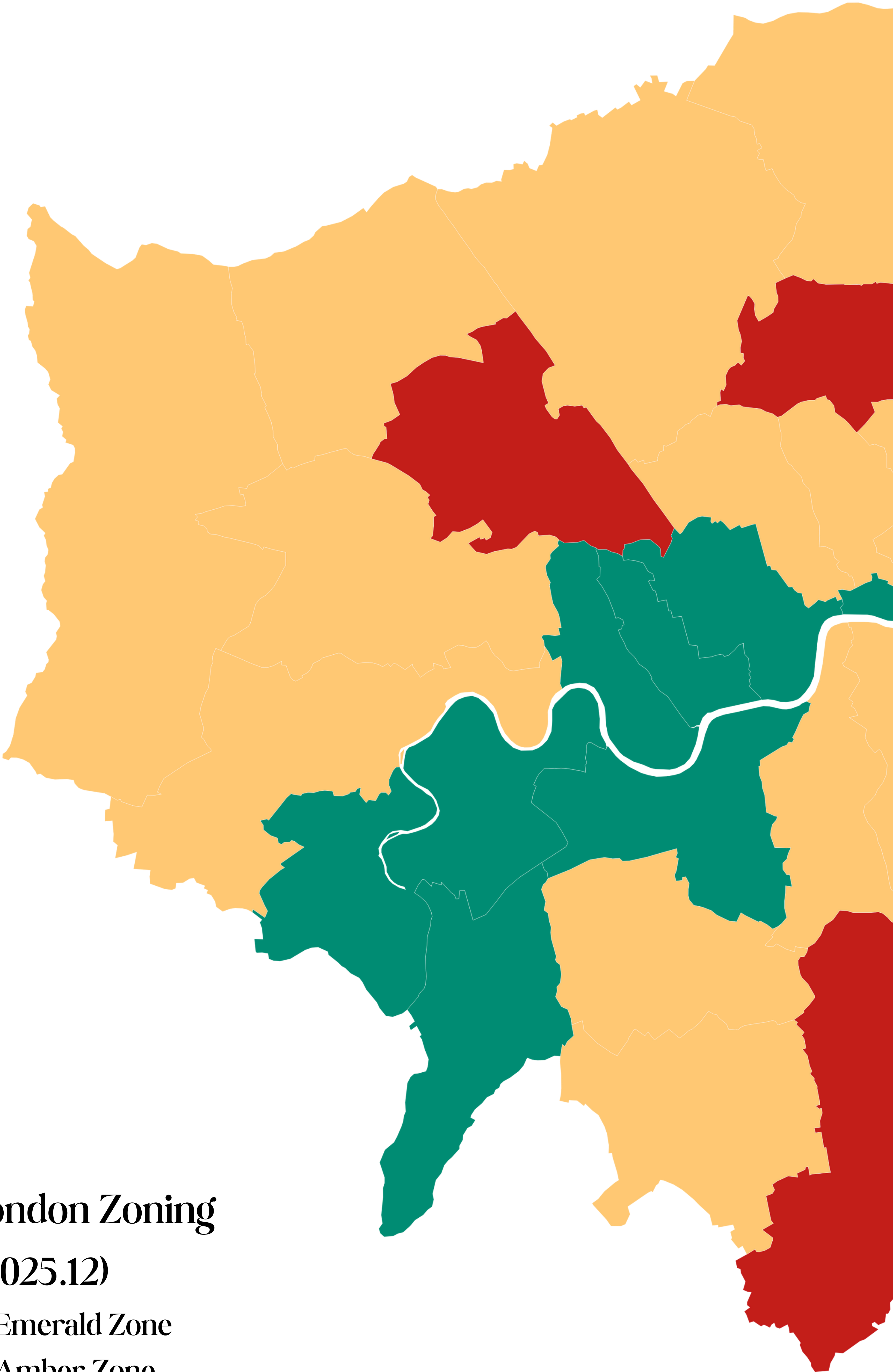
Subject: Visual Hygiene & Dietary Support

The Pax Sanguinis celebrates the diversity of all Lineages. However, we recognise that the Tumulari constitution carries a unique visual signature that requires special care regarding Silentium.

To protect you from the distress of mortal reaction (and the subsequent Hunter risk), we recommend:

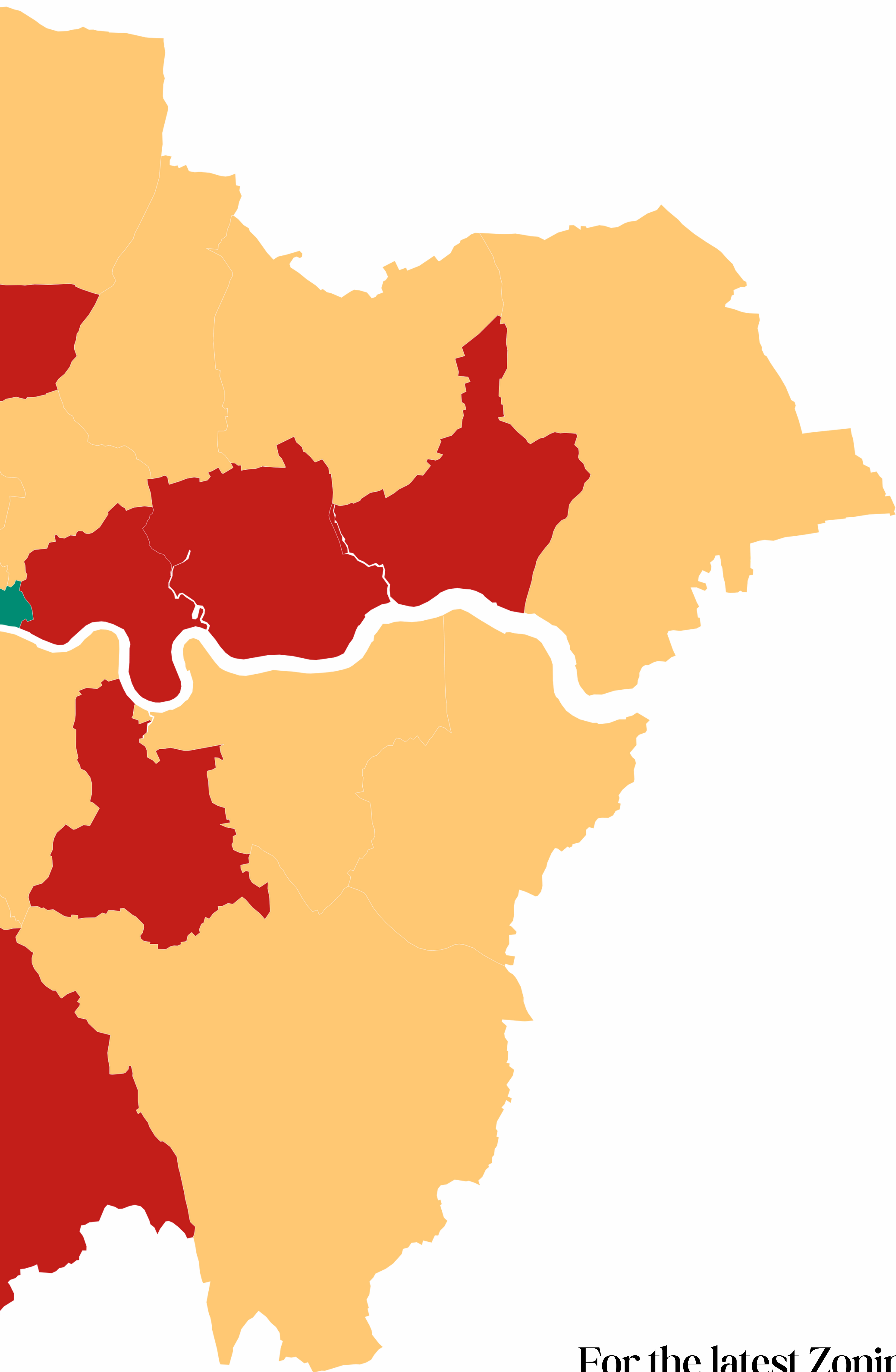
For Hemanet Employees: Your dietary needs are fully subsidized. Enjoy premium, sanitized, and ethically sourced sustenance delivered directly to your workstation or on-site Refuge. There is no need for you to navigate the complexities of the open hunt.

Best Practice: We strongly advise against traditional hunting in the surface zones. Why risk exposure when the Pax provides? Stay secure. Stay fed. Stay within the network.



London Zoning (2025.12)

- Emerald Zone
- Amber Zone
- Restriction Zone

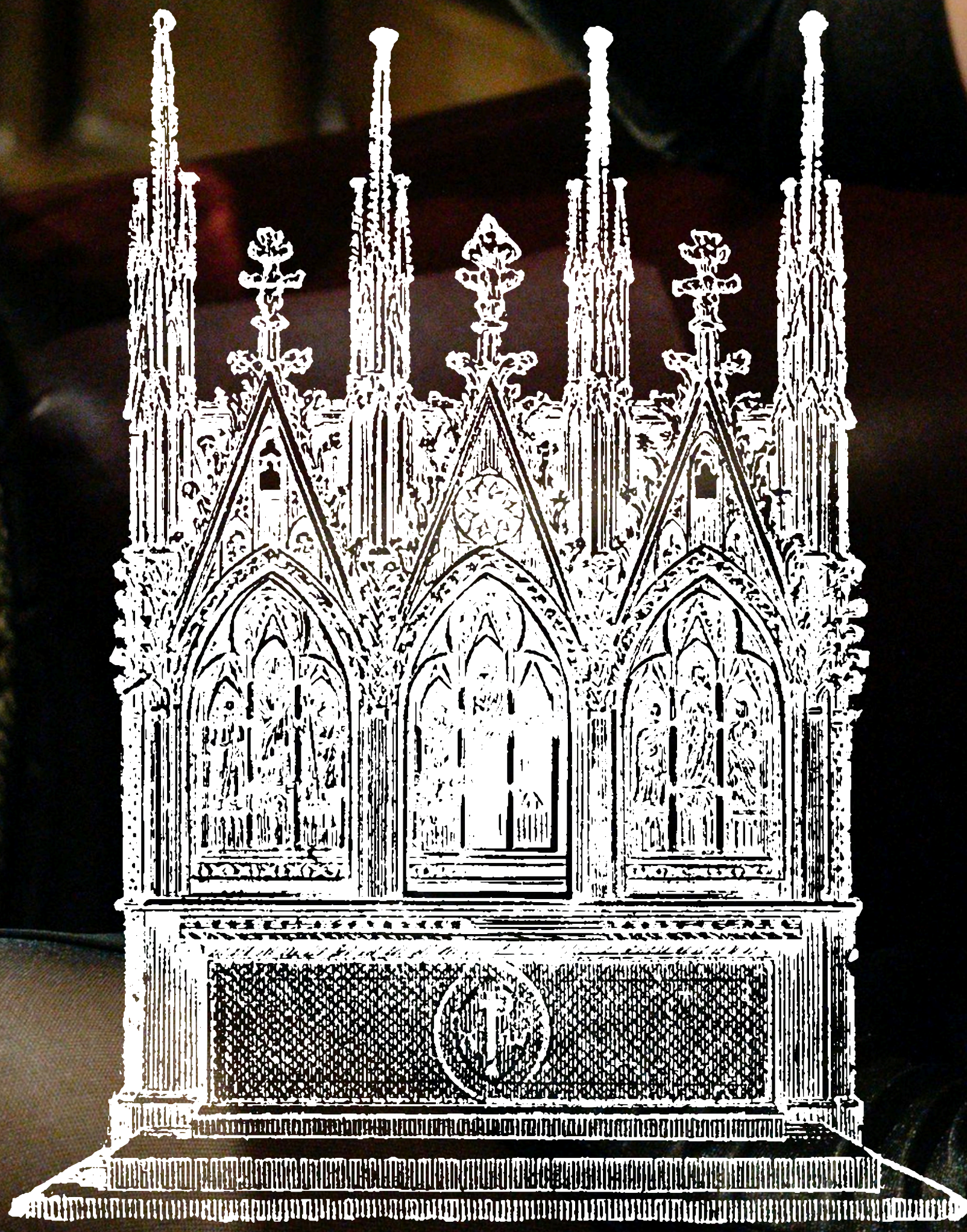


For the latest Zoning,
go to Plasma Map

SOCIAL LIFE & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

The Pax Sanguinis is built on two pillars: the strength of the
Lineage and the unity of the Society.

To navigate our world successfully, a Citizen must understand
the distinct functions of our gathering spaces.



UNDERSTANDING YOUR SANCTUARY

I Lineage Sanctuary (Bloodkin-Only)

Every Lineage maintains a designated headquarters within the city. These facilities serve as operational centres for Lineage-specific affairs, heritage preservation, and administrative governance. Some, such as the Tumulari Sanctuary, also provide residential support for essential staff.

Access Policy: These spaces are Restricted Access. Entry is strictly limited to members of that specific Lineage unless a formal invitation has been issued by an August of this Lineage.

Protocol: These are places of business and tradition. Local customs and hierarchies must be respected at all times.

II Social Sanctuaries (Cross-Lineage)

To foster inter-Lineage cooperation and Meritum, the Pax has accredited specific venues for general socialization. These are neutral grounds for entertainment, networking, and relaxation.

Access Policy: Open to all Registered Citizens (subject to venue-specific dress codes and cover charges).

Protocol: While the atmosphere is relaxed, remember that Silentium applies everywhere. These spaces are for building alliances, not unwanted attention.



THE SOCIAL CALENDAR KEY OBSERVANCES

The Pax Sanguinis operates on a rhythm of tradition and renewal. While we encourage the celebration of all cultural holidays relevant to your mortal heritage, there are three dates in the calendar where attendance is greatly encouraged. These are the nights we renew our bonds to our history, and to our sustenance.



I THE VINALIA SANGUINIS

Date: The Hunter's Moon

As the nights lengthen and the harvest concludes, we gather to give thanks for the Bounty. The Vinalia is a celebration of *Pastoratus*—the careful curation of the mortal herd that sustains us. It is a season of "New Wine," where the Pax releases the year's limited-edition vintages from our sovereign blood banks to share with all Registered Citizens.

The Tradition: It is customary for Neophytes to present a "Cask" (a high-quality donor or a rare vintage) to their mentor or employer as a token of gratitude for their guidance.

The Grand Tasting: Held in the Emerald Zone, this black-tie gala features a tasting menu where blood is paired with mortal delicacies. It is the social apex of the autumn season.

II THE PARENTALIA

Date: February 13–21

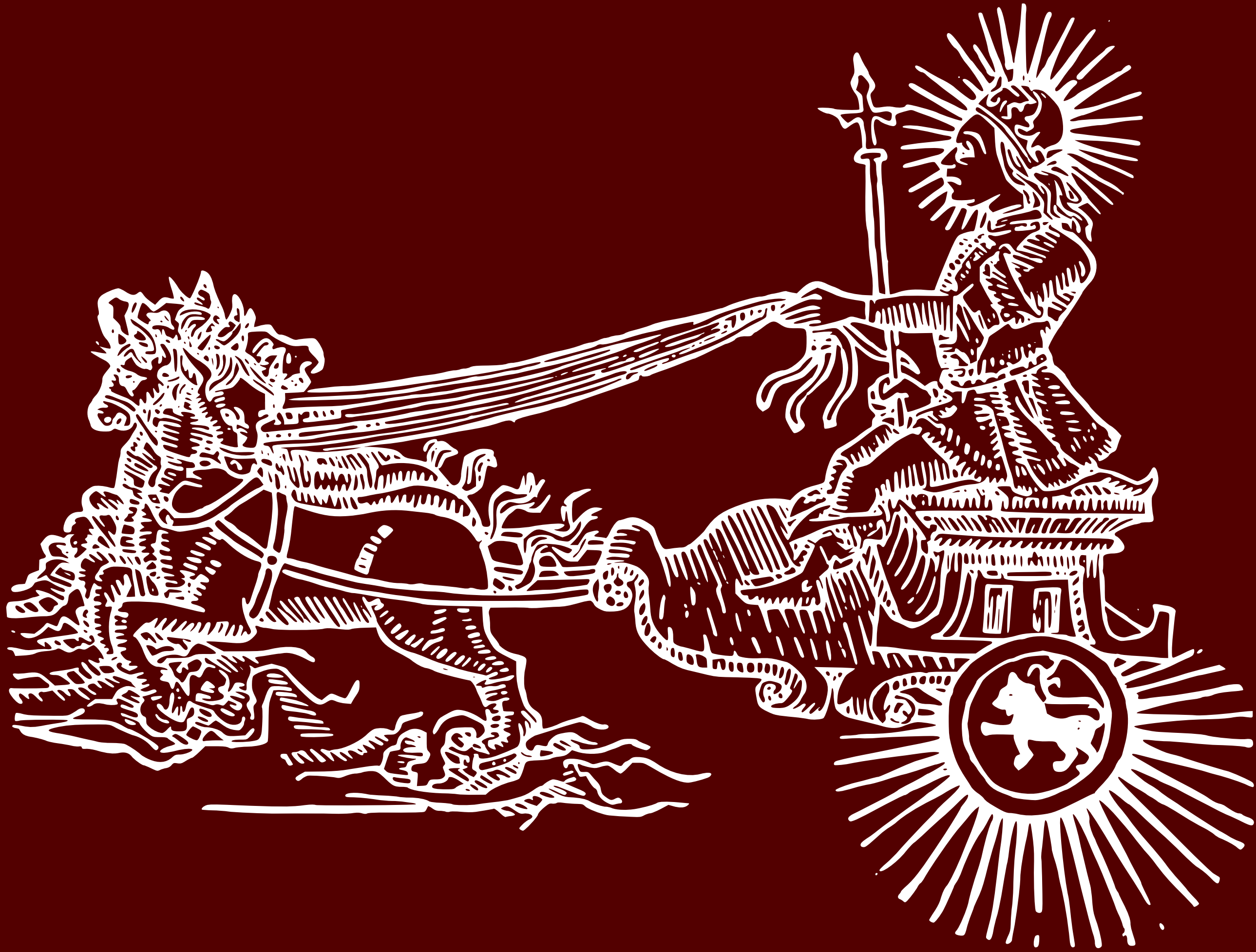
While mortals mourn their dead, we honour the Undying. The Parentalia is a solemn observance of Meritum and Lineage. It is a time to pay respects to your Blood-Parent and the Augusts who paved the way for our order.

The Renewal of Oaths: On the final night, Registered Citizens are encouraged to attend their local Lineage Sanctuaries to revisit Lineage history and honour their fealty, and all Thralls are required to formally renew their Tether with their Regnums. This reaffirms the chain of command that keeps our society stable.

The Silence: During these nine days, public revelry is suspended. Sanctuaries are quiet. It is a time for reflection, strategic planning, and settling debts within your Lineage.



SOL



III SOL INVICTUS

Date: December 21st (The Winter Solstice)

When the mortal world is plunged into its deepest darkness, we ascend. The Solstice marks the zenith of our power—the longest night of the year, when the sun surrenders its dominion to the shadow. It is a celebration of Silentium and Temperantia paradoxically observed through the grandeur of the Masquerade.

The Midnight Sun: We do not fear the light; we embody a higher illumination. This festival honours the metaphorical "Midnight Sun"—the enduring brilliance of our civilization that burns even when the world is cold.

The Grand Masquerade: The season is marked by opulence. Citizens are expected to attend the Great Balls hosted by the Augusts. It is a night of art, music, and evidence of our cultural superiority over the herd.



IMPORTANT Holiday Leave Policy

Please be advised that the observance of Major Holidays does not constitute a guaranteed suspension of duties. The city never sleeps, and neither does the Pax. Operational continuity is vital during high-traffic festival periods.

Action Required: Please consult your Superior at least 30 nights in advance to confirm your schedule. Leave requests are granted based on seniority and Meritum standing.

The background of the entire page is a photograph of a large crowd at a night festival. In the center background, there is a large, colorful, abstract sculpture that looks like a stylized flower or a complex web of light. The crowd is dense, and many people are holding up their phones to take pictures. The lighting is a mix of warm orange and cool blue tones.

COMMUNITY LIFE

APPROVED SOCIAL SANCTUARIES

While Lineage Sanctuaries are segregated by bloodlines, the Pax Sanguinis champions the cross-pollination of ideas. We believe that talent knows no boundaries. The following venues are officially sanctioned for inter-Lineage networking.

A Note on Etiquette: These are places of visibility. Your conduct here reflects directly upon your Blood-Parent.



THE AEGIS CLUB

Steeped in three centuries of excellence, The Aegis Club remains the premier destination for those who shape the world. Located in a discreet Palladian mansion in St. James, it offers a library of rare grimoires, private dining suites and a strict "No Phones" policy for your discretion. Once the favoured retreat of Wellington, Disraeli, and Churchill, this gentlemen's club has evolved to meet the demands of the contemporary. We have proudly modernized our charter to welcome members of all genders and backgrounds who demonstrate sufficient standing.



Dress Code
Traditional Formal. We ask that members
respect the heritage of the venue with
appropriate tailoring.

Advisory
Membership is determined strictly by merit and
contribution to the Pax economy.

THE COVENANT

Housed within a deconsecrated Gothic Revival church in Southwark, The Covenant is London's premier destination for art. Under the curation of the Children of Luke, it functions as both a gallery for immortal works and a salon for the city's most eccentric minds. It is a space of radical self-expression, where the boundaries between performer and audience—and between mortal and immortal—are exquisitely blurred.



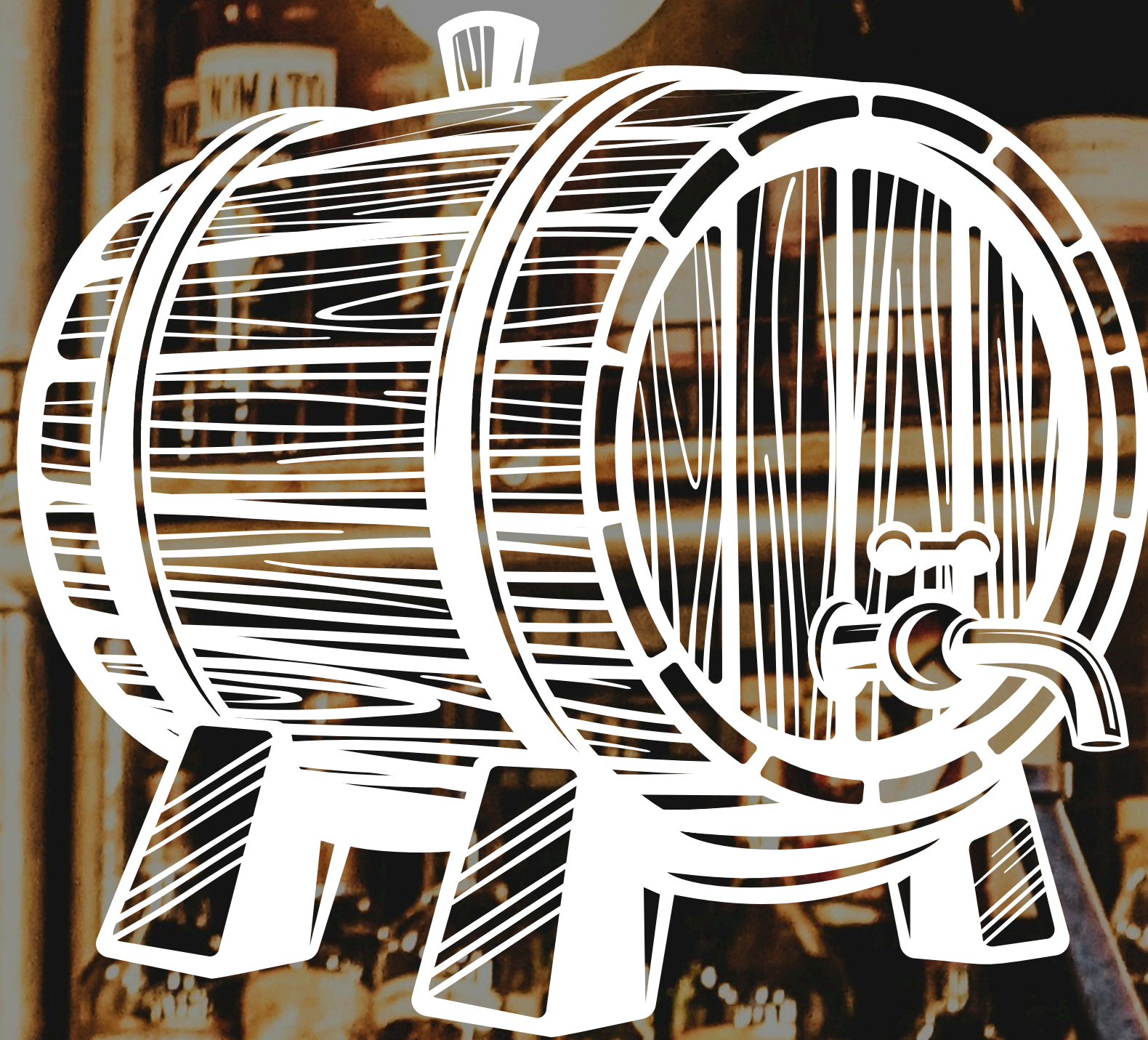


DRESS CODE

Thematic Haute Couture.

ADVISORY

The Covenant operates under a legacy charter that grants it semi-autonomy from standard Albedo oversight. Neophytes are advised to attend only when accompanied by a senior mentor.



THE BLIND COOPER

A fixture of the East End since 1666, The Blind Cooper offers an unvarnished connection to London's roots. This historic venue preserves the spirited energy and rustic experience of the pre-industrial age. It is a favourite for those who appreciate direct communication. The basement facilities offer opportunities for traditional dispute resolution—an athletic alternative to official arbitration for minor disagreements.



DRESS CODE

Unrestricted. Functional attire is common.

ADVISORY

The Blind Cooper fosters a robust environment. Citizens are encouraged to resolve interpersonal friction autonomously, provided Silentium is maintained.



SUB-TERRA

Repurposed from a textile warehouse, Sub-Terra is the vanguard of our younger demographic's social scene. Designed for the vibrant and the bold, it offers an immersive audio-visual environment perfect for meeting enthusiastic new acquaintances. Whether you are seeking a partner for the evening or simply looking to sample the local cuisine in a high-tempo setting, Sub-Terra attracts a steady stream of mortal youth drawn to the allure of the night.

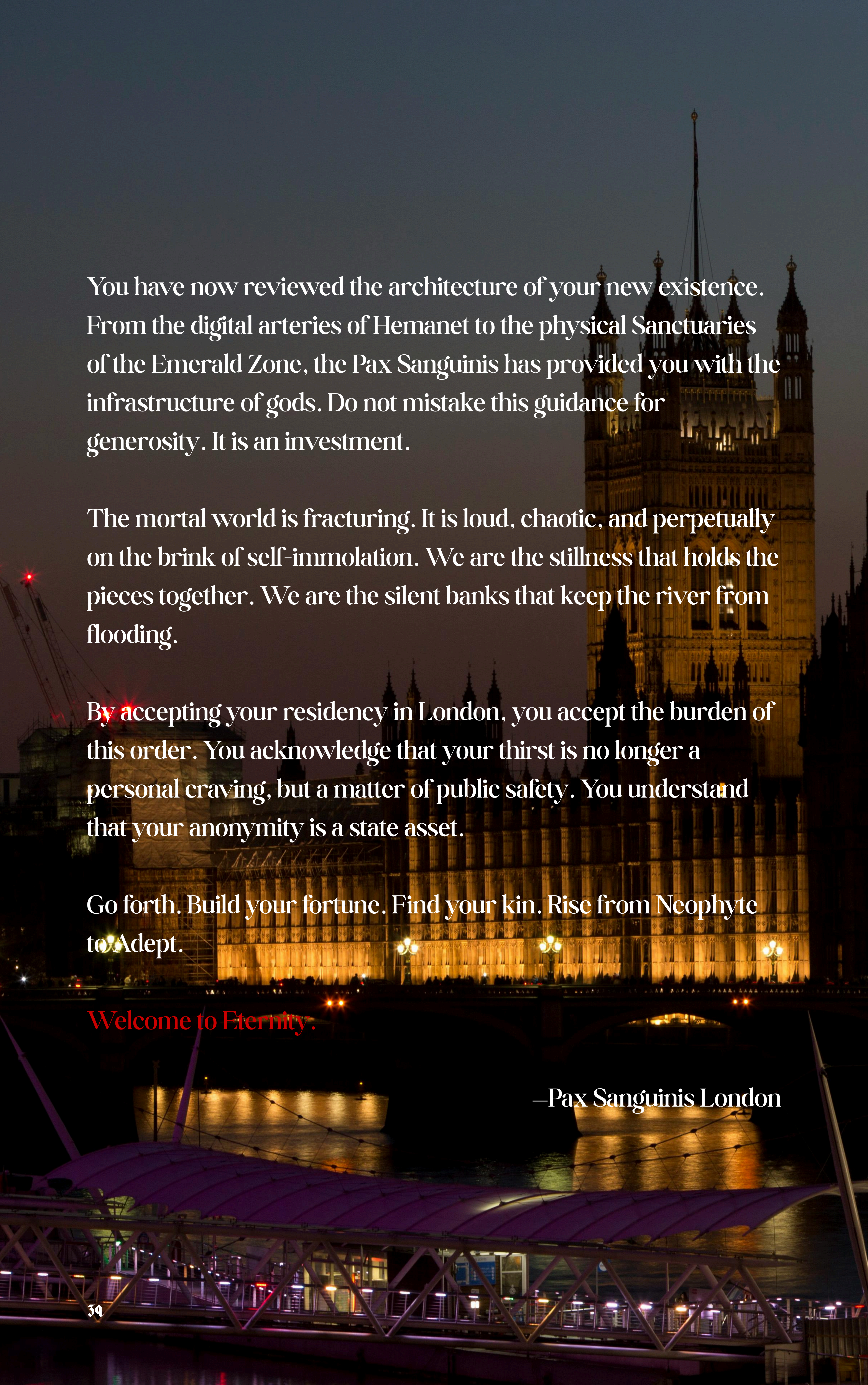
Dress Code

Creative Contemporary.

Advisory

While we encourage the diversity, the Pax has noted occasional irregularity in the clientele. Citizens are reminded that Unpledged activity undermines our collective safety. If you suspect unregistered elements are operating within the venue, please alert the Albedo Dicastery immediately via Plasma.





You have now reviewed the architecture of your new existence. From the digital arteries of Hemanet to the physical Sanctuaries of the Emerald Zone, the Pax Sanguinis has provided you with the infrastructure of gods. Do not mistake this guidance for generosity. It is an investment.

The mortal world is fracturing. It is loud, chaotic, and perpetually on the brink of self-immolation. We are the stillness that holds the pieces together. We are the silent banks that keep the river from flooding.

By accepting your residency in London, you accept the burden of this order. You acknowledge that your thirst is no longer a personal craving, but a matter of public safety. You understand that your anonymity is a state asset.

Go forth. Build your fortune. Find your kin. Rise from Neophyte to Adept.

Welcome to Eternity.

—Pax Sanguinis London





