HIDDEN GEMS

This Document contains little known Merits and Powers from throughout the various editions of Vampire the Masquerade and the World of Darkness as published by White Wolf and Onyx Path. It contains their cost and mechanically effect as well for ease of reference. In regards to OWbN, what is listed in this document is all at Storyteller Approval for your characters. Do not assume, however, these things will be allowed in your games or automatically approved for you by your Storyteller. Always work with your Storyteller to spend your experience points or build a character. These are OPTIONAL printed things that can help you make your character better and things they thematically should be good at. These powers are always subject to a games house rules as well; please make sure to check those as well.

MERITS

Name	Point Cost At Creation	Effect
Ability Aptitude	1	+2 Bonus Traits in any challenge
		with a specifically chosen Non
		Combat Ability
Additional Discipline	5	Gain one additional In Clan
		Discipline, but it may not be a
		clan specific
Innate Magical Ability	5	Get a specific Unique ability
		crafted by the Storyteller to not
		exceed a level 3 power in scale
Misplaced Heart	2	Can Not be Staked unless they
		know where your heart is in your
		body
Religious Devotion	1-3	Each Level of this Merit grants 1
		additional Temporary Willpower
		that goes above your max (max of
		3)
Home Advantage	1	Gain 2 Levels of an Ability that
		can go above your generational
		cap or 1 Attribute traits that can
		go above your generational cap
Scarred	2	Plus 2 Bonus Traits on Social
		Intimidation Challenges
Higher Purpose	2	Plus 2 Bonus Traits in any
		challenge related to working
		towards your character defined
		higher calling
Obsessive Savant	2	Plus 3 Bonus Traits on any
		challenge using a specifically
		chosen knowledge related ability
		(non combat)

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Silence	1	Plus 2 Bonus Traits on all Stealth
		challenges including Obfuscate
Magic Sensitivity	1	Get a Static Mental challenge to
		know and identify any
		supernatural power used within
		10 feet of you.
Alternate Sense	7	Remove the need for Line of
		Sight with powers, If you have
		the Blind Flaw you may ignore its
		drawbacks, and your effective
		Auspex rating in all Seeing the
		Unseen challenges is 2 levels
		higher.
Of Embraced Foretold	5	Get 3 Retests a game session that
		may be used on any challenge
Destined for Greatness	5	Get 3 Retests a game session that
		may be used on any challenge
Sexy	2	Plus 2-3 Bonus Social Traits on
		challenges with those who find
		you attractive.
Flirt	2	Plus 2 Bonus Traits on all Social
		Challenges with those who find
		you attractive
Good Right/Left Hook	1	Your Brawl Attacks Now get the
		High Caliber effect
Guardian Angel	6	ST run NPC who will help bail
		you out of danger
Charmed Existence	5	1 Retest a Game Session in any
		challenge
Self—Confident	5	Spend 1 Willpower to
		Automatically win any static
		challenge at a certain difficulty
		level.
Unshockable	1	Plus 1 Bonus Traits on all Instinct
		Challenges
Natural Runner	1	Plus 1 Step in Combat
Psychic Leech	5	Feed off mortals to gains
		willpower back
Unimpressed	5	Plus 2 Bonus Traits in any
		challenge to reset having your
		emotions manipulated
Discipline Prodigy	5	Choose one In Clan Discipline.
		Gain 1 Bonus Trait on all
		challenges when using that
		Discipline.

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Pure Blood	5	Spend 1 more blood trait a round in combat over your generational
Bloat	1-5	Every level of this merit grants 1 additional blood trait on your pool above generation cap.
Heart of Bone	1-5	Each Level of this merit grants your heart one level of armor against attacks/staking.
Houses of the Holy	7	A Location chosen by you and the Storyteller may not be entered by any Supernatural Enemy of yours
Fortress Soul	7	You are immune to Possession of any kind.
Blasé		TOREADOR ONLY. Immune to Presence levels 1-5, varies from game to game
Vampiric Consort	5	TOREADOR ONE: Requires the Merit Closer Than Blood. Access another players Discipline powers for a scene with ST approval.
Bearing of Kings	2	BRUJAH ONLY: Plus 2 Bonus Traits on all Presence challenges
True Berserk	5	In combat, you may elect to use this merit. If you do, you may not wear armor and if you use a shape changing power you auto frenzy. In return you gain 3 Physical Traits, 3 Health Levels, Reduce all wound penalties by one degree, and are Immune to Frenzy/Rotshreck (unless you use a shape changing power)
Incantations		Gain minor magical rituals decided upon by you and your storyteller

ABILITIES

• Martial Arts: Gain Bonus Traits in Combat equal to your current Martial Arts Ability rating. Choose between Hard Style, Soft Style, or Weapon Style. You can not have Brawl and the Martial Arts ability. This ability costs 3xp per level. Hard and Soft Style

• Ass Beating: Functions as per Brawl

• Style: At level 3 you can conceal all armor as normal clothes

COMBINATION DISCIPLINES

Name	Requirements	XP Cost	Effect
Eye of Unforgiving Heaven	Auspex 4, Valeren 4	14	Fire a beam of sunlight from your Third Eye.
Glare of Lies	Auspex 2, Valeren 1	7	Sense if a person does not speak the truth.
Measure the Will	Auspex 2, Dominate 2	7	Gain an impression of the Willpower rating of the target.
Penitent Resilience	Fortitude 3, Valeren 4	14	Walk through the sunlight by allowing the sun to burn away your vitae.
Stunning Awe	Dominate 2, Presence 2	7	Stun a target with a mixture of terror and fascination.
Beast's Vigor	Animalism 3, Fortitude 3	10	Transfer Wounds to an Animal
Mystic Sight	Auspex 2, Blood Magic 2	7	See and Learn what blood magic a target is using.
Quickened Instincts	Auspex 1, Celerity 2	7	Negate being Surprised
See the True Form	Auspex 2, Protean 4	14	See the Targets Shape Changing powers the possess
Shattered Fog	Auspex 1, Protean 5	17	Quickly turn into Mist form to avoid an attack
Nikola's Blessing	Dominate 1, Presence 1	3	Reduce the difficulty of a targets frenzy challenges
Messenger's Voice	Animalism 3, Presence 3	10	If she's successful, the target incorporates her teachings as if they were his own. What's more, he instinctively defers to the preacher on all matters concerning his new "faith."
Livia Yorke's Ouroboros	Serpentis 3, Vicissitude 3	6	With it, the user infects a mortal with a sentient piece of her essence, which devours him from the inside and gains a sickening façade of independence, while remaining mystically tied to the vampire.
McShaw's Grace	Dominate 2, Presence 3	3	Give someone the Toreador Clan Flaw

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Nikolai Steen's	Auspex 1,	3	Know a targets Derangements
Acuity	Dementation 1		or Mental Flaws
The Rod Raw	Fortitude 1, Potence 1	4	Your Brawl and Melee Attacks
Rending			ignore levels of armor on
			targets.
Dark Father's	Obtenebration 3,	10	When wounded, the black
Stigmata	Vicissitude 3		shadow-blood lashes out at the
			attacker and creates a growing
			shroud of protective shadow
Eye For The	Auspex 1, Celerity 1,	3	Ignore a targets Armor with
Weakness of Steel	Fortitude 1		atatcks
The Beast's	Valeren 5,	10	Change a Targets Morality and
Transmogrification	Viccisstude 3		ratings
Bird in Ear	Animalism 2,	7	The vampire imbues a
	Chimerstry 2		message in a small animal who
			then carries the message to
			its intended recipient, relaying
			it in the vampire's own voice.
Komenos's Honor	Fortitude 3, Koldunic	2	Bonuses to Resists Frenzy and
	Sorcery 2		Morality checks
Sawafi's Form	Protean 3, Serpentis 5	7	Turn into a Sandstorm and
			harm those who are in it.
Righteous Gaze	Potence 3, Presence 3	10	Burn a sinful person from
			within through eye contact.
Halo of Steel	Fortitude 3,	10	Ignore any pain from your
	Willpower 6+		wounds.
Moment of Grace	Dominate 4, Presence	14	Change the Road of the
	3		vampire to the Via Caeli for a
			short time.
Beast's Communion	Animalism 3, Auspex	14	Give the vampiric Beast within
	4		a Cainite a voice to interrogate
			it.
Mortal Skin	Dominate 3,	10	Exhibit natural bodily
	Obfuscate 3		human responses (like
			appearing warm or having a
		10 1-	pulse).
Inspire Greatness	Presence 3, Fortitude	10 and 7	Grant levels of Potence and
	or Potence 2		Fortitude to a target. As well as
C 1 C D 1'	4 D : 1	1.4	inspire them
Sound of a Breaking	Auspex 4, Dominate	14	Feel if a promise made to you is
Oath	or Presence 4	11	broken.
Ward the Souls	Auspex 2, Obfuscate	11	Retests to resists Mind
Sanctity	3, Optional Presence		Effecting powers and if you
	3		succeed the ability to send it
			back to the target.

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Enhance Sensation	Auspex 3, Presence 3, optional Vicissitude 2	10	Heighten the physical, emotional, and psychic sensibility of a target.
Record/Recall Sensation	Auspex 3 or 4, Vicissitude 2	11 or 15	Record and replay physical sensations on yourself or a target (advanced version works without physical contact).
Test the Road	Animalism3, Auspex 2	10	Determine the Road rating in the Road of the Beast of a vampire through dialogue.
Revoke the Gifts of Adam	Animalism 4, Protean 4	14	Change the shape of a mortal into that of an animal by feeding him your blood.
Quicken Sight	Auspex 1, Celeriy 2	4	Quicken Sight allows the character to see fast-moving objects in detail that even Heightened Senses alone cannot reveal.
Iron Façade	Fortitude 1, Obfuscate 3	5	Mask any injuries to appear invulnerable.
Name of the Fallen	Auspex 3, Thauamturgy 1	5	Identify a deceased person, Kindred or kine, by handling a piece of the corpse.
Flesh of Wind and Water	Celerity 2, Vicissitude 3	8	Alter your own form via Vicissitude almost immediately.
Sanguinary Expulsion	Fortitude 2, Protean 3 or Thauamturgy 3	7	Expulse foreign vitae.
Anticipatory Visage	Auspex 4, Obfuscate 3	12	Appear as exactly the person the target is expecting.
Instantaneous Transformation	Celerity 2, Protean 5, Obtenebration 5	12	Transform yourself quickly into a non-corporeal form.
Mind's Eye	Auspex 4, Dominate 3	12	Experience a memory of a target for yourself.
Mortal Terror	Animalism 3, Presence 2	9	Send a target into Rötschreck with a gaze.