

# Horror Seeds

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## 1 Victorian Elder Gods

This section describes scenarios which are set in the 1890's and deal with cults, forbidden artifacts, and elder gods.

### The Collector

One of the PCs deals in rare artifacts from all over the world, most of which are harmless but some of which are connected to the Elder Gods. The collector and his employees experience a series of adventures, each connected to a new acquisition.

### The Great Explorer

Returning from an expedition to the Andes, the PCs unwittingly bring back an ancient horror. At the beginning of the campaign, strange problems will trouble the other members of the expedition and only after a while will they realized that they are the cause of trouble, leading to a great showdown using an artifact which they had from the very beginning.

### Dr. Wachowski's Dream Engine

In the slums of London, more and more drug addicts are found completely mad, mumbling about a machine of beautiful dreams. After some research, the PCs find out that a certain Dr. Wachowski is letting people use a strange machine that induces mad dreams but damaged sanity. When the PCs start to ask questions about the doctor, they attract the attention of a group of supernatural monsters (such as vampires or weres). Seems like old Wachowski has stolen something from their boss (a body part to be exact) to power his invention...

### Fruit of Wrath

A strange tree grows deep within the Glasgow Greens city park. Twisted and gnarled, its fruits nevertheless look sweet

and tempting. Those who eat it start seducing other to join in. The addicts are all rather stiff and seem to have lost some vital memories about their loved ones. What is the sinister purpose behind all this? Is the tree an evil spirit from the netherworlds or is it a vile tool of the powers beyond?

### The Lost Son

To the horror of one of the PCs, the face of the child he lost many years ago now appears on a child-size flesh golem that seems to scout the city of London for some nefarious purpose.

### Fanatic

There is a new monster hunter in town and his effective methods get him the attention of the local hunter community. The stranger, Hauptmann Brenner, hunts his personal nemesis, a powerful vampire called Malfleur, and is not too proud to ask the PCs for help. During the battles against the vampire's minions, the PCs find out that Brenner is obsessed, cruel, has some weird powers and exotic weaknesses. When Malfleur is finally defeated, the PCs find out the hard way that Brenner is actually in the employ of the vampire's former lord, tasked with destroying a traitor. Will the PCs decide to destroy a lesser evil or will they oppose the agents of their enemies.

## 2 Atomic Horror

These Seeds are set in the 50'ties where horror meant furry space aliens with oversized ray-guns.

### The Evil Twins

The campaign begins with the PCs being arrested for a crime which they did not commit and their escape with the help of an enigmatic stranger. This rather open

campaign allows the PCs to travel around the world hunting for their evil twins who are radioactive aliens from Mars with the intention of assassinating key leaders around the world.

### 3 Splatterpunk

Splatterpunk is modern horror, full of gore and chain saws.

#### *The Hitler Virus*

A strange computer virus is spreading through the internet. Since it does not negatively affect the infested system, few people realize they are helping to spread it. Another odd thing is that its program code looks suspiciously like human DNA in some parts. Only when the different infected systems start to communicate does it become obvious that the virus is a vile plot by insane cultists to resurrect Hitler as a distributed computer system!

#### *Caves of Tora Bora*

The PCs are a hired team of mercenaries sent to a secret rebel base in the mountains of Afghanistan to free an agent of a Western Corporation who was captured for ransom. However, the PCs were deceived and are used by a sect of devil worshippers to break the ancient seal of Al Akbar, long protected by a devoted sect of muslim assassins.