

PALADIN  
CARD DECK



CLASS FEATURE + TALENTS

Customizable Character Class Deck  
compatible with 13<sup>th</sup> Age™, and The Archmage Engine™

PALADIN CLASS FEATURE

SMITE EVIL

TALENT

ONCE PER BATTLE

PLUS

DAILY  
CHARISMA MOD PER DAY

FREE ACTION

EFFECT

You can use this talent once per battle, plus an additional number of times per day equal to your Charisma modifier.

As a free action before you make a paladin melee attack roll, you can declare that you're using a *Smite Evil* attack. Add +1d12 to the damage roll AND deal half damage with the attack if it misses.

ADVENTURER FEAT

LEARNED

Your *Smite Evil* attacks gain a +4 attack bonus.

CHAMPION FEAT

LEARNED

Add 2d12 to the damage roll instead of 1d12.

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED

Add 4d12 to the damage roll instead of 2d12.

PALADIN TALENT

BASTION

TALENT

ONCE PER BATTLE

Trigger: A nearby ally is hit by an attack.

EFFECT

Once per battle when a nearby ally is hit by an attack, you can choose to **lose hit points equal to half of that damage, and have your ally take only half of the damage** instead. The damage you lose can come from temporary hit points, but isn't affected by damage resistance and other tricks to avoid the damage.

PERMANENT EFFECT

In addition, you gain +1 AC.

ADVENTURER FEAT

LEARNED

Increase your total number of *recoveries* by 1.

CHAMPION FEAT

USED

LEARNED

Once per day, you can use *Bastion* twice in the same battle.

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED

When you use *Bastion* now, your ally takes no damage. You still lose hit points equal to half the damage.

PALADIN TALENT

CLERIC TRAINING

TALENT

EFFECT

Choose **one cleric spell of your level or lower**. That spell is now part of your powers. (You can change out the spell normally.)

ADVENTURER FEAT

LEARNED

You can use your Charisma as the attack ability for cleric spells you can cast.

CHAMPION FEAT

USED

LEARNED

You can now cast the cleric class feature *heal* spell twice per day.

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED

Choose two cleric spells instead of one.

Set your duplex (double-sided printing) printer to long-edge binding (left alignment), and print in 100% without *fit to paper size scaling*, deactivate *borderless printing*. You can also print to one side, turn over the paper, and print to the flipside. Cut along the crop marks (works best with a sharp utility knife or paper/photo trimmer).

You can also laminate the cards using *laminating pouches* in **A7 format** (card size: 74 mm × 105 mm).

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SMITE EVIL

TALENT USED

ONCE PER BATTLE

CHARISMA MOD

DAILY USES

USED

PALADIN CARD DECK

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TALENT

PALADIN TALENT

BASTION

TALENT USED

ONCE PER BATTLE

PALADIN TALENT

DIVINE DOMAIN

TALENT

*Special:* You can choose Divine Domain a second time, if you wish, at 5<sup>th</sup> level or at 8<sup>th</sup> level.

EFFECT

Choose one of the domains listed in the cleric's class talent list. You gain all the domain's advantages, including the ability to use the domain's invocation once per day.

If the domain you choose is designed to help cleric spells and attacks, reinterpret the talent to help your paladin powers. You can use the domain's feats if you wish; reinterpret them similarly if necessary.

FIRST DIVINE DOMAIN

SECOND DIVINE DOMAIN

PALADIN TALENT

FEARLESS

TALENT

EFFECT

You are **immune to fear** abilities and to any non-damage effects of attacks named or described as fear attacks.

In addition, you gain a +1 **melee attack bonus against enemies that are not engaged by any of your allies**. The bonus increases to +2 **against enemies with fear abilities**.

ADVENTURER FEAT

LEARNED

CHAMPION FEAT

LEARNED

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED

PALADIN TALENT

IMPLACABLE

TALENT

EFFECT

You can **roll saves at the start of your turn** instead of at the end of your turn. A successful save against ongoing damage, for example, means that you will not take the ongoing damage that turn.

ADVENTURER FEAT

LEARNED

CHAMPION FEAT

LEARNED

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED

PALADIN TALENT

LAY ON HANDS

TALENT

DAILY

QUICK ACTION

2 × PER DAY

*epic feat: 4 × per day*

EFFECT

Twice per day as a quick action, you can **heal yourself or an ally next to you with a touch**. You spend the **recovery** while the recipient heals as if they had spent the recovery.

ADVENTURER FEAT

LEARNED

CHAMPION FEAT

LEARNED

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED

PALADIN TALENT

FEARLESS

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DIVINE DOMAIN

TALENT

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LAY ON HANDS

TALENT USED

DAILY2 × PER DAY

USED ✧ USED ✧

epic feat: 4 × per day

USED ✧ USED ✧

HEAL USING A RECOVERY

The character targeted with a healing effect uses one of their *recoveries* and rolls their own *recovery dice*.

FREE RECOVERY

The cleric can recover hit points as if they were using a *recovery* (without actually spending the *recovery*).

PALADIN TALENT

IMPLACABLE

TALENT

PALADIN TALENT

PALADIN'S CHALLENGE

TALENT

FREE ACTION

Trigger: You hit an enemy with a melee attack.

EFFECT

When you hit an enemy with a melee attack, you can choose to challenge that enemy as a free action.

Until the end of the battle, provided that both you and the enemy you've challenged are conscious and capable of making an attack, you each take a **−4 attack penalty against all other creatures and a −4 penalty to disengage checks from each other.**

The attack penalty temporarily deactivates for the attacker when they make an attack roll against their rival, but only until the end of the attacker's turn. For example, if a creature with more than one attack attacks you first, its subsequent attacks against your allies are without the challenge penalty. The attack penalty resets at the end of its turn, so it does not help with opportunity attacks against your allies later in the round.

You can only have one enemy challenged at a time.

An enemy can only be the subject of one *Paladin's Challenge* at a time; a new challenge overrides the previous one.

PALADIN TALENT

PATH OF UNIVERSAL RIGHTEOUS ENDEAVOR



TALENT

Special: You can't take this talent if you take the *Way of Evil Bastards* talent.

EFFECT


Your nearby allies gain a +1 bonus to all saves.

ADVENTURER FEAT

USED  LEARNED 


Once per day, you can reroll your relationship dice with a heroic or ambiguous icon.

CHAMPION FEAT

LEARNED 

All of your melee and ranged attacks deal holy damage.

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED 

You gain an additional relationship point with a heroic or ambiguous icon.

PALADIN TALENT

WAY OF EVIL BASTARDS



TALENT

Special: You can't take this talent if you take the *Path of Universal Righteous Endeavor* talent.

EFFECT


When one of your *Smite Evil* attacks drops a non-mook enemy to 0 hp, that use of *Smite Evil* is not expended.

ADVENTURER FEAT

USED  LEARNED 


Once per day, you can reroll your relationship dice with a villainous or ambiguous icon.

CHAMPION FEAT

LEARNED 

When one of your *Smite Evil* attacks drops three or more mooks, it is not expended.

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED 

You gain an additional relationship point with a villainous or ambiguous icon.

PALADIN POWER PROGRESSION

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PALADIN	TALENTS
Level 1	3
Level 2	3
Level 3	3
Level 4	3
Level 5	4
Level 6	4
Level 7	4
Level 8	5
Level 9	5
Level 10	5

PALADIN TALENT

PATH OF UNIVERSAL  
RIGHTEOUS ENDEAVOR

TALENT

PALADIN TALENT

PALADIN'S CHALLENGE

TALENT

**Your Paladin's Challenge ends when:**

- you or the creature you are challenging falls unconscious or drops to 0 hp.
- you hit a different enemy with an attack (assuming you hit with the -4 penalty).
- the creature flees far away and you choose to end the challenge.

ADVENTURER FEAT

LEARNED ✦

The attack and disengage penalty for challenged enemies (but not for you) is equal to -4 or to the escalation die, whichever is higher.

CHAMPION FEAT

LEARNED ✦

You can have two challenges active at the same time against different enemies.

EPIC FEAT

LEARNED ✦

Enemies you challenge are *vulnerable* to your attacks.

VULNERABLE

Attacks against you have their crit range expanded by 2 (normally 18+).

PALADIN POWER PROGRESSION

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PALADIN TALENT

WAY OF EVIL BASTARDS

TALENT

PALADIN BASIC ATTACKS				
MELEE ATTACK				
BASIC ATTACK			AT-WILL	
Target: One enemy				
Attack: Strength + Level vs. AC				
HIT				
Weapon + Strength damage				
MISS				
Damage equal to your level				
RANGED ATTACK				
BASIC ATTACK			AT-WILL	
Target: One enemy				
Attack: Dexterity + Level vs. AC				
HIT				
Weapon + Dexterity damage				
MISS				
—				
ARMOR AND AC				
Armor Type	None	Light	Heavy	Shield
Base AC	10	12	16	+1
Attack Penalty	—	—	—	—

PALADIN WEAPONS		
MELEE WEAPONS		
ONE-HANDED	TWO-HANDED	
SMALL		
1d4 dagger	1d6 club, staff	
LIGHT OR SIMPLE		
1d6 scimitar, short sword	1d8 spear	
HEAVY OR MARTIAL		
1d8 longsword, battleaxe	1d10 greatsword, halberd	
RANGED WEAPONS		
THROWN	CROSSBOW	BOW
SMALL		
1d4 dagger	1d4 hand crossbow	—
LIGHT OR SIMPLE		
1d6 javelin, axe	1d6 light crossbow	1d6 shortbow
HEAVY OR MARTIAL		
—	1d8 heavy crossbow	1d8 longbow