



Fridericus II

Stupor Mundi et Immutator Mirabilis
Rex Romanorum
He who denies the Father and the Son
The Man of Lawlessness



And I saw three foul spirits like frogs coming from the mouth of the dragon, from the mouth of the beast, and from the mouth of the false prophet. These are demonic spirits, performing signs, who go abroad to the kings of the whole world, to assemble them for battle on the great day of God the Almighty.

Rev 16:13-14 (NRSV)

The future heir to the Imperial throne of his grandfather, Fridericus II, was born on a night of unspeakable storms just a few months ago. At the tender age of four months, he already possesses the physique of a ten-year-old child and speaks all known languages with remarkable fluency including the language of angels, Enochian. Engaged in profound theological discussions with the court's esteemed sages, he also excels in the visual arts presented to him and has already penned sonets and terrific paintings. People who saw or heard them were affected and often emerged shaken and in tears, finding it difficult to sleep in the days that followed. He knows all the passages of the Holy Bible by heart and quotes the text often with unerring precision.

Seers and philosophers envision him as the new messiah, destined to elevate the Imperium to a state of higher grace, ushering it through the gates of the Celestial Temple Above.

Fridericus is a child of extraordinary beauty, with long golden curls, always adorned in luxurious fabrics that exude opulence and a hint of arrogance. He shows a particular fondness for the archmage Michael Scotus (LN human male wizard polymath 22), having requested his continuous presence in his service. The content of their private communications remains a mystery. However, it is undeniable that since Fridericus's birth on the fabled Night of Screams, Scoto's discoveries in the realms of alchemy and magic have advanced in unprecedented ways. Scotus, a polymath, is a reference in the fields of mathematics, astrology, chiromancy, physiognomy and many other fields.

As the snows melted and communication routes that were disrupted during last December's floods and storms were restored a stream of books arrived at court from the distant Holy Lands. In the silence of mountain monastery cloisters, it is whispered that many of these came directly from Agolant's library.

Despite his age, Fridericus already seems to possess the thaumaturgizing powers of his sovereign grandfather; the sick and the possessed in his service seem to recognize and calm down immediately.

No stats are given for Fridericus. He is the Beast that Came from the Sea - the antichrist, and his birth is ushering the Fifth Era of Anno Lacrimarum. As a CE Demigod he is invulnerable to any mortal harm. He can be tricked by leveraging on his pride, however, and he is still constrained by the Law of Men from entering holy ground or touching holy relics.

