

STELLARMASTERS

"Stellar Conspiracy" Storyline

A.D. 2222. Emerald is the last artificial outpost before the end of the known galaxy, a satellite ship that has effectively become a stand-alone planet. Emerald owes its name to the fact that it was the first ship to cross the cosmos with the "power crystals", the invention that allowed interstellar voyage; now it's almost forgotten, the last, old and forgotten station for ships departing towards unknown galaxies, none of which have ever returned.

The known universe is ruled by the Corporation, an organization born for mere interstellar trade intentions which saw its power excessively grown over the years, establishing a sort of tyranny, an oligarchy hidden behind commercial purposes.

More than a century has passed since the Earth has been declared uninhabitable; all the colonized planets have reached their saturation point and there is no more place for new inhabitants, births are controlled and colonies' poor living conditions has driven a lot of people to take a leap into the void towards new worlds.

Over the last 20 years, the Emerald saw the birth of an underground revolt led by the "Prophet"; for many people, just an old madman, but for the few who know the secret hidden behind the mask of insanity thus built, one of the few remaining architects, son of a son of interstellar ship builders, capable to give new life to the Emerald and to guarantee a way out to other worlds to all the outcasts, the scum kept away from the Corporation and isolated on a ship now forgotten, once the diamond head of its fleet.

The Prophet cares about his people, and the orbiting ship lives the dream with so much hope and a renewed desire to fight. The Prophet once met a woman on the Emerald, simply known as the "Duchess", leads to poverty by the Corporation; she is too intelligent, too strong and proud to succumb to despair, choosing exile on Emerald instead of defeat. The Prophet and the Duchess fall in love, pursuing the dream to bring the vessel back to life. The aim is not to try another leap into the void, but to go back to Earth and restart from the beginning. Thanks to reliable sources, friends and fellow soldiers' sacrifice, the Rebel Forces know that going back to Earth is now possible; a cycle has finally passed, all conditions to allow human life have been restored. The Corporation tried to hide it, but the strength of hope that feeds the Prophet, the Duchess and their followers has created a huge information network...

The Prophet and the Duchess know that they may not be alive the day the Emerald will start its voyage, and for sure the day it will land on Earth, and they know that they have to train their only daughter so that she can be ready to pursue their dream once they will be no more.

This woman's real name is unknown, but for everyone she's only "Lady Swan". Together with her elderly parents, despite having hidden this kinship until now for a matter of security, she holds the reins of a what is known as Galactic Resistance; the purpose is not just to go back to Earth, but to establish an egalitarian council in once man's homeland, that will bring the known universe to a peaceful life for everyone... probably just a dream, but strong enough to lead all rebels' hopes.

The Prophet's disease is coming to an end, but before saying goodbye to his beloved ones, the starship is ready for the long journey back to Earth. Also the Duchess is exhausted and sick, but she knows that her daughter is strong and ready to guide the rebel forces; she is fighting to survive as long as she can, because she knows to be considered as a key figure. Finally everything is ready, the grand plan is coming true. It's time to leave the deep and dark corner of the firmament that has been their home for years, but instead of travelling to the unknown, the final destination is the "lost" planet Earth.



LYRICS

STELLAR CONSPIRACY

Far away from Earth
In a dark outpost
Lost in space and time
Hidden from hostile eyes

A Starchild was born
Her name carved in stone
So called Lady Swan
Conceived to lead people

Growth under a mask
Trained to absolve her task
To gather all crowds
Under the Flag of Stars

Queen of the outcasts
Queen of rebel force
A glimmer of hope
For all the forgotten

A dream becomes a goal
The Universe will not fall

Free from tyranny
Stellar Conspiracy

Secrets deep within
Stellar Conspiracy

Prophet, show us how
We can travel far
Cosmic jump to flee
From the sidereal abyss

We the Resistance
Under the Flag of Stars
Our vessel flows

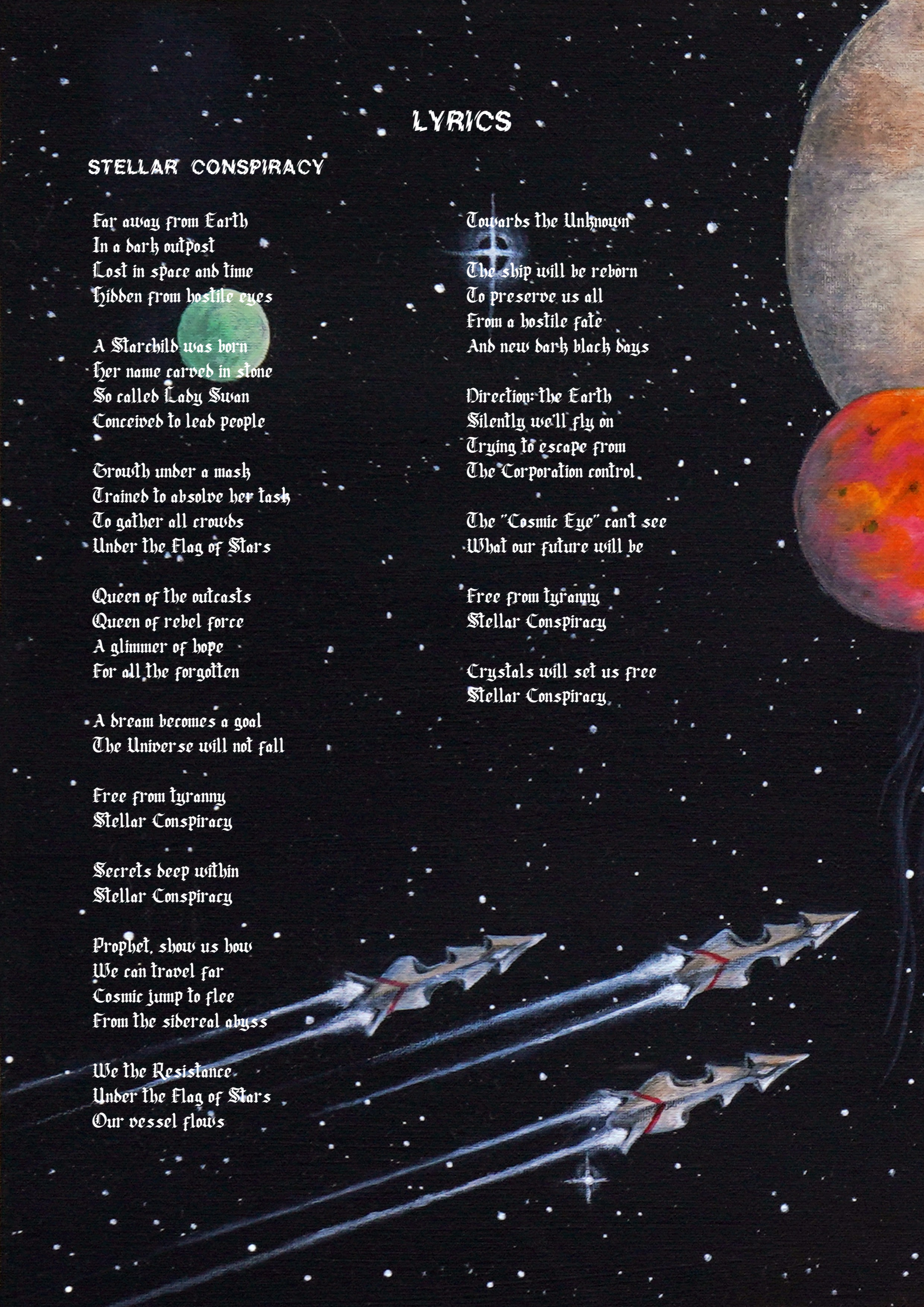
Towards the Unknown
The ship will be reborn
To preserve us all
From a hostile fate
And new dark black days

Direction: the Earth
Silently we'll fly on
Trying to escape from
The Corporation control

The "Cosmic Eye" can't see
What our future will be

Free from tyranny
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Crystals will set us free
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ORBITING DREAM

The Prophet's speaking

Reflected in a mirror
I think back to the years when I...
... I didn't have to hide myself
Behind an insane mask of lies

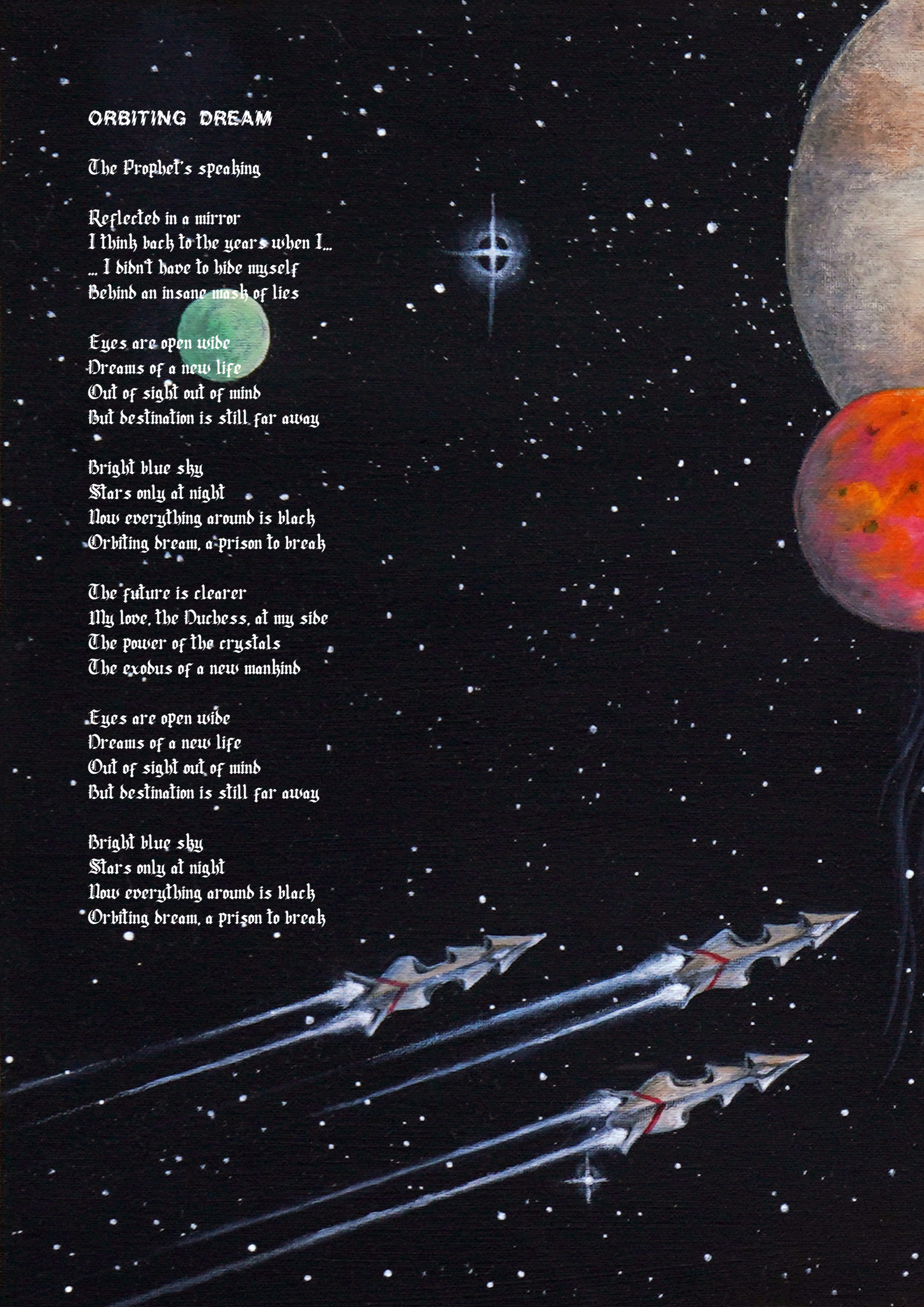
Eyes are open wide
Dreams of a new life
Out of sight out of mind
But destination is still far away

Bright blue sky
Stars only at night
Now everything around is black
Orbiting dream, a prison to break

The future is clearer
My love, the Duchess, at my side
The power of the crystals
The exodus of a new mankind

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GALACTIC RESISTANCE

Now it's time to show
That we're all together and not alone
Free from Their control
Emerald is finally going back home
Age of endurance
Fighting for freedom at any cost
Believe in Lady Swan
She has the power to make us strong

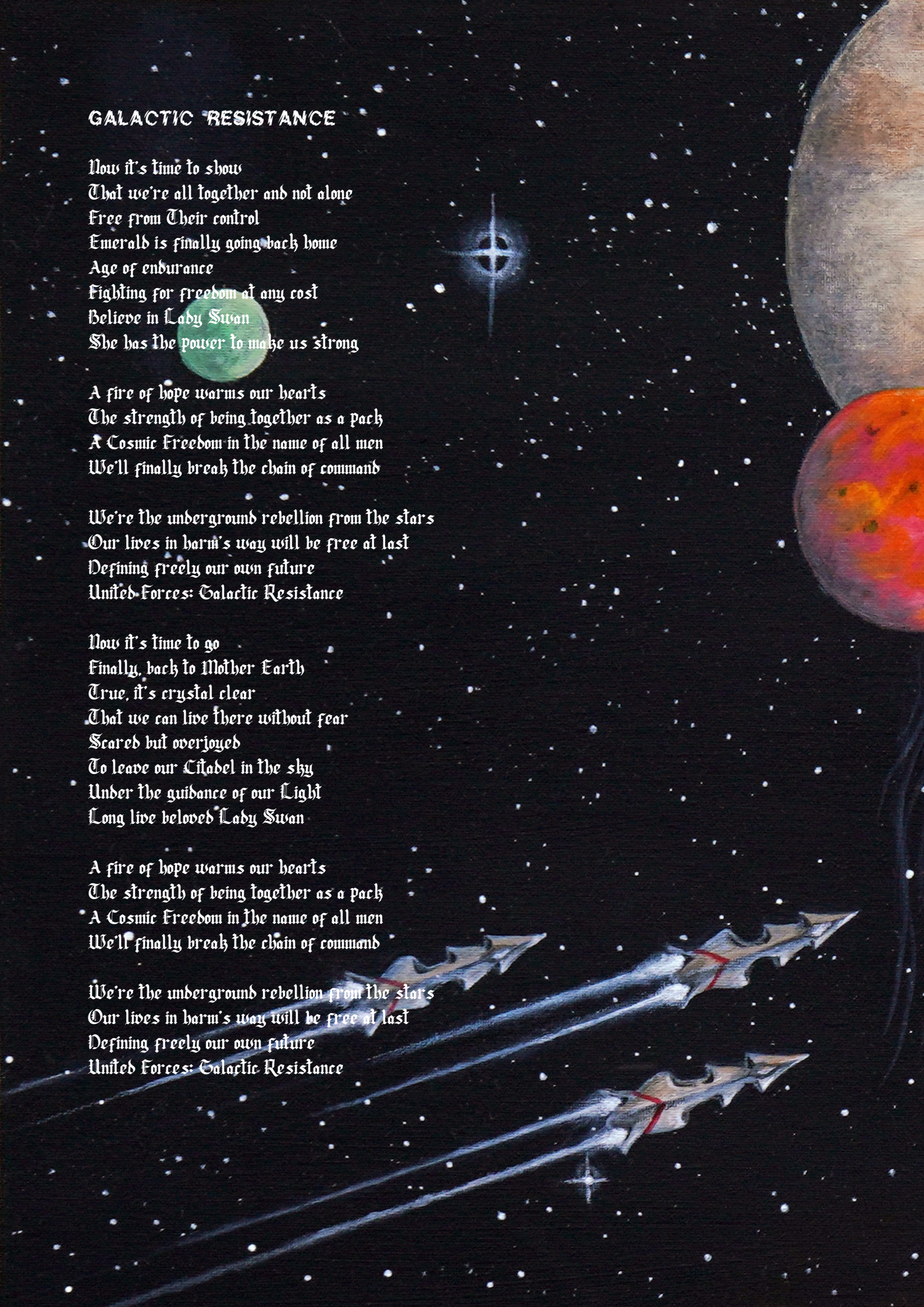
A fire of hope warms our hearts
The strength of being together as a pack
A Cosmic Freedom in the name of all men
We'll finally break the chain of command

We're the underground rebellion from the stars
Our lives in harm's way will be free at last
Defining freely our own future
United Forces: Galactic Resistance

Now it's time to go
Finally, back to Mother Earth
True, it's crystal clear
That we can live there without fear
Scared but overjoyed
To leave our Citadel in the sky
Under the guidance of our Light
Long live beloved Lady Swan

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The strength of being together as a pack
A Cosmic Freedom in the name of all men
We'll finally break the chain of command

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SIDEREAL ABYSS

A luminous corridor in sight
To leave an empty darkness behind

Sunset of The Guild, a new dawn for humanity

Engulfed by the sidereal abyss
Vanished our regrets and fears

Fix the rift between dream and reality

Isolation's realm
Temple of all fears
The Sidereal Abyss
... The Sidereal Abyss...

Deep Black Firmament
Empty cold embrace
The Sidereal Abyss
... The Sidereal Abyss...

The end of the stellar exile
A brand-new story to write

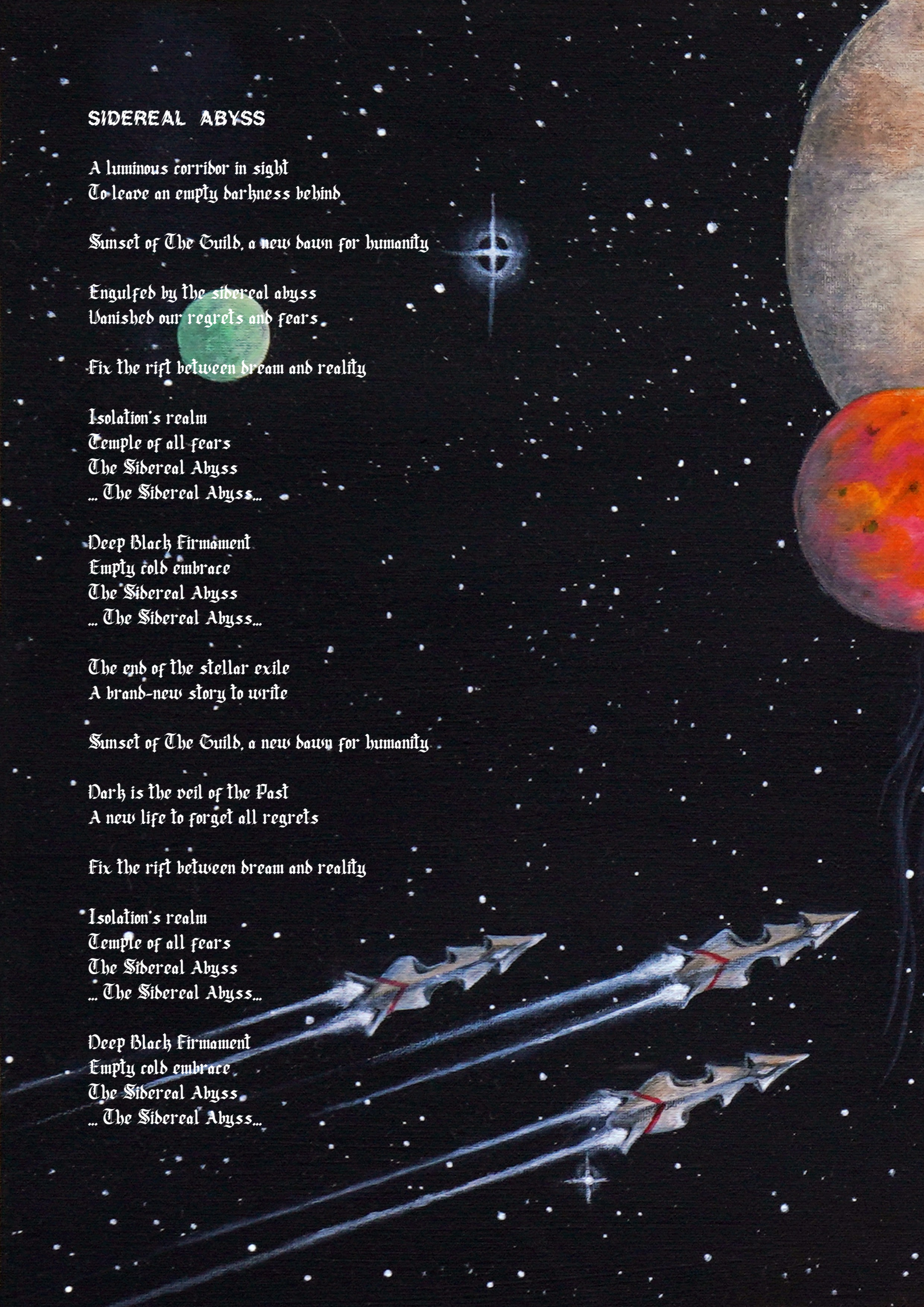
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Dark is the veil of the Past
A new life to forget all regrets

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DEEP BLACK FIRMAMENT

In your eyes, the fire
Glimpse of a great desire
You feel fear like the others
But you will show them strength

Desolation's behind
But our Prophet is dying
Emerald's journey to Earth
The final hope, a dream so pure

The exhausted Duchess is fighting
Her strong daughter by her side
She knows she's the human key
To fulfil the Grand Scheme

Profound... Spectacle above the sky
Deep... Black Firmament at sight

Profound... Dark corner out in space
Deep... Black Firmament beyond

No! No time to leave for the unknown
The target is (the) lost Planet Earth

Free! Emerald is his bequest
The Prophet can finally rest

The Crystal's Power is high
Emerald's travelling through starry skies
Black holes those swallow everything
Can't stop the wild flight in these silent seas

Beyond unpredictable asteroids
Avoiding unspeakable voids
With Lady Swan riding the Cosmic Tide
The Duchess silently steps aside

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