

013 WYNFRITH

...where to start first. What do you think, Brother Gregory?

014 GREGORY

Well, like I said, the pheasant's quite nice. But if you'd prefer some parsnips--

015 WYNFRITH

No. I meant the first monastery.

016 GREGORY

Aren't we here to re-establish the monasteries Bishop Willibrord built, on the border between Francia and Germania?

017 WYNFRITH

We're not staying here. We're going deep into the heart of Germania. Saxony. Thuringia. And Hesse.

MARTEL STUMBLES TO THE MONKS AND PATS THEM ON THE BACK.

Side 2 START >>>

018 CHARLES MARTEL

(with merry enthusiasm throughout)

Deep into the heart of Germania, is it? I throw you out of Germania, and yet here you are again.

019 WYNFRITH

My lord Charles. Congratulations on your victory.

020 CHARLES MARTEL

And yours. Back with the blessing of Rome! As I said before, Father, you are audacious.

021 WYNFRITH

It is not audacious to follow the Holy Father's wishes.

022 CHARLES MARTEL

Ha! And what are you planning to do once you go into Germania?

023 WYNFRITH

First, we must till the ground and plant the seeds of the Gospel.

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WYNFRITH (CONT'D)

This will require work, teaching, praying, praising God. Second, we will provide order, correction, renovation. The clergy here need assessment, training, and proper formation.

024 CHARLES MARTEL

Training and formation, eh? They'll be thrilled.

(shouting across the room)

Wulfric! Father Wulfric! Come here!

WULFRIC WALKS OVER

025 CHARLES MARTEL

(to Wynfrith)

Wulfric is a priest from Hesse. Far from civilizing influence! Ha ha! Ah, here he is now. Father Wynfrith, this is Father Wulfric!

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026 WYNFRITH

Father Wulfric! You are a Catholic priest then?

027 WULFRIC

I am.

028 WYNFRITH

Excellent, tell me: Is it true some of the clergy in Germania have returned to the worship of the old gods?

029 WULFRIC

I'm sorry -- who exactly are you?

030 CHARLES MARTEL

This is Father Wynfrith. Onetime bright-eyed punching bag for the Frisian army. And now the official Legate of the Pope in Rome to all of Germania!

031 WULFRIC

We Hessians have little need for such generous attention from Rome.

032 WYNFRITH

All of Germania has won generous attention from Rome.

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