The Starcraft

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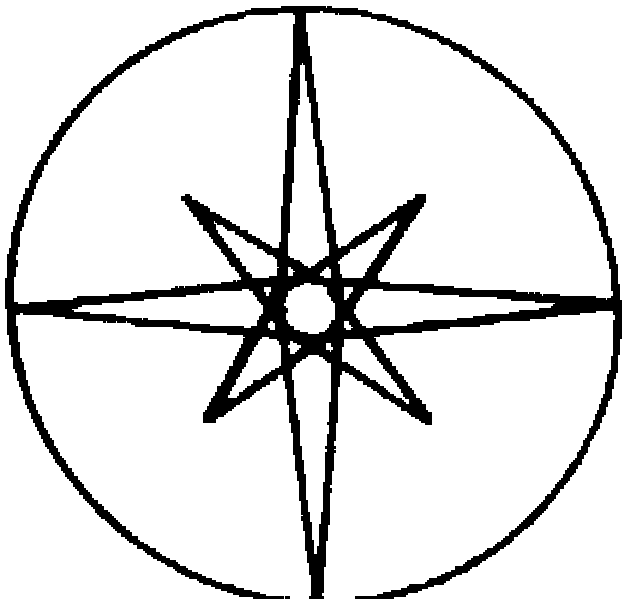
Current Mastercraftert: *TBD*
Mastercrafthall Location: *Barrier Hold*
Other Notable Crafthalls: *Observatory at the top of a mountain above Barrier Hold*



GENERAL INFORMATION

The Southern Starcraft is an offshoot of the Southern Smithcraft, and the two cooperate closely. It is the smallest craft on Pern, devoted to a study of the stars and planets, and to creating the instruments used for that purpose. It supports itself partially through the sale of accurate threadfall charts, navigational star charts, and most importantly distance-viewers; however, these are not enough to make the Starcraft financially self-sufficient. The rest of its needs are taken care of partly by the Smithcraft, and partly by the parents of those who join the craft (usually the younger sons of Lords or other high-ranking persons who can afford to support their offspring in a pure study craft.)

The Starcraft's only two crafthalls are located at Barrier Hold; one at the main hold, where chart and instrument making are done, and the other high in the mountains where conditions are best for observation. This allows them to take advantage of Lord Caley's generosity, and the fine glasscrafting facilities of the local Smith Hall.