



GLOSSARY (with pronunciation key)

A

All That Is – God, Creator of all that lives.

AOI – stands for **A**ccelerated **O**perating **I**ntelligence, the super computer created by Louis.

Autoport – Mercer term for *garage* or *carport*.

Autoway – Mercer term for *side street* or *driveway*.

B

Band-tel – Mercer term for television.

Between-time – Mercer term for a period of time which is early evening of a complete (*or day*).

Bottom-time – Mercer term for a period of time which is early nighttime of a complete (*or day*).

C

Common – Mercer unit of time for year, equal to 14 seck (*or months*).

Complete – Mercer unit of time for day, equal to 29 sor (*or hours*).

Controller – Leader, Chief, Commander.

CPDLU – Mercer term for **C**omputer/**P**ersonal **D**ata **L**ogic **U**nit.

Council – Mercer term for one of their governing entities: Thime top law.

D

Darktime – Mercer term for a period of time which is late nighttime of a complete (*or day*).

Deg – deg. Mercer term for country.

Del – del. Mercer unit of time for minute.

Destroyer – Master-builder gone bad. Hades.

Dine – 'dIn. First mentioned Thime (*or city*) on Mercer were Scottos lived.

Downtime – Mercer term for a period of time which is latest nighttime of a complete (*or day*).

F

Fenur – fen'ûr. Mercer term for mile.

G

Gates – portals, doorways; Greek *thura*; Egyptian *pylon*.

Green Deg – deg (*or country*) where most humans live on Mercer.

Grey Deg – deg (*or country*) where most mixed or halves live on Mercer.

H

Halves – Mercer term for those who are a mix of Human and Mercerean.

High Council – Mercer term for one of their governing entities: Deg top law.

Hightime – Mercer term for a period of time which is mid-morning of a complete (*or day*).

I

Image-maker – a Mercer device that produces moving photos/short movies/videos.

L

Life-giver – all females born with the addition.

Lighttime – Mercer term for a period of time which is mid point daytime of a complete (*or day*).

Lowtime – Mercer term for a period of time which is mid nighttime of a complete (*or day*).

M

Media-band – Mercer term for news, newscast.

Mercer¹ – mûr'sûr. A third density planet.

Mercerean – mûr-sûr'E-in. beings from the planet Mercer.

Middletime – Mercer term for a period of time which is mid point of a complete (*or day*).

¹Mercer terms

Bach – bākḥ. second.

Del – del. minute.

Sor – sôr. hour.

Common – year. 14 seck (*or months*).

Complete – day. 29 sor (*or hours*).

Earth term	MERCER TERMS for division of a Complete			
Day time	Toptime early	Hightime	Lightime	Uptime
Evening	Betweenime	Middletime		
Night	Bottomtime	Lowtime	Darktime	Downtime

A whole day is a complete with 14 sor of light, 13 sor of dark, and 2 sor during light are betweenime and middletime.

Veck – vek'. week (7 complete).

Seck – sek'. month (4 veck or 29 complete and 1 free complete).

[**NOTE:** The above units of time are not pluralized with an *s*. The plural and singular forms are spelled the same.]

Band-tel – television.

CPDLU – Computerized **P**ersonal **D**ata **L**ogic **U**nit.

Deg – country.

Green Deg – where most humans live

Grey Deg – where most mixed or halves live

Yellow Deg – second largest area where Humans and Halves live

Fenur - fen'ûr. a mile.

Halves – those who are a mix of Human and Mercerean.

Image-maker – a device that produces moving photos/short movies/videos.

Media-band – news, newscast.

Still image – photograph.

Still – short for photograph.

Tel – telephone.

Thime – thIm. city.

First Thime

Second Thime

Third Thime

Fourth Thime

Fifth Thime

Sixth Thime

Seventh Thime

Dine – First mentioned Thime where Scottos lived.

Renoac – ren-O-ak'. Thime Juliano moves to.

Abuc – ä-buk'. Thime where family country house is located.

Ziken – zI'ken. Largest Thime in Green Deg.

Rezen – rE'zen. Largest Thime in Grey Deg.

Welas – hwel-us'. In Red Deg where the Top High Council dwells.

Ancient City – Largest Thime in Purple Deg in the outlands.

[All thimes (*or cities*) where Scottos live are in Green or Yellow Deg.]

Top High Council – Mercer top law.

High Council – Deg top law.

Council – Thime top law.

Zen – unit of measurement equal to a yard.

N

Narcus – năr'kus. First of the gifted family to arrive. Scientific acronym for **N**eoteric **A**rtificial **R**eplica and **C**ybernetic **U**nified **S**ystem (**N.A.R.C.U.S.**).

O

Oedipus – O'di-pus. Head of Oedipus, the lead, the ONE, Louis.

P

Purusha – pu-rOO'shă. Male face of God or All That Is (current).

R

Renoac – Thime (*or city*) on Mercer that Juliano moves to.

Rezen – largest thime (*or city*) on Mercer in the Deg (*or country*) known as Grey Deg.

Roadway – Mercer term for *main street* or *highway*.

S

Schizo – chi'-zO. split (happens to Michael and Victor).

Seck – sek'. Mercer term period of time for *month* (4 veck or 29 complete and 1 free complete).

Sor – sôr. Mercer unit of time for *hour*.

SP-14 – the fourteen men assembled by the Organization of Scientists to find Narcus2.

Still Image – Mercer term for *photograph*.

T

Tel – Mercer term for *telephone*.

Thime – thIm. Mercer term for *city*.

Top High Council – Mercer term for one of their governing entities: Mercer top law.

Toptime – Mercer term for a period of time which is earliest time of a complete (*or day*).

U,V,W,X,Y, & Z

Uptime – Mercer term for a period of time which are last few upper time of a complete (*or day*).

Veck – vek'. Mercer term period of time for a *week* (or 7 complete).

Welas – hwel-us'. Sixth thime in Red Deg where the Top High Council dwells.

Yellow Deg – second largest deg (*or country*) on Mercer where Humans and Halves live.

Zen – Mercer term for unit of measurement equal to a yard.

Ziken – zI'ken. largest Thime (*or city*) on Mercer in the deg (*or country*) known as Green Deg.

Key to Pronunciation Symbols

u	sofa (sO'fu), item (I tum), easily (E'zulE), cannon (kan'un), circus (sûr'kus)
a	act (akt), bat (bat)
A	ape (Ap), fail (fAl), day (dA)
â	air (âr), care (kâr)
ä	art (ärt), father (fä'ður)
b	back (bak), labor (lA'bur), cab (kab)

ch	<i>chin</i> (chin), <i>hatchet</i> (hach'ut), <i>rich</i> (rich)
d	<i>dock</i> (dok), <i>lady</i> (lA'dE), <i>sad</i> (sad)
e	<i>end</i> (end), <i>steady</i> (sted'E), <i>met</i> (met)
E	<i>eve</i> (Ev), <i>clear</i> (klEr), <i>see</i> (sE)
f	<i>fât</i> (fat), <i>phase</i> (fAz), <i>cough</i> (kôf)
g	<i>get</i> (get), <i>bigger</i> (big'ur), <i>tag</i> (tag)
h	<i>hand</i> (hand), <i>ahead</i> (uhed)
hw	<i>wheel</i> (hwEl), <i>which</i> (hwich)
i	<i>it</i> (it), <i>pill</i> (pil), <i>mirror</i> (mir'ur)
I	<i>iron</i> (I urn), <i>eye</i> (I), <i>buyer</i> (bI'ur)
j	<i>jam</i> (jam), <i>ginger</i> (jin'jur), <i>edge</i> (ej)
k	<i>kit</i> (kit), <i>tackle</i> (tak'ul), <i>cook</i> (kook)
l	<i>little</i> (lit'ul), <i>holly</i> (hol E), <i>pull</i> (pool)
m	<i>man</i> (man), <i>hammer</i> (ham'ur), <i>climb</i> (klIm)
n	<i>new</i> (noo), <i>known</i> (nOn), <i>winner</i> (win'ur)
ng	<i>singing</i> (sing'ing), <i>finger</i> (fing'gur), <i>sang</i> (sang), <i>sank</i> (sangk)
o	<i>hot</i> (hot), <i>body</i> (bod'E)
O	<i>over</i> (O'vur), <i>hope</i> (hOp), <i>grow</i> (grO)
ô	<i>orbit</i> (ôr'bit), <i>fall</i> (fôl), <i>saw</i> (sô)
oo	<i>foot</i> (foot), <i>wolf</i> (woolf), <i>put</i> (poot), <i>pure</i> (pyoor)
OO	<i>boot</i> (bOOt), <i>lose</i> (lOOz), <i>drew</i> (drOO), <i>true</i> (trOO)
oi	<i>oil</i> (oil), <i>royal</i> (roi'ul), <i>boy</i> (boi)
ou	<i>out</i> (out), <i>crowd</i> (kroud), <i>how</i> (hou)
p	<i>pipe</i> (pIp), <i>happy</i> (hap E)
r	<i>road</i> (rOd), <i>appeared</i> (upErd'), <i>carpenter</i> (kâr'puntut)
s	<i>so</i> (sO), <i>cite</i> (sIt), <i>baste</i> (bAst)
sh	<i>shall</i> (shal), <i>sure</i> (shOOOr), <i>nation</i> (nA'shun)
t	<i>right</i> (tIt), <i>better</i> (bet'ur), <i>talked</i> (tôkt)

th	<i>thin</i> (thin), <i>bath</i> (bath)
ð	<i>then</i> (ðen), <i>father</i> (fä'ður), <i>bathe</i> (bAð)
u	<i>but</i> (but), <i>flood</i> (flud), <i>some</i> (sum)
û	<i>curl</i> (kûrl), <i>girl</i> (gûrl), <i>fern</i> (fûrn), <i>worm</i> (wûrm)
v	<i>vest</i> (vest), <i>trivial</i> (triv E ul), <i>eve</i> (E v)
w	<i>wax</i> (waks), <i>twins</i> (twinz), <i>coward</i> (kou'urd)
y	<i>you</i> (y OO), <i>onion</i> (un'yun)
z	<i>zipper</i> (zip'ur), <i>ease</i> (E z), <i>treads</i> (tredz)
zh	<i>pleasure</i> (plezh'ur), <i>rouge</i> (r OO zh)

Foreign Sounds	
ö	as in French <i>peu</i> (pö), German <i>Goethe</i> (gö'tu)
ü	as in French <i>Cluny</i> (klün E ')
kh	as in German <i>ach</i> (äkh), <i>ich</i> (ikh); Scottish <i>loch</i> (lokh)
N	this symbol indicates that the preceding vowel is nasal as in French <i>cinq</i> (saNk), <i>un</i> (öN), <i>sans</i> (säN), <i>tombe</i> (töNb), <i>en</i> (äN)

Accents and Hyphens	
'	primary accent, written after accented vowel or syllable: <i>Nebraska</i> (nubras'ku), <i>James Buchanan</i> (by OO ka'nun)
"	secondary accent: <i>Mississippi</i> (mis"us-sip E)
—	dash, replacing obvious portion of pronunciation: <i>hegemony</i> (hijem'un E , h E —, hej um O "n E , heg'u—)
-	hyphen, to prevent ambiguity in syllabification: <i>Erlanger</i> (ûr'lang-ur), <i>dishearten</i> (dis-här'tun)

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