

Kurgash d'Tharashk

Orc Barbarian L4/Fighter L2/Brute L2

Quote: "I will break you."

STR	24	(+7) (+10 raging)
DEX	14	(+2) (+1 raging)
CON	16	(+3) (+5 raging)
INT	8	(-1)
WIS	9	(-1)
CHA	11	

Saves:

Fort	+16	(+18 raging)
Ref	+6	(+5 raging)
Will	+3	(+2 raging)

Init: +2 (+1 raging)

Move: 50'

BAB: +8/+3 (melee +15/+10, missile +10/+5)

AC: 22 (18 raging) (14 touch)

Action Points: 9 (2d6)

HP: 85

Languages: Orcish, Common

Alignment: Neutral

Racial Abilities:

Darkvision

Light Sensitivity

Equipment:

Carried

- Vvarrak's Tongue – Large adamantine earthbound corrosive caustic burst greataxe +1
- Axe, Throwing
- +1 Flaming Composite Longbow, Str +5

Worn

- Chain Shirt +2, Spiked (+6 AC, AP –1)
- Ring of Protection +2
- Ring of Climbing
- Gauntlets of Ogre Power (+2 STR)
- Boots of Striding and Springing
- Cloak of Resistance +3
- Cape of black camel hair, lion mane trim
- Big floppy hat to keep sun out of eyes
- Dragon amulet
- Amulet of Natural Armor +1
- Feather Fall Talisman
- Eye-shaders (-1 Spot, no sun penalty)
- Spiffy Clothing

Backpack

- Bedroll
- Winter blanket

Skills:	Ranks	Stat	Misc	Total
Climb	+2	+7	+4	+13
Intimidate	+10	-	-	+10
Jump	+2	+7	+4	+13
Listen	+3	-1	-	+2
Spot	+0	-1	-1	-2
Survival	+6	-1	-	+5
Swim	+2	+7	-1	+8

Class Abilities:

Rage (4/day, 8 rounds) - +4 STR, +4 CON, +2 Will, -2 AC, HP +16

Fast Movement – +10'

Uncanny Dodge – retain DEX bonus to AC when flat-footed

Trap Sense +1

Feats:

Extra Rage (+2/day)

Power Attack

Cleave

Intimidating Rage

Improved Bull Rush

Powerful Rage (+2 STR, -2 DEX, -1 AC, -1 Att)

Powerful Charge (+1d8 M/+2d6 L/+3d6 H)

Monkey Grip

Pushback

- Fishing gear
- Pewter tankard (large, lewdly decorated)
- Clay jug of ale
- Masterwork Manacles x2
- 15' Silk Rope
- Misc. Food (full to brim)

Belt pouch

- Whetstone, Knife, Flint and steel
- Identification Papers
- Looking Glass (+4 to Spot at a distance)
- Tanglefoot bag (entangle, DC 15 Ref or stuck)
- Thunderstone (DC15 or deafened)

Potion Bandolier

- Antitoxin Potion x4
- Potion of Bull's Strength
- Potion of Jumping
- Potion of Cure Serious Wounds x2
- Potion of Cure Moderate Wounds
- Smokestick (10' cube, 20% concealment)
- Alchemist's Fire (1d6 2 rnds)
- Acid (1d6)

<u>Attacks:</u>	Normal		Raging		Crit	Special
	Hit	Dmg	Hit	Dmg		
Vvarrak's Tongue:	+16/+11	3d6+13+1d6	+18/+13	3d6+18+1d6	x3	caustic burst
(not on ground)	+14/+9	3d6+11+1d6	+16/+11	3d6+16+1d6		
Throwing Axe:	+10/+5	1d6+7	+9/+4	1d6+10	x2	10'
Armor Spikes:	+15/+10	1d6+7	+17/+12	1d6+10	x2	
Comp. Longbow:	+10/+5	1d8+6+1d6	+9/+4	1d8+6+1d6	x3	110'

Background:

Kurgash's family has been House Tharashk members for generations. They all served as guards to the House. He and his family were assigned to the prospecting hamlet of Gulku Fen while Grenville d'Tharashk's family was heading it up as House factor. Their role was to guard the factor and dragonshards proper, scout, and liaise with the local Orc clans that provided more substantial protection to the community. In this way Kurgash and Grenville grew to know each other as lads. Kurgash spent some of his time with the Orc clans as well to learn the "old ways". The clan's wise man was a Gatekeeper and told him many myths and legends, and gave him an odd amulet depicting three interlocked dragons with a bit of Eberron dragonshard in it.

At some point, there was an unexpected night attack by a single dolgaunt. Young Kurgash and his father fought it, protecting the factor's family. Kurgash got owned, knocked out, and tossed into the swamp to drown; his father fell in combat while killing the foul thing. Young Grenville used his dragonmark power to find Kurgash's sunken body by envisioning his unique dragon-medallion, and they dug him out from under the muck and revived him. That's why he's loyal to Grenville.

Shortly thereafter Grenville was apprenticed to a wandering bard, and Kurgash, still not of age, went to learn the arts of the barbarian with an Orc clan. He learned more about the Gatekeeper faith and became a fierce warrior, even making a brief journey into the Demon Wastes and meeting with the Gaash'kala there before being fully of age and coming back to House Tharashk and seeking out service with Grenville.

The death of his two comrades, Xim and Silharath, at the hands of a gibbering moulder, renewed his resolve to support the Gatekeepers and keep aberrations and other spawn of the daelkyr out of Eberron. Kurgash traveled with Grenville and the others to the great city of Sharn, which turns out to be host to otherworldly threats both evil and benign. There they made new comrades - Solnar the dwarven artificer, Doc the warforged cleric, and Ashe the chain-wielding maniac. Ashe unfortunately bravely met his end holding off a wicked sorcerer, which Kurgash feels vaguely guilty about since the half-elf was taking point. Graff the warforged warrior, hired in Sharn, has proven a good solid replacement.

Recently, after being knocked unconscious by an angel and killed twice by a devil, Kurgash is hearkening back to his Gatekeeper roots and has a strong sense of being a champion for the Earth/Eberron vs. outsiders and other things that don't "belong here."

Quirks:

Counts out all purchases in silver pieces, avoids larger denominations.

Will only drink from his own tankard.

Hates being cold.

Unswervingly loyal to Grenville.

Weird religious beliefs that are an amalgamation of Gatekeeper druidism and some dragon-cultism of Vvarrak the Scaled Apostate combining into a kind of Eberron dragon-worship.

Cash: 4011 gp, 3053 sp

Large Greataxe +1, Composite Shortbow Str +5, Ring Prot +1, Masterwork Byeshk Greataxe, Dwarven Waraxe +1, 2 dire bear pelts back at home

XP: 35,896

Next: 36,000

Future Progression:

Level	Classes	Feats	Skills	Stats
L9	Bar4/F2/Brute3	Imp. Toughness or Raging Luck	Handle Animal +1	
L10	Bar4/F2/Brute4		Intimidate +1	
L11	Bar4/F2/Brute5		Intimidate +1	
L12	Bar5/F2/Brute5	Imp. Toughness or Raging Luck		Wis or Cha +1