

# The Phargol-Horn

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## Krystonia in Love

Tales of love are as old as time its self. As you read the Krystonia books you encounter many love stories. It is a favorite topic here. There is never a shortage of new ones, talk of old ones and indications of some hidden ones that will never be revealed. As the leaves appear and another awakening comes about it seems only natural that we turn our thoughts in this direction. It makes my heart feel alive and there isn't anything that is more fun to discuss.

Krystonia love stories, like its inhabitants, come in a variety of flavors. Let us take a few moments to examine a few.

Most never understood N'Borg's fascination with N'Leila. Although she despised him, he worshipped her every step. How could two so different live in the same world much less the same castle? N'Borg's heart being so cold made it hard to imagine he was capable of such a caring emotion.

It is very easy to understand Shadra and Pultzr's relationship. You have two wonderful young dragons that are driven by their passions. Pultzr has a great desire to learn. Shadra likes to take what she learns and put it into action. Though they seem different, you can see how they complement each other and could make a great team. I have no doubt that someday they will.

Not all love must involve relationships between individuals. Some find love in their surroundings.

Wodema's love of nature and all that it brings is hard to beat. How else could she spend day after day in pursuit of the herbs provided by the forest around her? She is a powerful advocate of all things natural and is amazed at their simple beauty.

Spyke loves his music. It may not sound like music to everyone, but to him it is absolute harmony. He has been known to lock himself in his cave for extended periods of time practicing his craft in his pursuit of excellence. His free music lessons are offered to all that want to take part.

Love can occasionally be obsessive. Myzer is a good example. His love of crystal is hard to explain and he can never have enough. As you enter his cavern there are barrels upon barrels of it. If a rare crystal find is reported rest assured he would be one of the first to be there.

There can unfortunately be a dark side to love. N'Chaak comes to mind here. His love of the dark arts has led him to become a master. These arts are practiced, not for the good of all, but to serve his own greedy goals. This is an area that I do not want to discuss in any length since it would seem that the word love should not be associated here.

Returning to more pleasant thoughts is easy as I peer out my window and see another obvious example of love appearing to be going on outside not far from me.

Falcone and Swany are almost inseparable. Mainly because Falcone is so smitten with Swany that he can hardly let her out of his sight. Most waking hours they are together. They enjoy each others company immensely.

On this day, which is usually the case, he is trying his best to amuse her. Not being a very physical specimen he usually relies on tricks and gags.

He invites her to sit on a log so she will be comfortable. Going one step further he slides his body cross it to look for splinters and then takes a rag and wipes it clean. Only then is she allowed to sit.

He starts his routine by jumping on one leg in a circle. Quickly he moves to his next act where he stands on his head. The dragon wheels are next and are quite funny as the tail flops from place to place. For the finale he balances a crystal on his snout while raising one leg and extending his arms. To make sure she pays attention he yells "See Me."

Swany sits and watches patiently. Occasionally she raises her hands to her cheeks and you will hear her say softly "My Hero." Falcone does not realize that his actual antics mean much less to her than his efforts. That is what wins her heart.

As I glance past these lovebirds I see Pultzr stroll by with his arms loaded with books. Love is truly in the air. Isn't it grand!



My Hero



## Timeless Treasures

You may not realize that the Timeless Treasures series is now complete. Battle for Krystonia was the final piece in the series. The series is made up of four designs.

They are:

#4000	The Recorder	#4001	On Watch
#4002	Shigger's Dilemma	#4003	Battle for Krystonia

Each of these designs has a wonderful story. The excellent detail on the figurines helps in telling their story.

**The Recorder** - What could be more symbolic than Kephren at his desk working hard to translate his scrolls. With his candlelight flickering he takes quill to paper to once again bring our stories to life.

**On Watch** - The Obelisk library has had many strange happenings lately. Books disappear, scrolls are unrolled, and tables are rearranged for no reason at all. They are on the lookout for the culprit and want to put a stop to it. Could the problem be a little white fury character?

**Shigger's Dilemma** - This action packed piece is the most detailed we have ever produced. Taking place in Krak N'Borg it shows that Shigger has been captured by N'Borg and N'Chakk. While they argue about his punishment, Turfen sneaks around and listens carefully hoping to learn something that may help him plan Shigger's rescue.

**Battle for Krystonia** - Waldurgan surprises Escublar in one of their many battles. Once again Escublar rises to the occasion and saves Krystonia!

## Another drawing

Who doesn't like to win something? You can enter a drawing to win a free figurine! It's very easy to enter. Take a picture of you holding one of the six new designs that is pictured on the enclosed flyer. Then write your name and address on the back and send it in an envelope to Krystonia Collector's Club 125 W. Ellsworth Ann Arbor, Michigan 48108. You have until August 31st to enter. After that date we will draw a winner and send your prize. Be aware that the picture sent might appear in a future newsletter, so look pretty, and smile.



## Complete retirement update

Maybe we should rename the retirements to be the endangered Krystonia list. This way we could try to get federal funds and call ourselves NRFKS. That would stand for National Retired Krystonia Figurine Society. Then we could name a president. That could be me. I could pay myself a big salary and appoint other cabinet members. I could call big meetings and we all could come together to announce the retirements, but until then I guess this list will have to do. So here goes: (drop us a note or e-mail us if we missed any)

1987	S. Groc			
1988	None			
1989	S. Graffyn/Grunch	S. N'Borg	L. Rueggan	
1990	Owhey	M. Stoope	M. Shepf	L. Wodema
	L. N'Grall	L. Krak Castle		Stoope Waterball
1991	L. Moplos	L. Myzer	L. Turfen	Haapf
	S. Tulan	C. Pultzr	C. Key to Krystonia	
1992	L. Graffyn/Grunch	Grumblypeg/Grunch		Caught at Last
	M. Tarnhold	C. Dragon's Play		Graffyn/Grunch Waterball
	C. Kephren's Chest			
1993	Spyke	M. Wodema	M. Rueggan	S. N'Tormet
	S. Krak Castle	C. Vaaston	Sign	C. Lantern
1994	L. Grunch/toothache	L. N'Borg	Maj-Dron Migration	
	M. N'Grall	Kephren	Gateway	
	Shadra	Zanzibar	N'LeilaC. Spreading His Wings	
	Mini N'Chakk	Mini N'Borg	Graffyn's Surprise	
	What's Crystal	C. Sneaking A Peak		
1995	Groc	Grackene	S. Stoope	Flayla/Jumbly
	Dubious Alliance	Babul	S. Rueggan	L. N.Chakk
	Tokkel	S. Tarnhold	Azael	Boll
	C. All Tuckered Out	mini N'Grall	Stargazer	Haaphy Wishes
	Owhey Waterball	C. Fill-er-up	L. Tarnhold	
1996	L. Stoope	S. Turfen	M. Tulan	M. N'Tormet
	Gorph	Gorphylia	Culpy	Charcoal Cookie
	Gotcha	C.Twingnuk	Scroll	L. Bag
	S.Bag	Rueggan's Workshop		Making A Point
	Peakahoo	Poffles Waterball		Trumph Waterball
	Shephf Waterball	Haapf Waterball		Krak Waterball
	C. Kappah Crystal	M. Vena		M. Krak Castle
1997	Escublar	L. N'Borg/Throne		S. Sheph
	S. Myzer	S. N'Grall	Jumbly	Hottlepottle
	Zygmund	L. Groosh	Cudha Tree	C. Holy Dragons
	C. Quinzet	C. Frobbit		
1998	S. Moplos	Mos	S. Grunch/toothache	S. N'Borg/Throne



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	Gurneyfoot/Shadra	Okinawathe	Storyteller	S. Wodema	Poffles
	Trumph	Shigger	S. N'Chaak	Grazzi	Koozl
	Twylight	S. Groosh	Mahoudra	Baby	All Mine
	Learning is Gweat	Oh Sweet Dreams		Welcome to Krystonia	
	Checkin It Out	Schnoogles	Ikshar	Pookball	Elder Phyl
	Ah Hah	Ottho	Waldurgan	Tallac	Flawgrintawd Ploot
	Pultz	Jasu	Shanu	Lubyn	Woby
	C. Almost There	C. Bahl	Lands of Krystonia		Mini Koozl
	Mini Vena	Mini Stoope	Mini Spyke	Mini Wodema	C. Cauldron
	C. Glowing Mashal	Comphy	Haaph	Cook Pot	
1999	One Unhaapfy Ride	Hulbert	Haggabeast	Root	Reammon
	Just A Pinch	What's Cookin	Spykester	Grunchie	
	Fair Maidens	Faithful Companion	Safe Passage	Serenity	
2000	Snord	Pooter	Muffler	Oops	Proposal
	Acceptance	Nourak	Challen	Smarty	Shadra's Delight
	Kool Kozmo	Jolly Rolly	Pulu And Bulu	Mini Graffyn/	Grunch
	Mini Grunch	Mini Muffler	Myzer's Barrel	Sticky Paws	
	Special Delivery	Encounter	Bubbly	Waterball	A Merry Ride
	Storytime				
2001	This year's retirements are in process. Some we can no longer supply to the stores as we have no stock. You should check with your local dealer for availability.				
	Those style are:				
	Ready or Not	Truly Amazing	Rueggan's Experiment		
	Others that are low are:				
	Gulbar-Gul	Grunchesta	Misus	Sweet Herbs	
	Grackene's Sponge Cakes	On Watch	Gurneyfoot	Bookdragon	
	C. Why 2000?	C. Which Way	C. Flopple	C. Krystonia this Way	

Code: S.-small      M.-medium      L. Large      C.-Club figurine  
 mini-miniature



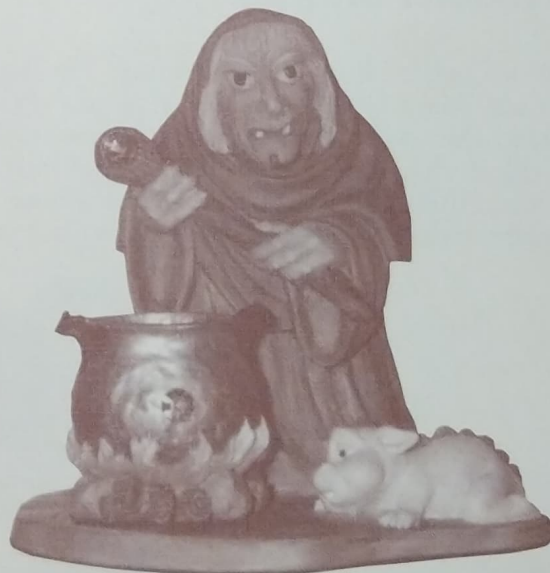
## Club recap

The Krystonia Club is now in its twelfth year. Time has passed very fast. It seems that not long ago we were creating Pultz, our first redemption figurine, and the Key to Krystonia, our first gift figurine. We have always tried to make the gift and redemption figurines have special meaning and they usually go together to make a scene. I have listed the club pieces below as a reference for you. I hope you have been able to get them.

Year	Gift figure	Redemption figurine
1	Key to Krystonia	Pultz
2	Kephren's Chest	Dragon's Play
3	Vaaston	Lantern
4	Sneaking A Peek	Spreading His Wings
5	Fill-er-up	All Tuckered Out
6	Kappah Krystal	Twingnuk
7	Frobbit	Holy Dragon and Quinzet
8	Glowing Mashal	Almost There
9	Cauldron	The Bahl
10	Which Way	Krystonia This Way
11	Flopple	Why 2000?
12	I'm Here	Come to Me



Come to Me



Bahl & Cauldron