

Name: Roxa Gasca Affiliation: Carta

Background: Roxa was born on the surface in the slums of Val Royeaux. She survived by taking what she wanted and killing anyone who got in her way. She has little compassion for those who can't defend themselves and becomes cruel and merciless when crossed. She can be persuasive when it suits her purpose.

Soon after the Carta began aggressively expanding its influence on the surface, Roxa demanded a stake in the operations and moved to Kirkwall where she conducted business out of Darktown for two years and rose quickly through the ranks before returning to Orlais. Roxa is ambitious and greedy and intends to rise to the top in Carta ranks.

When the owners of a new Silverite mine approached the Carta for financial help getting started, Roxa saw an opportunity to enrich herself and the Carta and took over, maximizing the profits *her* way.



Name: Gangue

Affiliation: Carta, Roxa's bodyguard

Background: Gangue is Tal-Vashoth. He was one of many soldiers on a fleet of Qunari ships that sank in the Waking Sea. He survived, but he lost his weapon and could not rejoin the Qunari in Kirkwall or return home.

Roxa found him in the Free Marches, barely alive. She gave him a job and a name. Gangue means 'Stone waste' or 'Impure spirit-of-the-stone.'

Gangue recognizes that the Carta has no honor, and what it does is wrong. But his honor is already forfeit, and the purpose Roxa has given him is better than no purpose at all.