

My heart is filled with pain and disgust. I can no longer bear the evil and darkness that grows around me, it penetrates my bones with filth and decay.

Chronovich, the murderous Captain of Strahd's Blood Guard, arrived at the castle carrying the body of my lover, Sergei. He claims that Sergei fell in battle while scouting the lone Sentry Tower on the hill, northwest of the castle near the lake. Yet that could not be, my Sergei is a lover, not a fighter! Why would he be scouting the enemy, there have been no signs of the enemy northwest or near the lake, the enemy has been pushed west of the Luna River.

Chronovich! He is wearing Strahd's precious Ring of Hell Fire proudly. The heathen smirked at me! He knew when I cast my gaze upon the ring... the message would be clear, Chronovich killed Sergei on Strahd's command, the precious ring a reward for such a foul deed.

My lover has fallen, but not in battle, but at the command of his own brother, Strahd!

Strahd is a coward! Shirking from the horrible task by commanding others to murder his own brother! His vial pursuance of my affection has ventured to a realm unfathomable and unforgivable. What has become of the noble Zarovich name? Strahd's darkness knows no bounds!

My own grandmother was Vistani! If the power is in my blood, I curse Strahd to a life of a tormented broken heart, a pain that never fades! Any man that would murder his own brother is the devil!

I curse his horrid pet, Chronovich, still covered in the blood of my lover! I spit in his grave as I go to my own! I condemn his spirit to haunt the place he slaughtered the love of my heart, Sergei von Zarovich!

Castle Ravenloft has nothing left for me. It is a wicked place and my heart aches so I cannot stand it!

My love! I pray these words reach you in death! I seek to be by your side, my life holds no value to me!

Tatyana