

Prexycy Quest: The First Cryptex Hunt Solution Guide

Weaving

A woven spell in your way. **Sort this out** and don't delay!

The jumble of letters in the weave have captions on each of the rows and columns in the Sage runes. Decoded, these were a jumbled order like so:

	3	10	4	9	12	6	11	7	5	1	8	2
10	R	C	D	H	M	H	O	I	W	W	C	O
3	N	O	T	W	D	I	R	R	H	Z	D	E
7	F	S	I	N	E	A	W	L	N	H	A	E
11	A	R	F	A	S	E	D	R	T	E	W	S
5	F	O	O	W	D	R	R	T	U	E	H	D
6	X	N	T	A	T	I	D	L	B	N	E	E
1	R	R	S	U	E	I	N	S	T	F	B	I
8	O	Y	R	R	T	H	P	E	T	R	C	F
2	E	F	C	S	O	N	R	D	O	D	I	S
9	I	F	S	I	H	H	T	E	T	E	F	X
4	E	C	L	O	T	C	U	T	E	I	R	S

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As the clue suggests, sorting both the rows and the columns brings things into a more comprehensible arrangement:

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	F	I	R	S	T	I	S	B	U	R	N	E
2	D	S	E	C	O	N	D	I	S	F	R	O
3	Z	E	N	T	H	I	R	D	W	O	R	D
4	I	S	E	L	E	C	T	R	O	C	U	T
5	E	D	F	O	U	R	T	H	W	O	R	D
6	N	E	X	T	B	I	L	E	A	N	D	T
7	H	E	F	I	N	A	L	A	N	S	W	E
8	R	F	O	R	T	H	E	C	R	Y	P	T
9	E	X	I	S	T	H	E	F	I	F	T	H
10	W	O	R	D	W	H	I	C	H	C	O	M
11	E	S	A	F	T	E	R	W	A	R	D	S

The phrase extracted says:

First is Burned. Second is Frozen. Third word is Electrocuted. Fourth word next Bile. And the final answer for the Cryptex is the fifth word which comes afterwards...

The reference is to *The Numbers Game*, by Mags Storey in the *Prexcyt Anthology*. In the story, Guy encounters five dragons that challenge him with a riddle and each of these words is one of the responses. Searching on "bile" brings you near to the answer.

Solution: APART