

**Name:** The Monk (a.k.a. Mortimus)

**Race:** Gallifreyan

**Sex:** Male

**Profession:** Time Lord Renegade

**Attributes**

**STR** Level IV      **CHA** Level V

**END** Level IV      **MNT** Level V

**DEX** Level IV      **ITN** Level III

**Special Abilities:**

Respiratory Bypass System – Level V (15)

Telepathy – Level III (6)

**Combat Statistics:**

**AP:** 7

Unarmed Combat,

Brawling Level III



**Significant Skills**

**Level**

Engineering,

Chemical IV

Civil V

Mechanical IV

Environmental Suit Operation IV

Leadership V

Medical Sciences,

General Medicine (Gallifreyan) III

General Medicine (Human) III

Military Sciences,

Trap Discovery IV

Trap/Ordinance Disarmament V

Physical Sciences,

Chemistry IV

Computer Science IV

Mathematics V

Physics V

Security Procedures,

Concealment IV

Lockpicking III

Stealth IV

Surveillance V

Social Sciences,

History (Earth) V

History (Galactic) IV

History (Gallifrey) V

Space Sciences,

Astronomy IV

Astrophysics IV

Navigation IV

Streetwise III

Technology,

Communication Systems IV

Computer Systems IV

Cybernetics III

Electronics V

Force Field Systems IV

TARDIS Systems V

Temporal Science VI

Vehicle Operation,

Temporal Vehicles VI

Verbal Interaction,

Bluff V

Negotiation/Diplomacy V

**Appearance:**

Height: Average

Build: Stocky

Looks: Average

Apparent Age: Mature Adult

Actual Age: 400

Regenerations Used: None

Recognition Handle: Portly fellow wearing a monk's habit, tied at his waist with a piece of rope. He often has anachronistic items on his person that do not match his wardrobe (such as a 20th Century watch, binoculars, pencil and paper, etc.).

**Distinguishing Physical Characteristics:**

In the Monk's first Incarnation, he appears as a portly man wearing the habit of an 11th Century Christian monk. He has short brown hair, cut in the monastic style, and brown eyes. His wide smile and portly cheeks does give him a slight comedic appearance which he can use to fool others.

**Brief Personal History:**

*Birthplace:* Gallifrey

Mortimus was a friend of the Doctor during the latter's first incarnation, when they both attended the Time Lord Academy. They belonged to a cabal of ten rebellious young Gallifreyans known as the *Deca*. He would leave Gallifrey fifty years after the First Doctor did. He possesses a stolen Mark IV TARDIS.

He had previously lent mechanical assistance to the builders of Stonehenge and gave Leonardo da Vinci tips on aircraft design – as well as placing £200 in a bank on present day Earth, and then travelling forward two hundred years to pick up a fortune in compound interest. At the time that the First Doctor encountered him, the Monk was trying to prevent the Norman Conquest of 1066 as part of a plan to guide England into an age of technological prosperity. At that time he wore a monk's habit to gain the trust of the locals, hence the name by which he is usually referred.

**Personality:**

*Motivations/Desires/Goals:*

He was amoral and enjoyed meddling actively with history to his own selfish ends. He is especially delighted in meddling with Earth history to change it for his own amusement and for what he thought the better.

*Manner:*

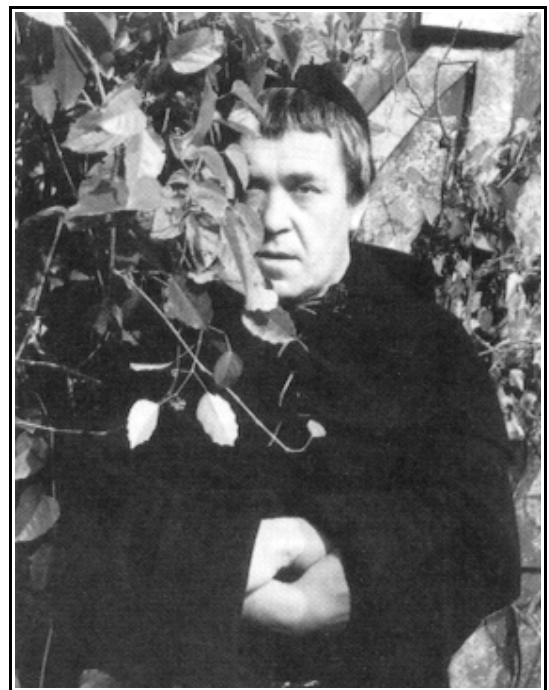
The Monk can appear to be friendly and charming when he is trying to achieve his goal. He will

often try to play both sides in his attempt to accomplish his goals. While not necessarily malicious or evil by nature, he is selfish in pursuing his own goals. One never knows where one stands when dealing with the Monk.

**Write-up Notes:**

This write-up is mainly based on the William Hartnell "*The Time Meddler*" episode with additional information gleamed from later appearances ("*The Daleks' Master Plan*") and from non-TV related appearances.

The Special Abilities given to the Monk are based on Time Lord abilities that would be added to the show during the 3rd Doctor/Jon Pertwee (Telepathy) 4th Doctor/Tom Baker (Respiratory Bypass System) years and the GM may ignore them if he or she so wishes.



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