

FEATHER OF MARAQ

Wondrous item, very rare (requires attunement by a spellcaster)

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This feather belonged to the last champion of Maraq, the ancient god of knowledge, hunting, and the sun. Maraq is often depicted as a humanoid with a bird head and is described as being able to take the form of any bird of prey. His followers often adorn themselves with feathers. Those who wield the feather gain Maraq's divine favor, blessing them with heightened intelligence and flight.

To attune to this quill, you must touch the quill to your forehead and bask in direct sunlight for the entire attunement period, during which the quill leaves a faint glowing outline on your skin. The outline disappears after 2d4 days if you end your attunement to the feather.

Quill of the Falcon. This feather is a spellcasting focus for you. When you cast a spell through this feather, you have a +1 bonus to spell attack rolls and your spell save DC. Additionally, the number of spells you know increases by 1, or the number of spells you can prepare each day increases by 1 (your choice when you first attune to the feather).

Owl's Intellect. While attuned to the feather, you gain proficiency in your choice of Arcana, History, Nature, or Religion. At the end of a long rest, you can replace a chosen proficiency with another from the list.



Hunter's Flight. You can use a bonus action to gain a set of wings that grants you have a flying speed of 40 feet for 1 minute. Once you use this property, you can't use it again until the next dawn.

Maraq's Blessing. This feather has 5 charges. When you cast a spell through the feather, you can expend a charge to grant yourself a +10 bonus to the spell's attack roll, or increase your spell save DC by 5 for that casting of the spell.

The feather regains 1d4+1 expended charges if you perform one of the following rituals:

- You spend 1 hour praying at an Obelisk dedicated to Maraq and leave an appropriate offering of 50 gold pieces or more.
- You are a follower of Maraq, and spend 8 hours praying and transcribing knowledge onto parchment or a book that you donate to an intellectual collection such as a library or archive.
- You spend a week transcribing new or unique knowledge onto five books' worth of parchment that you donate to an esteemed intellectual collection such as a library or archive.

