## The Garasene Demoniac

MADDENING HE IS! Out-of-control A terror to the countryside UGLY, ravished, unleashed wildness. Wish he'd go away and never return This naked, bruised, manacled man.

EVERYBODY RUNS WHEN HE RAGES NEAR NOBODY STAYS WHEN HE COMES SCREAMING GASHING HIMSELF WITH JAGGED STONES. HE LISTENS TO NO ONE, CONVERSES WITH NONE. HAPPY WE ARE WHEN HE DISAPPEARS INTO THE HOT, PARCHED DESERT. MAYBE HE'LL DIE THERE WE'LL BE FREE OF HIS INTRUSION AND DISTURBING, UNSETTLING PRESENCE.

What? Eliezer lost his herd of pigs over the cliff Caused by demons leaving that wretched animal? Who did it? Send him away! Troublemakers must be expelled

## Even if they tame men and loose souls.

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