## COLD READ

Gifted at a young age in sleight of hand, mentalism and cold reading, Reed Ragland could have been the world's greatest stage magician – but there was so many stupid people in the world with so much money that he could just take. All he had to do was pretend to talk to the dead and pretend to summon demons. Then one day he was pulling his street magic on Apostate, who found the whole gimmick insulting and threw the terrified con artist into the Realm of Discord. Once there he made a deal with an unknown entity (maybe Gloomweaver or the Ennead) to get home. He says he pledged to send evil men to Hell and started working as a hero but he often finds ways to get paid for his work – and never talks about his debts...



Background – Performer / Source – Accident / Archetype – Marksman / Personality – Mischievous **Battlecry:** "I'm seeing an F...an F...for FIST!"

Powers	Qualities	Status
Awareness D6	Finesse D8	32-25 D6
Cold D10	Insight D10	24-12 D8
Infernal D6	Inveterate Huckster D8	11-1 D8

Intuition D8

Signature Weapon (Your Stuff) D12

## **Abilities**

Ambush Awareness	Def	R	If I haven't acted in a scene yet I may Defend as a Reaction using just Intuition (D8)	
Cut to the Quick	Att	Α	Attack using Insight. Ignore all penalties, Defence and Reactions	
I Took Your Stuff	Н	Α	Gain 2 Hinders (Max and Mid) from Sig Weapon	
Principle of the Huckster	Ovc	Α	Overcome and use your Max when it comes to tricking someone into doing something against their interests	
Principle of the Debtor	Ovc	Α	Overcome and use your Max in a situation involving paying your debts	
Predictable	Att	R	If someone enters my range I get a free attack using only Insight	
Cold Spot	ВНА	A	Boost or Hinder any number of nearby targets using Cold. Use Max Die.	
Demon Touch	АН	A	Attack with Infernal, Min die becomes a Hinder on same target	
Go Home and Cry	А	Α	Attack with Insight. Max damage. If I roll doubles Max+Mid damage	
Summon Imps	Α	Α	D6 "Friends" appear to "help out" at Mid strength	
Walk Over Your Grave	Α	Α	Attack with Cold, ignore all penatlies Defences and	
			Reactions	
Well Screw You			Hinder an Opponent using just Cold D10	

## SANTA CLAWS

Actually a demon called Hellfrost, he was marked for death by other demons when his association with winter made him start to acquire santa-like traits. He escaped into the Dimension of Discord, then into outer space only to land on earth in the North Pole. Keen to find villainous allies, hunt the human who stole from him and redeem his reputation, he intends to ruin as many Christmases as he possibly can until everyone fears winter's bloody harvest as they once did.

Approach – Ancient / Archetype - Bruiser

Battlecry: "I see you when you're sleeping"



Abilities Health: 50 +5H

Claws of Ice	Α	Α	Attack with Cold. In Green do Max damage, Yellow	
			Max+Min, Red Max+Min and Min to another target	
Flesh Like Packed		I	Reduce damage from physical and energy sources by	
Snow			1/2/3 for G/Y/R	
Chill Their Bones	АН	Α	Hinder using Cold against all targets at Max, Attack at	
			Mid+Min	
You Can't Hit Santa!		R	Suffer one irreducible damage to force someone	
			attacking or hindering you to reroll all their dice	
U			Add <b>H</b> D8 demonic imps that are old slaves of Hellfrost.	
Santa's Little Helpers			As an action, Claws can restore them to H in number.	
M		ı	If Claws can ruin Christmas or ANY seasonal holiday, or	
Master of Ruining			even a birthday, succeed at an Overcome to do just	
Christmas			that.	

