Rosencrantz & Guildenstern Are Dead
Projections

Ros “Heads” pg. 11

Guil “…law of probability.” pg 12
natural (Probability) forces
Probability
un-, sub-, or supernatural forces

Fortuitous + ORDAINED
= Nature

red, blue, green
yellow

Clowns, Murderers, Ghosts, Battles, Skirmish

Player “clowns if you like, murderers - we can do you ghosts and battles, on the skirmish level” pg. 23
Guil “Heads” pg. 29

Player “Heads” pg. 29

Guil “Heads” pg. 30

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Player “Blood is compulsory – they’re all blood, you see” pg. 33

Ros “It was tails” pg. 34
Get thee to a nunnery!

Ophelia enters pg. 34

Claudius “Welcome, dear Rosencrantz…and Guildenstern.”
pg. 35

He raises a hand at Ros while Guil bows to him pg. 35

Guil “you haven’t the faintest idea how to spell the word – “wife” – or “house”” pg. 38

Words, words.

Gul “Words, words.” pg. 41

father was king
his only son
father dies
son of age
Uncle becomes king

Ros “Your uncle becomes king” pg. 49
He slipped in.

Guil “He slipped in.” pg. 50

Hamlet “How dost thou Guildenstern?” pg. 53

Hamlet corrects himself pg. 53

Ros “claim to tell a hawk from a handsaw” pg. 57

Guil “however, if none of these is the case” pg. 58

Ros “Fire!” pg. 60
Player “We’re actors – we’re the opposite of people!” pg. 63

Player “the old man thinks he’s in love with his daughter” pg. 69

But no one comes. pg. 69

Ros “A Christian, a Moslem and a Jew” pg. 71

Ros “A Hindu, a Buddhist and a lion-tamer” pg. 72

Player “we are tied down to a language which makes up in obscurity what it lacks in style” pg. 77
Hamlet “Go to, I’ll no more on’t; it hath made me mad!” pg. 78

Player “or victims of the gods? – we shall never know!” pg. 82

Guil “now you see him, now you don’t” pg. 84

Ros “And besides, anything could happen yet.” pg. 95

Guil “Fly the jib!” pg. 98

Guil “Just a conspiracy of cartographers, you mean?” pg. 107
we have arrived
Rosencrantz and Guildenstern
nobody special
instructions
come from Denmark
delivering Hamlet
got a letter

Guil “We’ve got a letter” pg. 109

“...have Hamlet’s head cut off”

Ros “have Hamlet’s head cut off” pg. 109

– offended the King –
– orders his arrest –
– taking Hamlet –
– who also offended the King –
– to England.

Guil “– to England.” pg. 117

To arms!
Pirates!
Down there!

All four “Down there!” pg. 118

“…should those bearers, Rosencrantz and Guildenstern, put to sudden death – “

Guil “put to sudden death” pg. 122

To tell you the truth, I’m relieved.

Ros “To tell you the truth, I’m relieved.” pg. 125
Now you see me, now you –“ pg, 126

Guil “Now you see me, now you –“ pg, 126

Ambassador “Rosencrantz and Guildenstern are dead.” pg, 126