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After a recent battle on Aliso, one of Clan Plagueis' soldiers noticed something strange sitting amongst the rubble of a destroyed building. A box, seemingly made of timber with a strange symbol carved into the lid. The box was warm to the touch and while it seemed to be held shut by a simple clasp, it was not possible to open. The box was scanned carefully, but nothing strange or out of the ordinary was detected and a scan of all available databases found no match for the odd symbol.



Desperately seeking anything that could turn the tide of battle, the summit of Clan Plagueis decided to break into the box and were met with a strange glowing crystal sitting upon a bed of blue fabric.



The Clan's best scientists still do not know what this strange crystal is, nor where the box it was stored in came from. They have sent their scans to the other Clans, as well as to the Dark Council to see if anyone else can decipher this strange object.

OOC

This is a timber box that I have had in my possession for some time. I used a small hand towel to line it and the Soulstone USB stick from my Diablo 3 Collector's Edition plugged in via a USB extension cable to a Raspberry Pi to provide the glow. A fully lit image of the constituent parts is below. Only colour and contrast were modified in Lightroom to achieve the final effect. I lit the left side of the box using a window on an overcast day to subtly light it and used the hand towel to hide the USB cable and connector.

