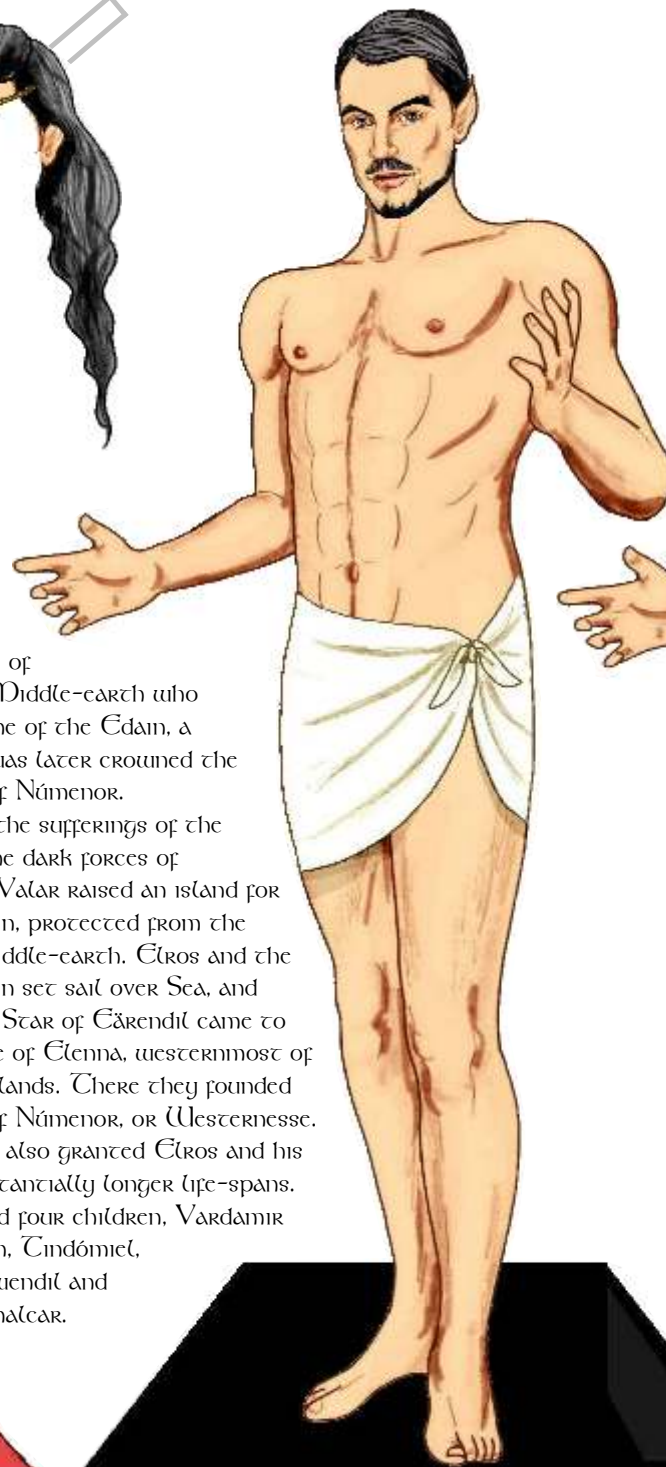


Éltros Tar-Minyatur



Éltros Tar-Minyatur the son of Éärendil and Eäwng. He was one of the Half-elven of Middle-earth who chose to become one of the Édam, a mortal man, and was later crowned the first High King of Númenor. As a reward for the sufferings of the Édam against the dark forces of Morgoth, the Valar raised an island for them to dwell in, protected from the dangers of Middle-earth. Éltros and the surviving Édam set sail over Sea, and guided by the Star of Éärendil came to the great Isle of Elenna, westernmost of all Mortal lands. There they founded the realm of Númenor, or Westernesse. The Valar also granted Éltros and his heirs substantially longer life-spans. Éltros had four children, Vardamir Nólmon, Tindómiel, Mantuendil and Atanalcár.