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Devalis,  
Maria

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a travesty—even by Devlin Stone himself—Devalis' reputation was tarnished except among her fellow ethnic Nova Cats. Publicly she accepted the outcome, and even refused a later offer without comment, but inwardly she felt the intense sting of humiliation. Still bitter over the affair, her allegiance switch to the Spirit Cats came easier for her than for most.

NAME: MARIA DEVALIS

Record No  
FP-143-01 FACTION: Spirit Cats  
REGIMENT: Purifiers  
'MECH: Shadow Hawk IICDOB: 09/12/3089  
HAIR: Gray  
EYES: Hazel

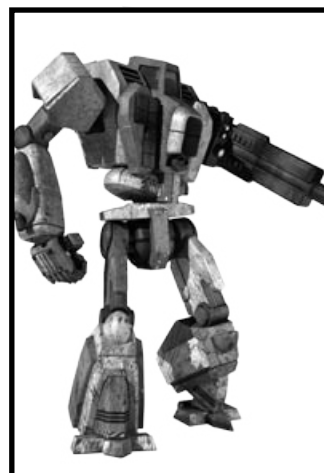
Maria Devalis, an accomplished MechWarrior in the RAF, was once in line for Knighthood, but critics to her nomination questioned her objectivity as a devout Nova Cats spiritualist. These challengers cited her decision to undergo a vision quest (before accepting the honor) as clear proof of her favoritism for her "superstitions" above over all other concerns. The uproar prompted the eventual withdrawal of the Knighthood offer in a Republic-wide media frenzy, but even though such an act was widely decried as

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The Clan-made upgrade to the venerable *Shadow Hawk* medium BattleMech was 10 tons lighter, 20 percent more maneuverable, and many times more lethal than the original. Used mainly in second-line formations by every invading Clan, it served as an excellent all-aspect strike vehicle that employed an effective combination of lasers and missiles against light and medium enemy 'Mech forces.

NC3500-03C ("Luminosity") entered service with the Nova Cats soon after the start of the Word of Blake Jihad, built as part of an ongoing effort to recover from the damage done in the first Combine-Dominion War. Pressed instead into serving with Delta Galaxy to fight the Blakists, this 'Mech and its warrior fought in several campaigns to reclaim worlds overrun by the Jihad zealots, including the battle for Benjamin in 3069. Like the rest of Delta, both the machine and its pilot went on to join The Republic.



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Serial Number: NC3500-03C

Mass: 45 tons

Chassis: NCIS Endo Steel Type M

Power Plant: Consolidated Fusion  
270 Standard

Cruising Speed: 65 kph

Maximum Speed: 97 kph

Jump Jets: Northrup Starlifters M45s

Armor: Alpha Compound Ferro-Fibrous  
Armament:

2 Series 7Ja ER Medium Lasers

1 Type 6 Series Advanced Tactical  
Missile System

1 Series 6b ER Large Laser