

# How much of a fake IS the green man?

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Dan'I Danehy-Oakes — 17 Jan 2011, 16:39

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Dan'I Danehy-Oakes

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Jerry Friedman — 17 Jan 2011, 17:07 · in reply to Dan'I Danehy-Oakes

From: Dan'I Danehy-Oakes <danldo at gmail.com>

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TCotC Ch. III. To argue that there's no race of green people, I suppose you could say that the creators of the green man took advantage of a superstition (which could even be based on a prophecy of the New Sun), or that the old woman is repeating a rumor that started as the showman's advertising. Or maybe other possibilities that I'm missing.

Jerry Friedman

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Jeff Wilson — 17 Jan 2011, 17:50 · in reply to Dan'I Danehy-Oakes

On 1/17/2011 10:39 AM, Dan'I Danehy-Oakes wrote:

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No only his word; the tea seller at Saltus Fair says, "They caught a green man, do you know that? Got him right over there where you see the tent. Green men know everything, people say, if you can but make them talk."

Of course, this could be merely hearsay circulated by the exhibitor for the occasion. :)

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