

Esteemed Compeer Ichabod,

Greetings, and well-wishes. Though joyed was I to hear word from my old friend, grief followed to hear of tragedy. Nevertheless, station is increased, and some fortune yet finds its way to you. Well-deserved it is.

Intrigue swells regarding your theories on Lifeforce, and I would discuss it further with you. Perhaps we can have symposium on the matter? I wonder, have you begun trials? As I understand it, certain potent examples reside in your locale. Mayhaps minor alchemical dabblings can yield positive results? The possibilities quicken the pulse, and I look forward to meeting with you in person to discuss them further.

Now, to the matter of your missive. Will-O'-Wisps are nasty creatures, and tenacious opponents. As you have already surmised, Protection from Energy [Electricity] will serve you well, as will Magic Missile, Maze, and other methods to hinder its defenses. However, you err in one assumption—though the fault is not your own, as it is a common misperception: Their supposed “immunity” to magic is not a true immunity. It is (more aptly stated), a “total resistance.” In this manner, various majiks that allow for no resistance can penetrate their magic defenses. Such majiks include the following spells:

Acid Arrow	Acid Fog	Acid Splash
Black Tentacles	Cloudkill	Control Winds
Creeping Doom	Flame Arrow	Fire Seeds
Incendiary Cloud	Insect Plague	Obscuring Mist
Reverse Gravity	Snare	Solid Fog
Stinking Cloud	Summon Swarm	Time Stop
Wall of Force	Wall of Stone	Web
Acid Pit	Aqueous Orb	Clashing Rocks
Deavening Song Bolt	Defection	Dust of Twilight
Elemental Touch	Firefall	Geyser
Gravity Bow	Hungry Pit	Instant Enemy
Stone Call	Tsunami	Wall of Lava

Additionally, to counter their invisibility, you can use such spells as See Invisibility or Invisibility Purge/Glitterdust.

Envy is not in your direction at the thought of confronting such creatures, but such is the life in the River Kingdoms as I understand it.

Luck to find your compatriots. Hope is mine for timely congress.

Your friend and Colleague,
Vladimir Kain