

die in a vicious gunfight right before her eyesvictims of a turf war she herself had instigated. Her world shattered, Savoni fled Outreach on the next DropShip and never looked back, turning up on Northwind just before the collapse of the HPG network.

Lost and disillusioned, she latched on to Tara Campbell's call for volunteers to help defend the crumbling Republic, but only after some effort by the local recruiter to convince her that fighting for something noble, and defending countless innocent lives, was better than giving in to the petty, ganglike rivalries of the past.

Designed for 'Mechs, but equally capable of effecting repairs on damaged armor, the JI100 is the most common field-repair and salvage vehicle on the field today. Produced by Johnston Industries of New Syrtis, in the Federated Suns, the JI100 uses three sophisticated, fully articulated "arms," each complete with a variety of cutting and joining equipment, to allow its technical crew to perform fast repairs using generic parts carried into the field.

Heavy, slow, and lightly armed, the ${\tt JI100}$ is not meant for a direct combat role, and is often kept well behind friendly lines, but the changing face of war has increasingly forced commanders to risk these valuable machines in combat to salvage damaged 'Mechs and tanks. With this in mind, Wade Davolt modified his JI100, nicknamed "The Coffin," with heavier armor, at the expense of its meager firepower and some of its cargo capacity.



NAME: SAVONI

FACTION: Highlanders REGIMENT: Republican Guards HAIR: Brown VEHICLE: Bellona Tank

DOB: 03/11/3110 EYES: Blue

Savoni is the only name this petite, fiery tank commander of the Highlanders' Republican Guards will answer to, and for that reason—as well as her lack of social graces outside military life-many jump to the conclusion that she actually hails from Clan origins. In truth, Savoni is a native of Outreach, and was virtually raised by the violent street gangs that regularly roam the devastated wasteland that once was a prosperous center for the mercenary trade across the Inner Sphere.

The cost of her brutal, fast-and-easy lifestyle became clear to Savoni when she watched her sister and best friend

VEHICLE: BELLONA TANK

Serial Number: HHB109-63218d Movement Type:

Hover

Power Plant:

Fusion Type 80 Cruising Speed: 76 kph Maximum Speed: 119 kph Armor: Forging HTT05

Record No FE-113-02

with CASE

Armament: 1 Type 9 Ultra Autocannon/10

4 Series HL-II Light Machine Guns

2 Type 14b Flamers

