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Origin of "Energy Objects"

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As [mentioned before](#) on magicthegathering.com, kami creatures in the Kamigawa block all have floating "energy objects" in their art, as a visual cue that they belong to the spirit world.

What's the origin of that visual cue? Early in Kamigawa world-building, concept illustrator [Ittoku](#) produced this sketch below. Note the floating heads along the right-hand side.



Kamigawa concept sketch by Ittoku



As Brady Dommermuth [reports](#) in today's Ask Wizards, that sketch became the inspiration for **Myojin of Cleansing Fire** and the energy objects in general.



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