



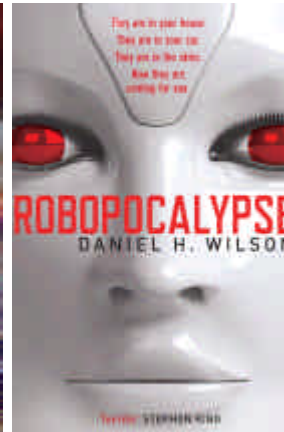
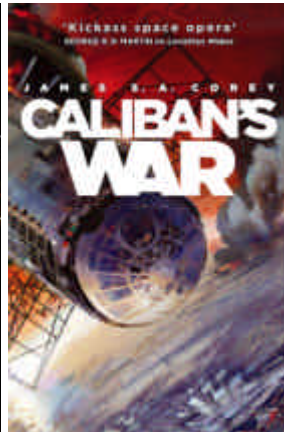
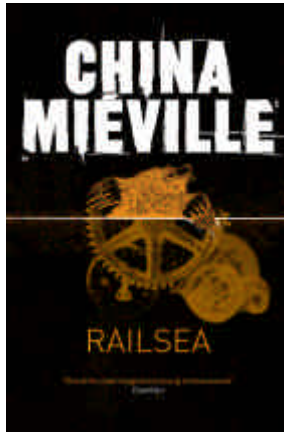
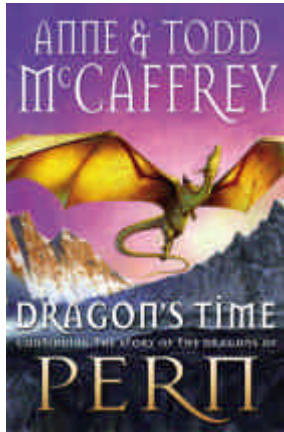
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Featured Books



Todd McCaffrey

China Mieville

James S A Corey

Daniel H Wilson

MaryJanice Davidson

Star Wars

Warhammer 40,000

Simon R Green

David Brin

Mercedes Lackey

Dragon's Time in paperback.

Railsea in trade paperback

Caliban's War Expanse 2 in trade paperback.

Robopocalypse in paperback.

Undead and Unstable in hardcover.

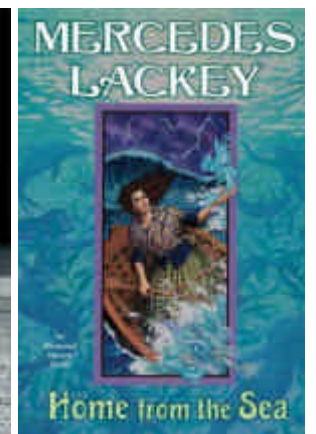
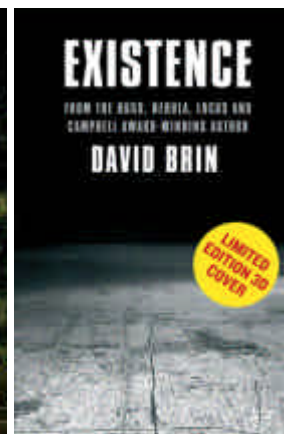
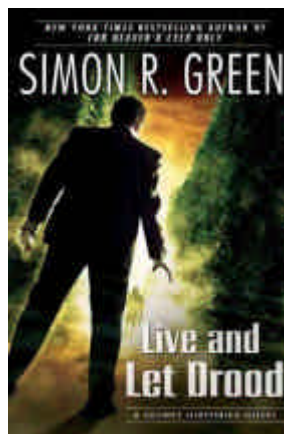
Deceived in paperback

Angel of Fire Macharian Crusade in hardcover.

Live and Let Droid Secret Histories 6 in hardcover.

Existence in trade paperback.

Home from the Sea an Elemental Masters hardcover.



News

Ray Bradbury died 5th June 2012-06-07. He wrote many novels and short stories but is best known for what he claimed was his only science fiction novel, *Fahrenheit 451*.

Aurealis Awards 2011 were announced 12-05-2012 at North Sydney. Best science fiction novel went to *The Courier's New Bicycle* by Kim Westwood. Best fantasy novel went to *Ember and Ash* by Pamela Freeman. For a full list of winners see: http://www.aurealisawards.com/media-release_winners2011.pdf

E-Books: Our eBook system is up and running in beta stage, and we are now selling eBooks. Further upgrades are expected. Thank you to those who have provided your feedback - it has been forwarded to the developers. Extra feedback is always welcome. Buy your eBooks from us at: infinitas.readcloud.com

Best Sellers for May 2012

General Release

<i>A Rising Thunder</i>	David Weber
<i>The Hot Gate</i>	John Ringo
<i>Hard Magic</i>	Larry Correia
<i>Deadlocked</i>	Charlaine Harris
<i>The Company of the Dead</i>	David Kowalski
<i>The Drowned Cities</i>	Paolo Bacigalupi
<i>Tricked</i>	Kevin Hearne
<i>Dreadnaught</i>	Jack Campbell

Media and Games Related Titles

<i>Avacyn Restored Booster Pack</i>	Magic the Gathering
<i>Dark Ascension Booster</i>	Magic the Gathering
<i>Avacyn Restored Intro Pack</i>	Magic the Gathering
<i>Avacyn Restored Booster Box</i>	Magic the Gathering
<i>Forgotten History</i>	Star Trek
<i>Scourge</i>	Star Wars
<i>Void Stalker</i>	Warhammer 40,000
<i>Legion of the Damned</i>	Warhammer 40,000

Gamers Wanted

Classic Battletech: An Infinitas regular is looking for gamers to play the tabletop miniature game Classic Battletech. This announcement last month resulted in some Saturday morning games at the shop but more players are welcome. Ask at the shop for contact details.

Star Wars KOTOR RPG: We are looking for players to participate in a D&D style d20 game, set in the Star Wars universe Knights of the Old Republic era. Player characters will be provided. Ask at the shop for Justin's contact details.

External Events

Winterfest is a festival of medieval re-enactments and related arts held in Parramatta Park on the weekend of 30th June and 1st July 2012. This is a brilliant weekend with sword fighting, archery, craft displays, full contact jousting, falconry, stalls and more. Last year Infinitas ran a stall, and we can say it was a friendly crowd.

<http://www.winterfest.com.au/>

Eucalyptus Bowl is a **Blood Bowl** Tournament to be held at Burwood RSL club 7th and 8th July 2012.

<http://eucalyptus-bowl.doubleskulls.net/index.php>

OzTrek 8 Assimilate is a Star Trek convention held on 24-06-2012 at The Sebel Parramatta, 350 Church Street Parramatta. Attending will be Jeri Ryan (Borg Seven of Nine from Star Trek Voyager) and Manu Intiraymi (Icheb from Star Trek Voyager). <http://www.cultureshockevents.com/index.php/events/oztrek-8-assimilate>

Readers' Reviews

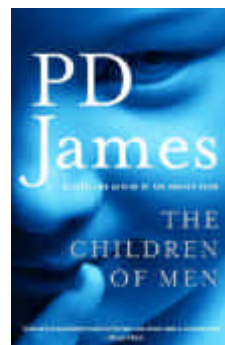
Feel free to submit a book review for us to publish. If you have read a book and have an opinion on it, share it with the other readers in our community. In the shop we have several books for which we are seeking reviewers, and would exchange for a review.

The Children of Men by P D James, reviewed by Garry Dalrymple

<http://www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780307275431>

Rather confronting to read this book at the time, I was reading it before and after the sit down meeting to discuss the future roles of the Futurian Society of Sydney (est. 1939) and the Friday night Sydney Futurian discussion meeting. Imagine a world where no (book) SF fan had been born for 25 years?

This book by 'Queen of Crime Writing' P.D. James is/was her only SF book and it was published only after her death. The idea of posthumous publication of genre novels as a courtesy to readers is one with much to recommend to the authors of long-winded Quest Fantasy series. My main impression in reading the book is 'Why'? So much in the book, that is important to the story is poorly explained. It doesn't help that the theme of the book is dated, the pessimistic 1960s / 1970s view of a human civilisation done in by Pollution / War or some other runaway catastrophe; a reduced humanity facing an inevitable extinction of the species; the same fate that humanity has been carelessly meting out to other lesser species. At the time it was written it might have been ground breaking in a minor sort of a way, as the ZPG is not mandated by government, it happens in spite of official intentions. So the story starts off with an immediate large debt to George Orwell's 1984, with a main character recounting recent history through his diary. Using this stratagem, the main character then lays out the basics of the world in which this story is set. A world in a slow freefall towards race extinction, as no



child has been born on Earth for 25 years, all men and stored sperm are (apparently) infertile and all hope of any change to this has pretty much died out. A world that must end with a diminishing and dying circle of 90 year olds who will be left to care for themselves. I was quite impressed by the economy of the setup first chapter. It demonstrates P. D. James' considerable skill of description, getting the 'crime scene' right before moving on with the story. If only Margaret Atwood had this sort of skill, 'The Handmaid's Tale' could have been 200 pages shorter? After this we have an encounter with 'Julian', AKA Winston Smith's Julia, the main character is contacted because he is the cousin of the Dictator of Great Britain. Julia(n) is part of the 'Fishes' an underground resistance cell with five members and apparently it is the only resistance cell in all of England! The Main character passes the Fishes demands on to the Dictator and not many changes. Subsequently, he is again contacted by the Fishes after one member is caught by the Secret Police, they hope that he can intercede with the Dictator to save them from a death squad, oh and Julia(n) is Pregnant, no cause or explanation is given, other than that the bureaucracy may have slipped up on their intrusive regime of monitoring of the potentially still fertile. Astonishingly convenient that this should just happen to Julia(n), giving the Resistance an important card to play? What follows then is a cross country chase, will the baby be born 'free' or as a possession of the Dictator? The implication that there might be more births out there is neglected. Conclusions – Considering this book as a Science Fiction Story it has a number of glaring faults, faults that are characteristic of a Non-SF writer trying their hand at genre Fiction. Firstly, important things are left explained i.e. we are given no logical or quasi-logical explanation for the central fact of the book; a worldwide and universal baby drought just happens, Virus, Comet, Pollution or act of a vengeful God? It is just offered without further explanation. Secondly, not just the cause of the baby drought is left unexplained; the writer would have us believe that the governments and institutions of the World just didn't notice or were incurious about this developing trend! Thirdly, and the most jarring, after completing this book I realized that the writer has an adventure set in 2020 where the technology available is stuck in the 1960s! I'm afraid I have to give the book a B minus

American Gods by Neil Gaiman reviewed by Len Newland

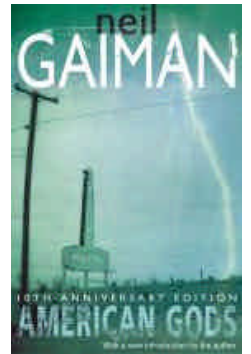
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A man is released from prison two days early to attend his wife's funeral. He promptly runs into a couple of gods and a resurrected corpse. This opening develops into a war between a multitude of gods. One story question is why both sides are so interested in this man and what he has to do with the war.

To me, the book read as author Gaiman's attempt at the Great American Novel, as such interesting mainly to American readers. Only after I'd finished did I discover that Gaiman is English, so the novel is actually an outsider's view of the American mind. My copy of the book is a tenth anniversary edition (2011), which speaks of the novel's popularity, but I don't know where the original edition sold.

Gaiman says he visited the locations mentioned, writing the novel as he went; in places, the novel reads that way, although the story outline is consistent. The novel explores what it means to be American in respect of ancient gods, tending in spots to straight essay. The gods (including an American buffalo god, and African and Asian gods, but focussed on European gods) find it hard to survive in America due to American materialism. Through most of the novel, they appear to have relocated entirely to America (clarified only in a final Postscript), which tended to disconnect me as a non-American reader from the story situation, as I also felt disconnected from the character, who acts with little emotive compulsion. Background detail seems to dominate other story aspects, which for me slowed the reading. Most of the first fifteen chapters (of twenty) end away from the main character's point of view, these diversions being only sometimes related to the story line, while for the final chapters Gaiman found it necessary to switch to omniscient multiple POV mode; I would have been happier without this switch. Apart from English tending to average at times, I also found the reading slowed by pedantic action detail, such as the character going up the stairs, opening the door, closing it behind him, etcetera, when all he does is go upstairs to the room.

I did think the meaning of the war of the gods given near the end was a good story twist, as was the meaning of the main character. After the war is settled, all loose ends are carefully tied up except one (why the wife put the character in jail in the first place), but maybe I missed it. Overall, and without knowing who bought the original edition, I see this novel as a reasonable depiction of the American mind told in a reasonable story; I did, however, find myself reading it in small chunks over a long period.





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Legend: PB = paperback
HC = hardcover
TP = trade paperback (C format)
Cass = cassette
CD = compact disc
GN = Graphic Novel, usually TP or BPB
APB = mass market paperback (A format paperback)
BPB = B format paperback approx 20cm x 13cm

Information on the Infinitas Groups

New members are always welcome at all of the groups. If you're interested, just come along or ask us for details.

Urban Fantasy Book Club: Meets on the second Thursday of each month at 6:30pm. BYO wine and nibbles to share (not required, but we'll love you for it). A title is usually selected to start the discussion.

Thursday 14th June 2012:

Hard Magic by Larry Correia

<http://www.infinitas.com.au/UrbanFantasyBookClub.php>

Review Group: The review group meets on the third Thursday of each month at 6.30pm. Two books are chosen by group members for each meeting, with participants encouraged to have read at least one title. The discussion is generally serious and insightful; we usually share a bottle or 2 of wine with cheese – contributions gratefully drunk. All welcome.

<http://www.infinitas.com.au/ReviewGroup.php>

Thursday 21st June 2012:

Demi-Monde: Winter by Rod Rees

Thursday 19th July 2012:

Good Omens by Terry Pratchett and Neil Gaiman

Thursday 16th August 2012:

The Lies of Locke Lamora by Scott Lynch

Thursday 20th September 2012:

The Nemesis List by R J Frith

Writers' Group: This group is for people who are currently writing (or even trying to write) science fiction, fantasy and horror related stories and pieces. Meetings are the 3rd Saturday of most months - get on the email list to confirm meetings.

<http://www.infinitas.com.au/WritersGroup.php>

Board Games:

First Thursday evening of each month (except January). Come play board games at the shop. If you prefer a particular game, bring it along and suggest it to the group.

Dungeon & Dragons: Play a short game of D&D, one or two encounters only. Most Saturday mornings starting at 9:30am. BYO dice. Ask the shop for details as there are currently 2 different games running fortnightly.

<http://www.infinitas.com.au/DungeonsAndDragonsAtInfinitas.php>

Pathfinder: We are looking for players and GM to get some regular games on Saturday mornings. Talk to us if interested.

Magic the Gathering: Play Magic Cards at the shop. Current schedule is a limited booster draft on the fourth Thursday of the Month at 6pm. Please contact us if you are running late.
<http://www.infinitas.com.au/MTGatInfinitas.php>

Infinitas Forums: Visit the forums behind our website to read or post genre news, gossip, find role playing games, or just meet other fans. If you have any news about authors or SF TV series, opinions on books, etc, please post it here. You will have to register online (it's easy). forums.infinitas.com.au

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Locus 616 May 2012 Magazine \$15 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=19835

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The May issue has interviews with Seanan McGuire and Nick Mamatas, reports from this year's Williamson Lectureship and the International Conference on the Fantastic in the Arts, a new column by Cory Doctorow, and reviews of new books by Kim Stanley Robinson, China Miéville, Naomi Novik, C.J. Cherryh, Kristin Cashore, Charlaune Harris, and many others.

Joe Abercrombie

The Heroes (First Law stand alone sequel) B Paperback \$22.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780575083851

Three men. One battle. No Heroes.

They say Black Dow's killed more men than winter and clawed his way to the throne of the North up a hill of skulls. The King of the Union, ever a jealous neighbour, is not about to stand smiling by while he claws his way any higher. The orders have been given and the armies are toiling through the northern mud. Thousands of men are converging on a forgotten ring of stones, on a worthless hill, in an unimportant valley, and they've brought a lot of sharpened metal with them.

Over three bloody days of battle, the fate of the North will be decided. But with both sides riddled by intrigues, follies, feuds and petty jealousies, it is unlikely to be the noblest hearts, or even the strongest arms that prevail.

Cassie Alexander

Nightshifted (01) A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780312553395

Nursing school prepared Edie Spence for a lot of things. Burn victims? No problem. Severed limbs? Piece of cake. Vampires? No way in hell. But as the newest nurse on Y4, the secret ward hidden in the bowels of County Hospital, Edie has her hands full with every paranormal patient you can imagine - from vamps and were-things to zombies and beyond.

Edie's just trying to learn the ropes so she can get through her latest shift unscathed. But when a vampire servant turns to dust under her watch, all hell breaks loose. Now she's haunted by the man's dying words - Save Anna - and before she knows it, she's on a mission to rescue some poor girl from the undead. Which involves crashing a vampire den, falling for a zombie, and fighting for her soul. Grey's Anatomy was never like this

Josephine Angelini

Dreamless (Starcrossed 02) B Paperback \$16.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780330529747

"Come to me, Dreamless one. I miss holding you in my arms..."

Tasked with descending to the underworld and killing the furies so that the Scions can stop fighting amongst themselves, Helen must endure hellish torture whenever she goes to sleep - she wanders around the various levels of hell with no idea how to complete her task, and she's beginning to suffer from extreme exhaustion. Although she still trains with the Delos clan, Helen and Lucas are coming to terms with the fact that they cannot be together. Lucas believes that the only way Helen will complete her quest is if he leaves her alone completely, so he tells her he doesn't want to see her again and that he never loved her. Distraught, Helen carries on with her mission, and for the first time meets another person down in the shadowy underworld: Orion, descended from Adonis and with the power to control desire, he is the heir to the house of Rome and an outcast. He's also kind of hot. Confused by her conflicting emotions but glad to have an ally in hell, Helen begins to realise the enormity of her task...

Neal Asher

The Departure (Owner (Polity prequel)) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780330457613

Visible in the night sky the Argus Station, its twin smelting plants like glowing eyes, looks down on nightmare Earth. From Argus the Committee keep an oppressive control: citizens are watched by cams systems and political officers, it's a world inhabited by shepherds, reader guns, razor birds and the brutal Inspectorate with its white tiled cells and pain inducers.

Soon the Committee will have the power to edit human minds, but not yet, twelve billion human beings need to die before Earth can be stabilized, but by turning large portions of Earth into concentration camps this is achievable, especially when the Argus satellite laser network comes fully online...

This is the world Alan Saul wakes to in his crate on the conveyor to the Calais incinerator. How he got there he does not know, but he does remember the pain and the face of his interrogator. Informed by Janus, through the hardware implanted in his skull, about the world as it is now Saul is determined to destroy it, just as soon as he has found out who he was, and killed his interrogator...

Barbara Ashford

Spellcrossed A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780756407292

IT'S NOT EASY LOSING THE MAGIC IN YOUR LIFE

But when Maggie Graham freed Rowan Mackenzie to return to Faerie, she took the first step toward her new life as director of the Crossroads Theatre. A hectic new season of summer stock leaves her little time to moon over the past. She has to balance the demands of her interfering board president and a company of actors that includes bewildered amateurs, disdainful professionals, a horde of children, and an arthritic dog. And while Maggie yearns to give others the kind of healing she found at the Crossroads, even she recognizes that magic must take a back seat to ticket sales.

But magic is hard to banish from the old white barn. Memories lurk like ghosts in the shadowy wings and the unexpected is as time-honored a tradition as the curtain call. And when the tangled spells of Maggie's past turn her life upside down, it will take more than faery magic to ensure the happy-ever-after ending she longs for.

Pip Ballantine & Tee Morris

The Janus Affair (Ministry of Peculiar Occurrences 02) A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780062049780

When a fellow passenger aboard Britain's newest hypersteam train vanishes in a bolt of lightning, secret agents Wellington Books and Eliza Braun hold the fate of England in their hands as they go up against a fiendishly clever foe.

Jes Battis

Bleeding Out (OSI 05) A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781937007638

Though she's on leave from the Occult Special Investigations squad, Tess Corday is still grappling with her own personal mysteries. But finding out the truth about her demonic heritage has been more difficult than she expected. Plus, her unauthorized investigation into an addictive new vampire street drug is driving a stake between her and her undead boyfriend.

Then Vancouver's premier necromancer turns up dead. Tess suspects that the cases are related. And her suspicions will lead her into a paranormal showdown that can and will change the course of her life forever.

J K Beck

When Passion Lies (Shadow Keepers 04) A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780345525635

When he discovers a plot to bring about the mass extermination of human and shadow alike, Tiberius, a vampire dedicated to protecting his kind and the secrets of the shadow world, is forced to turn to the one woman he doesn't trust for help in destroying the oncoming evil.

Thom Brannan & Z A Recht

Survivors (03) Trade Paperback \$24.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781451628821

THE MORNINGSTAR STRAIN WAS THE END OF THE WORLD. In the wake of the zombie apocalypse, two separate bands of survivors journey across a decimated America, each with the desperate goal of finding the cure for the virulent plague that threatens the existence of humankind—or what's left of it. Now it's up to these inheritors of the future to outlive their waking nightmare, any way they can.

BUT FOR THESE SURVIVORS, IT IS JUST THE BEGINNING. One group includes a brilliant virologist; for the other, an immune soldier proves invaluable. Battling infected and marauding raiders at every turn, the teams soon uncover the devious plans of Sawyer, an agent of the Chairman of the Reunited States of America, who believes that Dr. Anna Demilio already has the cure, and he will stop at nothing to find her. Now, with the salvation of the world and their own souls on the line, how far will the survivors go to emerge victorious?

David Brin

Existence Trade Paperback \$29.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780356501727

Existence Hardcover \$39.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780765303615

A turning point is upon us. A new flood is coming...

Decades from now, an alien artefact is plucked from Earth's Orbit by a galactic garbage trawler. And it will shed light on the fate of humanity itself.

We've always longed to know our destiny. We've always seen the end coming. But with so many different ways to be annihilated, how will we survive?

Lacey is an aristocrat with a penchant for scientific exploration. Hamish is a movie-mogul with a talent at spinning the facts. Tenskwatawa is a prophet with a dream of new world order. Tor is a whiz reporter with a mission to broadcast the truth. All have their views on how to hold off Armageddon. And all will play their part in what's to come.

Existence is in question. And we're waiting for an answer.

Eric Brown

The Devil's Nebula (Weirdspace 01) A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781781080238

When an evil race threatens not only the Expansion, but the Vetch too - an evil from another dimension which infests humans and Vetch alike and bends individuals to do their hideous bidding, only cooperation between them means the difference between a chance of survival and no chance at all.

Meg Cabot

Underworld (Abandon 02) B Paperback \$14.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780330453882

The second book in the brand-new dark and dangerously seductive trilogy from bestselling teen author Meg Cabot.

Last year, Pierce died – just for a moment. And when she was in the space between life and death, she met John: a devilishly handsome boy who ushers souls from one world to the next. Pierce tried to fight her attraction to John but has now accepted her fate and gone to live with him in the dark realm between heaven and hell. She may finally be safe from the Furies – the angry, vengeful souls of the dead – but is she safe from John? When she discovers that she's a prisoner and her family are in danger she must escape even if it means risking everything, even her life...

Stella Cameron

Darkness Bound (Chimney Rock 01) A Paperback \$14.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781455500154

After her husband's tragic death, Leigh Kelly arrives on Whidbey Island determined to start over. Yet the tiny town of Chimney Rock is not as peaceful as it seems. Women have been disappearing and Leigh can't shake the feeling that she's being watched especially at night. Soon, she's experiencing visions she can't explain and fighting her attraction to a handsome stranger who seems to know her most intimate desires.

As the leader of the Team, a pack of werewounds forced to hide their very existence, former special ops soldier Niles Latimer is desperate to prove a man's heart beats beneath his predator's body. And Leigh - the mysterious beauty possessing powers she doesn't yet understand - may be the one woman who can help him.

But Niles isn't the only one who recognises Leigh's true identity. Something evil is waiting in the woods-and the hunt has begun

Alan Campbell

Sea of Ghosts (Gravedigger Chronicles 01) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780330508780

Leaving behind the imaginings of Deepgate, Alan Campbell introduces a new world, a new cast of characters in a novel that reads like a cross between Stephen Deas and Joe Abercrombie. With non-stop action, beautiful characterization and Alan's usual flair for imagination and lyrical writing, welcome to a world of water – where dragons are used as weapons and countries are separated by power, greed and fear...

Thrown out of the Graveyard corps by a corrupt and weak emperor, Granger has to turn to running his own prison. It's not a lucrative business but if he keeps his head down, doesn't succumb to pity or morals then he may just survive. But when two unexpected prisoners enter his life then his world is turned upside down.

Ianthe is young, blind and deaf – she can only see or hear through other people's senses. This makes her unique in a world held to ransom by the powerful Haurstaf – a sisterhood of telepaths who consider the young girl a threat to their power. She's also Granger's daughter...

Mark Chadbourn

The Devil's Looking Glass (Swords of Albion 03) Trade Paperback \$32.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780593062494

1593: The dreaded alchemist, black magician and spy Dr John Dee is missing...

Terror sweeps through the court of Queen Elizabeth, for in Dee's possession is an obsidian mirror, a mysterious object of great power which legend says could set the world afire.

And so the call goes out to celebrated swordsman, adventurer and rake Will Swyfte - find Dee and his feared looking-glass and return them to London before disaster strikes. But when Will discovers the mirror may help him solve the mystery that has haunted him for years - the fate of his lost love, Jenny - the stakes become acutely personal.

With a frozen London under siege by supernatural powers, the sands of time are running out. Will is left with no choice but to pursue the alchemist to the devil-haunted lands of the New World - in the very shadow of the terrifying fortress home of England's hidden enemy, the Unseelie Court.

Surrounded by an army of these unearthly fiends, with only his sword and a few brave friends at his back, the realm's greatest spy must be prepared to make the ultimate sacrifice - or see all he loves destroyed.

Cassandra Clare

City of Lost Souls (Mortal Instruments 05) Hardcover \$29.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781442416864

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Arthur C Clarke

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At first, only a few things are known about the celestial object that astronomers dub Rama. It is huge, weighing more than ten trillion tons. And it is hurtling through the solar system at inconceivable speed. Then a space probe confirms the unthinkable: Rama is no natural object. It is, incredible, an interstellar spacecraft. Space explorers and planet-bound scientists alike prepare for mankind's first encounter with alien intelligence. It will kindle their wildest dreams... and fan their darkest fears. For no one knows who the Ramans are or why they have come. And now the moment of rendezvous awaits -- just behind a Raman airlock door.

James S A Corey

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The action-packed sequel to James S.A Corey's critically acclaimed science fiction debut LEVIATHAN WAKES.

For someone who didn't intend to wreck the solar system's fragile balance of power, Jim Holden did a pretty good job of it.

While Earth and Mars have stopped shooting each other, the core alliance is shattered. The outer planets and the Belt are uncertain in their new - possibly temporary - autonomy.

Then, on one of Jupiter's moons, a single super-soldier attacks, slaughtering soldiers of Earth and Mars indiscriminately and reigniting the war. The race is on to discover whether this is the vanguard of an alien army, or if the danger lies closer to home.

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The start of the Expanse series - a fast-paced and thoroughly gripping new space adventure.

Humanity has colonised the planets - interstellar travel is still beyond our reach, but the solar system has become a dense network of colonies. But there are tensions - the mineral-rich outer planets resent their dependence on Earth and Mars and the political and military clout they wield over the Belt and beyond.

Now, when Captain Jim Holden's ice miner stumbles across a derelict, abandoned ship, he uncovers a secret that threatens to throw the entire system into war. Attacked by a stealth ship belonging to the Mars fleet, Holden must find a way to uncover the motives behind the attack, stop a war and find the truth behind a vast conspiracy that threatens the entire human race.

Larry Correia

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Monster Hunter International, Monster Hunter Vendetta and Monster Hunter Alpha in one huge volume! Two New York Times bestsellers in together for the first time, and the first three entries in Larry Correia's blockbuster Monster Hunter series.

Monster Hunter International

Five days after Owen Zastava Pitt pushed his insufferable boss out of a fourteenth story window, he woke up in the hospital with a scarred face, an unbelievable memory, and a job offer. It turns out that monsters are real. All the things from myth, legend, and B-movies are out there, waiting in the shadows. Officially secret, some of them are evil, and some are just hungry. On the other side are the people who kill monsters for a living. Monster Hunter International is the premier eradication company in the business. And now Owen is their newest recruit.

It's actually a pretty sweet gig, except for one little problem. An ancient entity known as the Cursed One has returned to settle a centuries old vendetta. Should the Cursed One succeed, it means the end of the world, and MHI is the only thing standing in his way. With the clock ticking towards Armageddon, Owen finds himself trapped between legions of undead minions, belligerent federal agents, a cryptic ghost who has taken up residence inside his head, and the cursed family of the woman he loves.

Kady Cross

The Girl in the Clockwork Collar (Steampunk Chronicles 02) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781921796746

A J Dalton

The Empire of the Saviours Trade Paperback \$32.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780575123137

In the Empire of the Saviours, the People are forced to live in fortified towns. Their walls are guarded by an army of Heroes, whose task is to keep marauding pagans out as much as it is to keep the People inside. Several times a year, living Saints visit the towns to exact the Saviours' tithe from all those coming of age - a tithe often paid in blood.

When a young boy, Jillan, unleashes pagan magicks in an accident, his whole town turns against him. He goes on the run, but what hope can there be when the Saviours and the entire Empire decide he must be caught?

Jillan is initially hunted by just the soldiers of the Saint of his region, but others soon begin to hear of his increasing power and seek to use him for their own ends. Some want Jillan to join the fight against the Empire, others wish to steal his power for themselves and others still want Jillan to lead them to the Geas, the source of all life and power in the world. There are very few Jillan can trust, except for a ragtag group of outcasts.

His parents threatened, his life in tatters, his beliefs shaken to the core, Jillan must decide which side he is on and whether to fight or run

Tami Dane

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Searching for a suspect who murders his female victims at night, draining their bodies of blood, FBI agent Sloan Sky soon discovers what the killer is really after, forcing her to break all the rules and face her deepest fears.

MaryJanice Davidson

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Vampire queen Betsy Taylor tries to change the future after a friend returns from the dead.

Betsy's heartbroken over her friend Marc's death, but at least his sacrifice should change the future - her future - for the better. But it's not as if Betsy's next few hundred years will be perfect. After all, her half-sister Laura is the AntiChrist, Laura's mother is Satan, and family gatherings will always be more than a little awkward.

What's really bothering Betsy is that ever since she and Laura returned from visiting her mom in Hell, Laura's been acting increasingly peculiar. Maybe it's Laura's new job offer: as Satan's replacement down under. Unfortunately, the position comes at a damnable price: killing Betsy, her own flesh-and-blood.

Over Betsy's dead body. And for that matter Marc's, too, since he's not quite as buried as everyone thought. Now a war has been waged - one that's going to take sibling rivalry to a whole new level, and a dimension where only one sister can survive.

Melissa De La Cruz

Serpent's Kiss (Witches of East End 02) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780751547306

Serpent's Kiss (Witches of East End 02) Hardcover \$39.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781401323967

Everything ought to be perfect in the magical Long Island town of North Hampton now that Freya Beauchamp's twin brother, Freddie, is back. But their mother, Joanna, has always favoured son Freddie and his assertion that Freya's fiancé Killian Gardiner (Baldur) was the one who set up his downfall threatens to fracture the delicate family dynamics as the Beauchamps are forced to take sides against each other.

Freddie spends his days either on the couch sleeping, or sleeping around. When their father Norman helps him find a job on a fishing vessel, Freddie's uncontrollable magic causes mayhem aboard the ship and lands him in even more hot water.

Level-headed sister Ingrid attempts to maintain the peace between the warring twins, but she has problems of her own: her human boyfriend, detective Matt Noble, becomes entangled in a complicated investigation and when the magical creatures at the heart of it come to Ingrid for help, she has to choose between helping her kind and staying loyal to her love.

Freya and Killian plan their wedding only to discover an ancient rivalry that could keep them apart for ever. Things come to a head when the culprit behind Freddie's imprisonment is finally revealed, but it may be too late to staunch the poison that's been released in the family and the town.

Stephen Donaldson

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Return to the Land and Linden Amory's quest to rescue her son and save the Land from the Despiser!

Linden Avery watches from a balcony while Thomas Covenant and her adopted son, Jeremiah, ride desperately toward Revelstone. But their reunion has vast consequences which she could not have foreseen. Soon she is betrayed by the people whom she most needs to trust. Transported deep into the Land's past, she is forced to confront mysterious strangers, legendary heroes and ancient evils and to stand alone against the malevolence of the Despiser's minions.

Abandoned in Garroting Deep, the most bloodthirsty of the Land's long-dead forests, she reaches a fearsome decision: she determines to reshape reality in an attempt to end the Despiser's evil and her son's suffering. However, her purpose requires her to find Loric's krill, a weapon abandoned among the Hills of Andelain millennia ago. And she needs the aid of friends and allies who will turn against her if she reveals her intent.

Sara B Elfgren & Mats Strandberg

The Circle (Chosen Ones 01) Paperback \$16.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780099568537

Let the Witch Hunt Begin!

One night, when a strange red moon fills the sky, six school girls find themselves in an abandoned theme park, drawn there by a mysterious force. A student has just been found dead. Everyone suspects suicide.

Everyone - except them. In that derelict fairground an ancient prophecy is revealed. They are The Chosen Ones, a group of witches, bound together by a power, one which could destroy them all.

But they soon learn that despite their differences they need each other in order to master the forces that have been awakened within them. High school is now a matter of life and death. Because the killing has only just begun.

David Farland

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The great war with the Wyrmling Hordes is over, and mankind has lost. Lord Despair has gathered an army of fell creatures, and is planning to unleash them like a wildfire across the stars. Those who oppose him know that the battle is all but lost. Though they stand against the darkness, they cannot hope to win with arms. Indeed, they stand against him armed with little more than principles alone. Fallion and Tuul Ra, with only a handful of allies, must hope that with resolve and cunning alone they can win the day, before darkness closes upon them for ever . . .

Bill Fawcett (Editor), John Ringo, S M Stirling, Harry Turtledove

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After the extinction asteroid DOESN'T strike Earth, the dinosaurs keep evolving – but so do the mammals. We mammals have achieved human-like shapes, but now it's cold-blooded, magic-using reptiles against the hot-blooded, hot-tempered descendants of cats.

In a heroic, bronze-age world similar to 300, the Mrem Clan of the Claw and its sister warbands are expanding their rough-and-tumble territory, but now they face the Lishkash, masters of a cold-blooded empire of slave armies and magic. It's mammalian courage and adaptation against reptile cunning in a clash of steel and will that will determine which line shall inherit the Earth.

Lynn Flewelling

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The Nightrunners are back in this gripping novel full of Lynn Flewelling's trademark action, intrigue, and richly imagined characters.

More than the dissolute noblemen they appear to be, Alec and Seregil are skillful spies, dedicated to serving queen and country. But when they stumble across evidence of a plot pitting Queen Phoria against Princess Klia, the two Nightrunners will find their loyalties torn as never before. Even at the best of times, the royal court at RhA-minee is a serpents' nest of intrigue, but with the war against Plenimar going badly, treason simmers just below the surface.

And that's not all that poses a threat: A mysterious plague is spreading through the crowded streets of the city, striking young and old alike—a plague that may well be magical in nature. Now, as panic mounts and the body count rises, hidden secrets emerge. And as Seregil and Alec are about to learn, conspiracies and plagues have one thing in common: The cure can be as deadly as the disease.

Eric Flint & Ryk Spoor

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When the strange fossil she'd discovered gave her a trip to Mars, Helen Sutter thought she'd gone about as far as any paleontologist would ever go in her lifetime. But when you're married to an overconfident super-sensor expert for the only private agency in space - the Ares Corporation - and your best friend is a former secret agent for the Interplanetary Research Institute of the United Nations, there's always somewhere farther to go.

Soon Helen's new discoveries will lead her to the mysterious asteroid Ceres and beyond in a desperate race to reach Jupiter's perilous miniature system of radiation-bombarded moons. It seems the next gold rush is on - or alien technology.

And there are people willing to do anything to get it - even if they must start the Solar System's first interplanetary war!

Jacquelyn Frank

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They are the Nightwalkers, mysterious beings who dwell in the shadows of our world and Damien, the Vampire Prince, is among the most powerful of them all. But one woman will tempt him with a desire unlike anything he has known and together they will face a terrifying relentless foe... As reigning Vampire Prince, Damien has tasted every pleasure the world has to offer - consorting with kings and queens and delighting in sensual adventure. Now, tired of such pursuits, he devotes his energies to protecting his people. The war between human necromancers and Nightwalkers has escalated and when the enemy makes a daring move, kidnapping Syreena, a Lycanthrope Princess, Damien boldly follows. He succeeds in rescuing her, but is unprepared for the erotic longing her lush sensuality awakens in him.

Noah (*Nightwalkers 05*) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780749955397

The Nightwalkers have lived in the shadows of our world for centuries, gifted with abilities few humans can comprehend. For Noah, duty is all - until he meets the woman who is his destiny...

As Demon King, Noah is dedicated to protecting his kind from their enemies. Yet for months he has struggled with vivid dreams that threaten his very sanity. Every night he's tormented by images of a woman both achingly real and tantalisingly beyond his grasp - until he has no choice but to force her to leave the life she's known and enter a world beyond her imagining...

Kestra has sworn never to trust or need another man, but Noah's lightest touch scorches her with fevered desire, branding her as his mate, blinding them both to the terrifying truth. For within the ranks of their own people lies an adversary growing in number and power. And nothing and no one will be safe again.

Leah Giarratano Australian Author

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A psychopath ... an empath ... a genius. Three siblings who will save the world - or destroy it. They know nothing of each other. They know nothing of the Telling. But they'll need to learn fast if they're going to survive...

A gripping new series about a collision of worlds, the power of destiny, and the darkness in us all...

Mira Grant

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The gripping finale to the science fiction zombie-thriller Newsflash trilogy. The truth won't rest and neither will the dead...

The year is 2041 and Shaun Mason is having a bad day. Everyone he knows is dead or in hiding. The world is doing its best to end itself for the second time. The Centre for Disease Control is out to get him. With too much left to do and not much time left to do it in, he must face mad scientists, zombie bears and rogue government agencies before the conspiracy that killed Georgia manages to kill the only thing he has left of her - the truth. And if there's one thing he knows is true in this post-zombie, post-resurrection America, it's this: things can always get worse.

Simon R Green

Live and Let Drood (*Secret Histories 06*) Hardcover \$39.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780451464521

The name is Bond, Shaman Bond. Better known as Drood, Eddie Drood. Yes, I'm one of those Droods--the family who've been keeping the forces of evil contained in the shadows for as long as humans have walked the earth. Recently I suffered a slight case of death, but thanks to Molly, my best girl (who happens to be a powerful witch), I got over that right quick. Unfortunately my family wasn't so lucky. In my absence, Drood Hall was destroyed and all my relatives were killed. Which left me as the last of the Droods. I didn't much like being the last Drood, I can tell you--and then I realized that things weren't as they seemed. Someone had activated a dimensional engine, sending my Drood Hall off to an alternate Earth, replacing it with a burnt-out doppelganger. My family is still alive out there. Somewhere. And nothing's going to stop me from finding them...

Laurell K Hamilton

Hit List (*Anita Blake 20*) A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780515150896

A serial killer is hunting the Pacific Northwest, murdering victims in a gruesome and spectacular way. The local police suspect monsters are involved, and have called in Anita Blake and Edward, U.S. Marshals who really know their monsters, to catch the killer.

But some monsters are very real--and even to speak their name can earn you a death sentence. The bogeymen of the vampire world, The Harlequin, are here in America hunting weretigers and human police. But Edward thinks the serial killings are just a trap--to lure Anita ever closer to the most dangerous vampire they've ever hunted

Kiss the Dead (*Anita Blake*) Trade Paperback \$29.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780755388998

Kiss the Dead (*Anita Blake*) Hardcover \$39.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780425247549

When a fifteen-year-old girl is abducted by vampires, it's up to U.S. Marshal Anita Blake to find her. And when she does, she's faced with something she's never seen before: a terrifyingly ordinary group of people--kids, grandparents, soccer moms--all recently turned and willing to die to avoid serving a master. And where there's one martyr, there will be more... But even vampires have monsters that they're afraid of. And Anita is one of them..

Warren Hammond

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Juno Mozambe once had a life. That was when he was a dirty cop, married to a woman who suffered such profound abuse that she murdered her vile, drug kingpin father. Juno loved his wife and did his best to help her survive her guilt, her drug habit, and her desire to end her life on the dead-end planet of Lagarto.

When she died, however, Juno's life went downhill. And then his first partner, the corrupt chief of the Koba Office of Police, was murdered. The man responsible, Emil Mota, is using the KOP for his personal gain. Juno has been laying low, but now he's ready to do whatever it takes to take down the bastard.

Rather than working from inside the system, he's decided that the only way to take down the KOP is to create an independent base of power. So he gets involved with a team of dirty cops and starts working as a rent-a-thug for a warehouse that needs protection.

Juno's last partner knows that his risky plan has a purpose, but she's that rarest of creatures on the hothouse planet of Lagarto: an honest cop. She can't help him.

When Juno discovers a series of profoundly twisted murders, he faces a bleak possibility: in his desperate quest for vengeance against the man who targeted him for death, Juno may have placed himself beyond any hope of redemption....

Frances Hardinge

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In Caverna, lies are an art – and everyone's an artist...

In the underground city of Caverna the world's most skilled craftsmen toil in the darkness to create delicacies beyond compare – wines that can remove memories, cheeses that can make you hallucinate and perfumes that convince you to trust the wearer, even as they slit your throat. The people of Caverna are more ordinary, but for one thing: their faces are as blank as untouched snow. Expressions must be learned, and only the famous Facesmiths can teach a person to show (or fake) joy, despair or fear – at a price.

Into this dark and distrustful world comes Neverfell, a little girl with no memory of her past and a face so terrifying to those around her that she must wear a mask at all times. For Neverfell's emotions are as obvious on her face as those of the most skilled Facesmiths, though entirely genuine. And that makes her very dangerous indeed...

Steven Harper

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In an age where fantastic inventions of steam and brass have elevated Britain and China into mighty empires, Alice Michaels faces a future of technological terrors.

Once, Gavin Ennock sailed the skies on airships and enchanted listeners with his fiddle music. Now, the clockwork plague consumes his intellect, enabling him to conceive and construct scientific wonders - while driving him quite mad. Distressed by her beloved's unfortunate condition, Alice Michaels sought a cure rumored to be inside the Doomsday Vault - and brought the wrath of the British Empire down on them.

Declared enemies of the Crown, Alice and Gavin have little choice but to flee to China in search of a cure. Accompanying them is Dr. Clef, a mad genius driven to find the greatest and most destructive force the world has ever seen: The Impossible Cube. If Dr. Clef gets his hands on it, the entire universe will face extinction.

And Gavin holds the key to its recreation

Charlaine Harris

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When small-town cocktail waitress Sookie Stackhouse sees her brother Jason's eyes start to change, she knows he's about to turn into a were-panther for the first time. But her concern becomes cold fear when a sniper sets his deadly sights on the local changeling population, and Jason's new panther brethren suspect he may be the shooter. Now, Sookie has until the next full moon to find out who's behind the attacks - unless the killer decides to find her first

Thea Harrison

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He's a wyr warrior, a god of storms. She's the heir to the Dark Fae throne. But desire will bring both to their knees in this all-new Novel of the Elder Races.

During the rule of her murderous Dark Fae uncle, Thistle 'Tricks' Periwinkle found sanctuary among the wyr in New York. Her ethereal beauty and sparkling personality won the hearts of the public, but after her uncle's death, there are those who don't want to see her ascend to the throne.

Able to wield thunder and lightning, wyr sentinel Tiago Black Eagle has ruled the skies for centuries. His massive build and thunderous power make him one of the wyr's best weapons. And he's sent to protect Tricks when she's almost assassinated in Chicago.

Soon, both Tiago and Tricks will fall prey to the stormy hunger that engulfs them - a passion that will shake the very foundation of all the worlds.

Pete Hautman

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The first time his father disappeared, Tucker Feye had just turned thirteen. The Reverend Feye simply climbed on the roof to fix a shingle, let out a scream, and vanished-only to walk up the driveway an hour later, looking older and worn, with a strange girl named Lahlia in tow. In the months that followed, Tucker watched his father grow distant and his once loving mother slide into madness. But then both of his

parents disappear. Now in the care of his wild Uncle Kosh, Tucker begins to suspect that the disks of shimmering air he keeps seeing-one right on top of the roof-hold the answer to restoring his family. And when he dares to step into one, he's launched on a time-twisting journey-from a small Midwestern town to a futuristic hospital run by digitally augmented healers, from the death of an ancient prophet to a forest at the end of time. Inevitably, Tucker's actions alter the past and future, changing his world forever.

James Herbert

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Remember with fear...

When private investigator Nicholas Dismas is hired to track down a missing baby stolen away at birth, he finds himself immersed in a grim underworld of lies and deceit. His investigations ultimately lead him to a mysteriously located place with the seemingly innocent name of Perfect Rest, a nursing home where the elderly can live out their days in peace...

But appearances can be deceptive and Dismas discovers the shadowy presence of the Others lurking in the hidden rooms and passages of Perfect Rest. His own dark heart is called into question in the events that follow and, in an astonishing and spectacular finale, Dismas finally resolves the enigma of his existence and answers the disturbing questions... who and what are the Others?

Douglas Hulick

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The newest Gray Prince in the underworld, Drothe, with everyone out for his blood, travels to the Despotate of Djan where he must convince a friend he betrayed to help him prove his innocence in the murder of another Gray Prince.

Larissa Ione

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The prophecies were there...but no one listened. They are the four Horsemen of the Apocalypse and they have the power to usher in Doomsday...or prevent it.

Eight months ago, demon-slayer Regan Matthews seduced the fourth Horseman of the Apocalypse, Thanatos. Now, she's pregnant with his child - a child who, if prophecies are to be believed, is fated to save the world. But things aren't always as they appear and the baby conceived by two warriors may yet be the very catalyst that kicks off Armageddon.

Thanatos, who will be Death when his Seal breaks, never thought he'd have a family, but as he grows close to Regan and his unborn son, he allows himself to dream. But as the world edges closer to the end of days and his evil brother plots against him, Thanatos realises that the sacrifice he must make will destroy everything he dreamed of having.

Benedict Jacka Australian Author

Cursed (Alex Verus 03) A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781937007591

Since his second sight made him infamous for defeating powerful dark mages, Alex has been keeping his head down. But now he's discovered the resurgence of a forbidden ritual. Someone is harvesting the life-force of magical creatures - destroying them in the process. And draining humans is next on the agenda. Hired to investigate, Alex realizes that not everyone on the Council wants him delving any deeper. Struggling to distinguish ally from enemy, he finds himself the target of those who would risk their own sanity for power...

Trent Jamieson Australian Author

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The conclusion of the Night-Bound Land duology. The Roil has not yet been defeated - and the Roil extends its grip on Shale, following the commands of the Dreaming Cities. Wars will be fought. Doomsday weapons employed. And night will fall.

N K Jemisin

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Gujaareh, the city of dreams, suffers under the imperial rule of the Kisuati Protectorate. A city where the only law was peace now knows violence and oppression. And nightmares: a mysterious and deadly plague haunts the citizens of Gujaareh, dooming the infected to die screaming in their sleep. Trapped between dark dreams and cruel overlords, the people yearn to rise up - but Gujaareh has known peace for too long. Someone must show them the way.

Hope lies with two outcasts: the first woman ever allowed to join the dream goddess' priesthood and an exiled prince who longs to reclaim his birthright. Together, they must resist the Kisuati occupation and uncover the source of the killing dreams...before Gujaareh is lost forever.

Carrie Jones

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Zara is back from Valhalla after successfully rescuing Nick. Bedford needs their best warrior now more than ever, as the evil pixie regime is causing mass destruction and chaos everywhere. Though Nick's job is clear, Zara's role is a lot more uncertain. She's not just fighting for her friends - she's also a pixie queen. And to align her team of pixies with the humans she loves so much will not be as easy as she hopes. Especially since she can't even reconcile her growing feelings for her pixie king . . .

Julia Karr

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An exciting dystopian thriller, and sequel to XVI

Nina Oberon's life has changed enormously in the last few months. When her mother was killed, Nina discovered the truth about her father, the leader of the Resistance. And now she sports the same Governing Council-ordered tattoo of XVI on her wrist that all sixteen-year-old girls have. The one that announces to the world that she is easy prey to predators. But Nina won't be anyone's stereotype. And when she joins an organization of girls working within the Resistance, she knows that they can put an end to one of the most terrifying secret programs the GC has ever conceived. Because the truth always comes out . . . and the consequences can be deadly.

Lauren Kate

Rapture (Fallen 04) Trade Paperback \$24.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780385618120

The sky is dark with wings... And time is running out for Luce and Daniel. In order to stop Lucifer from erasing the past, they must find the place where the Fall began. Only Luce can break the curse, and it is her choice alone that will decide all their fates. But as Dark Forces gather, great sacrifices will be made in this final epic struggle... In the fight for Luce, and for love, who will win?

Anna Kendall

Crossing Over (01) B Paperback \$16.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781780620572

Whether it's a curse or a blessing the fact remains: whenever Roger is in enough pain he can cross over to the Land of the Dead and speak to the people there. It's an unexpected gift - and one that, throughout Roger's life, his violent uncle has taken advantage of. Roger has been hauled from fairground to fairground, and beaten into unconsciousness, in order to bring word of the dead to the recently bereaved. It's a hard, painful way of life, deceiving the living for a crust of bread. So when Roger has the chance of a new life, it seems a gift. He has a chance at safety and at living a life of his choosing, tucked away in the royal court. But life is unexpected, and when Roger falls in love with the bewitching, willful Lady Cecilia he has no idea what he is letting himself in for. With every step he takes towards her, he is drawn deeper into court intrigue, into politics, and even into war and when Roger's curious abilities come to the Queen's attention, everything changes forever. Trapped in courtly politics, bound by secrets, Roger is torn between his own safety and that of his friends. He can save them . . . but only if he can bring himself to perform a deed so unthinkable that the living and the dead shrink from it alike. . .

Sherrilyn Kenyon

Dark Side Of The Moon (Dark Hunter) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780749956318

Susan Michaels is a reporter on a mission to resurrect her professional reputation. And she only has to brave her cat allergy at a local animal shelter to follow the lead that could get her off the tabloid beat forever. But she gets more than she bargained for when she inadvertently adopts one of the cats... As soon as she gets home the cat turns into a gorgeous naked man. Ravyn is entirely unique - a Were-Hunter who became a Dark-Hunter as well. Suddenly, Susan is pulled into Ravyn's mysterious world - one full of danger and magic. And, despite the way he makes her sneeze, despite the danger that swirls around him, she just can't resist him...

Devil May Cry (Dark Hunter) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780749956417

Ever since that moment his status as a god was revoked by Artemis, Sin has done nothing but plot his revenge. He kidnaps a woman he believes to be the goddess, but she is Artemis' servant, Katra. And instead of imprisoning her, Katra captures him and refuses to release him until he promises not to seek vengeance on her mistress.

Despite himself, Sin finds himself intrigued by Katra, who is nothing like the goddess she serves. She's fierce, true, but she's also compassionate and loyal. However, Sin is not the only enemy Artemis has and it quickly becomes apparent that he must help Katra save her mistress or the world as we know it will end. What's a wannabe god to do?

The Dream Hunter (Dark Hunter) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780749956363

In the ethereal world of dreams there are champions who fight to protect the dreamer and there are demons who prey on them.

Arik is such a predator. Condemned by the gods to live for eternity without emotions, Arik can only feel when he's in the dreams of others. Now, after thousands of years, he's finally found a dreamer whose vivid mind can fill his emptiness. Dr Megeara Kafieri made a reluctant promise to her dying father that she would salvage his reputation by proving his life-long belief that Atlantis is real. But frustration and bad luck dog her every step. Especially the day they find a stranger floating in the sea. His is a face she has seen many times...in her dreams.

Stephen King, Peter David & Robin Furth**Dark Tower: The Battle of Jericho Hill (Dark Tower)** Trade Paperback \$27.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780785129547

The world has moved on. Nine years gone since the gunslingers protected the land. Nine years gone since the fall of Gilead, when the Good Man's dark army brutally took the ancient city from those same gunslingers and pushed them into the wilderness beyond.

With the Affiliation busted, it's been a time of retrenchment for Roland and what remains of his ka-tet, hiding and on the run from marauding mutants and Farson's mercenaries. But now, with the revelation that one of the Beams that support the Dark Tower is broken, things couldn't possibly be any worse: First Roland's homeland and now Mid-World itself, are on the brink of destruction.

The Dark Tower series concludes with a final showdown between darkness and light at Jericho Hill!

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Feast your imagination on entrees, desserts, snacks, and drinks that will make your fantasies a reality!

M D Lachlan**Fenrir (02)** B Paperback \$22.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780575089655

The Vikings are laying siege to Paris. As the houses on the banks of the Seine burn a debate rages in the Cathedral on the walled island of the city proper. The situation is hopeless. The Vikings want the Count's sister, in return they will spare the rest of the city. Can the Count really have ambitions to be Emperor of the Franks if he doesn't do everything he can to save his people? Can he call himself a man if he doesn't do everything he can to save his sister?

His conscience demands one thing, the demands of state another. The Count and the church are relying on the living saint, the blind and crippled Jehan of St Germain, to enlist the aid of God and resolve the situation for them.

But the Vikings have their own gods. And outside their camp a terrifying brother and sister, priests of Odin, have their own agenda. An agenda of darkness and madness. And in the shadows a wolfman lurks

Mercedes Lackey**Beauty and the Werewolf (Five Hundred Kingdoms)** A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780373803460

The eldest daughter is often doomed in fairy tales. But Bella - Isabella Beauchamps, daughter of a wealthy merchant - vows to escape the usual pitfalls.

Anxious to avoid the traditional path, Bella dons a red cloak and ventures into the forbidden forest to consult with "Granny," the local wisewoman. But on the way home she's attacked by a wolf - who turns out to be a cursed nobleman. Secluded in his castle, Bella is torn between her family and this strange man who creates marvelous inventions and makes her laugh - when he isn't howling at the moon.

Bella knows all too well that breaking spells is never easy. But a determined beauty, a wizard (after all, he's only an occasional werewolf) and a little Godmotherly interference might just be able to bring about a happy ending.

Home from the Sea (Elemental Masters 08) Hardcover \$39.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780756407278

Fledgling Water Master Mari Prothero rebels against her expected arranged marriage at age eighteen until she learns that her family's magical heritage is actually protected by these unions.

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Richard Whitestone is an Elemental Earth Master. Blaming himself for the death of his beloved wife in childbirth, he has sworn never to set eyes on his daughter, Suzanne. But when he finally sees her, a dark plan takes shape in his twisted mind--to use his daughter's body to bring back the spirit of his long-dead wife.

Derek Landy**Death Bringer (Skullduggery Pleasant 06)** B Paperback \$14.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780007466795

The Necromancers no longer need Valkyrie to be their Death Bringer, and that's a Good Thing.

There's just one catch. There's a reason the Necromancers don't need her any more - because they've found their Death Bringer already, the person who will dissolve the doors between life and death.

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Kasey MacKenzie**Blackhearted Betrayal (Shades of Fury 03)** A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781937007652

When she helps her mother with an unsettling friction brewing in the Sisterhood--a faction of Furies sworn to serve all the deities equally--Marissa Holloway, a Fury on a leave of absence from her mortal job for the Boston PD, becomes caught in a civil war and unable to choose a side.

Todd McCaffrey**Dragon's Time (Pern)** A Paperback \$14.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780552162456

Although Lorana cured the dragons' sickness so many died from the disease that there are no longer enough dragons to fight the deadly Thread, and more dragons and their riders die each Threadfall. With their numbers dwindling, Lorana made the decision to fly forward in time in a desperate bid to bring dragons from the future to fight Thread. She knew that jumping so far in time would result in her losing her baby, but without her jump all life on Pern is doomed. Back at Telgar Weyr Fiona, Kindan and T'mar realise what Lorana has done. They are desperately sad, but two things give them hope. The first is that Fiona is expecting twins, and the second the fact that all the dragonriders are exhausted, a sign that they are Timing it - existing elsewhere in space and time - which gives them hope that Lorana has found a way through time to help them. Sure enough, led by messages left for them by Lorana, they fly through space to the Dawn Sisters, the ships hanging in space that brought their ancestors to Pern. From there they look down at the beautiful planet and see a previously undiscovered continent - this is where they are Timing it and where they are reunited with Lorana. Now they can increase the number and strength of the dragons before going back to their own time to fight Thread. Although Lorana found she couldn't break time, she has found a way to cheat it.

Kelly McCullough

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When a good deed lands them in the middle of a three-way battle to find an artifact that might prevent a war, former temple assassin Aral Kingslayer and Triss, a living shadow who is his secret partner, must stop this priceless treasure from falling into one of the many factions on their trail.

J M McDermott

Never Knew Another (Dogsland Trilogy 01) Trade Paperback \$24.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781597802154

Fugitive Rachel Nolander is a newcomer to the city of Dogsland, where the rich throw parties and the poor just do whatever they can to scrape by. Supported by her brother Djoss, she hides out in their squalid apartment, living in fear that someday, someone will find out that she is the child of a demon. Corporal Jona Lord Joni is a demon's child too, but instead of living in fear, he keeps his secret and goes about his life as a cocky, self-assured man of the law. The first book in the Dogsland Trilogy, *Never Knew Another* is the story of how these two outcasts meet.

Jack McDevitt & Les Johnson (Editors) Editor

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Will McIntosh

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What happens when resources become scarce and society starts to crumble? As the competition for resources pulls America's previously stable society apart, the "New Normal" is a Soft Apocalypse. This is how our world ends; with a whimper instead of a bang.

New social structures and tribal connections spring up across America, as the previous social structures begin to dissolve. *Soft Apocalypse* follows the journey across the Southeast of a tribe of formerly middle class Americans as they struggle to find a place for themselves and their children in a new, dangerous world that still carries the ghostly echoes of their previous lives.

Eoin McNamee

The Ghost Roads (Ring of Five 03) B Paperback \$16.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780857386885

The nefarious leader of the Ring of Five, Ambrose Longford, is still determined to control both the Upper World and Lower World. But Danny and his friends at Wilsons School for Spies stand in his way. As Danny struggles with his role in the spy world, Longford is attempting to bring down the other members of the Ring, to usurp all of its power. Or is he?

In this exhilarating conclusion to the Ring of Five trilogy, Eoin McNamee's twists and turns will leave readers wondering who they can believe in this dangerous world...

Richelle Mead

The Golden Lily (Bloodlines 02) Trade Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781921518478

Sydney Sage is an Alchemist, one of a group of humans who dabble in magic and serve to bridge the worlds of humans and vampires. They protect vampire secrets—and human lives.

Sydney would love to go to college, but instead, she's been sent into hiding at a posh boarding school in Palm Springs, California—tasked with protecting Moroi princess Jill Dragomir from assassins who want to throw the Moroi court into civil war. Formerly in disgrace, Sydney is now praised for her loyalty and obedience, and held up as the model of an exemplary Alchemist.

But the closer she grows to Jill, Eddie, and especially Adrian, the more she finds herself questioning her age-old Alchemist beliefs, her idea of family, and the sense of what it means to truly belong. Her world becomes even more complicated when magical experiments show Sydney may hold the key to prevent becoming Strigoi—the fiercest vampires, the ones who don't die. But it's her fear of being just that—special, magical, powerful—that scares her more than anything. Equally daunting is her new romance with Brayden, a cute, brainy guy who seems to be her match in every way. Yet, as perfect as he seems, Sydney finds herself being drawn to someone else—someone forbidden to her.

When a shocking secret threatens to tear the vampire world apart, Sydney's loyalties are suddenly tested more than ever before. She wonders how she's supposed to strike a balance between the principles and dogmas she's been taught, and what her instincts are now telling her.

Should she trust the Alchemists—or her heart?

Paul Melko

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Possessing technology that allows him to travel across alternate worlds, John Rayburn begins building a transdimensional commercial empire, led by him, his closest friends, and their doppelgngers from several different parallel universes. But not every version of every person is the same, and their agendas do not always coincide.

Despite their benign intentions, the group's activities draw unwanted attention from other dimensional travelers who covet their technology and will kill anyone to control it, a threat that culminates in a nuclear standoff for dominance throughout the multiverse.

Claire Merle

The Glimpse B Paperback \$15.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780571280537

In the near future, society is segregated according to genetic disposition towards mental illness. As a 'Pure' Ana leads a privileged existence, until she finds out there was a mistake with her test. Her relationship with a Pure boy might yet save her ... until he disappears, unleashing a chain of events that will destroy everything she has grown up to believe and teach her to love as she has never

Throughout England people are now divided into Pures and Crazies according to the results of a DNA test, with the Pures living in small Communities cut off from the madness of society, and the Crazies living outside the walls in the squalor and mayhem of the City. Until the age of fifteen, Ana has lived a privileged existence amongst the Pures, but her whole world crumbles when she finds out that there was a mistake with her Pure test. She is actually one of the Crazies, and one day in the near or distant future she will become sick.

But Ana has already been promised to Pure-boy Jasper Taurell. Jasper is from a rich and influential family and despite Ana's defects, wants to be with her. The authorities grant Ana a conditional reprieve. If she is joined to Jasper before her 18th birthday she may stay in the Community until her illness manifests. But if Jasper changes his mind, she will be cast out among the Crazies. As Ana's joining ceremony looms closer, she dares to hope she will be saved from the horror of the City and live a 'normal' life. But then Jasper disappears.

Led to believe Jasper has been taken by a strange sect the authorities will not interfere with, Ana sneaks out of her well-guarded Community to find him herself. Her search takes her through the underbelly of society and into the pits of the human soul. And as she delves deeper into the mystery of Jasper's abduction she uncovers some devastating truths that destroy everything she has grown up to believe, but she also learns to love as she has never loved before.

China Mieville

Railsea Trade Paperback \$29.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780230765122

On board the Medes, Sham yes ap Saroop watches in awe as he witnesses his first moldywarpe hunt. The giant mole bursting from the earth, the harpoonists targeting their prey – and the inevitable battle that follows between human and creature that will result in one's death and the other's glory. Travelling the rails of the Railsea, Sham knows there is more to life than hunting moles – even if his philosophy-seeking captain can think of nothing else but the ivory-coloured mole she's been chasing since it took her arm all those years ago. When they come across a derelict train, and Sham discovers salvage aboard – everything changes for him.

Martin Millar

Ruby and the Stone Age Diet B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780749957827

First published in 1989 and now back in print.

'From now on,' Ruby says to her friend, the narrator, 'We're going on the Stone Age diet. It means we only eat the sort of healthy things our ancestors would have eaten. Raw grains and fruits and stuff like that. That's what our bodies are made for.'

An admirable plan, but Ruby never eats and the narrator's attention span doesn't lend itself to routine. He's too busy pining for his ex-girlfriend, who broke up with him and left him with self-pity and a plant: an Aphrodite Cactus that, when it flowers, is supposed to seal the love of the giver to the receiver, according to Ruby. Ruby, who never wears any shoes (even in the dead of winter).

Though lovelorn and lonely, the narrator's life is rich with myth, demons, werewolves, gods and goddesses; everything is imbued with a spirit. There's Helena, goddess of electric guitar players; Ascanazl, an ancient and powerful Inca spirit who looks after lonely people; Shumash the sun god; the war and sexuality goddess Astarte; the muse Clio. In fact the only thing stronger and more sustaining than the narrator's fantasy life is his friendship with Ruby - the kind of friendship a body is made for.

David Moody

Purification (Autumn 03) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780575091399

Days pass...the world decays...purification begins.

One day in September a virulent plague spread throughout the world, killing billions in one day. Even now the full horror of the plague is just beginning, for the dead are not just dead

One small group of survivors is imprisoned in an underground base, trapped between the door to the outside world and the sealed entrance to the airtight cocoon where hundreds of soldiers sit and wait for rescue.

On the surface the crowd of bodies is growing in size every day, drawn there by the heat and the noise of the people hiding underground beneath their rotting feet. The sheer mass of decaying flesh above begins to cause problems for the military when vents become blocked, but a mission to clear the dead starts a vicious battle between the living and the dead. And there are far more of the dead.

Belinda Murrell Australian Author

Quest for the Sun Gem (Sun Sword 01) B Paperback \$15.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781742753812

After their village is attacked, a young brother and sister set off on a dangerous quest to save their captured family and friends - and free their land from the Sedah invaders. Where are Ethan and Lily's parents being held? And where have the Sun Sword and its magical gems been hidden? Joined by their friend Saxon and the determined Princess Roana, Ethan and Lily must solve puzzles and riddles, escape legendary sea monsters and outwit bandits along the way. But the greatest threat to the children is the sinister Sedah tracker, Sniffer, who is close on their trail...Can the four friends find the Sun Gem - before the Sedah can find them?

The Voyage of the Owl (Sun Sword 02) B Paperback \$15.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781742753829

Ethan, Lily, Saxon and Roana have cracked the code, only to find that the Moon Pearl is being sent by ship to the land of the invaders. The four children must give chase to save the precious stone! The fisherfolk can help. So can Saxon's mysterious acquaintance, Fox, a smuggler who will do anything for a pouch full of Roana's gold. But the sea is far more dangerous than the land. There are sea monsters and wild storms - not to mention the deadly warship they are chasing. Will Fox's stealthy black sloop, the Owl, carry them to safety, or will the Moon Pearl remain in the hands of their enemy?

Garth Nix Australian Author

Shade's Children B Paperback \$16.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781742379777

A dramatic dystopia, telling a story of courage and companionship in the face of ruthless, hi-tech enemies.

The Myrmidons were closing in. Soon they would surround him, silver nets shooting out to catch him in their sticky tracery. Then a Winger would come to take him away. Back to the Dorms. Or...straight to the Meat Factory. Gold-Eye turned to face the Myrmidons and hefted his steel spike. 'Kill me!' he screamed at the tall shapes approaching through the fog. 'Kill me!'

The city seems empty, but there are people - a desperate few - living precariously among the ruins. They are Shade's Children, and all they have is each other, their Change Talents - and Shade, who masterminds their struggle against the pitiless Overlords. But who, or what, is Shade? And where does his allegiance really lie?

A dramatic story of courage and companionship set against savage forces.

Alyson Noel

Fated (*Soul Seekers 01*) B Paperback \$16.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781447206804

Strange things have been happening to Daire Santos. Animals follow her, crows mock her, glowing people appear from nowhere. Worried that Daire's having a breakdown, her mother sends her to stay with the grandmother she's never met, who lives on the dusty plains of Enchantment, New Mexico. There Daire crosses paths with Dace, a gorgeous guy with unearthly blue eyes.

Her grandmother recognizes Daire's episodes for what they are – a call to her true destiny as a Soul Seeker, a person who can navigate between the living and the dead. Guided by her grandmother, Daire must be quick to learn how to harness her powers, because Dace's brother is an evil shape-shifter, out to steal them.

Daire must embrace her fate as a Soul Seeker and discover whether Dace is the guy she's meant to be with... or if he's allied with the enemy she's destined to destroy.

James Norcliffe

The Enchanted Flute Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9781869799267

Prepare for the battle to begin.

A flute that will only play one mysterious song? A strange old man in a wheel chair somehow rejuvenated by this music? A leap from a window into a strange and often frightening world where nobody can be trusted and from which there seems to be no escape? The Enchanted Flute sweeps Becky Pym and Johnny Cadman from the realities of modern day school and the suburbs into an ancient Arcadian world where an old battle is about to be reignited and where even older forces are preparing themselves. The flute Becky's mother bought at a pawn shop proves to be a catalyst, a prize all forces seek. Becky herself, as the one who plays its enchanted music, becomes the focus of their needs and animosities. Lost, pursued, separated at times, Becky and Johnny are swept along by events out of their control until the final confrontation between ancient enemies. A wonderfully inventive story resounding with familiar myths and old stories, but typically grounded in a contemporary sense. It's a delightfully, believable fantasy charged with musical language and a dangerous, menacing edge.

Sharon Page

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Games Of Passion... Lucy Drake is prepared to do all she must to save her family, even if that means giving herself as a sexual plaything to the Duke of Greystone. Desperate to keep her ability to shape-shift into dragon form a secret, she willingly enters an unfamiliar world of carnal ecstasy with the one man who is sworn to destroy all of her kind . . .

The Duke of Greystone will do whatever he must to discover the Drake family secret and uncover the whereabouts of his missing nephew. A vampire highly skilled in the ways of erotic pleasure and adept with games of dark seduction, he will prevail upon his sexual expertise to ensure Lucy's complete surrender . . .

Pamela Palmer

A Blood Seduction A Paperback \$17.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780062107497

When she stumbles upon a dark otherworld that only she can see, Quinn Lennox is at the mercy of Arturo Mazza, a vampire who, determined to save his people, refuses to let her go.

J A Pitts

Forged in Fire (*Sarah Beauhall 03*) Hardcover \$39.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780765324696

Practicing her Odin-granted magic while building a life with her partner, Katie, blacksmith-turned-dragon slayer Sarah is forced to confront a serial killer who is targeting the people she knows at the same time a crazed blood cult plots to destroy everything Sarah cares about.

Terry Pratchett & Stephen Baxter

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2015: Madison, Wisconsin. Junior cop Sally Jansson is called out to the house of Willis Lynsey, a reclusive scientist, for an animal-cruelty complaint: the man was seen forcing a horse in through the door of his home. Inside there is no horse. But Sally finds a kind of home-made utility belt. She straps this on - and 'steps' sideways into an America covered with virgin forest. Willis came here with equipment and animals, meaning to explore and colonise. And when Sally gets back, she finds Willis has put the secret of the belt on the internet. The great migration has begun... The Long Earth: our Earth is but one of a chain of parallel worlds, lying side by side in a higher space of possibilities, each differing from its neighbours by a little (or a lot): an infinite landscape of infinite possibilities. And the further away you travel, the stranger the worlds get. The sun and moon always shine, the basic laws of physics are the same. However, the chance events which have shaped our particular version of Earth, such as the dinosaur-killer asteroid impact, might not have happened and things may well have turned out rather differently. But only our Earth hosts mankind...

Terry Pratchett

The World of Poo (*Discworld*) Hardcover \$29.95 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780857521217

A charming tale for people of all ages (but especially for young Sam Vimes) from the pen of Miss Felicity Beedle, Discworld's premier children's author.

From Snuff: 'Vimes' prompt arrival got a nod of approval from Sybil, who gingerly handed him a new book to read to Young Sam. Vimes looked at the cover. The title was The World of Poo. When his wife was out of eyeshot he carefully leafed through it. Well, okay, you had to accept that the world had moved on and these days fairy stories were probably not going to be about twinkly little things with wings. As he turned page after page, it dawned on him that whoever had written this book, they certainly knew what would make kids like Young Sam laugh until they were nearly sick. The bit about sailing down the river almost made him smile. But interspersed with the scatology was actually quite interesting stuff about septic tanks and dunnakin divers and gongfermors and how dog muck helped make the very best leather, and other things that you never thought you would need to know, but once heard somehow lodged in your mind.'

Amanda Quick

Quicksilver (*Arcane Society 11*) B Paperback \$19.99 www.infinitas.com.au/Product.php?bar=9780749952273

In the latest sizzling Victorian novel from the compelling world of the mysterious Arcane Society, a paranormal killer pushes an unlikely duo's powers and passions to the limit. Virginia Dean wakes at midnight beside a dead body, with a bloody knife in her hand and no memory of the evening's events. Dark energy, emanating from the mirrors lining the room, overpowers her senses. With no apparent way in or out, she's rescued by a man she's met only once before, but won't soon forget. Owen Sweetwater inherited his family's talent for hunting the psychological monsters that prey on London's women and children and his investigation into the deaths of two glass-readers has led him here. The high-society types of the exclusive Arcane Society would consider her an illusionist, a charlatan, even a criminal, but Owen knows better. Virginia's powers are real - and they just might be the key to his investigation.

Irene Radford

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Skene Falls, Oregon, was a typical small town where everyone knew everyone else's business. But even small towns have their secrets - sometimes magical ones. Skene Falls was not only home to Desdemona and Benedict Carrick and their parents, it was also the dwelling place of the Pixies. When Thistle Down was exiled from Pixie and stranded in a human body, it marked the beginning of a campaign that would prove dangerous to all. Could Thistle, her human friends, and one Pixie named Chicory avert disaster?

Alastair Reynolds

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Mid-way through the 22nd century, when crime, war and disease have been eradicated, Geoffrey Akinya must travel to the moon in an attempt to protect his family's name and businesses from dangerous secrets his late grandmother left behind.

Michelle Rowen

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Michelle Rowen

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Making things worse are Sarah's growing feelings for Gideon, a bad boy who keeps showing a vulnerable side; but is it for real? Will Sarah's dark side take over? Or can she cure herself of the nightwalker curse in time to stop Gideon and finally get the chance to live happily ever after with Thierry forever?

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Julius Notte wants to protect Marguerite and not because someone just tried to take her head off. She doesn't know it yet, but she's his lifemate and he's determined to woo her.

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Ensign Andrew Dahl has just been assigned to the Universal Union Capital Ship Intrepid, flagship of the Universal Union since the year 2456. It's a prestige posting, and Andrew is thrilled all the more to be assigned to the ship's Xenobiology laboratory.

Life couldn't be better - until Andrew begins to pick up on the fact that (1) every Away Mission involves some kind of lethal confrontation with alien forces, (2) the ship's captain, its chief science officer, and the handsome Lieutenant Kerensky always survive these confrontations, and (3) at least one low-ranked crew member is, sadly, always killed.

Not surprisingly, a great deal of energy belowdecks is expended on avoiding, at all costs, being assigned to an Away Mission. Then Andrew stumbles on information that completely transforms his and his colleagues' understanding of what the starship Intrepid really is - and offers them a crazy, high-risk chance to save their own lives.

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Adria, wolf changeling and resilient soldier, has made a break with the past - one as unpredictable in love as it was in war. Now comes a new territory, and a devastating new complication: Riaz, a SnowDancer lieutenant already sworn to a desperate woman who belongs to another.

For Riaz, the primal attraction he feels for Adria is a staggering betrayal. For Adria, his dangerous lone-wolf appeal is beyond sexual. It consumes her. It terrifies her. It threatens to undermine everything she has built of her new life. But fighting their wild compulsion toward one another proves a losing battle.

Their coming together is an inferno - and a melding of two wounded souls who promise each other no commitment, no ties, no bonds. Only pleasure. Too late, they realize that they have more to lose than they ever imagined. Drawn into a cataclysmic Psy war that may alter the fate of the world itself, they must make a decision that might just break them both.

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And when they have, they will go back to their lives as if nothing has happened.

The world has the Fury. It will not rest until you are dead.

Cal, Brick and Daisy are three ordinary teenagers whose lives suddenly take a terrifying turn for the worst. They begin to trigger a reaction in everybody they meet, that makes friends and strangers alike want to tear them to pieces. These victims of the Fury - the ones that survive - manage to locate each other. But just when they think they have found a place to hide from the world, some of them begin to change ... They must fight to uncover the truth about the Fury before it's too late.

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But Rasten is not the only enemy hunting them in the frozen north and as Sierra's new allies struggle to identify friend from foe, Rasten approaches her with a plan to kill the master they both abhor. Sierra is forced to decide what price she is willing to pay for her freedom and her life.

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'I was born a monster. Although truthfully, I was only half monster. Half or whole, in the end it didn't matter. I had my weaknesses, same as anyone else. And I was facing one of them now.'

Cal and his half-brother Niko's lives are settling back to normal after stopping their bloodthirsty relatives from bringing about the apocalypse. They've found a new apartment and even gainful employment by starting an investigative agency in partnership with a glamorous Upper East Side vampire. Of course, their clientele tends to be a little ... unusual, but their money spends just the same.

Their latest job is undercover work for the Kin - New York's werewolf mafia - to sniff out proof of a set-up by a rival. The location is Moonshine, a gambling club for the otherworldly and Cal figures it will be an easy in-and-out sort of job. But as Niko likes to point out, nothing is more dangerous than overconfidence and when a brawl gets out of hand, it looks like he's right. Are Cal and Niko being set up themselves? And by people whose bite is much worse than their bark . . .

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Ian's ability to manipulate the dark has drawn interest from every syndicate in the world, most notably an invitation from Jake Tower. Though he has no interest in organized crime, Ian accepts the invite, because he's on a mission of his own. Ian has come to kill Tower's top Binder: Kori's little sister. Amid the tangle of lies, an unexpected thread of truth connecting Ian and Kori comes to light. But with opposing goals, they'll have to choose between love and liberty?.

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The one man who holds the key to defeating Cain is, of course, Abel. A mage with secrets to spare and, hopefully, the power to match it. Unfortunately, for Sabina, he's in Rome and may not want to be found.

Sabina sets out for Italy with her friends, Giguhl and Adam Lazarus, to track down the only man who can get her the revenge she hungers for. But will he help her or oppose her? And just who is Abel, really? Worst of all, when Sabina figures out the goddess Lilith has a plan for her-she realizes this trip is getting deadlier by the minute. As they say: when in Rome-SURVIVE.

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But this summer, everything has changed - security fences are everywhere and Ordinary Farm is in no small danger. Shortly after Uncle Gideon declares he wants to leave the farm to Tyler and Lucinda, he goes missing, and the children suspect the evil hand of the witch-housekeeper, Mrs. Needle. But then Gideon just as mysteriously returns, weak and unwell. Mrs. Needle persuades him that the children are conspiring against him and, suddenly, horribly, the tables are turned...

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G S Manson Australian Author

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In the wake of the Cataclysm, conflict has engulfed every corner of Azeroth. Hungering for more resources amid the turmoil, the Horde has pressed into Ashenvale to feed its burgeoning war machine. There, acting warchief Garrosh Hellscream has employed a brutal new tactic to conquer the region and crush its night elf defenders, a move that will cripple the Alliance's power throughout Azeroth.

Unaware of the disaster brewing in Ashenvale, the night elves' legendary leaders, High Priestess Tyrande Whisperwind and Archdruid Malfurion Stormrage, conduct a summit near Darnassus in order to vote the proud worgen of Gilneas into the Alliance. However, resentment of Gilneas and its ruler, Genn Greymane, runs deep in Stormwind's King Varian Wrynn. His refusal to forgive Genn for closing his nation off from the rest of the world years ago endangers more than just the summit: it threatens to unravel the Alliance itself.

Varian's animosity is only one of many unsettling developments in Darnassus. An uneasiness creeps over the once-immortal night elves as the first of them fall victim to the infirmities of age. While they cope with their mortality, tensions flare over the reintroduction of the Highborne, formerly the highest caste of night elf nobility, into their society. Many night elves are unable to pardon the Highborne for the destruction unleashed millennia ago by their reckless use of magic.

When a murdered Highborne is discovered on the outskirts of Darnassus, Malfurion and Tyrande move to stop further bloodshed and unrest by appointing one of the night elves' most cunning and skilled agents to find the killer: the renowned warden Maiev Shadowsong. Yet with all that is transpiring in Darnassus, the Alliance might be powerless to stop the relentless new warchief Garrosh from seizing the whole of Ashenvale.

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Warhammer 40,000

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The Dakkajet is a blur of colour and noise amidst the smoke and clamour of battle. Propelled by a single, massive jet engine, it roars through the sky, gunz blazing a near constant stream of bullets, tormenting fleeing infantry or enemy aircraft. Dakkajet pilots believe firmly in quantity over quality, and commonly bolt as many big shootas as possible to their aircraft - some of those bullets are bound to hit the target.

For some flyboyz, guns might not be as fun as flamethrowers. Orks love fire and it was therefore inevitable that someday a Mek would think of attaching canisters of volatile promethium to the underside of an Ork Bommer - thus the Burna-Bommer was born. Armed with burna bombs and skorcha rokkits, the Burna-Bommer performs its attack runs at as low an altitude as possible. Such a technique is, as you can imagine, not without its hazards...

The Blitza-Bommer is suitable for the bravest (some might say the most unhinged) flyboy. These aircrafts 'aim' their bombs by diving at the target, releasing their Boom Bomb at the very last moment possible - something which tends to panic the onboard Grot Gunner. As every flyboy knows, you go much faster when plummeting downwards, and some Orks completely forget to pull out of their dive and end up smashing into the ground. Once they've blown everything up (and hopefully not themselves) then there's a pair of super shootas ready to mop up any stray or squishy targets.

This multi-part plastic boxed set contains 114 components (including a clear plastic canopy) with which to build one Ork Bommer, and it can make either a Dakkajet, Burna-Bommer or Blitza-Bommer. As well as a Grot Gunner, it includes a range of weapons options: a big shoota, boom bombs, burna bombs, skorcha rokkits and supa shootas - everything budding flyboyz need to create big explosions. It comes with a flying stem and large oval base, as well as an Ork Bommer transfer sheet. This kit is supplied unpainted and requires assembly.

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The Stormtalon Gunship serves the armies of the Adeptus Astartes as both an interceptor and ground-attack craft. It is fast enough to engage all but the swiftest of enemies, and sufficiently well-armed to reduce the chosen foe to a mangle of twisted wreckage and ruined flesh. The tide of many a battle has turned with the thunderbolt descent of a Stormtalon Gunship from the war-torn skies.

The Stormtalon Gunship is a remarkably versatile and dependable craft. On the one hand you can use it as an aerial escort to protect your most valuable units on the battlefield. However, you could just as easily send it screaming across the battlefield at the vanguard of your assaults, alongside your swift ground units and vehicles, ready to plough into enemy lines. Either way, you can depend upon its ferocious firepower. Whether you point its many weapons at enemy positions on the ground or at aerial opponents, you'll find it is more than capable of obliterating the threat.

This multi-part plastic boxed set contains 90 components (including a clear plastic canopy) with which to build one Space Marine Stormtalon Gunship. It can be equipped with an array of weapons including a twin-linked heavy bolter, a twin-linked assault cannon, a twin-linked lascannon, a typhoon missile launcher or a skyhammer missile launcher. It comes with a flying stem and large oval base, as well as a Space Marine Vehicle transfer sheet. This kit is supplied unpainted and requires assembly.

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The Night Scythe is the Necrons' favoured tool of invasion, a variant of the Doom Scythe that replaces some of the fighter's heaviest weaponry in favour of a troop transport capacity. This is not to say that the Night Scythe is in any way defenceless - quite the opposite. With its twin-linked tesla destructor, and the nerve-shredding shriek of its engines, the Night Scythe is still a formidable fighter craft in its own right.

Necron commanders will find an armada of Doom Scythes and Night Scythes to be immensely beneficial to their battle calculations. Doom Scythes can be sent ahead of your Necron infantry, where their death rays will rip apart enemy lines or eliminate any potential threats from above. Then, after their infantry has been decimated, imagine the look of horror upon your enemy's face when your Night Scythe drifts across the battlefield only to teleport Necron Warriors from out of its wormhole gateway and into the mêlée...

This multi-part plastic boxed set contains 51 components with which to build one Necron Night Scythe or Necron Doom Scythe, and its weapons include a twin-linked tesla destructor and a death ray. It comes with a flying stem and large oval base, as well as a Necron transfer sheet. This kit is supplied unpainted and requires assembly.

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