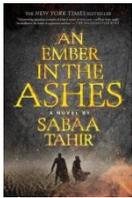




MANIACAL RULERS



An Ember in the Ashes by Sabaa Tahir. Laia is a Scholar, the lowest of the low and her brother has been taken by The Masks. He is her only living family member and she will risk

her life to find him. Elias is a Mask but he doesn't want to be. Laia and Elias' paths cross when Laia goes undercover as a slave at Elias' military school to get information on her brother.

WAR



Winner's Curse by Marie Rutkoski - Kestral is a Valorian and the General's daughter. Arin is a Herrani slave who is purchased by Kestral. Kestral has the gift of seeing lies but can she see Arin's lies? Also in the

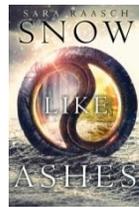
Series: **The Winner's Crime & The Winner's Kiss**

The Red Queen by Victoria Aveyard - Mare Barrow is a Red-a lowly,



uneducated, slave with disgusting red blood. The Silvers are like gods because they have powers and their veins run with silver blood.

Mare doesn't want to be drafted but she has no choice; until a stranger changes her life. She soon finds herself betrothed to a Silver prince and forced to maintain the oppression of the Reds. Also in the Series: **Glass Sword**



Snow Like Ashes by Sara Raasch -The Kingdom of Winter has been overturned and stripped of their magic. The eight survivors go on a quest to retake their kingdom and their magic.

Also in the Series: **Ice Like Fire & Frost Like Night**



The False Prince (The Ascendance

Trilogy) by Jennifer Nielsen - The royal family has been murdered and their confidant, Connor,

goes on a mission to find their missing eldest son to take the throne. The crowned prince, however, is lost and Connor finds orphans to train to impersonate the prince. Also in the Series: **The Runaway King & The Shadow Throne**

POWERFUL WOMEN



Throne of Glass by Sarah J. Maas - Celaena Sardothian is plucked from the salt mines prisons as The Crowned Prince's Champion to compete to be the king's personal

assassin. Celaena must fight men three times her size, magical queens, and her own demons to become champion. Also in the Series: **Crown of Midnight, Heir of Fire, & Queen of Shadows**



The Kiss of Deception by Mary E. Pearson - Lia, a First Daughter, is betrothed to a prince she has never met to bring peace to the kingdoms.

Lia believes in love and doesn't want to be used as a pawn so she runs. In her new life, Lia meets two charming men; however, one is the prince determined win her love and bring her back and one is an assassin who is hired to kill her. Also in the Series: **The Heart of Betrayal & The Beauty of Deception**



Queen of the Tearling by Erika Johansen.

Kelsea, the daughter of dead Queen Elyssa, reemerges to claim the throne. Her uncle, the Red Queen, of the neighboring kingdom, and others will stop at nothing to kill Kelsea. Also in the Series: **The Invasion of the Tearling & The Fate of the Tearling**

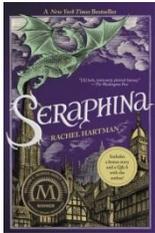


Grave Mercy (His Fair Assassin Series)

by Robin LaFavers - Ismae, Sybella, and Annith have escaped horrible circumstances to join a convent of assassin nuns to fight

for St. Mortain, the God of Death. Also in the Series: **Dark Triumph** & **Mortal Heart**

MYTHICAL CREATURES



Seraphina by Rachel Hartman - Seraphina has a secret; she's half draconian. When a member of the royal family is murdered by a dragon, Seraphina must keep her secret while

finding the murderer even if it's her family. Other Book in the Series: **Shadow Scale**

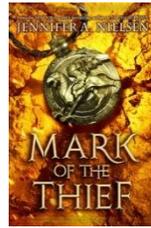


The Novice by Taran Mathieu - Fletcher, an orphan, learns he has the unique ability to summon demons. After a near attack from neighborhood teens, Fletcher goes to a elite

school to train but he soon finds out that he must compete with noble's kids who will stop at nothing to be the best. **The Inquisition (coming May 2016)**

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The Mark of the Thief

by Jennifer Neilsen - Nic is a slave in Ancient Rome and on a mission to raid Julius Caesar's tomb, he finds Caesar's bulla. After he puts the bulla around his neck, he gains world

ending powers that are coveted by the good and the bad. Also in the Series: **Rise of the Wolf**

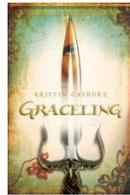


A Court of Thorns and Roses

by Sarah J. Maas - After killing a wolf, Feyra's punishment is to live in a giant mansion. She soon discovers that her captor isn't an animal but an honorable fey. **A**

Court of Mist and Fury (coming May 2016)

MAGIC



Graceling by Kristin Cashmore - Katsa is a graceling-someone who can kill with one touch. She's the king, her uncle's, personal assassin but when she meets Po she discovers new things

about herself. Also in the Series: **Fire** & **Bitterblue**



A Darker Shade of Magic

by VE Schwab - Kel can walk through worlds and he uses this special ability to smuggle and trade antiques. When his smuggling almost kills him,

Delilah comes to his rescue. Also in the Series: **A Gathering of Shadows**



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