

The Shadow of What Was Lost

WHAT WAS By James Islington Davian of Andarra is one of the Gifted, able to tap into magical essence.

Unfortunately, Davian was born after the civil war that destroyed the powerful Augurs, and now the Gifted are bound by laws that prevent them from using their powers freely.



The Queen of the Tearling

By Erika Johansen Coming out of exile to ascend her rightful throne, Princess Kelsea Raleigh Glynn, with a cadre of soldiers and the magical Tearling sapphire to

protect her, makes a daring decision that evokes the wrath of the evil Red Witch, forcing her to embark on a quest to save her kingdom and fulfill her destiny.



The Unremembered

PETER RULLIAN By Peter Orullian Millennia after a god is condemned to live among the hateful creatures he has INREMEMBERED created, the magical veil entrapping the god and his

monsters weakens, compelling bow hunter Than Junell and his companions to undertake a dangerous and secret journey to protect their people.



The Name of the Wind

By Patrick Rothfuss A hero named Kvothe, now living under an assumed name as a humble innkeeper, recounts his transformation from a magically gifted

young man into the most notorious wizard, musician, thief, and assassin in his world.



The Way of Kings

By Brandon Sanderson Roshar is a world of stone and storms. It has been centuries since the fall of the ten consecrated orders known as the Knights

Radiant, but their Shardblades and Shardplate remain. Separated by miles and oceans, a slave, a general, and an aspiring thief will determine the future of their world.

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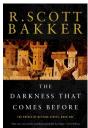
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The Wheel of Time

Love the series? Try these books!

The Wheel of Time turns, and Ages come and pass... Which heroes will emerge in the next Age of the world?





The Darkness That **Comes Before**

By R. Scott Bakker In a world scarred by an apocalyptic past, four people are swept up in the launch of an imminent crusade, during

which they are ensnared by mysterious traveler Anasurimbor Kellhus, whose magical, philosophical, and military talents have origins in a distant time.



Daughter of the Moon **Goddess**

By Sue Lynn Tan Xingyin lives a peaceful if solitary existence with her mother, who lights the moon's lanterns each

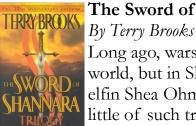
night. This sheltered life is shattered when the cruel Celestial Empress visits, setting off a chain reaction that ends with Xingyin fleeing for her life. Through a combination of luck, charity, and her own resilience, she regroups, disguising herself and securing a position as the Prince's companion and guardian.



Upon a Burning Throne

By Ashok Banker After the death of the emperor of the Burnt Empire, the two young princes, Adri and Shvate, must pass the test of fire and sit upon the legendary

burning throne, which incinerates the unworthy.



The Sword of Shannara

Long ago, wars ravaged the world, but in Shady Vale halfelfin Shea Ohmsford knows

little of such troubles. Then the Druid Allanon reveals the

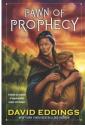
supposedly dead Warlock Lord is plotting to destroy everything in his wake. The sole weapon against his power is the Sword of Shannara, which can be used only by a true heir of Shannara.



Starless

By Jacqueline Carey The gods have been cast out of the sky, leaving the world starless but with multiple STARLESS moons. During a rare lunar eclipse, Khai is born at

exactly the same time as Zariya, the youngest daughter of the king of Zarkhoum, where royalty are nearly immortal.



Pawn of Prophecy

By David Eddings Long ago, the evil god Torak sought dominion through an Orb containing the first living soul. Belgarath the Sorcerer

recovered the Orb and left it

in the protection of Prince Riva, the only one who can hold it without harm. When the Orb is threatened again, Garion the farmer and his companions must follow the voice of destiny to save it.



Kill the Farm Boy

By Delilah Dawson and Kevin Hearne While preparing to deal with his daily barnyard drudgery shoveling the dung of assorted animals, a farm boy named

Worstley is anointed the Chosen One by a filthy, foul-mouthed, drunken pixie (with hilarious consequences).



DAVID DRAKE Lord of the Isles

By David Drake Mysteriously transported one thousand years into the future after a cataclysm destroys the empire of the Isles, a sorceress finds herself in a small town,

far from the centers of power, where she and a small group of individuals become the focus of a new struggle for dominance.



Wizard's First Rule

By Terry Goodkind The barriers between lands are falling, and ranger Richard Cypher must become the Seeker of Truth to stop an evil lord's plan for destruction. Well

-rounded side characters and unique magic round out this first book in a series that can be read on its own.