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The King's Daughter 2015-07-02

can she find the courage to defy a king in seventeenth century france louis xiv rules with flamboyant ambition in his domain wealth and beauty are all frivolity begets cruelty science and alchemy collide from the hall of mirrors to the vermin infested attics of the chateau at versailles courtiers compete to please the king sacrificing fortune principles and even sacred family bonds a wonderful book adventure love history magic it s an engrossing story with magnificent characters balanced perfectly on the edge between says diana gabaldon by the fiftieth year of his reign louis xiv has made france the most powerful state in the western world but the sun king s appetite for glory knows no bounds in a bold stroke he sends his natural philosopher on an expedition to seek the source of immortality the mythical sea monster for the glory of his god his country and his king father yves de la croix returns with his treasures one heavy shroud packed in ice and in a covered basin an imprisoned sea creature marie josephe de la croix has been looking forward to assisting her brother yves in the scientific study of the sea monster until she makes a discovery that will threaten everything her brother the court and the king believe the finest alternate history ever light hearted and wise a luminous radiant novel said ursula k le guin but in the decadent court of king louis where morality is skewed and corruption reigns will anyone listen to a single voice somehow she must find the courage to follow her heart and her convictions even at the cost of changing her life forever

The King's Daughter 2021-10-12

winner of the nebula award and now a major motion picture a luminous radiant novel ursula k le guin author of the earthsea series during the late seventeenth century louis xiv s natural philosopher and explorer father yves de la croix does what no one has done for four hundred years he brings a living sea monster to land thus begins a stunning fantasy a journey into science and superstition and an alternate history in which yves and his sister marie josèphe a lady in waiting with her own finely tuned intelligence and insatiable curiosity struggle to learn from and protect the sea woman as marie josèphe translates the sea woman s songs into stories she hopes to stave off the creature s inevitable execution for louis xiv believes the wondrous being holds the secret to the immortality he craves a twisted obsession that will force brother and sister to choose between their conscience and their loyalty to king and country the basis for the movie starring pierce brosnan the king s daughter is a dazzling and spirited evocation of the passions intrigues and preconceptions of the age along with a dandy pair of misfit star crossed lovers an enchanting slice of what if historical speculation kirkus reviews a wonderful book adventure love history magic diana gabaldon bestselling author of outlander a plot that sings enchanting romance and a depth of insight into human nature sf site a marvelous alternative history fable about greed and goodness power and pathos set at the 17th century court of louis xiv france s glittering sun king mcintyre s imaginings enliven her history with wonder but as in the best fantasy they serve less to dazzle by their inventiveness than to illuminate brilliantly real world truths here humanity s responses base and noble when confronting the unknown publishers weekly starred review combines two demanding genres with some remarkable twists unlike anything i ve seen before it is a science fiction story of first contact with an alien race but told in a setting more often associated with fantasy it is also historical romance at its best the type of meticulously researched work that brings another era to life mcintyre infuses it all with her marvelously unique style catherine asaro award winning author previously published as the moon and the sun

Barbary 1986

orphaned barbary finds a new home on a space station but runs into difficulties trying to protect her pet cat mickey

The Wrath of Khan 1991-02

prepare yourself for warp 10 excitement the galaxy s ultimate future is in the hands of james kirk mr spock and the indomitable crew of the enterperprise the galaxy s ultimate weapon is in the hands of the evil khan and his followers a battle that will shake the universe cannot be avoided and the ultimate adventure is about to begin

Superluminal 2021-10-12

a novel of star crossed love from the new york times bestselling author of nebula and hugo award winning novel dreamsnake in a future where space travel moves at faster than light speed starship crews can only survive transit if drugged nearly to death then there are those like laenea trevelyan who want to become pilots so badly they will go through years of training and major surgery to free themselves of biological rhythms but though they become literally heartless their emotions are just as human as before laenea discovers this herself when she immediately falls for crewman radu dracul upon her early release some might say escape from the hospital after her procedure she is not unknown to radu laenea was the first offworlder he ever saw when she and her crew delivered a vaccine for the cryptovirus that decimated his family and his planet however their intense attraction cannot last laenea s modifications will not survive in close proximity to radu s biorhythms which are too strong to allow him to become a pilot but even in the vastness of space where ships and hearts can be lost fate and danger can have a hand in bringing two people together again smoothly told with the sturdy character conflicts snugly worked into the

hyperspace navigation backdrop kirkus reviews

The Exile Waiting 1976

selected short stories by one of the most acclaimed voices in post war us american science fiction this volume presents a selection of short fiction by vonda neel mcintyre 1948 2019 one of the most acclaimed writers of post war us american science fiction and the winner of multiple awards for both novels and short fiction these stories which span the whole of mcintyre s career show the broad range of her interests and her voice taking us from bleak dystopian worlds on the verge of environmental collapse to baroque intergalactic civilizations populated by genetically modified humans from cries for freedom to sharp eyed satire to meditations on aging throughout run her distinctive themes of gender and power dynamics human and species diversity and a pragmatic utopianism that emphasises our mutual dependency

Little Sisters and Other Stories 2024-04-23

the hugo and nebula award winning novel from the new york times bestselling author of the king s daughter on an earth scarred by nuclear war snake harnesses the power of venom to cure illnesses and vaccinate against disease the healer can even ease patients into death with the power of her dreamsnake but she is not respected and trusted by all and when she tries to help a sick nomad child the frightened clan kills her dreamsnake ashamed of being misjudged and grieving the loss of her dreamsnake snake has one choice to maintain her livelihood she must travel to the city which jealously guards its knowledge and before she faces the prejudices and arrogance of the people there snake must make her way across a barren desert surviving storms and radiation poisoning helping those she can all while a madman stalks her every move dreamsnake is filled with scenes as suspenseful as anyone could wish but most of all it addresses the humanity in all of us the seattle times a haunting rich and tender novel that explores the human side of science fiction in a manner that s all too uncommon robert silverberg a splendid tale combining the sensitivity and attention to mood of the new generation of sf writers with a gripping and well worked out adventure the novel is rich in character background and incident unusually absorbing and moving publishers weekly instead of kicking butt the lead character is dedicated to saving lives snake s blighted world is expertly drawn and her encounters with dysfunctional societies can be bracing and challenging reading the guardian this is an exciting future dream with real characters a believable mythos and what s more important an excellent readable story frank herbert author of the dune series

Dreamsnake 2021-10-12

in the second novel concerning the starfarers universe the ship journeys to the star system tau ceti where the crew is able to make contact with an unknown intelligence

Transition 1991

the star trek signature edition series continues with this thrilling adventure featuring commander spock captain kirk and the u s s enterprise cadets that enter starfleet academy have two mantras drilled into them from their very first day they must do their duty for the federation and starfleet and they must strive to honor their oath as starfleet officers among those who have best embodied these guiding principles and who have strived to live up to the coda to boldly go are those who once served aboard the starship enterprise under the command of captain james t kirk who then was better to guide the next generation of officers after kirk became an admiral the officers of the enterprise were promoted and several became academy instructors transformed from a ship of the line to a training vessel the enterprise s days of active duty are behind her until a frantic message from a distant outpost interrupts a training exercise and pulls the ship back into action admiral kirk is forced to take command of the enterprise in order to stop an old nemesis from commandeering what could be the most deadly weapon ever devised in the course of his actions the crew will find itself facing death and life as they deliberately violate their starfleet oaths travel through time to save earth and ultimately earn redemption in the eyes of the federation now for the first time ever in one volume here are the novelizations of three star trek films star trek ii the wrath of khan star trek iii the search for spock and star trek iv the voyage home all by award winning author vonda mcintyre

Star Trek: Signature Edition: Duty, Honor, Redemption 2004-10-26

when the government reassesses the objectives of the spaceship starfarer trying to use the vessel for military rather than exploratory purposes the crew led by scientist victoria mackenzie revolts

Star Trek IV 1986

the starship enterprise is summoned to transport a dangerous criminal to rehabilitation the brilliant physicist dr georges mordreaux who is accused of promising to send people back in time then killing them instead but when a crazed mordreaux escapes he inexplicably bursts onto the bridge and murders captain kirk before the crew s eyes now spock must journey back in time to avert the disaster before it occurs but more is at stake than kirk s life mordreaux s experiments

have thrown the universe into chaos and spock is fighting time itself to keep the very fabric of reality from unraveling

Starfarers 1994-09-01

a collection of eleven stories from the new york times bestselling author including nebula award winner of mist and grass and sand this brilliant collection of short fiction showcases renowned author vonda n mcintyre s sparkling lyricism captivating vision and advocacy of the different the titular story is one of alienation and discrimination as a woman transformed into an ugly lifeform a clumsy digger seeks to escape her servitude to humans but is denied sanctuary by the beautiful and graceful flyers also included is the acclaimed story of mist and grass and sand which became the first section of mcintyre s hugo and nebula award winning novel dreamsnake in it a woman who harnesses the power of snakes venom to heal saves the life of a nomad boy in the desert but the price she pays may be too much to bear in aztecs later expanded into the novel superluminal a woman undergoes biological modifications in order to pilot ships during faster than light travel a quality selection zoning in on mcintyre s penchant for intense dark stories with human pain and transcendence at their core fireflood as with all of mcintyre s fiction is written in a brooding pulsing prose that drops the reader into a setting with little to orient themselves save the words on the page speculation eleven stories by one of the most widely admired of the younger science fiction writers from awkward to wonderful an interesting record of an up and coming talent s present whereabouts kirkus reviews

Star Trek 1987

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The Wrath of Khan 1994-10

admiral james t kirk is charged by the klingon empire for the commandeering of a klingon starship the federation honors the klingon demands for extradition and kirk and the crew of the starship enterprise are drawn back to earth but their trip is interrupted by the appearance of a mysterious all powerful alien space probe suddenly kirk spock mccoys and the rest of the crew must journey back through time to twentieth century earth to solve the mystery of the probe

The Entropy Effect 2002-10-08

baron frankenstein a brilliant but unorthodox young scientist creates an exquisitely beautiful female counterpart for his male creature

Star Trek 1982-01-01

the crew of the starfarer must decide on the behalf of earth whether to join the interstellar civilization of the aliens or risk being stranded in space

Fireflood 2021-10-12

the final two books in the most important series in science fiction from the new york times bestselling author of dreamsnake ursula k le guin author of the earthsea series metaphase cast out from interstellar civilization the crew of the starfarer encounters an extraterrestrial whose reputation is equally bad the squidmoth contact specialist j d savage risks her life to befriend the creature trusting her instincts instead of the warnings of the alien human the welcome savage receives and the connection she makes will help her overcome her innate fears and prejudices and she will be given a gift that will save her from being left behind in an empty star system as well as redeem the starfarer and its mission nautilus after their encounter with the squidmoth and with their ecosystem immunized by the alien human the crew of the starfarer makes contact with representatives from the four worlds j d savage is sent to meet the furry creatures as large as lions and as lithe as otters they have been waiting for humans for a long time but there is something they want from the starfarer team earth s one advantage over space civilization a new faster algorithm for interstellar navigation praise for the starfarers series mcintyre is a master sf stylist creating well rounded believable and distinctive characters and she excels at lush descriptions that allow the reader to visualize the action publishers weekly the series features a diverse cast especially for its 1989 debut date and a series of interstellar hijinks the likes of which only mcintyre could conjure tor com

The Exile Waiting 1976

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Star Trek 1982

two short novels deal with an alien prison camp and the remote operator of a cyborg

Star Trek 1982-01-01

the first two books in the most important series in science fiction from the new york times bestselling author of dreamsnake ursula k le guin author of the earthsea series starfarers the starfarer is a self sufficient spaceship with a functioning ecosystem able to navigate from one star system to another via cosmic string and it is about to embark on a deep space expedition in search of alien contact its global crew has come together in the spirit of cooperation and scientific advancement but earth struggles with anti science and anti technology factions and there are those who want to turn the starfarer into a military base one of them is on board and he will stop at nothing including sabotage to enforce his agenda transition after the crew members of the starfarer hijack their own ship they intercept an alien message and attempt to decipher its complex patterns it could be an introduction a warning or a trap in tau ceti the first star system humans have ever visited they discover worlds possessing life but no higher forms of intelligence and with a saboteur still in their midst tensions rise as the ship and its team hurtle toward a meeting more than three millennia in the making praise for the starfarers series mcintyre is a master sf stylist creating well rounded believable and distinctive characters and she excels at lush descriptions that allow the reader to visualize the action publishers weekly the series features a diverse cast especially for its 1989 debut date and a series of interstellar hijinks the likes of which only mcintyre could conjure tor com a fine novel of adventure greg bear on starfarers the most exciting and satisfying science fiction i have read this year ursula k le guin on metaphase

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hugo and nebula award winning author vonda n mcintyre continues the bestselling star wars saga as the ultimate space adventure unfolds in the crystal star princess leia s children have been kidnapped along with chewbacca and artoo detoo she follows the kidnappers trail to a disabled refugee ship from which children are also missing here she learns of a powerful imperial officer with a twisted plan to restore the empire meanwhile han solo and luke skywalker are cut off from leia by the death of a nearby star which has caused a disruption in the force they have gone to the planet crseih to investigate a report of a lost group of jedi instead they find a charismatic alien named waru whose miraculous healing powers have attracted a fanatic following as leia follows the path of her children across space luke and han draw closer to the truth behind waru s sinister cult together they will face an explosive showdown that will decide the survival of the new republic and the universe itself features a bonus section following the novel that includes a primer on the star wars expanded universe and over half a dozen excerpts from some of the most popular star wars books of the last thirty years

Star Trek IV 1986

han luke and leia meet at hethrir s colony encounter the alien waru who is more powerful than jedi knights and search for the colony s secrets when the crystal star s emanations threaten its planetary system and leia s children

Star Trek III 1985-01-01

as j d savage and his crew initiate the first human contact with the reclusive alien squidmoth exploring the fibrous tunnels of the small planetoid that houses the alien an awesome secret awaits them inside

Star Trek IV 1986-12

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The Bride 1985

no one on the enterprise can believe that mr spock is gone as the crew grieves for mr spock the awesome genesis device now controlled by the federation has transformed an inert nebula into a new planet teeming with life but genesis can also destroy existing worlds the creators of the device want it given freely to the galaxy but starfleet command fears that it will become a force for evil and the enemies of the federation will not rest until they seize it as their most powerful weapon in the battle to conquer the galaxy

Nautilus 1994

science fiction story based on the film of the same name following the disappearance of the jedi knights and the kidnap of their children princess leia and han solo chewy and luke travel to a far flung star system with a crystal sun

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