
The Pillars of the World

2001-10-01

the first novel in new york times bestselling author anne bishop s tir alainn trilogy the youngest in a long line of witches ari senses that things are changing changing for the worse for generations her kin have tended the old places keeping the land safe and fertile but with the summer moon the mood of her neighbors has soured and ari is no longer safe the fae have long ignored what occurs in the mortal world passing through on their shadowy roads only long enough to amuse themselves but the roads are slowly disappearing leaving the fae clans isolated and alone where harmony between the spiritual and the natural has always reigned a dissonant chord now rings in the ears of both fae and mortal and when murmurs of a witch hunt hum through the town some begin to wonder if the different omens are notes in the same tune and all they have to guide them is a passing reference to something called the pillars of the world

The Pillars of the World

2004

in sylvan a witch hunt is in full force as witches and innocents are brutally murdered magic is disappearing from the land and the roads between the world of humans and that of faeries are vanishing one by one this is a dark fantasy of a world in danger of being destroyed by those who deny themselves their heritage

The House of Gaian

2003-10-07

new york times bestselling author anne bishop presents the stunning conclusion to the tir alainn trilogy where the world will be tested in an epic war it began as a witch hunt but the master inquisitor s plans to eliminate all traces of female power in the world have expanded to crushing the sylvan barons who oppose him and to destroying the wellspring of magic in the mother s hills faced with this evil humans witches and the fae become uneasy allies but even together they aren t strong enough to stand against the armies the inquisitors are gathering so they look for help from their last possible ally the house of gaian the reclusive witches who rule the mother s hills the witches powerful enough to create a world or destroy one their long held creed of do no harm is about to give way to more important one survive

Sequels

2009-07-30

a guide to series fiction lists popular series identifies novels by character and offers guidance on the order in which to read unnumbered series

Shadows and Light

2002-10-01

new york times bestselling author anne bishop weaves a dazzling tale of romance high adventure and thrilling fantasy in the second novel in the tir alainn trilogy ever since the slaughter of the witches the fae who should be shielding their long lost cousins from danger have ignored the needs of the rest of the world and shadows are again gathering in the eastern villages dark potent shadows that threaten the lives of every witch woman and fae only three fae can stand against the growing madness and help prevent more bloodshed the bard the muse and the gatherer of souls aiden the bard knows how desperately the world depends upon the fae s protection but the fae refuse to heed his warnings about the wickedness lurking amid the trees now aiden and his one true love lyrra the muse must embark on a perilous journey to find the one fae who can convince the rest to leave their secure perches to save the witches and mortals because if the fae don t act soon no one will survive

Lake Silence

2018-03-06

in this thrilling and suspenseful fantasy set in the world of the new york times bestselling others series an inn owner and her shape shifting lodger find themselves enmeshed in danger and dark secrets human laws do not apply in the territory controlled by the others vampires shape shifters and even deadlier paranormal beings and this is a fact that humans should never ever forget after her divorce vicki devine took over a rustic resort near lake silence in a human town that is not human controlled towns such as vicki s don t have any distance from the others the dominant predators who rule most of the land and all of the water throughout the world and when a place has no boundaries you never really know what is out there watching you vicki was hoping to find a new career and a new life but when her lodger aggie crowe one of the shape shifting others discovers a murdered man vicki finds trouble instead the detectives want to pin the death on her despite the evidence that nothing human could have killed the victim as vicki and her friends search for answers ancient forces are roused by the disturbance in their domain they have rules that must not be broken and all the destructive powers of nature at their command

Wild Country

2019-03-05

in this new york times bestselling powerful and exciting fantasy set in the world of the others series humans and the shape shifting others will see whether they can live side by side without destroying one another there are ghost towns in the world places where the humans were annihilated in retaliation for the slaughter of the shape shifting others one of those places is bennett a town at the northern end of the elder hills a town surrounded by the wild country now efforts are being made to resettle bennett as a community where humans and others live and work together a young female police officer has been hired as the deputy to a wolfgard sheriff a deadly type of other wants to run a human style saloon and a couple with four foster children one of whom is a blood prophet hope to find acceptance but as they reopen the stores and the professional offices and start to make lives for themselves the town of bennett attracts the attention of other humans looking for profit and the arrival of the outlaw blackstone clan will either unite others and humans or bury them all

Crowbones

2022-03-08

in this engrossing and gripping fantasy set in the world of the new york times bestselling others series an inn owner and her friends must find a killer before it s too late crowbones will gitcha if you don t watch out deep in the territory controlled by the others shape shifters vampires and even deadlier paranormal beings vicki devine has made a new life for herself running the jumble a rustic resort when she decides to host a gathering of friends and guests for trickster night at first everything is going well between the humans and the

others but then someone arrives dressed as crowbones the crowgard bogeyman when the impostor is killed along with a shape shifting crow and the deaths are clearly connected everyone fears that the real crowbones may have come to the jumble and that could mean serious trouble to encourage humans to help them find some answers the elders and elementals close all the roads locking in suspects and victims alike now vicki human police chief grimshaw vampire lawyer ilya sanguinati and the rest of their friends have to figure out who is manipulating events designed to pit humans against others and who may have put vicki devine in the crosshairs of a powerful hunter

The Queen's Weapons

2021-03-09

enter the dark and sensual realms of the black jewels a world where power always has a price in this sweeping story in the new york times bestselling fantasy saga they are warlord princes men born to serve and protect they are the queen s weapons men born to destroy the queen s enemies no matter what face that enemy wears daemonar yaslana knows how to be bossy yet supportive traits he shares with his father the demon prince and his uncle the high lord of hell within his generation of the family he assumes the role of protector supporting his sister titian s artistic efforts and curbing his cousin jaenelle saetien s more adventurous ideas but when a young eyrien queen someone titian thought was a friend inflicts an emotional wound daemonar s counterattack brings him under the tutelage of witch the queen whose continued existence is known only to a select few as daemonar is confronted by troubling changes within and around the family he sees warnings that a taint in the blood might be reappearing daemonar along with his father and uncle must uncover the source of a familiar evil and daemonar the high lord of hell may be forced into making a terrible choice

The Queen's Price

2023-03-07

enter the dark and sensual realms of the black jewels in this sweeping story in the new york times bestselling fantasy saga of three young women who must navigate life within the powerful sadiablo family and come to terms with witch the queen who is still the heart and will of that family the queen s price is to stand against what you know is wrong to stand and fight no matter the cost to your court or to yourself especially to yourself zoey a young queen in training at sadiablo hall is wounded and vulnerable to taunts and criticism when an opportunity arises to befriend a stranger seeking sanctuary at the hall she puts herself and others in danger by ignoring daemonar yaslana s warning to back off meanwhile the witch jillian s family prepares for her virgin night the rite of passage that assures a woman will retain her power and her jewels the trouble is jillian secretly went through the ceremony already now she has to explain the omission of that detail to her powerful and lethal family and the high lord of hell s daughter saetien travels to scelt to find out about jaenelle angeline s sister and perhaps to discover truths about herself with some guidance from witch these three young women will learn when to yield because it is right and when to take a stand even if they must pay the queen s price

The Queen's Bargain

2020-03-10

power has a price so does love return to the dark sensual and powerful world of the black jewels in this long awaited new story in the new york times bestselling fantasy saga after a youthful mistake lord dillon s reputation is in tatters leaving him vulnerable to aristo girls looking for a bit of fun to restore his reputation and honor he needs a handfast a one year contract of marriage he sets his sights on jillian a young eyrien witch from ebon rih who he believes has only a flimsy connection to the noble society that spurned him unfortunately for dillon he is unaware of jillian s true connections until he finds himself facing lucivar yaslana the volatile warlord prince of ebon rih meanwhile surreal sadiablo s marriage is

crumbling daemon sadi the warlord prince of dhemlan recognizes there is something wrong between him and surreal but he doesn't realize that his attempt to suppress his own nature in order to spare his wife is causing his mind to splinter to save daemon and the realm of kaeleer if he breaks help must be sought from someone who no longer exists in any of the realms the only queen powerful enough to control daemon sadi the queen known as witch as jillian rides the winds of first love with dillon daemon and surreal struggle to survive the wounds of a marriage turned stormy and lucivar has to find a way to keep everyone in his family safe even from each other

Historical Dictionary of Fantasy Literature

2023-06-12

fantasy is a genre in motion gradually expanding its reach and historical sources to embrace a global identity historical dictionary of fantasy literature second edition is a snapshot of the genre in this moment identifying new themes and sources that are emerging to inspire enhance and invigorate the published works of fantasy writers

What Do Children and Young Adults Read Next?

2002

lists books by subject and title and recommends what book children and young adults should read next based on their previous likes and dislikes

Queen of the Darkness

2000-01-01

in the astonishing conclusion of anne bishop's black jewels trilogy the dark court has been formed and the end for some draws exceedingly near jaenelle angelline now reigns as queen protector of the shadow realm no longer will the corrupt blood slaughter her people and defile her lands but where one chapter ends a final unseen battle remains to be written and jaenelle must unleash the terrible power that is witch to destroy her enemies once and for all even so she cannot stand alone somewhere long lost in madness is daemon her promised consort only his unyielding love can complete her court and secure her reign yet even together their strength may not be enough to hold back the most malevolent of forces and in the end under the emergent shadow of evil and unforeseen betrayal only jaenelle's greatest sacrifice will save those she loves and the realm she's bound to protect

The Invisible Ring

2008-06-03

new york times bestselling author anne bishop returns to the world of her black jewels trilogy with a prequel that follows a man who is determined to rebel against the course set before him jared is a red jeweled warlord bound as a pleasure slave by the ring of obedience after suffering nine years of torment as a slave he murdered his owner and escaped only to be caught and sold into slavery once again purchased by a notorious queen jared fears he will share the mysterious fate of her other slaves never to be seen again and so prepares himself for death but the gray lady may not be what she seems and jared soon faces a difficult decision his freedom or his honor

Etched in Bone

2017-03-07

the new york times bestseller anne bishop returns to her world of the others as humans struggle to survive in the shadow of shapeshifters and vampires far more powerful than themselves after a human uprising was brutally put down by the elders a primitive and lethal form of the others the few cities left under human control are far flung and the people within them now know to fear the no man s land beyond their borders and the darkness as some communities struggle to rebuild lakeside courtyard has emerged relatively unscathed though simon wolfgard its wolf shifter leader and blood prophet meg corbyn must work with the human pack to maintain the fragile peace but all their efforts are threatened when lieutenant montgomery s shady brother arrives looking for a free ride and easy pickings with the humans on guard against one of their own tensions rise drawing the attention of the elders who are curious about the effect such an insignificant predator can have on a pack but meg knows the dangers for she has seen in the cards how it will all end with her standing beside a grave

Shalador's Lady

2010-03-02

return to new york times bestselling author anne bishop s world of the black jewels where a queen has emerged from the shadows to bring hope to an impoverished people for years the shalador people suffered the cruelties of the corrupt queens who ruled them punishing those who dared show defiance and forcing many more into hiding and even though the refugees have found sanctuary in dena nehele they have never been able to call it home now that dena nehele has been cleansed of tainted blood the rose jeweled queen lady cassidy knows that restoring the land will require all her heart and courage as she summons the untested power within her a power capable of consuming her if she cannot control it and even if lady cassidy survives her trial by fire other dangers await for the black widows see visions within their tangled webs that something is coming that will change the land and lady cassidy forever

Heir to the Shadows

2007-08-07

in the second novel set in the darkly fascinating world of anne bishop s black jewels trilogy ambitions unfurl as the realm s dreams of a liberator have finally been made flesh the blood have waited centuries for the coming of witch the living embodiment of magic but jaenelle the young girl singled out by prophecy is haunted by the cruel battles fought over her for not all the blood await her as their savior some dismiss her as a myth some refuse to believe and still others look forward to using her making her a pawn to their shadowy devices only time and the devotion of her loyal guardians have healed jaenelle s physical wounds but her mind is fragile barely able to protect her from the horrifying memories of her childhood nothing however can deflect her from her destiny and the day of reckoning looms near when her memories return when her magic matures when she is forced to accept her fate on that day the dark realms will know what it means to be ruled by witch

Dreams Made Flesh

2006-02-07

the black jewels trilogy established anne bishop as an author whose sublime skill blends the darkly macabre with spine tingling emotional intensity. Now the saga continues in this collection that includes four more adventures of jaenelle and her kindred. Jaenelle is the most powerful witch ever known. Centuries of hopes and dreams made flesh at last she has forged ties with three of the realm's mightiest blood warriors: saetan the high lord of hell who trains jaenelle in magic and adopts her as his daughter; lucivar the winged eyrien warlord who becomes her protector and the near immortal daemon born to be witch's lover; jaenelle has assumed her rightful place as queen of the darkness and restored order and peace to the realms but at a terrible cost. Collected here are the beguiling stories about the origin of the mystical jewels, the forbidden passion between lucivar and a simple hearth witch, the clash between saetan and a priestess and the choice jaenelle must make between her magic and happiness with daemon.

Twilight's Dawn

2011-03-01

New York Times bestselling author Anne Bishop's Black Jewels novels have enthralled readers and critics alike. Now in Twilight's Dawn she returns to the blood realm with four captivating novellas. Winsol gifts daemon is settling into his first year of married life with his witch queen jaenelle but as the celebration of Winsol draws near he finds himself pulled in multiple directions playing host to his formidable family shades of honor when wounded surreal returns to Ebon Rih her former lover Falonar ruthlessly challenges the rule of her family testing surreal's resolve not to succumb to the darkness burning inside her family when someone lays a vicious trap for Queen Sylvia and her sons the ruling family of Dhemlan must uncover the identity of a vicious warlord before he returns to finish what he started the high lord's daughter after losing two important people in his life daemon has built a wall around his heart but when he inadvertently forges a new connection will it be enough to free him from his loveless existence.

The Voice

2012-02-07

An original ephemera novella from the New York Times bestselling author of the novels of the Others in a small village outside the city of Vision the people know no sorrow or grief but this seemingly idyllic community is hiding a terrible secret as a young child Nalah did not know why she was told to bring a cake to the mute girl known as the Voice whenever she was upset only that doing so made her feel better. Now grown Nalah understands the dark truth and yearns to escape from the oppressive village that has been her life long home but it is only after visiting the city of Vision and discovering the temple of sorrow that Nalah understands what she must do to be free. Includes a letter from the author and an excerpt of the ephemera novel Bridge of Dreams.

Written In Red

2013-03-05

Enter the world of the Others in the first novel in New York Times bestselling author Anne Bishop's thrilling fantasy series. A place where unearthly entities vampires and shape shifters among them rule the earth and prey on the human race as a Cassandra Sanguine or blood prophet Meg Corbyn can see the future when her skin is cut a gift that feels more like a curse. Meg's controller keeps her enslaved so he can have full access to her visions but when she escapes the only safe place Meg can hide is at the lakeside courtyard a business district operated by the Others. Shape shifter Simon Wolfgard is reluctant to hire the stranger who inquires about the human liaison job first he senses she's keeping a secret and second she doesn't smell like human prey yet a stronger instinct propels him to give Meg the job and when he learns the truth about Meg and that she's wanted by the government he'll have to decide if she's worth the fight between humans and the Others that will surely follow.

Murder of Crows

2014-03-04

return to new york times bestselling author anne bishop s world of the others where supernatural entities and humans struggle to co exist and one woman has begun to change all the rules after winning the trust of the others residing in the lakeside courtyard meg corbyn has had trouble figuring out what it means to live among them as a human meg should be barely tolerated prey but her abilities as a cassandra sangue make her something more the appearance of two addictive drugs has sparked violence between the humans and the others resulting in the murder of both species in nearby cities so when meg has a dream about blood and black feathers in the snow simon wolfgard lakeside s shape shifting leader wonders if their blood prophet dreamed of a past attack or a future threat as the urge to speak prophecies strikes meg more frequently trouble finds its way inside the courtyard now the others and the handful of humans residing there must work together to stop the man bent on reclaiming their blood prophet and stop the danger that threatens to destroy them all

Marked In Flesh

2016-03-08

in the fourth novel in anne bishop s new york times bestselling series the others will need to decide how much humanity they re willing to tolerate both within themselves and their community since the others allied themselves with the cassandra sangue the fragile yet powerful human blood prophets who were being exploited by their own kind the dynamic between humans and others has changed some such as simon wolfgard wolf shifter and leader of the lakeside courtyard and blood prophet meg corbyn see the closer companionship as beneficial but not everyone is convinced a group of radical humans is seeking to usurp land through a series of violent attacks on the others what they don t realize is that there are older and more dangerous forces than shifters and vampires protecting the land and those forces are willing to do whatever is necessary to safeguard what is theirs

Bridge of Dreams

2012-03-06

return to new york times bestselling author anne bishop s ephemera a world of strange and magical landscapes connected only by bridges bridges that may transport you where you truly belong rather than where you wish to go when wizards threaten glorianna belladonna and her work to keep ephemera balanced her brother lee sacrifices himself in order to save her and ends up an asylum inmate in the city of vision far away from all he knows but a darkness is spreading through vision perplexing the shamans who protect it and lee is the only one who can shed any light on its mysteries includes the ephemera novella the voice

The A to Z of Fantasy Literature

2009-08-13

once upon a time all literature was fantasy set in a mythical past when magic existed animals talked and the gods took an active hand in earthly affairs as the mythical past was displaced in western estimation by the historical past and novelists became increasingly preoccupied with the present fantasy was temporarily marginalized until the late 20th century when it enjoyed a spectacular resurgence in every stratum of the literary marketplace stableford provides an invaluable guide to this sequence of events and to the current

state of the field the chronology tracks the evolution of fantasy from the origins of literature to the 21st century the introduction explains the nature of the impulses creating and shaping fantasy literature the problems of its definition and the reasons for its changing historical fortunes the dictionary includes cross referenced entries on more than 700 authors ranging across the entire historical spectrum while more than 200 other entries describe the fantasy subgenres key images in fantasy literature technical terms used in fantasy criticism and the intimately convoluted relationship between literary fantasies scholarly fantasies and lifestyle fantasies the book concludes with an extensive bibliography that ranges from general textbooks and specialized accounts of the history and scholarship of fantasy literature through bibliographies and accounts of the fantasy literature of different nations to individual author studies and useful websites

The Lady in Glass and Other Stories

2024-02-27

a magical collection of stories new and old spanning across all of anne bishop s most beloved fantasy worlds here together for the first time the shorter works of new york times bestselling fantasy author anne bishop are included in one dazzling volume a master of bringing fantasy worlds to life this collection showcases bishop s impressive range from rarities of her earliest writing to the realms of the blood from darker fairytale retellings to the landscapes of ephemera and from standalone stories of space exploration and fantastical creatures to the contemporary fantasy terrain of the world of the others includes previously published and unpublished tales as well as two brand new stories written especially for this collection friends and corpses a murder mystery in which the corpse has some decidedly unusual qualities and home for the howlidays a heartwarming return to the blood prophet meg corbyn and the shapeshifting simon wolfgard from the others

International Medievalism and Popular Culture

2014-04-18

today medievalism is increasingly intelligible as a cultural lingua franca produced in trans and international contexts with a view to reaching popular international audiences some of mass scope this book offers new perspectives on international relations and how global concerns are made available through contemporary medievalist texts it questions how research in medievalism may help us rethink the terms of internationalism and globalism within popular cultures ideologies and political formations it investigates how the diverse media of medievalism print film and television arts and crafts fashion digital media clubs and fandom affect its cultural meaning and circulation and its social function and engage questions of desire gender and identity construction as a whole international medievalism and popular culture differs from those studies which have concentrated on imaginative appropriations of the middle ages for domestic cultural contexts it investigates rather how contemporary cultures engage with medievalism to map and model ideas of the international the trans national the cosmopolitan and the global this book includes examples from europe britain north america australia and the arab world it discusses the formation and the impact of popular medievalism in the globalised worlds of braveheart disney and harry potter but it also explores how the contemporary medieval imaginary generates international cultural perspectives for example in considering middle eastern reception of ridley scott s kingdom of heaven the byzantinism of julia kristeva and hedley bull s postnationalist new medievalism international medievalism in popular culture is an important contribution to medieval studies cultural studies and historical studies it will be of value to undergraduate postgraduate and academic readers as well as to all interested in popular culture or medievalism

Sebastian

2006-02-07

the new york times bestselling author of the novels of the others invites you enter the realm of ephemera a place that is ever changing caught between the light and dark forces of the heart long ago ephemera was split into a dizzying number of magical lands connected only by bridges that may take you where you truly belong rather than where you had intended to go in one such land where night reigns and demons dwell the half incubus sebastian revels in dark delights but in dreams she calls to him a woman who wants only to be safe and loved a woman he hungers for while knowing he may destroy her and an even more devastating destiny awaits him for an ancient evil is stirring and sebastian s realm may be the first to fall erotic fervently romantic and superbly entertaining booklist

The Fallon Blood

1996-10-15

from phenomenally successful fantasy author robert jordan the wheel of time writing as reagan o neal comes the fallon blood a splendid story of the american revolution in 1765 michael fallon an irishman on the run from brutal english overlords makes his way to charleston south carolina as an indentured servant bound over to thomas carver a successful merchant he quickly shows a knack for trade and a disturbing attraction to carver s beautiful sensual daughter elizabeth with luck and intelligence and not without bloodshed he rises into the rice planting aristocracy of the carolina lowcountry where a frontier spirit pulses beneath the superficial trappings of an agrarian society that is heading rapidly toward revolution michael fallon hopes for peace but the winds of war are rising and the planter must become a privateer and the early dalliance with elizabeth leaves a bitter aftertaste this novel follows the less familiar southern course of the war including the battles of cowpens king s mountain and eutaw springs the bloodiest battle on the continent until shiloh and brings onto center stage such notables as ben franklin cornwallis the swamp fox francis marion the british colonel butcher tarleton colonel william moultrie the marquis de lafayette and a true cast of thousands at the publisher s request this title is being sold without digital rights management software drm applied

The Fallon Trilogy

2018-05-08

this discounted ebundle includes the fallon blood the fallon pride the fallon legacy written by robert jordan the acclaimed author the wheel of time fantasy series writing as reagan o neal these are gripping tales of love and bravery in america s tumultuous past this historical novel series chronicles the lives of the fallon men as they encounter adventure forbidden love and american history from michael fallon an indentured servant who rises in the ranks of carolina aristocracy and becomes a privateer in the american revolution to his son robert fallon a captain who travels the world to avoid the woman he must not love but returns to fight in the war of 1812 and finally james fallon a man of vision who sets out for the new colony of texas only to discover unknown dangers from his family s past at the publisher s request this title is being sold without digital rights management software drm applied

Kliatt Young Adult Paperback Book Guide

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