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The World of Ice & Fire 2014-10-28

new york times bestseller perfect for fans of a song of ice and fire and hbo s game of thrones an epic history of westeros and the lands beyond featuring hundreds of pages of all new material from george r r martin if the past is prologue then george r r martin s masterwork the most inventive and entertaining fantasy saga of our time warrants one hell of an introduction at long last it has arrived with the world of ice fire this lavishly illustrated volume is a comprehensive history of the seven kingdoms providing vividly constructed accounts of the epic battles bitter rivalries and daring rebellions that lead to the events of a song of ice and fire and hbo s game of thrones in a collaboration that s been years in the making martin has teamed with elio m garcía jr and linda antonsson the founders of the renowned fan site westeros.org perhaps the only people who know this world almost as well as its visionary creator collected here is all the accumulated knowledge scholarly speculation and inherited folk tales of maesters and septons maegi and singers including full color artwork and maps with more than 170 original pieces full family trees for houses stark lannister and targaryen in depth explorations of the history and culture of westeros 100 all new material more than half of which martin wrote specifically for this book the definitive companion piece to george r r martin s dazzlingly conceived universe the world of ice fire is indeed proof that the pen is mightier than a storm of swords

The Lands of Ice and Fire 2012

george r r martin s beloved song of ice and fire series which started with a game of thrones is bursting with a variety and richness of landscapes from bitter tundra to arid wasteland and everything in between that provide a sense of scale unrivaled in contemporary fantasy now this dazzling set of maps featuring original artwork from illustrator and cartographer jonathan roberts transforms martin s epic saga into a world as fully realized as the one around us the centerpiece of this gorgeous collection is guaranteed to be a must have for any fan the complete map of the known world joining the lands of the seven kingdoms and the lands across the narrow sea for the first time in series history but this is just one of many unique maps that aren t available anywhere else there is an alternate version that tracks the movements of the series protagonists throughout their vast world along with more detailed versions of the western middle and eastern thirds of the world a full map of westeros combining north and south one of the dothraki sea and the red wastes and the braavos city map and here too are fan favorites detailing everything from urban sprawl to untamed wilds maps of king s landing the wall and beyond the wall the free cities and slaver s bay valyria and sothyros never before has the entire scope of martin s universe been so exhaustively and fascinatingly depicted the maps in this beautiful one of a kind atlas will enrich your reading or viewing experience provide another view of your favorite characters epic journeys and open up captivating new worlds plus they ll look great on any castle wall

A Game of Thrones 2002-05-28

now the acclaimed hbo series game of thrones the masterpiece that became a cultural phenomenon winter is coming such is the stern motto of house stark the northernmost of the fiefdoms that owe allegiance to king robert baratheon in far off king s landing there eddard stark of winterfell rules in robert s name there his family dwells in peace and comfort his proud wife catelyn his sons robb brandon and rickon his daughters sansa and arya and his bastard son jon snow far to the north behind the towering wall lie savage wildings and worse unnatural things relegated to myth during the centuries long summer but proving all too real and all too deadly in the turning of the season yet a more immediate threat lurks to the south where jon arryn the hand of the king has died under mysterious circumstances now robert is riding north to winterfell bringing his queen the lovely but cold cersei his son the cruel vainglorious prince joffrey and the queen s brothers jaime and tyrion of the powerful and wealthy house lannister the first a swordsman without equal the second a dwarf whose stunted stature belies a brilliant mind all are heading for winterfell and a fateful encounter that will change the course of kingdoms meanwhile across the narrow sea prince viserys heir of the fallen house targaryen which once ruled all of westeros schemes to reclaim the throne with an army of barbarian dothraki whose loyalty he will purchase in the only coin left to him his beautiful yet innocent sister daenerys

A Song of Ice and Fire Boxed Set 2011-09-27

george r r martin s a song of ice and fire the story so far the greatest epic work of the modern age is now available in a collectible box set now a major sky atlantic tv series from hbo featuring a stellar cast

Of Ice and Men 2022-12-06

a new york times book review editors choice an exploration of humanity s relationship with ice since the dawn of civilization of ice and men reminds us that only by understanding this unique substance can we save the ice on

our planet and perhaps ourselves ice tells a story it writes it in rock it lays it down snowfall by snowfall at the ends of the earth where we may read it like the rings on a tree it tells our planet s geological and climatological tale ice tells another story too a story about us it is a tale packed with swash buckling adventure and improbable invention peopled with driven eccentric often brilliant characters it tells how our species has used ice to reshape the world according to our needs and our desires how we have survived it harvested it traded it bent science to our will to make it and how in doing so we have created globe spanning infrastructures that are entirely dependent upon it and even after we have done all that we take ice so much for granted that we barely notice it ice has supercharged the modern world it has allowed us to feed ourselves and cure ourselves in ways unimaginable two hundred years ago it has enabled the global population to rise from less than 1 billion to nearly 7½ billion which just happens to cover the same period of time as humanity has harvested manufactured and distributed ice on an industrial scale and yet the roots of our fascination with ice and its properties run much deeper than the recent past

The Book of Ice 2011

in light of climate change and humanitys increasingly complex and nuanced relationship with the natural world this book serves as an accessible point of entry into complex ideas miller uses antarctica as a point on entry for contemplating humanitys relationship with the natural world

A Game of Thrones: The Illustrated Edition 2016-10-18

a dazzling illustrated edition of the book that started it all for readers of a song of ice and fire and fans of hbo s game of thrones published in celebration of the twentieth anniversary of george r r martin s landmark series this lavishly illustrated special edition of a game of thrones featuring gorgeous full page artwork as well as black and white illustrations in every chapter revitalizes the fantasy masterpiece that became a cultural phenomenon and now the mystery intrigue romance and adventure of this magnificent saga come to life as never before a game of thrones a song of ice and fire book one with a special foreword by john hodgman winter is coming such is the stern motto of house stark the northernmost of the fiefdoms that owe allegiance to king robert baratheon in far off king s landing there eddard stark of winterfell rules in robert s name there his family dwells in peace and comfort his proud wife catelyn his sons robb brandon and rickon his daughters sansa and arya and his bastard son jon snow far to the north behind the towering wall lie savage wildings and worse unnatural things relegated to myth during the centuries long summer but proving all too real and all too deadly in the turning of the season yet a more immediate threat lurks to the south where jon arryn the hand of the king has died under mysterious circumstances now robert is riding north to winterfell bringing his queen the lovely but cold cersei his son the cruel vainglorious prince joffrey and the queen s brothers jaime and tyrion of the powerful and wealthy house lannister the first a swordsman without equal the second a dwarf whose stunted stature belies a brilliant mind all are heading for winterfell and a fateful encounter that will change the course of kingdoms meanwhile across the narrow sea prince viserys heir of the fallen house targaryen which once ruled all of westeros schemes to reclaim the throne with an army of barbarian dothraki whose loyalty he will purchase in the only coin left to him his beautiful yet innocent sister daenerys

Ice 2011-04-27

like the adventurer who circled an iceberg to see it on all sides mariana gosnell former newsweek reporter and author of zero three bravo a book about flying a small plane around the united states explores ice in all its complexity grandeur and significance more brittle than glass at times stronger than steel at other times flowing like molasses ice covers 10 percent of the earth s land and 7 percent of its oceans in nature it is found in myriad forms from the delicate needle ice that crunches underfoot in a winter meadow to the massive centuries old ice that forms the world s glaciers scientists theorize that icy comets delivered to earth the molecules needed to get life started and ice ages have shaped much of the land as we know it here is the whole world of ice from the freezing of pleasant lake in new hampshire to the breakup of a vermont river at the onset of spring from the frozen antarctic landscape that emperor penguins inhabit to the cold watery route bowhead whales take between arctic ice floes mariana gosnell writes about frostbite and about the recently discovered 5 000 year old body of a man preserved in an alpine glacier she discusses the work of scientists who extract cylinders of greenland ice to study the history of the earth s climate and try to predict its future she examines ice in plants icebergs icicles and hail sea ice and permafrost ice on mars and in the rings of saturn and several new forms of ice developed in labs she writes of the many uses humans make of ice including ice skating ice fishing iceboating and ice climbing building ice roads and seeding clouds making ice castles ice cubes and iced desserts ice is a sparkling illumination of the natural phenomenon whose ebbs and flows over time have helped form the world we live in it is a pleasure to read and important to read for its natural science and revelations about ice s influence on our everyday lives and for what it has to tell us about our environment today and in the future

A Game of Thrones 2003-01-01

now the acclaimed hbo series game of thrones the masterpiece that became a cultural phenomenon winter is coming such is the stern motto of house stark the northernmost of the fiefdoms that owe allegiance to king robert baratheon in far off king s landing there eddard stark of winterfell rules in robert s name there his family dwells in peace and comfort his proud wife catelyn his sons robb brandon and rickon his daughters sansa and arya and his bastard son jon snow far to the north behind the towering wall lie savage wildings and worse unnatural things relegated to myth during the centuries long summer but proving all too real and all too deadly in the turning of the season yet a more immediate threat lurks to the south where jon arryn the hand of the king has died under mysterious circumstances now robert is riding north to winterfell bringing his queen the lovely but cold cersei his son the cruel vainglorious prince joffrey and the queen s brothers jaime and tyron of the powerful and wealthy house lannister the first a swordsman without equal the second a dwarf whose stunted stature belies a brilliant mind all are heading for winterfell and a fateful encounter that will change the course of kingdoms meanwhile across the narrow sea prince viserys heir of the fallen house targaryen which once ruled all of westeros schemes to reclaim the throne with an army of barbarian dothraki whose loyalty he will purchase in the only coin left to him his beautiful yet innocent sister daenerys

A Dance with Dragons 2011-07-12

1 new york times bestseller the book behind the fifth season of the acclaimed hbo series game of thrones named one of paste s best fantasy books of the decade dubbed the american tolkien by time magazine george r r martin has earned international acclaim for his monumental cycle of epic fantasy now the 1 new york times bestselling author delivers the fifth book in his landmark series as both familiar faces and surprising new forces vie for a foothold in a fragmented empire a dance with dragons a song of ice and fire book five in the aftermath of a colossal battle the future of the seven kingdoms hangs in the balance beset by newly emerging threats from every direction in the east daenerys targaryen the last scion of house targaryen rules with her three dragons as queen of a city built on dust and death but daenerys has thousands of enemies and many have set out to find her as they gather one young man embarks upon his own quest for the queen with an entirely different goal in mind fleeing from westeros with a price on his head tyron lannister too is making his way to daenerys but his newest allies in this quest are not the rag tag band they seem and at their heart lies one who could undo daenerys s claim to westeros forever meanwhile to the north lies the mammoth wall of ice and stone a structure only as strong as those guarding it there jon snow 998th lord commander of the night s watch will face his greatest challenge for he has powerful foes not only within the watch but also beyond in the land of the creatures of ice from all corners bitter conflicts reignite intimate betrayals are perpetrated and a grand cast of outlaws and priests soldiers and skinchangers nobles and slaves will face seemingly insurmountable obstacles some will fail others will grow in the strength of darkness but in a time of rising restlessness the tides of destiny and politics will lead inevitably to the greatest dance of all praise for a dance with dragons filled with vividly rendered set pieces unexpected turnings assorted cliffhangers and moments of appalling cruelty a dance with dragons is epic fantasy as it should be written passionate compelling convincingly detailed and thoroughly imagined the washington post long live george martin a literary dervish enthralled by complicated characters and vivid language and bursting with the wild vision of the very best tale tellers the new york times one of the best series in the history of fantasy los angeles times

Of Ice and Shadows 2019-08-13

the long awaited sequel to the acclaimed ya fantasy of fire and stars mare and denna travel to a new and dangerous kingdom where denna will be trained to tame her magic by a mysterious queen who is not all she seems perfect for fans of malinda lo and kristin cashore princesses denna and mare are in love and together at last only to face a new set of dangers mare just wants to settle down with the girl she loves which would be easier if denna weren t gifted with forbidden and volatile fire magic denna must learn to control her powers which means traveling in secret to the kingdom of zumorda where she can seek training without fear of persecution determined to help mare has agreed to serve as an ambassador as a cover for their journey but just as mare and denna arrive in zumorda an attack on a border town in mynaria changes everything mare s diplomatic mission is now urgent she must quickly broker an alliance with the queen of zumorda to protect her homeland however the queen has no interest in allying with other kingdoms it s denna s untamed but powerful magic that catches her eye the queen offers denna a place among her elite trainees an opportunity that would force her to choose between her magic and mare as denna s powers grow stronger mare struggles to be the ambassador her kingdom needs by making unconventional friends her knowledge of zumorda and its people grow and so too do her suspicions about who is truly behind the attacks on zumorda and her homeland as rising tensions and unexpected betrayals put mare and denna in jeopardy and dangerous enemies emerge on all sides can they protect their love and save their kingdoms

A Game of Thrones 4-Book Bundle 2011-03-22

the perfect gift for fans of hbo s game of thrones a boxed set featuring the first four novels george r r martin s a song of ice and fire series has become in many ways the gold standard for modern epic fantasy martin dubbed the american tolkien by time magazine has created a world that is as rich and vital as any piece of historical fiction set in an age of knights and chivalry and filled with a plethora of fascinating multidimensional characters that you love hate to love or love to hate as they struggle for control of a divided kingdom this bundle includes the following novels a game of thrones a clash of kings a storm of swords a feast for crows

From the Sands of Dorne: A Feast of Ice & Fire Companion Cookbook 2015-02-24

prepare your palette for more than a dozen all new recipes in this ebook exclusive companion to the official game of thrones cookbook discover the tastes of dorne including one dish from the winds of winter the highly anticipated next chapter of george r r martin s beloved series a song of ice and fire the most culturally distinct region of the seven kingdoms dorne is the sun soaked desert land characterized by its unique customs and brash resistance to the iron throne the dornish people are known for their bold passions perhaps best exemplified by the red viper himself oberyn martell and this fiery temperament has yielded a perfect pairing their delicious cuisine packed with fresh flavor zesty seasonings and plenty of heat this eclectic sampling of southern delights can be enjoyed all year round with savory fare to warm your bones in winterfell and frozen desserts to help you keep cool in sunspear inside you ll find succulent starters lemon egg soup spicy shrimp roasted chickpeas mediterranean style mains lamb with honey lemon and fiery peppers eggs and spicy sausage green peppers stuffed with cheese spicy flatbread tasty treats blood orange granita candied kumquats figs stuffed with nuts with all the imagination authenticity and tongue in cheek humor that won a feast of ice and fire a cult following from the sands of dorne is an oasis for foodies everywhere

The a Song of Ice and Fire Handbook - Everything You Need to Know about a Song of Ice and Fire 2016-06-25

this book is your ultimate a song of ice and fire resource here you will find the most up to date information facts quotes and much more in easy to read chapters with extensive references and links to get you to know all there is to know about a song of ice and fire s whole picture right away get countless a song of ice and fire facts right at your fingertips with this essential resource the a song of ice and fire handbook is the single and largest a song of ice and fire reference book this compendium of information is the authoritative source for all your entertainment reference and learning needs it will be your go to source for any a song of ice and fire questions a mind tickling encyclopedia on a song of ice and fire a treat in its entirety and an oasis of learning about what you don t yet know but are glad you found the a song of ice and fire handbook will answer all of your needs and much more

A song of ice and fire 2011

a brilliant interweaving of journeys and voyages geographical historical psychological the terrors of ice and darkness is the riveting account of a narrator obsessed with a certain josef mazzini a young italian lost in the arctic winter of 1981 who is himself obsessed with the imperial austro hungarian north pole expedition of 1873 at first it was nothing more than a game to try to reduce the circumstances of his disappearance to some sort of explanation any explanation but every clue yielded a new unanswered question quite involuntarily i found myself taking one step after the other cumulus clouds mirrored in a shop window became calving glaciers patches of old snow in city parks became great floes of ice the arctic ocean lay at my window much the same thing must have happened to mazzini painstakingly retracing mazzini s steps the narrator simultaneously reconstructs the dramatic and fantastic story of the nineteenth century journey using actual letters and diaries of the members of that harrowing expedition these documents sometimes surprisingly poetic and moving combine in the narrator s imagination to evoke as never before the awful beauty of the world s farthest northern reaches in a novel as crystalline as the polar ice as penetrating as the arctic cold christopher ransmayr spins an adventure tale both spellbinding and paradoxical in its subversive undermining of conventional notions of heroism and exploration

The Terrors of Ice and Darkness 1991

filled with magic intrigue romance and adventure mercedes lackey s world of valdemar is one of the most popular domains in fantasy literature home to the heralds and thier mysterious horselike companions the

magical taylor hawk people and of course the powerful gryphons valdemar has garnered a devoted global following now these 17 new tales by fantasy's greatest authors are sure to add their own chapter to the history of this enchanting land

Sword of Ice 1997-01-01

the book behind the fourth season of the acclaimed hbo series game of thrones few books have captivated the imagination and won the devotion and praise of readers and critics everywhere as has george r r martin's monumental epic cycle of high fantasy now in a feast for crows martin delivers the long awaited fourth book of his landmark series as a kingdom torn asunder finds itself at last on the brink of peace only to be launched on an even more terrifying course of destruction a feast for crows it seems too good to be true after centuries of bitter strife and fatal treachery the seven powers dividing the land have decimated one another into an uneasy truce or so it appears with the death of the monstrous king joffrey cersei is ruling as regent in king's landing robb stark's demise has broken the back of the northern rebels and his siblings are scattered throughout the kingdom like seeds on barren soil few legitimate claims to the once desperately sought iron throne still exist or they are held in hands too weak or too distant to wield them effectively the war which raged out of control for so long has burned itself out but as in the aftermath of any climactic struggle it is not long before the survivors outlaws renegades and carrion eaters start to gather picking over the bones of the dead and fighting for the spoils of the soon to be dead now in the seven kingdoms as the human crows assemble over a banquet of ashes daring new plots and dangerous new alliances are formed while surprising faces some familiar others only just appearing are seen emerging from an ominous twilight of past struggles and chaos to take up the challenges ahead it is a time when the wise and the ambitious the deceitful and the strong will acquire the skills the power and the magic to survive the stark and terrible times that lie before them it is a time for nobles and commoners soldiers and sorcerers assassins and sages to come together and stake their fortunes and their lives for at a feast for crows many are the guests but only a few are the survivors

A Feast for Crows 2005-11-08

this is a joyful spirited gem of a book as bracing and glorious as a perfect stretch of ice newbery honor author joyce sidman with the first ice a skim on a sheep pail so thin it breaks when touched one family's winter begins in earnest next comes ice like panes of glass and eventually skating ice take a literary skate over field ice and streambed through sleeping orchards and beyond the first ice the second ice the third ice perfect ice the last ice twelve kinds of ice are carved into twenty nostalgic vignettes illustrated in elegantly scratched detail by the award winning barbara mcclintock

Twelve Kinds Of Ice 2013-12-03

the ice dragon is an enchanting tale of courage and sacrifice for young readers and adults by the wildly popular author of the 1 new york times bestselling song of ice and fire series george r r martin lavish illustrations by acclaimed artist luis royo enrich this captivating and heartwarming story of a young girl and her dragon in the world of a song of ice and fire the ice dragon was a creature of legend and fear for no man had ever tamed one when it flew overhead it left in its wake desolate cold and frozen land but adara was not afraid for adara was a winter child born during the worst freeze that anyone even the old ones could remember adara could not remember the first time she had seen the ice dragon it seemed that it had always been in her life glimpsed from afar as she played in the frigid snow long after the other children had fled the cold in her fourth year she touched it and in her fifth year she rode upon its broad chilled back for the first time then in her seventh year on a calm summer day fiery dragons from the north swooped down upon the peaceful farm that was adara's home and only a winter child and the ice dragon who loved her could save her world from utter destruction this new edition of the ice dragon is sure to become a collector's item for fans of hbo's megahit game of thrones at the publisher's request this title is being sold without digital rights management software drm applied

The Ice Dragon 2014-10-21

the purpose and scope of this book on theoretical glaciology is outlined in the introduction its aim is to study the theoretical aspects of ice mechanics and the dynamics of ice masses in a geophysical environment for the mature reader the book can serve as an introduction to glaciology however this is not what i would regard as advisable glaciology is an interdisciplinary science in which many special scientific disciplines play their part from descriptive geography to fairly abstract mathematics advancement will evolve from a merger of two or more branches of scientific specialization in the last 20 years several researchers in different fields of glaciology have written books emphasizing the aspects of their specialities and i have listed some which are known to me at the end of the introduction when glancing through these books one recognizes that the mathematical aspects of glaciology are generally glossed over and to date there seems to be nothing available which concentrates on

these therefore i have written this book in an effort to close the gap and no apologies are offered for the mathematical emphasis rather i believe that this neglect has to a certain extent aggravated progress in the modelling of glaciology problems

Theoretical Glaciology 2017-03-30

remote sensing using aircraft and satellites has helped to open up to intensified scientific scrutiny the cold and remote regions in which snow and ice are prevalent in this book the utility of remote sensing for identifying mapping and analyzing surface and subsurface properties of worldwide ice and snow features is described emphasis is placed on the use of remote sensing for developing an improved understanding of the physical properties of ice and snow and understanding the interrelationships of cryospheric processes with atmospheric hydrospheric and oceanic processes current and potential applications of remotely sensed data are also stressed at present all weather day and night observations of the polar regions can be obtained from sensors operating in different portions of the electromagnetic spectrum because the approaches for analysis of remotely sensed data are not straightforward chapter 1 serves to introduce the reader to some of the optical thermal and electrical properties of ice and snow as they pertain to remote sensing in chapter 2 we briefly describe many of the sensors and platforms that are referred to in the rest of the book the remaining chapters deal with remote sensing of the seasonal snow cover lake and river ice permafrost glacier ice and sea ice

Remote Sensing of Ice and Snow 2012-12-06

one of the biggest attractions of george r r martin s high fantasy series a song of ice and fire and by extension its hbo television adaptation game of thrones is its claim to historical realism the author the directors and producers of the adaptation and indeed the fans of the books and show all lay claim to westeros its setting as representative of an authentic medieval world but how true are these claims is it possible to faithfully represent a time so far removed from our own in time and culture and what does an authentic medieval fantasy world look like this book explores martin s and hbo s approaches to and beliefs about the middle ages and how those beliefs fall into traditional medievalist and fantastic literary patterns examining both books and programme from a range of critical approaches medievalism theory gender theory queer theory postcolonial theory and race theory dr carroll analyzes how the drive for historical realism affects the books and show s treatment of men women people of colour sexuality and imperialism as well as how the author and showrunners discuss these effects outside the texts themselves shiloh carroll teaches in the writing center at tennessee state university

Medievalism in A Song of Ice and Fire and Game of Thrones 2018

an atmospheric and romantic debut fantasy perfect for fans of ash and the winner s curse betrothed since childhood to the prince of mynaria princess dennaleia has always known what her future holds her marriage will seal the alliance between mynaria and her homeland protecting her people from other hostile kingdoms but denna has a secret she possesses an affinity for fire a dangerous gift for the future queen of a land where magic is forbidden now denna has to learn the ways of her new kingdom while trying to hide her growing magic to make matters worse she must learn to ride mynaria s formidable warhorses before her coronation and her teacher is the person who intimidates her most the prickly and unconventional princess amaranthine sister of her betrothed when a shocking assassination leaves the kingdom reeling mare and denna reluctantly join forces to search for the culprit as the two work together they discover there is more to one another than they thought and soon their friendship is threatening to blossom into something more but with dangerous conflict brewing that makes the alliance more important than ever acting on their feelings could be deadly forced to choose between their duty and their hearts mare and denna must find a way to save their kingdoms and each other plus don t miss the sequel of ice and shadows

Some Physical Properties of Ice from the TUTO Tunnel and Ramp, Thule, Greenland 1959

valor is under arrest for the attempted murder of the crown prince her parents are outcasts from the royal court her sister is banished for theft of a national treasure and now valor has been sentenced to life imprisonment at demidova a prison built from stone and ice but that s exactly where she wants to be for her sister was sent there too and valor embarks on an epic plan to break her out from the inside no one has escaped from demidova in over three hundred years and if valor is to succeed she will need all of her strength courage and love if the plan fails she faces a chilling fate worse than any prison an unforgettable story of sisterhood valour and rebellion prisoner of ice and snow will fire you up and melt your heart all at once perfect for fans of katherine rundell piers torday and cathryn constable

Of Ice and Steel 2006-07

george r r martin s acclaimed seven book fantasy series a song of ice and fire is unique for its strong and multi faceted female protagonists from teen queen daenerys scheming queen cersei child avenger arya knight brienne red witch melisandre and many more the game of thrones universe challenges exploits yet also changes how we think of women and gender not only in fantasy but in western culture in general divided into three sections addressing questions of adaptation from novel to television female characters and politics and female audience engagement within the got universe the interdisciplinary and international lineup of contributors analyze gender in relation to female characters and topics such as genre sex violence adaptation as well as fan reviews the genre of fantasy was once considered a primarily male territory with male heroes women of ice and fire shows how the got universe challenges exploits and reimagines gender and why it holds strong appeal to female readers audiences and online participants

Of Fire and Stars 2016-11-22

exploring the science in george r r martin s fantastical world from the physics of an ice wall to the genetics of the targaryens and lannisters game of thrones is a fantasy that features a lot of made up science fabricated climatology when is winter coming astronomy metallurgy chemistry and biology most fans of george r r martin s fantastical world accept it all as part of the magic a trained scientist watching the fake science in game of thrones might think but how would it work in fire ice and physics rebecca thompson turns a scientist s eye on game of thrones exploring among other things the science of an ice wall the genetics of the targaryen and lannister families and the biology of beheading thompson a phd in physics and an enthusiastic game of thrones fan uses the fantasy science of the show as a gateway to some interesting real science introducing got fandom to a new dimension of appreciation thompson starts at the beginning with winter explaining seasons and the very elliptical orbit of the earth that might cause winter to come or not come she tells us that ice can behave like ketchup compares regular steel to valyrian steel explains that dragons are bats but with fire and considers targaryen inbreeding finally she offers scientific explanations of the various types of fatal justice meted out including beheading hanging poisoning reporting that the effects of the strangler administered to joffrey at the purple wedding resemble the effects of strychnine skull crushing and burning at the stake even the most faithful game of thrones fans will learn new and interesting things about the show from thompson s entertaining and engaging account fire ice and physics is an essential companion for all future bingeing

Prisoner of Ice and Snow 2017-09-07

as seen in the new york times men s journal smithsonian com and the guardian the author who jeremy scahill calls the quintessential unembedded reporter visits hot spots around the world in a global quest to discover how we will cope with our planet s changing ecosystems after nearly a decade overseas as a war reporter the acclaimed journalist dahr jamail returned to america to renew his passion for mountaineering only to find that the slopes he had once climbed have been irrevocably changed by climate disruption in response jamail embarks on a journey to the geographical front lines of this crisis from alaska to australia s great barrier reef via the amazon rainforest in order to discover the consequences to nature and to humans of the loss of ice in the end of ice we follow jamail as he scales denali the highest peak in north america dives in the warm crystal waters of the pacific only to find ghostly coral reefs and explores the tundra of st paul island where he meets the last subsistence seal hunters of the bering sea and witnesses its melting glaciers accompanied by climate scientists and people whose families have fished farmed and lived in the areas he visits for centuries jamail begins to accept the fact that earth most likely is in a hospice situation ironically this allows him to renew his passion for the planet s wild places cherishing earth in a way he has never been able to before like no other book the end of ice offers a firsthand chronicle including photographs throughout of jamail on his journey across the world of the catastrophic reality of our situation and the incalculable necessity of relishing this vulnerable fragile planet while we still can

A Game of Thrones; Book 1 of Song of Ice and Fire 1964

the uneasy peace that exists following the death of robb stark is threatened by new plots intrigues and alliances that once again will plunge the seven kingdoms into all out war for control of the iron throne

The Economics of Ice and Snow Removal in Urban Areas 2016-04-07

the sixth book in george r r martin s critically acclaimed world wide best selling series a song of ice and fire the inspiration behind hbo s game of thrones an absorbing exciting read martin s style is so vivid that you will be

hooked within a few pages the times

Women of Ice and Fire 2020-11-10

layla a powerful demon and adrian an angel sent to save corrupt beings are two wandering souls which only together can form a weapon powerful enough to confront their adversaries despite the fact that they ironically belong to two distinct sides in the eternal battle between good and evil the apparition of diabolical beings that call her the chosen and the discovery of a demonic book that precedes the apocalypse forces layla and adrian to prepare together for the battle to revenge past suffering for which the demons that beset them are responsible far from reducing their passion the preparation for the fight accrues it to levels of non human intensity a passion the consummation of which is not possible in the princess of ice and the fallen angel rhapsody 2 layla and adrian must wield the forged swords to confront one another and believe that even if one annihilates the body of the other their love will save their souls

Fire, Ice, and Physics 2019-01-15

an official report from the united states hydrographic office detailing ice conditions in the bering sea and arctic basin this report includes charts tables and other data on ice thickness drift and other measurements this work has been selected by scholars as being culturally important and is part of the knowledge base of civilization as we know it this work is in the public domain in the united states of america and possibly other nations within the united states you may freely copy and distribute this work as no entity individual or corporate has a copyright on the body of the work scholars believe and we concur that this work is important enough to be preserved reproduced and made generally available to the public we appreciate your support of the preservation process and thank you for being an important part of keeping this knowledge alive and relevant

The End of Ice 2012-03-27

the book behind the third season of game of thrones an original series now on hbo here is the third volume in george r r martin s magnificent cycle of novels that includes a game of thrones and a clash of kings as a whole this series comprises a genuine masterpiece of modern fantasy bringing together the best the genre has to offer magic mystery intrigue romance and adventure fill these pages and transport us to a world unlike any we have ever experienced already hailed as a classic george r r martin s stunning series is destined to stand as one of the great achievements of imaginative fiction a storm of swords of the five contenders for power one is dead another in disfavor and still the wars rage as violently as ever as alliances are made and broken joffrey of house lannister sits on the iron throne the uneasy ruler of the land of the seven kingdoms his most bitter rival lord stannis stands defeated and disgraced the victim of the jealous sorceress who holds him in her evil thrall but young robb of house stark still rules the north from the fortress of riverrun robb plots against his despised lannister enemies even as they hold his sister hostage at king s landing the seat of the iron throne meanwhile making her way across a blood drenched continent is the exiled queen daenerys mistress of the only three dragons still left in the world but as opposing forces maneuver for the final titanic showdown an army of barbaric wildlings arrives from the outermost line of civilization in their vanguard is a horde of mythical others a supernatural army of the living dead whose animated corpses are unstoppable as the future of the land hangs in the balance no one will rest until the seven kingdoms have exploded in a veritable storm of swords

A Feast for Crows 2019-08-02

after nearly a decade overseas as a war reporter the acclaimed journalist dahr jamail returned to america to renew his passion for mountaineering only to find that the slopes he had once climbed have been irrevocably changed by climate disruption in response jamail embarks on a journey to the geographical front lines of this crisis from alaska to australia s great barrier reef via the amazon rainforest in order to discover the consequences to nature and to humans of the loss of ice

The Winds of Winter 2023-07-18

ever wonder what it s like to attend a feast at winterfell wish you could split a lemon cake with sansa stark scarf down a pork pie with the night s watch or indulge in honeyfingers with daenerys targaryen george r r martin s bestselling saga a song of ice and fire and the runaway hit hbo series game of thrones are renowned for bringing westeros s sights and sounds to vivid life but one important ingredient has always been missing the mouthwatering dishes that form the backdrop of this extraordinary world now fresh out of the series that redefined fantasy comes the cookbook that may just redefine dinner and lunch and breakfast a passion project from superfans and amateur chefs chelsea monroe cassel and sariann lehrer and endorsed by george r r martin

himself a feast of ice and fire lovingly replicates a stunning range of cuisines from across the seven kingdoms and beyond from the sumptuous delicacies enjoyed in the halls of power at king s landing to the warm and smoky comfort foods of the frozen north to the rich exotic fare of the mysterious lands east of westeros there s a flavor for every palate and a treat for every chef these easy to follow recipes have been refined for modern cooking techniques but adventurous eaters can also attempt the authentic medieval meals that inspired them the authors have also suggested substitutions for some of the more fantastical ingredients so you won t have to stock your kitchen with camel live doves or dragon eggs to create meals fit for a king or a khaleesi in all a feast of ice and fire contains more than 100 recipes divided by region the wall rack of lamb and herbs pork pie mutton in onion ale broth mulled wine pease porridge the north beef and bacon pie honeyed chicken aurochs with roasted leeks baked apples the south cream swans trout wrapped in bacon stewed rabbit sister s stew blueberry tarts king s landing lemon cakes quails drowned in butter almond crusted trout bowls of brown iced milk with honey dorne stuffed grape leaves duck with lemons chickpea paste across the narrow sea biscuits and bacon tyroshi honeyfingers wintercakes honey spiced locusts there s even a guide to dining and entertaining in the style of the seven kingdoms exhaustively researched and reverently detailed accompanied by passages from all five books in the series and photographs guaranteed to whet your appetite this is the companion to the blockbuster phenomenon that millions of stomachs have been growling for and remember winter is coming so don t be afraid to put on a few pounds includes a foreword by george r r martin

THE PRINCESS OF ICE AND THE FALLEN ANGEL 2003-03-04

Report of Ice and Ice Movements in Bering Sea and Arctic Basin 1987

A Storm of Swords 2020-03-10

Of Ice and Engines 2012-05-29

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