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One Foot in the Grave William Mark Simmons 2015-10-29 UNFORTUNATELY, THEY BELIEVE IN HIM... Christopher Csejthe doesn't believe in vampires. Not until he becomes one. He doesn't believe in witches or werewolves, either. Not until they make him an offer he can't refuse.... Flight of the Living Dead A scream sliced the night air%an animal sound as far removed from a human voice as the previous scream of tortured metal. It was a sound that went on and on as we hurried toward the RV. Mooncloud yanked the passenger door open and then ran around to the driver's side as I climbed up onto the bench seat. As she slid behind the wheel the other woman leapt from the building's rear doorway, sailing over the stairs and landing on the ground below. As she crouched on the asphalt, there was a shattering roar that canceled out the screaming. A ball of flame rolled out from the doorway like an orange party favor, licking the air just a few feet above her head. Mooncloud threw the van in gear and brought it skidding around as the blaze snapped back through the opening. Before I could reach for the door handle the woman was springing through the open window to land across my lap. "Go!" she shouted, but Mooncloud was already whipping the vehicle in a tight turn and accelerating toward the parking lot's north exit. The speed bump smacked my head against the roof of the cab and, by the time my vision cleared, we were driving more sedately down a side street, the woman with the crossbow sitting between me and the passenger door. In the rear-view mirror a pillar of flame was climbing from the roof of the old dormitory that housed the radio station. I shook my head to clear away the last of the planetarium show and gripped the dashboard. "Will somebody please tell me what's going on?" "It's very simple, Mr. Csejthe," Dr. Mooncloud said, pressing a button that locked the cab doors. "You are a dead man." At the publisher's request, this title is sold without DRM (Digital Rights Management).

Heris Serrano Elizabeth Moon 2002-07-30 When fleet officer Heris Serrano reluctantly takes on the job of commanding a wealthy old woman's interstellar luxury yacht, she soon discovers that her employer can offer her more than she expected.

Divided Allegiance Elizabeth Moon 2019-01-01 The Compton Crook Award winning Deeds of Paksenarrion series continues as Paksenarrion continues her journey from sheepfarmer's daughter to warrior hero. Includes a new introduction by author Elizabeth Moon. Once a sheepfarmer's daughter, now a seasoned veteran, Paksenarrion has proven herself a fighter. Years with Duke Phelan's Company taught her weaponry, discipline, and how to react as part of a military unit. Now, though, Paks feels spurred to a solitary destiny. Against all odds she is accepted as a paladin-candidate by the fellowship of Gird. Years of study will follow, for a paladin must be versed in diplomacy and magic as well as the fighting arts. But before she is fully trained, Paks is called on her first mission: to seek out the fabled stronghold of Luap far to the west. The way is long, the dangers many--and not even the Marshal-General of Gird can say whether glory or ruin awaits. Features an all-new introduction by the author! About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and characters support the utterly realistic action sequences: swift, jolting, confusing, and merciless. It's a corker!"—Kirkus Reviews "Moon has created a richly imagined universe of different cultures, replete with intriguing characters and the sense of unlimited possibility that characterizes the most appealing science fiction."—School Library Journal "Rip-roaring action and intriguing science and tactics . . . [a] grand space opera tour de force."—Publishers Weekly

Rules Of Engagement Elizabeth Moon 1999-12-01 Rivals despite the many things they share in common, Esmay becomes a suspect in Brun's capture by a religious militia movement, while Brun, pregnant and imprisoned, struggles to survive despite her captors' dangerous practices.

Deeds of Honor Elizabeth Moon 2014-12-22 Elizabeth Moon, the New York Times bestselling author of the celebrated Deed of Paksenarrion and Paladin's Legacy epic fantasy series, presents Deeds of Honor, a brand new collection of short stories set in the world of Paksenarrion. With two exclusive, never-before-published stories featuring characters from the Paladin's Legacy series, Deeds of Honor gathers together lore and legends from Paksenarrion's world, along with tales from the Paladin's Legacy era, all revised and updated for this special compilation. Rich with the vivid and immersive storytelling for which Elizabeth Moon is known, the eight short stories in Deeds of Honor — collected here for the first time, with all-new author notes — are certain to please any fan of the Paksenarrion saga. Deeds of Honor: Tales of Paksenarrion's World "Point of Honor" — "Falk's Oath" — "Cross Purposes" — "Torre's Ride" — "A Parrion of Cooking" — "Vardan's Tale" — "Those Who Walk in Darkness" — "The Last Lesson"

Hunting Party Elizabeth Moon 2018-11-30 The first volume in Hugo Award-winning and New York Times bestselling author Elizabeth Moon's epic science-fiction saga the Serrano Legacy... For Heris Serrano, nothing gave her life as much meaning as serving the ruling Familias Regnant in the Regular Space Service. But after defying a vindictive superior officer in order to save the lives of her men—she's cast off from the crew and finds herself struggling to retain her sense of purpose. Now, she finds herself in the civilian world and at the helm of the Sweet Delight—an opulent interstellar space yacht owned by the wealthy, powerful and irascible matriarch Lady Cecilia de Marktos. After a disciplined life in the Service, Heris doesn't anticipate having many problems captaining a flying pleasure palace. But she didn't count on her crew comprising some of the most incompetent degenerates she's ever had the displeasure of commanding. Or that her predecessor had been using the Sweet Delight for criminal enterprises...or that their final destination will bring Heris face-to-face with the man who ended her career. "A thoroughly enjoyable escapist romp through high society....Great fun."—SF Reviews

Command Decision Elizabeth Moon 2008-11-05 With most of her family dead, slaughtered in a series of brutal attacks aimed at destroying the Vatta interstellar shipping empire, Kylara Vatta struggles to rebuild her family business and recruit allies to her cause, working to bring together a ragtag group of traders to strike back against an entire fleet of pirates. Reprint.

Changer of Worlds David Weber 2001-03-01 WELCOME AGAIN TO THE MANY WORLDS OF HONOR Lady Dame Honor Harrington%starship captain, admiral, Steadholder, and Duchess%has spent decades defending the Star Kingdom of Manticore against all comers. Along the way, she has become the legend known as "the Salamander" from her habit of always being where the fire is hottest . . . and also a national bestseller (Ashes of Victory: #7, The Wall Street Journal). But it's a big universe, and Honor's actions affect a lot of lives, not all of them human. And their actions affect her%a lesson "Ms. Midshipwoman

Harrington" learns years before rising to command rank when a desperate battle against "pirates" who aren't quite what they seem begins her brilliant career. Closer to home, in "Changer of Worlds," a secret that the alien treecats have kept from their human friends for hundreds of years is about to come out . . . and completely change the relationship between the two species forever. Meanwhile, Eric Flint weighs in with "From the Highlands." Honor can't be everywhere, so when the People's Republic of Haven tries to stage a political assassination on Earth, Anton Zilwicki's husband of one of the Star Kingdom's most revered military martyrs, and father of a young woman who is clearly a chip off the old block steps into the breach . . . and takes the opportunity to settle some old scores along the way. And finally, Esther McQueen and Oscar Saint-Just square off for their final confrontation in Nouveau Paris in "Nightfall." At the publisher's request, this title is sold without DRM (Digital Rights Management).

Winning Colors Elizabeth Moon 1995-08-01 Captaining a rich lady's interstellar pleasure yacht, former navy fleet officer Heris Serrano finds an opportunity to restore her tarnished reputation by intercepting mafia plans to invade the galaxy. Original.

Warrior Wisewoman Roby James 2013-12 Explore the truth of what it means to be female, and discover the wisdom and the strength of a woman in a grand universe without limits. Far-ranging scientific speculation meets action and adventure, grand space opera, thrilling discovery, and intelligent protagonists... "Warrior Wisewoman combines stories of women in struggles that range across political, biological, social, and even military lines in a future variably far away...women who may or may not fight with weapons, but always strive for something beyond the fight. Inventive, unusual, these are stories to ponder over time...whether the reader agrees that the women are warriors, or wise, or that anyone can be both." --Elizabeth Moon, author of The Speed of Dark, Remnant Population, and The Deed of Paksenarrion "The stories in Warrior Wisewoman create new ways of looking at ideas, science fiction, and living itself at a time when we are all hungry for new thoughts expressed in new ways. The stories are austere, lyrical, and fuse science with ethics and emotion in a way that is very rare. If Le Guin's people who walked away from Omelas told us their stories, they would write like this." --Susan Shwartz, author of Hostile Takeover, Second Chances and Grail of Hearts; editor of Sisters in Fantasy

The Serrano Connection Elizabeth Moon 2008-10-01 Defend the Fleet! Esmay is a young woman caught between the patriarchal culture of her home world, where she is the scion of a powerful family yet still a second-class citizen and her chosen profession as an officer of the Fleet, where only ability counts. Esmay's task To gain control of her easily-offended temperament and to show the galaxy that a woman's place is in command! Contains Once a Hero and Rules of Engagement, two dazzling high notes in Nebula-Award-winner Elizabeth Moon's intricate and exciting "Serrano" saga! At the publisher's request, this title is sold without DRM (Digital Rights Management). "[T]he stuff of riveting fiction . . . resplendent." Booklist on Elizabeth Moon's Once a Hero.

Generation Warriors Anne McCaffrey 2022-01-04 A CLASSIC NOVEL IN THE PIRATE PLANETS SERIES FROM SF MASTER ANNE MCCAFFREY AND ELIZABETH MOON The fate of the galaxy is placed in the hands of Lunzie, who discovers the true nature of three friends: Fordeliton, who is dying of a mysterious poison; Dupaynil, who is exiled; and Aygar, who tries to prove himself. About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and characters support the utterly realistic action sequences: swift, jolting, confusing, and merciless. It's a corker!"—Kirkus Reviews "Moon has created a richly imagined universe of different cultures, replete with intriguing characters and the sense of unlimited possibility that characterizes the most appealing science fiction."—School Library Journal "Rip-roaring action and intriguing science and tactics . . . [a] grand space opera tour de force."—Publishers Weekly ". . . the first work of high heroic fantasy I've seen that has taken the work of Tolkien, assimilated it totally and deeply and absolutely, and produced something altogether new and yet incontestably based on the master . . . [Moon's] military knowledge is impressive, her picture of life in a mercenary company most convincing. I'm deeply impressed."—Judith Tarr

Het Columbus mysterie Steve Berry 2013-07-10 Journalist Tom Sagan wil de leugen ontrafelen die wij Christoffel Columbus noemen. Tom reist naar Wenen, Praag en Jamaica en krijgt één kans zijn reputatie te redden. Tom Sagans glansrijke journalistieke carrière glipt tussen zijn vingers door als een van zijn stukken doelbewust wordt aangemerkt als een leugen. Het lukt hem niet zijn onschuld aan te tonen en als kort daarna ook zijn huwelijk strandt, stort hij in. Een onbekende, die beweert zijn vijanden te kennen, geeft hem een nieuwe koers. Tom reist naar Wenen, Praag en Jamaica en krijgt één kans zijn reputatie te redden. Hiervoor moet hij de leugen ontrafelen die wij Christoffel Columbus noemen...

Oath of Gold Elizabeth Moon 2019-05-07 The Compton Crook Award winning Deeds of Paksenarrion comes to an epic conclusion. Paksenarrion finishes her journey from sheepfarmer's daughter to warrior hero. Includes a new introduction by author Elizabeth Moon. Paksenarrion—Paks for short—was somebody special. Never could she have followed her father's orders and married the pig farmer down the road. Better a soldier's life than a pig farmer's wife, and so, though she knew that she could never go home again, Paks ran away to be a soldier. And so began an adventure destined to transform a simple Sheepfarmer's Daughter into a hero fit to be chosen by the gods. Features an all-new introduction by the author! About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and characters support the utterly realistic action sequences: swift, jolting, confusing, and merciless. It's a corker!"—Kirkus Reviews "Moon has created a richly imagined universe of different cultures, replete with intriguing characters and the sense of unlimited possibility that characterizes the most appealing science fiction."—School Library Journal "Rip-roaring action and intriguing science and tactics . . . [a] grand space opera tour de force."—Publishers Weekly "[T]he first work of high heroic fantasy I've seen that has taken the work of Tolkien, assimilated it totally and deeply and absolutely, and produced something altogether new and yet incontestably based on the master... [Moon's] military knowledge is impressive, her picture of life in a mercenary company most convincing. I'm deeply impressed."—Judith Tarr

The Deed of Paksenarrion Elizabeth Moon 2001-10-01 Complete at Last in a Single Hardcover Volume the Finest Trilogy of Epic Fantasy in a Decade Paksenarrion, a simple sheepfarmer's daughter, yearns for a life of adventure and glory, such as was known to heroes in songs and story. At age seventeen she runs away from home to join a mercenary company and begins her epic life . . . Book One: Paks is trained as a mercenary, blooded, and introduced to the life of a soldier . . . and to the followers of Gird, the soldier's god. Book Two: Paks leaves the Duke's company to follow the path of Gird alone and on her lonely quests encounters the other sentient races of her world. Book Three: Paks the warrior must learn to live with Paks the human. She undertakes a holy quest for a lost elven prince that brings the gods' wrath down on her and tests her very limits. At the publisher's request, this title is sold without DRM (Digital Rights Management). "Engrossing . . ." Anne McCaffrey "A tour de force . . ." Jack McDevitt "Worldbuilding in the grand tradition, background thought out to the last detail." Judith Tarr "Superlative . . ." Booklist "Brilliant . . . the excitement of high heroic adventure . . . will enchant the reader." Bookwatch Rules of Engagement Elizabeth Moon 2016-12-02 The New York Times bestselling and Hugo Award-winning author of Once a Hero continues her epic saga of war, power, and loyalty in the cold reaches of space... After proving herself in battle, Esmay Suiza is continuing her RSS Fleet training alongside her erstwhile love Barin when she meets Brun—the ebullient daughter of Lord Thornbuckle—who idolizes her as a reluctant hero. But Esmay cannot abide Brun's highborn airs. And when their shared affection for Barin ignites a rivalry between them, Esmay is exiled to remote duty. Crushed by the rebuke of her friendship, Brun leaves the facility—and enters a nightmare. For the enemies of civilization are on the move. The savage New Texas Militia, driven to spread their fanatical dogma, has been stealing the Familias government's own weaponry to use against them. When Brun accidentally witnesses their depredations, her life is all but forfeit. Taken by the Militia, she is subjected to inhuman torment as Esmay is blamed for the disastrous situation and the galaxy prepares for inevitable conflict. With the life of Brun and the dominance of the Familias Regnant both in peril, Esmay must go into action once again against a brutal, deranged enemy who would rather die than face defeat...

Rode klok Leni Zumas 2018-11-07 Leni Zumas' 'Rode klok' speelt zich af in een niet al te verre toekomst. Abortus is opnieuw illegaal verklaard in de Verenigde Staten, evenals ivf en adoptie door alleenstaande

ouders. Vier vrouwen uit een klein vissersdorp in de staat Oregon laveren tussen deze nieuwe beperkingen op het vrouwenlichaam en moederschap. De alleenstaande lerares Ro probeert wanhopig zwanger te worden voordat ze te oud is. Susan, de gefrustreerde moeder van twee kleuters, zit vast in een uitzichtloos huwelijk dat haar carrière als advocate in de kiem heeft gesmoord. De vijftienjarige Mattie is ongewenst zwanger. De natuurgenezers Gin kan ze allemaal helpen – totdat zij het slachtoffer dreigt te worden van een hedendaagse heksenjacht. 'Rode klok' is een angstaanjagend plausibele, meeslepemde roman over vrouwen van vlees en bloed: The Handmaid's Tale voor het huidige moment.

De vette jaren Chan Koonchung 2011-10-06 Chan Koonchung De vette jaren De waarheid is geen optie Beijing in de nabije toekomst: er is een maand uit de officiële documenten geplukt en niemand heeft er enige herinnering aan noch kan het iemand iets schelen. Behalve een groepje vrienden dat ten koste van alles wil uitvissen wat hier achter zit, achter deze opgelegde vrolijkheid en het collectieve geheugenverlies in China. Wanneer ze een hooggeplaatst persoon ontvoeren en hem dwingen alles te onthullen, zijn ze tot op het bot geschokt over wat ze te weten komen niet alleen over hun leiders, maar ook over hun eigen mensen. Het is een boodschap die de wereld op haar grondvesten zal doen schudden De vette jaren vertelt het verhaal van Lao Chen, een tamelijk succesvolle auteur die in een nieuw, rijk China leeft dat ontsnapt is aan de recessie die de rest van de wereld in een verlamdende greep houdt. Lao Chens creativiteit heeft te lijden onder een gevoel van tevredenheid en geluk, een gevoel dat hij deelt met de rest van de bevolking. Tot hij op een paar mensen stuit dat daar helemaal geen last van heeft en met een groeiend gevoel van alarm onderzoeken ze waarom er een complete maand uit het collectieve geheugen van de bevolking is gewist. De vette jaren brengt het Westen een angstaanjagende boodschap over het steeds machtiger wordende China. De roman is onderwerp van veel opwinding en debat onder de Chinese intellectuelen op het vasteland, en hoewel het boek er niet verkrijgbaar is circuleren er vele tweedehands exemplaren.

Novels by Elizabeth Moon Source Wikipedia 2013-09 Please note that the content of this book primarily consists of articles available from Wikipedia or other free sources online. Commentary (novels not included). Pages: 24. Chapters: Against the Odds (novel), Change of Command, Familias Regnant universe, Generation Warriors, Once a Hero (novel), Remnant Population, Rules of Engagement (novel), Sassinak, Speed of Dark, Sporting Chance, The Deed of Paksenarrion, Vatta's War, Winning Colors (novel). Excerpt: Vatta's War is a science fiction series by Texan writer Elizabeth Moon, comprising five books: Trading in Danger (2003), Marque and Reprisal (2004) (Moving Target in UK and Australia), Engaging the Enemy (2006), Command Decision (2007), and Victory Conditions (2008). They have been characterized as military science fiction similar in style to the works of Lois McMaster Bujold (Vorkosigan Saga), David Weber and Walter Jon Williams (Dread Empire's Fall). The books follow the adventures of Kylara Vatta, a young member of the Vatta family, which runs the interstellar shipping corporation Vatta Enterprises. She had sought a life outside the family business by enrolling in the Slotter Key Spaceforce Academy, but she is forced to resign in her final year and assigned to captain an old trading ship for the corporation. Her military training is put to good use, however, during the crises she faces, first as a ship captain in dangerous situations, and later as the representative of a family under attack. The first book, Trading in Danger, is narrowly focused on Ky and the local crisis in which she becomes involved. The perspective expands in the later books as connections between piracy and ansible attacks on the one hand and Vatta Enterprises and InterStellar Communications Corporation (ISC) on the other are revealed. Kylara Vatta, the daughter of the CFO of Vatta Transport Ltd., a space shipping firm based out of the wealthy world of Slotter Key, is forced to resign in disgrace from the Slotter Key spaceforce academy...

De maangodin Elizabeth Hand 2013-04-02 Aan de University of the Archangels and Saint John the Divine worden studenten ingewijd in eeuwenoude heksenpraktijken en magische rituelen. Minder bekend is dat de universiteit de thuisplaats is van de Benandanti, een sekte die zich tot doel heeft gesteld de herrijzenis van de Maangodin, een duistere macht, te voorkomen. Ook weet niemand dat de Benandanti door de eeuwen heen elke regering, elke religie en elk invloedrijk instituut middels ontoelaatbare praktijken manipuleerden. Katherine Sweeney Cassidy ontdekt bij toeval de identiteit van de Benandanti die de universiteit besturen. Wat Katherine niet kan voorzien is dat het heftige liefdesleven van haar nieuwe vrienden, Oliver en Angelica, die zich bij voorkeur uitleven onder het licht van een volle maan, direct aanleiding zal geven tot de wederopstanding van de gevreesde Maangodin... De romans van Elizabeth Hand werden bij herhaling genomineerd en bekroond met onder meer de World Fantasy Award, de Hugo Award en de prestigieuze James Tiptree Award. Hand woont en werkt in Maine, VS. `De Maangodin is een buitengewoon boek. Een ambitieuze, erotisch geladen moderne fantasy-roman. Clive Barker

Change of Command Elizabeth Moon 2016-12-09 New York Times bestselling author of Rules of Engagement Elizabeth Moon continues her grand epic as enemies from both without and within strike at the heart of the Familias Regnant. After the suppression of the New Texas barbarians, Esmay Suiza and Barin Serrano hoped for a respite to develop their relationship. But there is time for neither rest nor pleasure as events around the galaxy push all the great powers towards war. When Speaker Lord Thornbuckle is assassinated, his daughter Brun finds herself trapped in the machinations of politics and power—with the true villain behind her father's death keeping an ever-watchful eye on her every move... Meanwhile, the shadowy criminal empire of the Benignity, having already sabotaged the controversial "rejuvenation drugs" that fuel the Familias' longevity, is now poised to spread its influence and corruption directly into Familias government. On the planet Copper Mountain, the once-hunted Pilar Bacarion has quietly assumed command of a military prison. But she has far greater ambitions in play: she will carry out Lepescu's plan to gain control of the Fleet and crack the very foundations of the government. But for Esmay and Barin, a long-forgotten betrayal is about to be revealed, a secret that in one moment entangled the fates of both the Suiza and Serrano clans—and made them mortal enemies. "A thoroughly excellent adventure."—Booklist "Political intrigue, mutiny in space, and ideological battles of war and weapons lend variety to this fast-moving space opera set in the distant future."—Library Journal

An Informal History of the Hugos Jo Walton 2018-08-07 Engaged, passionate, and consistently entertaining, An Informal History of the Hugos is a book about the renowned science fiction award for the many who enjoyed Jo Walton's previous collection of writing from Tor.com, the Locus Award-winning What Makes This Book So Great. The Hugo Awards, named after pioneer science-fiction publisher Hugo Gernsback, and voted on by members of the World Science Fiction Society, have been presented since 1953. They are widely considered the most prestigious awards in science fiction. Between 2010 and 2013, Jo Walton wrote a series of posts for Tor.com, surveying the Hugo finalists and winners from the award's inception up to the year 2000. Her contention was that each year's full set of finalists generally tells a meaningful story about the state of science fiction at that time. Walton's cheerfully opinionated and vastly well-informed posts provoked valuable conversation among the field's historians. Now these posts, lightly revised, have been gathered into this book, along with a small selection of the comments posted by SF luminaries such as Rich Horton, Gardner Dozois, and David G. Hartwell. "A remarkable guided tour through the field—a kind of nonfiction companion to Among Others. It's very good. It's great."—New York Times bestselling author Cory Doctorow, Boing Boing on What Makes This Book So Great At the Publisher's request, this title is being sold without Digital Rights Management Software (DRM) applied.

Het boek van wonderlijke nieuwe dingen Michel Faber 2015-01-23 Deze virtueuze, grensverleggende roman gaat over datgene wat mensen verbindt, zelfs als ze lichtjaren van elkaar gescheiden zijn. 'Van een andere planeet. De miscommunicatie tussen de twee echtelieden snijdt je geregeld door de ziel. Wat een schrijver.' de Volkskrant 'Dit is Michel Fabers tweede meesterwerk, heel anders dan Lelieblank, scharlakenrood, maar in alle opzichten even overtuigend en memorabel. Het is waanzinnig meeslepend.' david mitchell 'Een boeiende, betoverende ideeënroman van een ongewoon intelligente en helderziende schrijver.' The Independent 'Een buitengewone roman die leest als een trein.' yann martel Michel Faber (1960) werd geboren in Den Haag, groeide op in Australië en woont nu in Schotland. Zijn debuutbundel Gods speelgoed werd juichend ontvangen en meermaals bekroond. Sindsdien behoort hij tot de crème de la crème van de internationale moderne letterkunde. Zijn opzienbarende roman Onderhuids werd verfilmd met Scarlett Johansson in de hoofdrol. Van Fabers magnum opus Lelieblank, scharlakenrood werden wereldwijd honderdduizenden exemplaren verkocht.

The Speed of Dark Elizabeth Moon 2004-03-02 Thoughtful, provocative, poignant, unforgettable, The Speed of Dark is a gripping journey into the mind of an autistic person as he struggles with profound

questions of humanity and matters of the heart. In the near future, disease will be a condition of the past. Most genetic defects will be removed at birth; the remaining during infancy. Lou Arrendale, a high-functioning autistic adult, is a member of the lost generation, born at the wrong time to reap the rewards of medical science. He lives a low-key, independent life. But then he is offered a chance to try a brand-new experimental "cure" for his condition. With this treatment Lou would think and act and be just like everyone else. But if he was suddenly free of autism, would he still be himself? Would he still love the same classical music—with its complications and resolutions? Would he still see the same colors and patterns in the world—shades and hues that others cannot see? Most important, would he still love Marjory, a woman who may never be able to reciprocate his feelings? Now Lou must decide if he should submit to a surgery that might completely change the way he views the world . . . and the very essence of who he is.

Tenth anniversary edition • With a new Introduction by the author Praise for The Speed of Dark "Splendid and graceful . . . A lot of novels promise to change the way a reader sees the world; The Speed of Dark actually does."—The Washington Post Book World "[A] beautiful and moving story . . . [Elizabeth] Moon is the mother of an autistic teenager and her love is apparent in the story of Lou. He makes a deep and lasting impact on the reader while showing a different way of looking at the world."—The Denver Post "Every once in a while, you come across a book that is both an important literary achievement and a completely and utterly absorbing reading experience—a book with provocative ideas and an equally compelling story. Such a book is The Speed of Dark."—Fort Lauderdale Sun-Sentinel "A remarkable journey [that] takes us into the mind of an autistic with a terrible choice: become normal or remain an alien on his own planet."—Mary Doria Russell, author of The Sparrow "A powerful portrait . . . an engaging journey into the dark edges that define the self."—The Seattle Times

The Legacy of Gird Elizabeth Moon 1996-08-01 BY THE AUTHOR OF THE DEED OF PAKSENARRION Paksenarrion was the finest paladin her world would ever see. But Paksenarrion could never have become a fighter at all had it not been for he who had come before: Gird, the liberator, who taught his people that they could fight³/₄and win³/₄against their Mage-Born rulers. And after Gird came one more: Luap, Gird's sworn follower and the king's half-breed bastard. Riven by internal conflict, Luap dare not lie and cannot tell the truth, nor face the future. At the publisher's request, this title is sold without DRM (Digital Rights Management). PRAISE FOR THE LEGACY OF GIRD "A massive and brilliant book, with Moon's unsurpassed military and historical expertise very much to the fore. Close behind it is her concern with ethics, which elevates her characterization as far above the fantasy average as her worldbuilding." ³/₄Chicago Sun-Times "A detailed look into a fantasy medieval culture as seen from the peasants' point of view.... A wonderful prequel and lead into the author's trilogy, The Deed of Paksenarrion." ³/₄VOYA "Fans of The Deed of Paksenarrion have been waiting for this book, but newcomers to Moon's vision should not fear jumping right in . . . I don't think you'll be disappointed." ³/₄Quantum

The Serrano Succession Elizabeth Moon 2009-09-01 Two Full-Length Novels of Space Adventure: Change of Command: Esmay and Barin are reconciled³/₄but their universe is falling apart! The exposure of defective rejuvenation drugs has sent fear sweeping across the known galaxy, including the Regular Space Service, while neighboring states fear the aggressive expansion of the Familias Regnant. Fear begets violent reactions³/₄from foreign governments, from great Families determined to hold on to power, from internal rivalries in the Fleet³/₄and nothing escapes the resultant bloodbath unscathed, including Esmay and Barin. Against the Odds: The worst has happened. Fleet is tearing itself apart. Some of the mutineers see injustice in the unequal spread of the rejuvenation drugs that offer virtual immortality to the rich; others are simply thirsty for power, or for blood. But when Esmay Suiza-Serrano is unceremoniously booted out of Fleet, the apparent victim of Family politics, she has no idea of the conflict into which she has been thrown. As the noose tightens on galactic civilization, great battles will be fought and greater loves affirmed . . . and old friends will meet their destinies. At the publisher's request, this title is sold without DRM (Digital Rights Management).

Wolfsblad Jennifer Fallon 2010-07-20 In dit boek draait alles om het Huis Wolfsblad, de spil van de macht in het wonderlijke land Hythria, dat door een boze macht van buiten wordt bedreigd, maar ook van binnenuit... Zo laat de Hoopprins van Hythria, Leren Wolfsblad, het goed afweten. Hij is alleen geïnteresseerd in zijn perverse genoegens, regeren boeit hem totaal niet. De hoge arrior van het Tovenaarscollectief, de tovenaer Kagan, een echte hellehond en Lernens persoonlijke adviseur, is de werkelijke heerser in Hythria. Al wat hij hoeft te doen om zijn positie te behouden, is zien te voorkomen dat Leren wordt vermoord en de troon vrijkomt voor iemand die mogelijk nog dommer is dan de prins, en daar heeft Kagan zijn handen vol aan. Want in Hythria geldt: elke man voor zichzelf, elke familie voor zichzelf zelfs broers en zusters kunnen elkaar soms niet vertrouwen. Dat ervaart ook Marla Wolfsblad die, vijftien jaar nog maar, ontdekt dat haar broer haar wil uithuwelijken aan koning Habet van Fardhonya. Geplaagd door de nachtmerrie van dit toekomstbeeld begint Marla een wanhopige strijd om haar vrijheid te behouden, een gevecht waarbij ze met raad en daad wordt bijgestaan door haar lijfslaaf, de slimme dwerg Elezaar. Dan blijkt al snel dat er voor Marla geen weg terug meer is, dat te veel grenzen zijn overschreden en dat de enige weg die ze kan gaan naar een gruwelijk spannende finale leidt... '

The Enceladus Crisis Michael J. Martinez 2014-05-06 The sequel to acclaimed The Daedalus Incident. "Hard science fiction in one corner and Alchemy in the other . . . You're in for a wild ride" (GeekDad). Lt. Commander Shaila Jain has been given the assignment of her dreams: the first manned mission to Saturn. But there's competition and complications when she arrives aboard the survey ship Armstrong. The Chinese are vying for control of the critical moon Titan, and the moon Enceladus may harbor secrets deep under its icy crust. And back on Earth, Project DAEDALUS now seeks to defend against other dimensional incursions. But there are other players interested in opening the door between worlds...and they're getting impatient. For Thomas Weatherby, it's been nineteen years since he was second lieutenant aboard HMS Daedalus. Now captain of the seventy-four-gun Fortitude, Weatherby helps destroy the French fleet at the Nile and must chase an escaped French ship from Egypt to Saturn, home of the enigmatic and increasingly unstable aliens who call themselves the Xan. Meanwhile, in Egypt, alchemist Andrew Finch has ingratiated himself with Napoleon's forces . . . and finds the true, horrible reason why the French invaded Egypt in the first place. "Continues the first novel's mix of alchemy, intrigue, mystery, science fiction and high adventure . . . A follow-up that manages to improve on the first in significant ways." —SF Signal "A great adventure tale that combined elements of a spy thriller with that of a space opera, with a bittersweet ending reminiscent of The Empire Strikes Back. I recommend Enceladus, and the series as a whole." —Matt Mitrovich, Amazing Stories

Sassinak Anne McCaffrey 2020-10-06 A TRUE WARRIOR WILL NEVER BE BROKEN. BOOK ONE IN THE PLANET PIRATES SERIES. Old Enough to be Used. Young Enough to be Broken. Sassinak was twelve when the raiders came. That made her just the right age: old enough to be used, young enough to be broken. Or so the slavers thought. But Sassy turned out to be a little different from your typical slave girl. Maybe it was her unusual physical strength. Maybe it was her friendship with the captured Fleet crewman. Maybe it was her spirit. Whatever it was, it wouldn't let her resign herself to the life of a slave. She bided her time and watched for her moment. When it finally came, she escaped. But that was only the beginning for Sassinak. Now she's a fleet captain with a pirate-chasing ship of her own, and only one regret in her life: not enough pirates. About Elizabeth Moon: "Excellent plotting and characters support the utterly realistic action sequences: swift, jolting, confusing, and merciless. It's a corker!"—Kirkus Reviews "Moon has created a richly imagined universe of different cultures, replete with intriguing characters and the sense of unlimited possibility that characterizes the most appealing science fiction."—School Library Journal "Rip-roaring action and intriguing science and tactics . . . [a] grand space opera tour de force."—Publishers Weekly ". . . the first work of high heroic fantasy I've seen that has taken the work of Tolkien, assimilated it totally and deeply and absolutely, and produced something altogether new and yet incontestably based on the master . . . [Moon's] military knowledge is impressive, her picture of life in a mercenary company most convincing. I'm deeply impressed."—Judith Tarr

Strange Divisions and Alien Territories Keith Brooke 2012-02-10 Strange Divisions and Alien Territories explores the sub-genres of science fiction from the perspectives of a range of top SF authors. Combining a

critical viewpoint with the exploration of the challenges and opportunities facing authors working in the field, contributors include Michael Swanwick, Catherine Asaro and Paul di Filippo.

Voices of Vision Jayme Lynn Blaschke 2005-01-01 As the world around us becomes more fantastic, and science itself more surreal, the realms of science fiction and fantasy become correspondingly both more bizarre and more relevant. *Voices of Vision* offers a rare look into the inner workings of this realm and into the very thoughts and methods of those who make it tick: editors and writers of science fiction and fantasy, and creators of comic books and graphic novels. In wide-ranging interviews that are by turns intimate and thought provoking, irreverent and outrageous, Jayme Lynn Blaschke talks shop with some of the most interesting voices in these genres as well as the people behind them, such as current *Science Fiction Weekly* and former *Science Fiction Age* editor Scott Edelman. A host of authors talk to Blaschke about what it's like to do what they do, how they work and how they started, and where they think the genre is headed. Blaschke talks to writers such as Robin Hobb, Charles de Lint, Patricia Anthony, and Elizabeth Moon; revered authors of comic books and graphic novels, including Neil Gaiman and Brad Meltzer; and icons such as Samuel R. Delany, Gene Wolfe, Harlan Ellison, and Jack Williamson. Editors such as Gardner Dozois, editor of *Asimov's Science Fiction* magazine, discuss their publishing philosophies and strategies, the origins and probable directions of their magazines, and the broader influence of such ventures. For devoted reader, aspiring writer, and curious onlooker alike, these interviews open a largely hidden, endlessly engrossing world.

Once a Hero Elizabeth Moon 1999-12-01 "Moon's mastery of contemporary science fiction is evident in every line" is how Booklist describes Elizabeth Moon's Esmay Suiza series, and her popular space adventures have also mastered the SF market, with remarkably high sellthroughs. Now you can boost those big sales even higher with our triple threat offer, including the limited edition of *Once a Hero* at a price you haven't seen since the '70s. This top-selling novel is available for the primordial price of \$1.99! So don't miss this stellar sales opportunity. A triple lunar conjunction like this comes only once in a blue ... well, Moon.

Sheepfarmer's Daughter Elizabeth Moon 1988-06 Pak senses her special destiny, disobeys her father's plans for her marriage, and sets off for the army, where her heroic restoration of a lost ruler to his throne will make her a legend

Sporting Chance Elizabeth Moon 2018-11-30 Danger threatens the stability of the galaxy in this intriguing second novel in *The Serrano Legacy*—from Hugo Award-winning and New York Times bestselling author Elizabeth Moon. After narrowly escaping from a twisted cabal that organized hunting parties using human prey, ex-Regular Space Service officer Heris Serrano and her wealthy employer Lady Cecelia must transport a special passenger home. He is Prince Gerel—first in line to the throne. Unfortunately, he was also a somewhat unknowing participant in the “hunt,” and his family is quite eager to avoid a scandal. But Lady Cecelia notices that Gerel is not himself. In fact, he seems mentally impaired, as if he's been drugged, but the prince's possible poisoning is only the beginning. When Heris and Cecelia arrive at the royal stronghold of Rockhouse Major, they are pulled into a political conspiracy rooted in pettiness and desires for revenge. As outside agents make moves to unseat the throne, Cecelia is incapacitated by a bitter enemy from her past. Without the protection of her benefactor, Heris and her skeleton crew must navigate the perilous halls of power to rescue Cecelia, the prince, and possibly the universe...

Remnant Population Elizabeth Moon 2003-09-30 Finalist for the Hugo Award • “Ofelia—tough, kind, wise and unwise, fond of food, tired of foolish people—is one of the most probable heroines science fiction has ever known.”—Ursula K. Le Guin For forty years, Colony 3245.12 has been Ofelia's home. On this planet far away in space and time from the world of her youth, she has lived and loved, weathered the death of her husband, raised her one surviving child, lovingly tended her garden, and grown placidly old. And it is here that she fully expects to finish out her days—until the shifting corporate fortunes of the Sims Bancorp Company dictates that Colony 3245.12 is to be disbanded, its residents shipped off, deep in cryo-sleep, to somewhere new and strange and not of their choosing. But while her fellow colonists grudgingly anticipate a difficult readjustment on some distant world, Ofelia savors the promise of a golden opportunity. Not starting over in the hurly-burly of a new community . . . but closing out her life in blissful solitude, in the place she has no intention of leaving. A population of one. With everything she needs to sustain her, and her independent spirit to buoy her, Ofelia actually does start life over—for the first time on her own terms: free of the demands, the judgments, and the petty tyrannies of others. But when a reconnaissance ship returns to her idyllic domain, and its crew is mysteriously slaughtered, Ofelia realizes she is not the sole inhabitant of her paradise after all. And, when the inevitable time of first contact finally arrives, she will find her life changed yet again—in ways she could never have imagined. . . . “Pure satisfaction from cover to cover.”—Anne McCaffrey

Moon Flights Elizabeth Moon 2019-10-01 Fifteen classic stories of science fiction and fantasy from Nebula Award-winning author Elizabeth Moon (*The Deed of Paksenarrion*, *Vatta's War*). Over the past two decades, few authors have garnered the critical acclaim and fan following of Elizabeth Moon, Nebula Award-winning author of *The Speed of Dark*, *The Deed of Paksenarrion*, and *Remnant Population*. *Moon Flights*, the definitive Elizabeth Moon short story collection, represents the highlights of an impressive career. Gathering together fifteen tales of fantasy, alternative history, and science fiction, *Moon Flights* features an original story, “Say Cheese,” set in the *Vatta's War* cosmology, and an introduction by Anne McCaffrey, legendary creator of the *Dragonriders of Pern* series. Ranging from humorous high fantasy tales of “The Ladies' Aid & Armor Society” to gritty, realistic chronicles of far-flung militaristic space opera, former marine Elizabeth Moon's storytelling mastery and eye for painstaking detail is evidenced in each of the tales contained herein. When honor, politics, and personal relationships clash against backdrops of explosive battles and larger-than-life action, the result is the breathtaking and astounding fiction found in *Moon Flights*.

Remnant Population Elizabeth Moon 2021-10-27 Korean edition of [Remnant Population] by Elizabeth Moon. Finalist for the Hugo Award. An old woman Ofelia decides to remain behind on a colony world after the company who sent her there pulls out. Korean edition translated by Gang Seon Jae.

Novjaro Earl T. Roske Tane only wanted space to breathe. Tane joins the Navjaro colony to get out of the overcrowded Sol system. This is a chance to put his past behind him and have a new start. Unfortunately, one painful part of his past is on the colony ship, too. Now Tane's future is as damaged as the ship they're on. Tane is saddled with the blame. Already disliked by many of the colonists, Tane wonders if things can get worse. As it turns out, yes, they can. But not just for Tane, who soon finds him in the middle of everything and everywhere. More than just the colony depends on what Tane does next. But it requires him to do something he's never done before. Can he do it? Or is the colony doomed to fail? In the tradition of Andre Norton's *Catseye*, Philip Wylie & Edwin Balmer's *When World's Collide*, and Elizabeth Moon's *Remnant Population*, *Novjaro* is an adventure into human possibilities and resilience.

Against the Odds Elizabeth Moon 2016-12-13 The galactic order has been shattered, and amidst the chaos heroes will rise...and fall—as Hugo Award-winning and New York Times bestselling author Elizabeth Moon brings her stellar *Familias Regnant* saga to a spectacular conclusion. Across *Regnant* space, the fight to put down the mutinous factions of the Fleet continues. Though the initial assaults have been contained, the mutineers are still at large. And the dangerous seditious elements are not limited to the military alone. Within the *Familias*, the aged leaders of the great septs continue to hoard the mysterious rejuvenation drugs that may allow them to rule forever. And that is something that the ambitious younger generations of the ruling families can no longer abide... Heroic Fleet loyalist Esmay Suiza has been coldly ousted from the service after her elopement to Barin Serrano is discovered and her religious status comes under suspicion. But she's not about to back down from her sworn duty, and races to confront the members of the Grand Council—one of whom owes her a great service... But unbeknownst to anyone, a powerful leader in the ranks of the Fleet has already turned against them, and their common enemy is determined to destroy the *Familias Regnant* in a final conflagration... "SF readers will delight in the twisting, thorny adventure in the compelling continuation to this popular series."-- Publishers Weekly "Fans of

David Weber's "Honor Harrington" series will appreciate Moon's space opera of high politics and military adventure."—Library Journal "A fun fast-paced mix of space and soap opera."—Locus "A triumphant coda."—Booklist

Trading in Danger Elizabeth Moon 2001-01-01 From the acclaimed author of "Against the Odds," this is the first book in a thrilling new military science fiction series featuring a heroine as tough as nails.

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