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2019-06-28 [The Girl Who Circumnavigated Fairyland in a Ship of Her Own Making](#) 2012-06-07 september is a twelve year old girl somewhat grown and somewhat heartless and she longs for adventure so when a green wind and a leopard of little breezes invite her to fairyland well of course she accepts mightn t you when she gets there she finds a land crushed by the iron rule of a villainous marquess she soon discovers that she alone holds the key to restoring order as september forges her way through fairyland with a book loving dragon and a boy named saturday by her side she

Radiance 2015-10-20 severin unck is the headstrong young daughter of a world famous film director she has inherited her father s love of the big screen but not his exuberant gothic style of filmmaking instead severin makes documentaries artful and passionate and even rather brave for she is a realist in a fantastic alternate universe in which hollywood occupies the moon mars is rife with lawless saloons and the solar system contains all manner of creatures cults and colonies for severin s latest project she leads her crew to the watery planet of venus to investigate the disappearance of a diving colony there but something goes wrong during the course of their investigations and her crew limp home without her all that remains of severin are fragments can these snippets of scenes and shots voices and memories pages and recordings be collected and pieced together to tell the story of her life and shed light on the mystery of her vanishing clever dreamy strange and beautifully written radiance is a novel about how stories give form to worlds

The Best of Catherynne M. Valente, Volume One 2023-04 the celebrated author of fairyland space opera and much more catherynne m valente is also known for her stunning prose and captivating worldbuilding from life on mars to the zombified streets of augusta maine she has taken readers on unforgettable journeys for two decades subterranean press is proud to present the best of catherynne m valente volume one the first comprehensive collection of valente s short fiction soaring through eighteen years of pushing the edges of storytelling among her award winning stories you ll find everything from melancholy robot girls to eurydice and orpheus from detectives in purgatory to time traveling squirrels to a very different santa claus from the grey coast of washington to alice s wonderland valente s work is an open beating heart ready to welcome you in to its darkness and its light

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makes many friends and mistakes but while she loses her shadow her shoe and her way she finds adventure courage a rather special spoon and a lot more besides

Deathless 2012-11-22 a handsome young man arrives in st petersburg at the house of marya morevna he is koschei the tsar of life and he is marya s fate for years she follows him in love and in war and bears the scars but eventually marya returns to her birthplace only to discover a starveling city haunted by death deathless is a fierce story of life and death love and power old memories deep myth and dark magic set against the history of russia in the twentieth century it is quite simply unforgettable

The Orphan's Tales: In the Cities of Coin and Spice 2007-10-30 catherynne m valente enchanted readers with her spellbinding in the night garden now she continues to weave her storytelling magic in the next book of orphan s tales an epic of the fantastic and the exotic the monstrous and mysterious that will transport you far away from the everyday her name and origins are unknown but the endless tales inked upon this orphan s eyelids weave a spell over all who listen to her read her secret history and who can resist the stories she tells from the lake of the dead and the city of marrow to the artists who remain behind in a ghost city of spice here are stories of hedgehog warriors and winged skeletons loyal leopards and sparrow calligraphers nothing is too fantastic anything can happen but you ll never guess what comes next in these intimately linked adventures of firebirds and djinn singing manticores mutilated unicorns and women made entirely of glass and gears graced with the magical illustrations of michael kaluta in the cities of coins and spice is a book of dreams and wonders unlike any you ve ever encountered open it anywhere and you will fall under its spell for here the story never ends and the magic is only beginning

The Past Is Red 2021-07-20 the candide of our age ken liu award winning author catherynne m valente the bestselling and award winning creator of space opera and the girl who circumnavigated fairyland returns with the past is red the enchanting dark funny angry story of a girl who made two terrible mistakes she told the truth and she dared to love the world the future is blue endless blue except for a few small places that float across the hot drowned world left behind by long gone fossil fuel guzzlers one of those patches is a magical place called garbagetown tetley abednego is the most beloved girl in garbagetown but she s the only one who knows it she s the only one who knows a lot of things that garbagetown is the most wonderful place in the world that it s full of hope that you can love someone and 66 hate them all at the same time but earth is a terrible mess hope is a fragile thing and a lot of people are very angry with her then tetley discovers a new friend a terrible secret and more to her world than she ever expected at the

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The Girl Who Soared Over Fairyland and Cut the Moon in Two 2014-01-16 september misses fairyland and her friends ell the wyverary and the boy saturday she longs to leave the routines of home and embark on a new adventure little does she know that this time she will be spirited away to the moon reunited with her friends and find herself faced with saving fairyland from a moon yeti with great and mysterious powers here is another rich beautifully told wisely humorous and passionately layered book from new york times bestselling author catherynne m valente praise for the fairyland series one of the most extraordinary works of fantasy for adults or children published so far this century time magazine a time best book of 2012 a glorious balancing act between modernism and the victorian fairy tale done with heart and wisdom neil gaiman a mad toothsome romp of a fairy tale full of oddments whimsy and joy holly black author of zombies vs unicorns and the spiderwick chronicles september is a clever fun stronghearted addition to the ranks of bold adventurous girls valente s subversive storytelling is sheer magic tamora pierce author of the immortals series valente is making new myths right now before our eyes don t miss the show lev grossman one of the strongest fantasy novels for young readers i ve had the pleasure of getting lost in there s as much phantom tollbooth here as there is narnia shot through with menace and heroism you never know what s coming next cory doctorow

The Refrigerator Monologues 2017-06-06 meet the hell hath club they re the wives and girlfriends of superheroes female heroes and anyone who s ever been refrigerated comic book women who are killed raped brainwashed driven mad disabled or had their powers taken so that a male superhero s storyline will progress in their linked stories they show that superheroes are our new fairy tales and these six women have their own stories to share

The Labyrinth 2004 here monsters are hidden a lyrical anti quest through aconscious maze without center borders or escape a dark pilgrim s progressthrough a landscape of vicious angels plague houses crocodile prophets tragicchess sets and the mind of an unraveling woman driven on by the mocking guidewho seeks to destroy as much as save enter the world of the labyrinth where doors do not wait to be opened but hunt you in the night this iszarathustra in wonderland a puzzle which defies solution a twisted paththrough language and madness but where will you hide

The Glass Town Game 2017-09-05 a parents choice gold award winner dazzling publishers weekly starred review charlotte and emily brontë enter a fantasy world that they invented in order to rescue their siblings in this lovely fanciful booklist starred review novel from the new york

times bestselling author of the girl who circumnavigated fairyland in a ship of her own making inside a small yorkshire parsonage charlotte branwell emily and anne brontë have invented a game called glass town where their toy soldiers fight napoleon and no one dies this make believe land helps the four escape from a harsh reality charlotte and emily are being sent away to a dangerous boarding school but then something incredible happens a train whisks them all away to a real glass town and the children trade the moors for a wonderland all their own this is their glass town almost their napoleon never rode into battle on a fire breathing porcelain rooster and the soldiers can die wars are fought over a potion that raises the dead a potion anne would very much like to bring back to england but returning is out of the question charlotte will never go back to that horrible school together the brontë siblings must battle their own imaginations in this magical celebration of authorship creativity and classic literature from award winning author catherynne m valente

The Boy Who Lost Fairyland 2015-03-05 when a young troll named hawthorn is stolen from fairyland by the golden wind he becomes a changeling a human boy in the strange city of chicago a place no less bizarre and magical than fairyland when seen through trollish eyes left with a human family hawthorn struggles with his troll nature and his changeling fate but when he turns twelve he stumbles upon a way back home to a fairyland much changed from the one he remembers soon hawthorn finds himself at the centre of a changeling revolution until he comes face to face with a beautiful young scientiste with very big very red assistant with the boy who lost fairyland catherynne m valente s wisdom and wit will continue to charm readers of all ages

Silently and Very Fast 2011-10-14 fantastist catherynne m valente takes on the folklore of artificial intelligence in this brand new original novella of technology identity and an uncertain mechanized future neva is dreaming but she is not alone a mysterious machine entity called elefsis haunts her and the members of her family back through the generations to her great great grandmother a gifted computer programmer who changed the world together neva and elefsis navigate their history and their future an uneasy unwilling symbiote but what they discover in their dreamworld might change them forever

The Girl Who Fell Beneath Fairyland and Led the Revels There 2012-10-02 one of the most extraordinary works of fantasy for adults or children published so far this century time magazine on the fairyland series september has longed to return to fairyland after her first adventure there and when she finally does she learns that its inhabitants have been losing their shadows and their magic to the world of fairyland below this underworld has a new ruler halloween the

hollow queen who is september s shadow and halloween does not want to give fairyland s shadows back fans of valente s bestselling first fairyland book will revel in the lush setting characters and language of september s journey all brought to life by fine artist ana juan readers will also welcome back good friends ell the wyverary and the boy saturday but in fairyland below even the best of friends aren t always what they seem

The Melancholy of Mechagirl 2013-07-16 science fiction and fantasy stories about japan by the multiple award winning author and new york times best seller catherynne m valente a collection of some of catherynne valente s most admired stories including the hugo award nominated novella silently and very fast and the locus award finalist 13 ways of looking at space time with a brand new long story to anchor the collection

Myths of Origin 2011 collected here for the first time the author s early short novels explore deconstruct and ultimately explode the seminal myths of both east and west p 4 of cover

The Girl Who Raced Fairyland All the Way Home 2016-03-01 quite by accident september has been crowned as queen of fairyland but she inherits a kingdom in chaos the magic of a dodo s egg has brought every king queen or marquess of fairyland back to life each with a fair and good claim on the throne each with their own schemes and plots and horrible hilarious hungry histories in order to make sense of it all and to save their friend from a job she doesn t want a through l and saturday devise a royal race a monarckical marathon in which every outlandish would be ruler of fairyland will chase the stoat of arms across the whole of the nation and the first to seize the poor beast will seize the crown caught up in the madness are the changelings hawthorn and tamburlaine the combat wombat blunderbuss the gramophone scratch the green wind and september s parents who have crossed the universe to find their daughter

Comfort Me With Apples 2021-11-09 comfort me with apples is a terrifying new thriller from bestseller catherynne m valente for fans of gone girl and spinning silver sophia was made for him her perfect husband she can feel it in her bones he is perfect their home together in arcadia gardens is perfect everything is perfect it s just that he s away so much so often he works so hard she misses him and he misses her he says he does so it must be true he is the perfect husband and everything is perfect but sometimes sophia wonders about things strange things dark things the look on her husband s face when he comes back from a long business trip the questions he will not answer the locked basement she is never allowed to enter and whenever she asks the neighbors they can t quite meet her gaze but everything is perfect isn t it at the publisher s request this title is being sold without digital rights management software drm applied

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forced the crowd people to give up one of their most beautiful daughters. Snow White's marriage to him, although her mother's life ended as hers began, so begins a remarkable tale equal parts heartbreak and strength. This girl has been born into a world with no place for a half-native, half-white child. After being hidden for years, a very wicked stepmother finally gifts her with the name Snow White, referring to the pale skin she will never have filled with fascinating glimpses through the fabled looking glass and a close-up look at hard living in the gritty gun-slinging West. This is an utterly enchanting story at once familiar and entirely new.

Folded World 2011-11-01 intertwines three narratives to tell the tale of the beginning of the end of the world: a younger, angrier Hagia, the Blenny wife of John and Queen of Pentexore; Vyala, a lion philosopher entrusted with the care of the deformed and prophetic royal princess; and John Mandeville, who in his many travels discovers the land of Pentexore.

L'Esprit de L'Escalier 2021-08-25 from the award-winning bestselling author of *The Girl Who Circumnavigated Fairyland* comes Catherynne M. Valente's dark fantasy tale *L'Esprit de L'Escalier*, a tor.com original in this provocative and rich retelling of the Greek myth Orpheus, the musician son of Apollo and Calliope, successfully rescues his wife Eurydice from Hades after her untimely death. At the publisher's request, this title is being sold without digital rights management software; DRM applied.

Minecraft: The End 2022-05-31 This official Minecraft novel is an epic battle for survival when humans enter the End. A pair of Endermen must decide which side they're really on for as long as they can remember the twin Endermen, Fin and Mo, have lived in the mysterious land of the End on the outskirts of the great Enderman city of Telos. They explore ancient ruins under the watchful gaze of the mighty Ender Dragon. They have everything they need in the End: ship, they call home, and know everything there is to know about their world or so they think until the strangers from another dimension arrive. The invaders are called humans, and they've come to steal artifacts and slay the Ender Dragon. Fin and Mo are ready to protect their home from the trespassers, but when they come face-to-face with the humans, they discover that they aren't as prepared for battle as they'd thought. Caught off guard, the twins are trapped in the middle of a war between the Endermen and the humans, with the future of their home at stake. Collect all of the official Minecraft novels: *Minecraft: The Island*, *Minecraft: The Crash*, *Minecraft: The Lost Journals*, *Minecraft: The End*, and the official Minecraft companion guides: *Minecraft: The Survivors' Book of Secrets*, *Minecraft Exploded*, *Builds Medieval Fortress*, *Minecraft Guide to Exploration*, *Minecraft Guide to Creative*, *Minecraft Guide to the Nether*, *The End*, *Minecraft Guide to Redstone*, *Minecraft Mobestuary*, *Minecraft*.

The Future Is Blue 2018-07-31 collection of thirteen stories

Indistinguishable from Magic 2014-05-06 more than 60 essays sharing observations and insights about fairy tales and myths pop culture gender and race issues an amateur s life on planet earth and much more

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from a moon yeti with great and mysterious powers

Space Opera 2018-04-10 hugo award finalist for best novel 2019 in space everyone can hear you sing a century ago the sentience wars tore the galaxy apart and nearly ended the entire concept of intelligent space faring life in the aftermath a curious tradition was invented something to cheer up everyone who was left and bring the shattered worlds together in the spirit of peace unity and understanding once every cycle the civilizations gather for galactivision part gladiatorial contest part beauty pageant part concert extravaganza and part continuation of the wars of the past instead of competing in orbital combat the powerful species that survived face off in a competition of song dance or whatever can be physically performed in an intergalactic talent show the stakes are high for this new game and everyone is forced to compete this year though humankind has discovered the enormous universe and while they expected to discover a grand drama of diplomacy gunships wormholes and stoic councils of aliens they have instead found glitter lipstick and electric guitars mankind will not get to fight for its destiny they must sing a one hit wonder band of human musicians dancers and roadies from london decibel jones and the absolute zeroes have been chosen to represent earth on the greatest stage in the galaxy and the fate of their species lies in their ability to rock

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Someone in Time 2022-05-10 even time travel can t unravel love time travel is a way for writers to play with history and imagine different futures for better or worse when romance is thrown into the mix time travel becomes a passionate tool or heart breaking weapon a time agent in the 22nd century puts their whole mission at risk when they fall in love with the wrong person no matter which part of history a man visits he cannot not escape his ex a woman is desperately in love with the time space continuum but it doesn t love her back as time passes and falls apart a time traveller must say goodbye to their soulmate with stories from best selling and award

winning authors such as seanan mcguire alix e harrow and nina allan this anthology gives a taste for the rich treasure trove of stories we can imagine with love loss and reunion across time and space including stories by alix e harrow zen cho seanan mcguire sarah gailey jeffrey ford nina allan elizabeth hand lavanya lakshminarayan catherynne m valente sam j miller rowan coleman margo lanagan sameem siddiqui theodora goss carrie vaughn ellen klages

The Bread We Eat in Dreams 2013 subterranean press proudly presents a major new collection by one of the brightest stars in the literary firmament catherynne m valente the new york times bestselling author of the girl who circumnavigated fairyland in a ship of her own making and other acclaimed novels now brings readers a treasure trove of stories and poems in the bread we eat in dreams in the locus award winning novelette white lines on a green field an old story plays out against a high school backdrop as coyote is quarterback and king for a season a girl named mallow embarks on an adventure of memorable and magical politicks in the girl who ruled fairyland for a little while the award winning tour de force novella silently and very fast is an ancient epic set in a far flung future the intimate autobiography of an evolving a i and in the title story the history of a new england town and that of an outcast demon are irrevocably linked the twenty six pieces collected here explore an extraordinary breadth of styles and genres as valente presents readers with something fresh and evocative on every page from noir to native american myth from folklore to the final frontier each tale showcases valente s eloquence and originality

Nevertheless She Persisted: Flash Fiction Project 2020-03-08 tor com s science fiction and fantasy flash fiction collection originally published in 2017 inspired by the now iconic statement now available in e book format she was warned she was given an explanation nevertheless she persisted three short lines fired over social media in response to questions of why senator elizabeth warren was silenced on the floor of the united states senate for daring to read aloud the words of coretta scott king as this message was transmitted across the globe it has become a galvanizing cry for people of all genders in recognition of the struggles that women have faced throughout history three short lines which read as if they are the opening passage to an epic and ageless tale we have assembled this flash fiction collection featuring several of the best writers in sf f today including seanan mcguire charlie jane anders maria dahvana headley jo walton amal el mohtar catherynne m valente brooke bolander alyssa wong kameron hurley nisi shawl and carrie vaughn together these authors share unique visions of women inventing playing loving surviving and of course dreaming of themselves beyond their circumstances at the publisher s

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