# All in the Family



## Acacia: The War With the Mein, Book One

by David Anthony Durham

*The lone wolf dies but the pack survives*. Siblings separated following their father's murder fight for their lives and legacy.

#### YASSS QUEEN



# Godspeaker: The Trilogy

by Karen Miller

Series protagonist Hekat combines the world-conquering ambition of Daenerys Targaryen with the ruthlessness of Cersei Lannister. Sympathetic? Not really. Fun to watch? You bet.

# Oh What a Tangled Web We Weave



#### The Traitor Baru Cormorant

by Seth Dickinson

*Power resides where men believe it resides.* Or so some little birds tell me. Baru Cormorant will inspire the spymasters, scheme-weavers, and anyone who prefers to rule from the shadows.

# When you don't want to read an entire series



#### The Hammer

by K. J. Parker

As slow-burning revenge plots go, Gignomai met'Oc's ranks among the bloodiest and the most intricate.

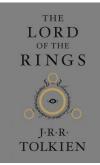


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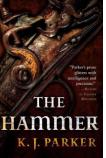
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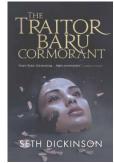


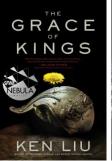


















## East vs. West



#### Mage's Blood

by David Hair

Two continents, both alike in sorcery/(On Moontide Bridge, where we lay our scene)/From ancient grudge break to new crusade/ Where civil blood makes Magi hands unclean

# Inspired by history



## The Grace of Kings

by Ken Liu

A Song of Ice and Fire found rich source material in 15th-century England's Wars of the Roses; the Dandelion Dynasty series draws its inspiration from Han Dynasty China.

# Winter is Coming



#### Winterbirth

by Brian Ruckley For the Wildling at heart.

#### Cast of Thousands



# The Dragon's Legacy

by Deborah A Wolf

A dying world and its dwindling resources serve as the board on which a high-stakes game of war and political intrigue plays out. If you prefer Essos to Westeros, this is what you want to read.

# If you like long waits between books ;-)

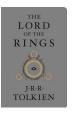


#### The Name of the Wind

by Patrick Rothfuss

Kvothe starts telling his life story in *The Name of the Wind* (2007) and continues his tale in *The Wise Man's Fear* (2011). Book three is currently in the works, as is a slew of media adaptations and tie-ins.

# If you feel like kicking it old school



## The Lord of the Rings

by J. R. R. Tolkien

Author Lev Grossman has called ASIOF creator George R.R. Martin "The American Tolkien." Sounds like the perfect reason to check out the actual Tolkien.

# Making a list, checking it twice...



#### Nevernight

by Jay Kristoff

Hey, remember when Arya joined that death cult and became an assassin? This is kind of like that. For more in this vein (ahem), try Mark Lawrence's *Red Sister*.

# When you just want to watch the world burn



## The Blade Itself

by Joe Abercrombie

Talk about a battle of the bastards. If you're looking for antiheroes, this book has FOUR.