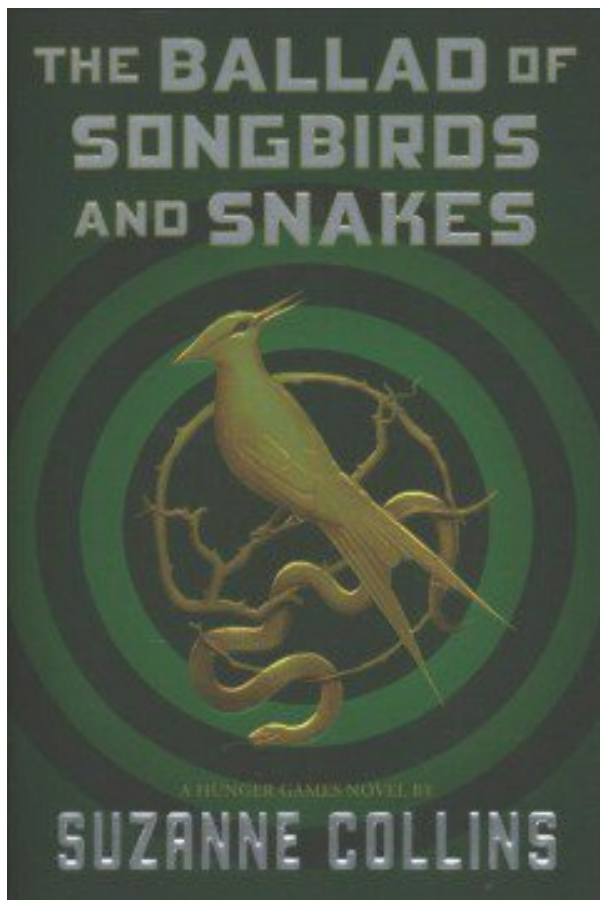


# Teen Book Reviews



## The Ballad of Songbirds and Snakes

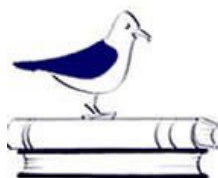
by Suzanne Collins

**Genre: Dystopian Fiction (ebook)**

**Summary:** Coriolanus Snow is chosen as part of a school project to monitor and mentor one of the candidates for the upcoming Hunger Games, in an effort to find ways to make the Hunger Games more interesting. When a friendship begins developing between him and his assigned tribute, Lucy Gray Baird, he begins to have second thoughts. Eventually he will have to choose: Power, or Lucy? The writing style of the story is excellent, with lots of foreshadowing and plot twists. There are very few flaws in my opinion, and they are definitely outweighed by the great storytelling. I feel like many teens will enjoy this book, and I highly recommend it to fans of The Hunger Games.

**Rating: 5 out of 5**

**Reviewed by Liam S.**



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