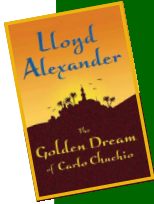


FANTASY FOR TEENS

Truth will flourish in fantasy, only to wither and die in what you are pleased to call reality.
Ilzor — *The Mummy's Curse* (1944)



The Golden Dream of Carlo Chuchio YA ALEXANDER

Naive and bumbling Carlo, his shady camel-puller Baksheesh, and Shira, a girl determined to return home, follow a treasure map through the deserts and cities of the infamous Golden Road, as mysterious strangers try in vain to point them toward real treasures.



Hawksong YA ATWATERRHODES

In a land that has been at war so long that no one remembers the reason for fighting, the shapeshifters who rule the two factions agree to marry in the hope of bringing peace, despite deep-seated fear and distrust of each other. (Sequels include *Snakecharm*, *Falcondance*, *Wolfcry*, *Wyvernhal*)



Child of the Dark Prophecy YA BARRON

The fate of Avalon rests in the hands of three people: Tamwyn, Elli, and Scree; however one of them is the true heir of Merlin and the only one who can save Avalon and one of them is the child of Dark Prophecy, the person chosen to destroy it. (Series: *The Great Tree of Avalon*, sequels include *Shadow on the Stars* and *The Eternal Flame*)

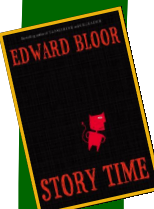


Story Time YA BLOOR

George and Kate are promised the best education but instead face obsessed administrators, endless tests, and evil spirits when they are transferred to Whittaker Magnet School.

A Great and Terrible Beauty YA BRAY

After the suspicious death of her mother in 1895, sixteen-year-old Gemma returns to England, after many years in India, to attend a finishing school where she becomes aware of her magical powers and ability to see into the spirit world. (Sequels: *Rebel Angels*, *The Sweet Far Thing*)



Dragon's Keep YA CAREY

In 1145 A.D., as foretold by Merlin, fourteen-year-old Rosalind, who will be the twenty-first Pendragon Queen of Wilde Island, has much to accomplish to fulfill her destiny, while hiding from her people the dragon's claw she was born with that reflects only one of her mother's dark secrets.



The Ruins of Gorlan YA FLANAGAN

When fifteen-year-old Will is rejected by battleschool, he becomes the reluctant apprentice to the mysterious Ranger Halt, and winds up protecting the kingdom from danger. (Series: *The Ranger's Apprentice*, sequels include: *The Burning Bridge*, *The Icebound Land* and *The Battle For Skandia*)

Beastly YA FLINN

A modern retelling of "Beauty and the Beast" from the point of view of the Beast, a vain Manhattan private school student who is turned into a monster and must find true love before he can return to his human form.

Book of a Thousand Days YA HALE

Fifteen-year-old Dashti, sworn to obey her sixteen-year-old mistress, the Lady Saren, shares Saren's years of punishment locked in a tower, then brings her safely to the lands of her true love, where both must hide who they are as they work as kitchen maids.

Stravaganza: City of Masks YA HOFFMAN

While sick in bed with cancer, Lucien begins making journeys to Belleza, a place in a parallel world that resembles Venice, Italy, and becomes caught up in the political intrigues surrounding the Duchessa who rules the city. (Series: Stravaganza, sequels include *Stravaganza: City of Stars* and *Stravaganza: City of Flowers*)

Gifts YA LEGUIN

When a young man in the Uplands blinds himself rather than use his gift of "unmaking"--a violent talent shared by members of his family--he upsets the precarious balance of power among rival, feuding families, each of which has a strange and deadly talent of its own. (Sequels: *Voices*, *Powers*)

The Water Mirror YA MEYER

In a place similar to Venice, Italy, two teenaged orphans, apprenticed to a maker of magic mirrors, begin to realize that their fates are tied to the magical protector of the city known as the Flowing Queen and to the ruler of Hell, respectively. (Series: Dark Reflections Trilogy, Sequel: *The Stone Light*)

Beating Heart: A Ghost Story YA JENKINS

Following his parents' divorce, seventeen-year-old Evan moves with his mother and sister into an old house where the spirit of a teenager who died there awakens and mistakes him for her long-departed lover.

Keturah and Lord Death YA LEAVITT

When Lord Death comes to claim sixteen-year-old Keturah while she is lost in the King's Forest, she charms him with her story and is granted a twenty-four hour reprieve in which to seek her one true love.

Airborn YA OPPEL

Matt, a young cabin boy aboard an airship, and Kate, a wealthy young girl traveling with her chaperone, team up to search for the existence of mysterious winged creatures reportedly living hundreds of feet above the Earth's surface. (Sequel: *Skybreaker*)

Terrier YA PIERCE

When sixteen-year-old Beka becomes "Puppy" to a pair of "Dogs," as the Provost's Guards are called, she uses her police training, natural abilities, and a touch of magic to help them solve the case of a murdered baby in Tortall's Lower City.

Undine YA RUSSON

Sixteen-year-old Undine, hearing her presumably deceased father calling to her and feeling a strange force growing inside her, travels to the sea to discover the depths of her magical powers.

Everlost YA SHUSTERMAN

When Nick and Allie are killed in a car crash, they end up in Everlost, or limbo for lost souls, where although Nick is satisfied, Allie will stop at nothing--even skinjacking--to break free.

