

The Ice Queen

This reissue of a modern classic of science fiction, the Hugo and Locus Award-winning and Nebula-nominated *The Snow Queen*, marks the first time the book has been reprinted in fifteen years. The imperious Winter colonists have ruled the planet Tiamat for 150 years, deriving wealth from the slaughter of the sea mers. But soon the galactic stargate will close, isolating Tiamat, and the 150-year reign of the Summer primitives will begin. Their only chance at surviving the change is if Arienrhod, the ageless, corrupt Snow Queen, can destroy destiny with an act of genocide. Arienrhod is not without competition as Moon, a young Summer-tribe sibyl, and the nemesis of the Snow Queen, battles to break a conspiracy that spans space. Interstellar politics, a millennia-long secret conspiracy, and a civilization whose hidden machineries might still control the fate of worlds all form the background to this spectacular hard science fiction novel from Joan D. Vinge.

Princess Rakel has been exiled to the farthest reaches of her kingdom because of her powerful magic. When her country is invaded by magic-users, she risks her life to save the very people who scorned her.

e-artnow presents the Christmas Specials Series. We have selected the greatest Christmas novels, short stories and fairy tales for this joyful and charming holiday season, for all those who want to keep the spirit of Christmas alive with a heartwarming tale. Alex Kincaid is an eighteen year old orphan boy who takes care of his younger brother and sister by working at the factory. However, when factory burns to the ground, Alex is forced to move with his siblings to their uncle's house in Cleveland. They decide to skate their across the frozen Great Lakes, pulling behind them a boat loaded with supplies, alone but for the company of their good friend, Tug, an adept trapper. They have to deal with the extreme cold, partial starvation, being snowed in, an attention of wild dogs and the danger of being cut adrift on floating ice.

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A Guide to Kislev

The Tarrassian Saga

Rise Of The Snow Queen Book One: The Polar Bear King

Long ago, tragedy struck and turned a young woman into the ice queen of legend... Evil has come to

Luminesa's forest. The Goblin has stolen three innocents and thrust them into a violent and terrible time loop - in her own lands. And the only way to save them is to go to them herself. But there's a problem, because the moment Luminesa steps foot inside that magicked place she too will get sucked into the Goblin's nefarious scheme. Freedom can only be had if she can figure out the riddle of the key, and she only has one month to try. Failure means death for them all. There is absolutely no time or room for romance, but that's exactly what happens when she first sets eyes on the centaur male, Alador. Luminesa's been burned in love before, nearly losing her life to the hands of a crazed male she'd once thought a friend. Since that night she's hated men, all men, no matter what form they come in. But Alador is different, kind, gentle...with soulful green eyes that seem to peer through the icy veil of her legend to see the real woman beneath. His touch makes her burn, and his kisses make her feel alive again. Luminesa will do everything in her power, to make sure they all leave there alive. Even if that means killing anything that stands in her way...

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A darkly luminous new novel from the Pulitzer Prize-winning author of *The Hours* Michael Cunningham's luminous novel begins with a vision. It's November 2004. Barrett Meeks, having lost love yet again, is walking through Central Park when he is inspired to look up at the sky; there he sees a pale, translucent light that seems to regard him in a distinctly godlike way. Barrett doesn't believe in visions—or in God—but he can't deny what he's seen. At the same time, in the not-quite-gentrified Bushwick neighborhood of Brooklyn, Tyler, Barrett's older brother, a struggling musician, is trying—and failing—to write a wedding song for Beth, his wife-to-be, who is seriously ill. Tyler is determined to write a song that will be not merely a sentimental ballad but an enduring expression of love. Barrett, haunted by the light, turns unexpectedly to religion. Tyler grows increasingly convinced that only drugs can release his creative powers. Beth tries to face mortality with as much courage as she can summon. Cunningham follows the Meeks brothers as each travels down a different path in his search for transcendence. In subtle, lucid prose, he demonstrates a profound empathy for his conflicted characters and a singular understanding of what lies at the core of the human soul. *The Snow Queen*, beautiful and heartbreaking, comic and tragic, proves again that Cunningham is one of the great novelists of his generation.

This carefully crafted ebook: "ICE QUEEN (Illustrated)" is formatted for your eReader with a functional and detailed table of contents. "The early dusk of a December day was fast changing into darkness as three of the young people with whose adventures this story is concerned trudged briskly homeward. The day was a bright one, and Aleck, the oldest, who was a skilled workman in the brass foundry, although scarcely eighteen years of age, had given himself a half-holiday in order to take Kate and The Youngster on a long skating expedition down to the lighthouse..." When the brass foundry, where eighteen year old Alex Kincaid works, is gutted in fire, he and his sister Kate and youngest sibling Jim choose to relocate to their uncle's home two hundred miles away in Cleveland. They plan to skate over the solidified Great Lakes with their provisions and their faithful dog Tug. But all of this is not as simple as it sounds. The children must face the threat of starvation, harsh winter, separation and great psychological duress to achieve any success. Read on! Ernest Ingersoll (1852-1946) was a renowned American naturalist, writer and explorer.

The Snow Queen. A Tale in Seven Stories (Illustrated)

ICE QUEEN (Illustrated)

A Christmas Story

Aleksia, Queen of the Northern Lights, is mysterious, beautiful and widely known to have a heart of ice. But when she's falsely accused of unleashing evil on nearby villages, she realizes there's an impostor out there far more heartless than she could ever be. And when a young warrior disappears, Aleksia's powers are needed as never before. Now, on a journey through a realm of perpetual winter, it will take all her skills, a mother's faith and a little magic to face down an enemy more formidable than any she has ever known....

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Michael Cunningham brings together his Pulitzer Prize-winning novel with the masterpiece that inspired it, Virginia Woolf's Mrs. Dalloway. In *The Hours*, the acclaimed author Michael Cunningham draws inventively on the life and work of Virginia Woolf and the story of her novel, *Mrs. Dalloway*, to tell the story of a group of contemporary characters struggling with the conflicting claims of love and inheritance, hope and despair. In this edition, Cunningham brings his own Pulitzer

Prize-winning novel together with Woolf's masterpiece, which has long been hailed as a groundbreaking work of literary fiction and one of the finest novels written in English. The two novels, published side by side with a new introduction by Cunningham, display the extent of their affinity, and each illuminates new facets of the other in this joint volume. In his introduction, Cunningham re-creates the wonderment of his first encounter with Mrs. Dalloway at fifteen—as he writes, “I was lost. I was gone. I never recovered.” With this edition, Cunningham allows us to disappear into the world of Woolf and into his own brilliant mind.

The Snow Queen

How to Melt the Ice Queen's Heart

Heart of Ice

Merry Christmas and Happy Ice Queen! Fourteen-year-old Josey and her ten-year-old, video-game-obsessed brother, Mason, live in Baudette, Minnesota, the Walleye Capital of the World. Their family owns and operates Baxter's Bait Shop, a town landmark. Every year before Christmas, Baudette hosts an ice-fishing tournament called the Ice Queen that draws thousands of anglers and generates a lot of money for local businesses. First place prize for catching the largest fish is \$10,000, but it's the \$20,000 grand prize that consumes everyone. To win the title of Ice Queen, the walleye must beat the Minnesota record of 18.6 pounds. The current Ice Queen was caught 61 years ago by resident Augustus Moss. No one has been able to break the state record and claim the grand prize since then. Moss passed away several years ago, but his only granddaughter, recluse Winnie Moss, still lives just outside town. The week of the Ice Queen contest, Josey and Mason learn heartbreaking news. Their family owes a large debt and will lose the bait shop at the end of the week unless they can repay it. The two seem to have no other option but to catch the new Ice Queen and win the money. But first they have to find the Lost City, a mysterious hidden spot where Augustus caught his record walleye. Gigantic walleyes and a search for the legendary Lost City await the pair. The only person that can help them is a loner who hates everything about the Ice Queen. Can the two kids catch the Ice Queen and save the family bait shop?

From the bestselling author of *The Rules of Magic*, a miraculous, enthralling tale of a woman who is struck by lightning, and finds her frozen heart is suddenly burning. Be careful what you wish for. A woman who was touched by tragedy as a child now lives a quiet life, keeping other people at a cool distance. She even believes she wants it that way. Then one day she utters an idle wish and, while standing in her house, is struck by lightning. But instead of ending her life, this cataclysmic event sparks a strange and powerful new beginning. She goes in search of Lazarus Jones, a fellow survivor who was struck dead, then simply got up and walked away. Perhaps this stranger who has seen death face to face can teach her to live without fear. When she finds him, he is her perfect opposite, a burning man whose breath can boil water and whose touch scorches. As an obsessive love affair begins between them, both hide their most dangerous secrets -- what happened in the past that turned one to ice and the other to fire. A magical story of passion, loss, and renewal, *The Ice Queen* is Alice Hoffman at her electrifying best.

On Earth, people refer to her as *The Ice Queen*. She is the world's best paid fashion model, her face is on every magazine cover and everybody knows her name.

*The body of 92-year-old Jossi Goldberg, Holocaust survivor and American citizen, is found shot to death execution style in his house near Frankfurt. A five-digit number is scrawled in blood at the murder scene. The autopsy reveals an old and unsuccessfully covered tattoo on the corpse's arm—a blood type marker once used by Hitler's SS. Pia Kirchhoff and Oliver Bodenstein are faced with a riddle. Was the old man not Jewish after all? Who was he, really? Two more, similar murders happen—one of a wheelchair-bound old lady in a nursing home, and one of a man with a cellar filled with Nazi paraphernalia—and slowly the connections between the victims becomes evident: All of them were lifelong friends with Vera von Kaltensee, baroness, well-respected philanthropist, and head of an old, rich family that she rules with an iron fist. Pia and Oliver follow the trail, which leads them all the way back to the end of World War II and the area of Poland that then belonged to East Prussia. No one is who they claim to be, and things only begin to make sense when the two investigators realize what the bloody number stands for, and uncover an old diary and an eyewitness who is finally willing to come forward. Nele Neuhaus's *The Ice Queen* is a character- and plot-driven mystery about revenge, power, and long-forgotten and covered up secrets from a time in German history that still affects the present.*

A Tale in Seven Stories

The Ice Princess

Thirty of Hans Christian Andersen's most cherished stories in single volumes Illustrated by various artists. Known all over the world, these fairytales hold stories of great value and are a source of inspiration for both young and old.

In a world where the rise of a billion-dollar organization called the S.O.A.S threatens to end the existence of free will, the Farisphonites have been able to delay their vision of a controlled society. After Jack Colson, a lackadaisical high school senior with little motivation to pursue his education, encounters the Farisphonites known as Ava the Ice Queen, he is taken on the adventure of a lifetime. Ava has latched onto Jack and their combined powers have become a dire threat to Austen Wolfe, the wealthy egotistical leader of the S.O.A.S. Jack must learn how to use his special powers in order to understand his symbiotic relationship with Ava. However, Austen Wolfe is in high pursuit, as well as an ex-S.O.A.S member and criminal, Liam Scarr, who is attempting to break the bond between Jack and Ava. Jack will do whatever it takes to avoid both the S.O.A.S and Liam Scarr's Red Sinners Gang to protect Ava and defeat the S.O.A.S, but will it be enough?

“A top-notch thriller, one of the best of the genre” (Minneapolis Star Tribune) from

international crime-writing sensation Camilla Läckberg tells the story of brutal murders in a small Swedish fishing village, and the shattering, decades-old secrets that precipitated them. In this electrifying tale of suspense from an international crime-writing sensation, a grisly death exposes the dark heart of a Scandinavian seaside village. Erica Falck returns to her tiny, remote hometown of Fjällbacka, Sweden, after her parents' deaths only to encounter another tragedy: the suicide of her childhood best friend, Alex. It's Erica herself who finds Alex's body—suspended in a bathtub of frozen water, her wrists slashed. Erica is bewildered: Why would a beautiful woman who had it all take her own life? Teaming up with police detective Patrik Hedström, Erica begins to uncover shocking events from Alex's childhood. As one horrifying fact after another comes to light, Erica and Patrik's curiosity gives way to obsession—and their flirtation grows into uncontrollable attraction. But it's not long before one thing becomes very clear: a deadly secret is at stake, and there's someone out there who will do anything—even commit murder—to protect it. Fans of Scandinavian greats Stieg Larsson and Henning Mankell will devour Camilla Läckberg's penetrating portrait of human nature at its darkest.

The Snow Queen is a fairy tale by Hans Christian Andersen. It is his longest story and is considered by many as his best work. This edition includes color illustrations by Edmund Dulac.

Exploring Icebergs and Glaciers

A Novel

Karkulka Puppet Theatre presents: The Ice Queen

Unlike some other reproductions of classic texts (1) We have not used OCR(Optical Character Recognition), as this leads to bad quality books with introduced typos. (2) In books where there are images such as portraits, maps, sketches etc We have endeavoured to keep the quality of these images, so they represent accurately the original artefact. Although occasionally there may be certain imperfections with these old texts, we feel they deserve to be made available for future generations to enjoy.

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evil, loyalty and love, and a friendship so strong, that it can release the spell of the mean Ice Queen.

Everyone knows Cynthia is that gorgeous nerd who never puts out. That's why she is known as The Ice Queen. The bookworm with the centerfold body who is saving herself for Mr. Right. That isn't Marty, though. Marty the Stud. Arrogant and blessed with better looks than are good for him, Marty isn't one to be easily discouraged by Cynthia's stuck up attitude. Oh no, to Marty the Stud that only makes it that much more fun to defrost the Ice Queen once and for all. Determined to set her panties on fire, the Stud leads Cynthia astray. That is when the Stud learns he is in trouble. Unfortunately, for Cynthia, she fast learns that it are her own desires that are her worst enemy, not the guy she loves to hate. Smoking hot! Funny! Sizzling! Be prepared to meet a very feisty heroine, one who is destined to be remembered, and a stud who knows how to push all the right buttons!

The story that was the inspiration for The Lion, the Witch, and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis and more recently, Frozen by Disney is re-designed in celebration of 50 years of working with Bernadette Watts—one of Europe's most recognized and beloved fairy-tale artists, known in Europe simply as Bernadette. When a young boy is cursed and unable to detect goodness, a young girl goes on a courageous journey to restore his heart and free him from the palace of the Snow Queen. Stunning illustrations bring new life to this lasting piece of literature that has thrilled young readers for over a century. Praise for Bernadette Watts Little Red Riding Hood, "My what big talent she has!" — Kirkus Reviews The Three Little Pigs, "A marvelous offering that begs to be added to everyone's storytelling repertoire." — School Library Journal

The Hours / Mrs. Dalloway

The Ice Queen

How to Melt the Ice Queen's Heart Volume 1

A contemporary young adult novel which explores the controversial subjects of sexting, cyberbullying and the legal vulnerability of teens, woven into a story of a high school outcast whose pitted against the class mean girl. Sixteen year-old Blair Evans has spent her first three years at Westberry High in the evil Ice Queen's cross-hairs, relegated to the bottom tier of the social scale. She longs to shake her lowly status and fit in with the popular kids, but when she unexpectedly falls for the Ice Queen's ex-boyfriend, David Woods, she sets off a nasty chain of events that lands her in the midst of a cyber-war with her archrival. The Queen plays dirty, tries to seduce David back, and Blair finds herself snared in a sexting trap. She tries to defend herself and thinks her life is finally getting back on track when she faces new threats. If Blair and her closest friends can't figure out who is behind them, her entire world will come crashing down.

Detailing the land of Kislev in lavish detail, this book presents both the people and the places of the Ice Queen's realm. Inside you will find Kislev careers and creatures as well the secrets of Ice Magic revealed for the first time.

Captain Cool and the Ice Queen is a swashbuckling tale of adventure on the high seas. Join the Captain and his intrepid cat Patch as they foil the Ice Queen's plot to freeze the world's oceans. The cartoon-like format is attractive to reluctant readers and children will enjoy Patch's dreadful puns and hunting for visual jokes in the lively illustrations. Captain Cool and the Ice Queen is one of thirteen books that make up Independent Reading Level A, for children in Year 3/Primary 4. This phase of Cambridge Reading aims to extend children's

experience of fiction, motivate them to enjoy reading, and improve their independence as readers.

This is one of Grace and Melissa's adventures. Grace is a duck and Melissa is a penguin. They are best friends and go on lots of adventures together. In this book, Melissa and Grace are sent by their friend the flower fairy to visit her friend the ice queen and deliver two magical items. On the way, they meet a dragon whose tail has a lot of spikes. The dragon will say, "I'm going to eat you." The dragon lives in a desert. At the end of the desert is a high hill covered in ice. It looks like an ice wall. The hill is dangerous because it is very steep and the ladder to climb up it is covered with slippery ice. Will Melissa and Grace manage to get away from the dragon? If they survive the dragon, will they be able to get up the wall of ice? Who will they meet along the way? If you want to find out, read this book!

The Ice Queen ... Illustrated

Captain Cool and the Ice Queen

Realm of the Ice Queen

On Christmas Eve, a small rowing boat washes up on Liberty Island in New York City. The small vessel houses the frozen body of a silver-haired woman adorned with a jewel-encrusted crown resting on her head. Kylie Winter, a beautiful and ambitious reporter, is first on the scene, and like the rest of the world, she is immediately drawn into the mystery. Dubbed the Ice Queen by media outlets worldwide, a race begins to identify who the angelic frozen castaway is and where she came from? Kylie happens upon a man tormented with grief who claims a connection with the frozen beauty. Driven by her instincts and curiosity for the fantastical story presented to her by this stranger, Kylie embarks on a magical adventure which opens her eyes to the beauty most lose as children; the ability to believe in magic. Sometimes, you just have to believe in the unbelievable.

After the Snow Queen abducts her friend Kay, Gerda sets out on a perilous and magical journey to find him.

A story of another age, of an early civilization seen only dimly through the veil of time. It's a time when life is more primitive and closer to our animal roots. Life is hard, and wealth, glory and sexual pleasures are taken by conquest. The Thralkild court is rich and opulent, with scantily clad slaves and breathtakingly beautiful courtesans, all of whom who eagerly engage in the most outrageous acts at the command of their lecherous sovereign. From these mists, emerge two strong personages: The great King Rahn the Conquerer, and his consort, Lohr his proud and beautiful Queen. Both are ambitious, ruthless, cunning, and both revel in sexual pleasure, at a court known far and wide for the depths of its depravity. Though the King's lustful appetite is legendary, it remains for his newly-chosen Consort, the insatiable "Ice Queen," to plunge that depraved court into new depths. She's a woman consumed by bizarre erotic

obsessions driving her in the relentless pursuit of power and sensual pleasure – a pursuit that will lead to her ultimate downfall.

Have you ever wondered what the coldest place on Earth is like? Antarctica is a large ice-covered continent at the southernmost point on the planet. Readers will explore this icy land and learn about the various types of glaciers and icebergs.

The ice queen

Christmas Specials Series

Christmas Classics Series - A Gritty Saga of Love, Friendship and Survival

High school counselor Aislin Kennedy 's charisma and exuberance mask deep scars that prevent her from letting anyone too close. Instead, she throws herself into helping her students. CEO of a fashion conglomerate, Susanna Durr has been through three painfully public divorces, and to say she 's given up on love would be an understatement. When Aislin agrees to help Susanna connect with her daughter, Cynt, surprising feelings awaken for both of them. But Aislin isn 't ready to trust again and Susanna 's track record is intimidating. If the past were to repeat itself, it could break Aislin for good.

The Colson Legend

The Alpha and the Ice Queen Part 1

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