

Pulp Fiction

Science Fiction & Fantasy Catalogue

Pulp Fiction Booksellers • Shops 28-29 • Anzac Square Building Arcade • 265-269 Edward Street • Brisbane • Queensland • 4000 • Australia

Postal: GPO Box 297 • Brisbane • Queensland • 4001 • Australia • Tel: 07 3236-2750 • E-mail: pulpfictionbooks@bigpond.com

www.pulpfictionbooks.com.au

November '12

Includes new books by:

Joe Abercrombie

Libba Bray

Lois McMaster Bujold

Greg Egan

Alan Dead Foster

Fiona McIntosh

Brandon Sanderson

Laini Taylor

...and many others

All the books in this catalogue are new books due for release in **November 2012**.

Because they are new books, we are at the whim of the publishers and to some extent the shipping companies - books can sometimes arrive later (or earlier) than anticipated, or occasionally be a different retail price than originally quoted. Because space is a luxury, we bring in limited quantities of books. Prices are subject to change without notice.

Please reserve copies of anything you want so you don't miss out - ASAP!

If a book has sold-out by the time we receive your order, we will back-order and supply when available.

Pulp Fiction has access to thousands of books not shown in our monthly catalogues. We are only too happy to order anything if we don't have it on the shelves.

If you can't make it into the shop, you can post, phone, fax or e-mail your order. We accept Bankcard, Mastercard, Visa, AMEX, cheques and Australia Post Money Orders.

Approximate current postage within Australia is: 1 -2 paperbacks (up to 500 grams), \$6.60.

2-10 paperbacks or any trade paperbacks or hardcovers within Brisbane is \$8.65.

Outside Brisbane metro area (over 500 grams up to 3 kilos), \$11.40.

Anything above 3 kilos charged at Australia Post rates.

Until next time, good reading!

Ron, Iain and Beau

RED COUNTRY

ABERCROMBIE, Joe
Maximum awesomeness. May as well be book six. Signed copies available. Need we say more?

Fantasy TP \$29.99

EPIC

ADAMS, John Joseph
Fantasy from Paolo Bacigalupi, Trudi Canavan, Kate Elliott, Robin Hobb, Ursula K. Le Guin, George R. R. Martin, Melanie Rawn, Patrick Rothfuss, Tad Williams and more.

Epic fantasy anthology TP \$33.95

3 STRANGE TALES

AKUTAGAWA, Ryunosuke
Akutagawa is regarded as the father of the Japanese short story and is one of the most recognizable names in Japanese literature. Born in 1892, he committed suicide in 1927 at the age of thirty-five. Though he only wrote short stories, his peculiarity and the power of his prose still carry sway today. This volume presents new translations of two of his most well-known stories, "Rashomon" (later adapted into a film by Akira Kurosawa) and "The Martyr," as well as the never-before-published-in-English story The God of Aguni.

Strange fiction PBK \$22.95

EDGE 04: STEEL'S EDGE

ANDREWS, Ilona
Urban fantasy PBK \$17.95

EXTREME METAPHORS

BALLARD, J.G.
A collection of interviews given throughout Ballard's career - a testament to his visionary and predictive instincts. Recommended.

Interviews HC \$45.00

BLOODHOUND FILES 06:

UNDEAD TO THE WORLD
BARANT, D.D.
Urban fantasy PBK \$17.95

ABARAT 03: ABSOLUTE MIDNIGHT

BARKER, Clive
Fantasy PBK \$17.99

DAUGHTER OF THE SWORD

BEIN, Steve
Mariko Oshiro is not your average Tokyo cop. As the only female detective in the city's most elite police unit, she has to fight for every ounce of respect. When she wants to track down a rumoured cocaine shipment, her boss gives her the least promising case possible. But the case - the attempted theft of an old samurai sword - proves more dangerous than anyone could have imagined. The owner of the sword, Professor Yasuo Yamada, says it was crafted by the legendary Master Inazuma, a sword smith whose blades are rumoured to have magical qualities. "An authentic thrill ride through both ancient and modern Japan. Definitely a winner." - *Kylie Chan*

Fantasy TP \$22.99

CYBERPUNK: STORIES OF HARDWARE, SOFTWARE, WETWARE, EVOLUTION AND REVOLUTION

BLAKE, Victoria (Editor)
Contributors include Pat Cadigan, Cory Doctorow, Paul di Filippo, William Gibson, Jonathan Lethem, David Marusek, Rudy Rucker, John Shirley and Bruce Sterling..

Science fiction anthology TP \$29.95

POWER PLAY

BOVA, Ben
Jake Ross wants nothing more than to teach a few university classes each semester and continue his research. However, Frank Tomlinson, an ambitious politician with his eye on the U.S. Senate, is determined to land Dr. Ross as his science advisor. Tomlinson is in need of an edge that will allow him to defeat his opponent at the polls, and Dr. Ross can contribute that edge with a new innovation that will allow electricity to be generated at less than half the price of nuclear power.

Science fiction thriller PBK \$17.95

THE DIVINERS

BRAY, Libba
Evie O'Neill has been exiled from her boring old hometown and shipped off to the bustling streets of New York City. The only catch is Evie must live with her Uncle Will, curator of The Museum of American Folklore, Superstition, and the Occult. When a rash of occult-based murders comes to light, Evie and her uncle are right in the thick of the investigation. "[T]he intricate plot and magnificently imagined details of character, dialogue and setting take hold and don't let go. Not to be missed." - *Kirkus Reviews*

YA fantasy TP \$24.99

EXISTENCE

BRIN, David
Gerald Livingston is an orbital garbage collector. For a hundred years, people have been abandoning things in space, and

someone has to clean it up. But there's something spinning a little bit higher than he expects, something that isn't on the decades' old orbital maps. An hour after he grabs it and brings it in, rumors fill Earth's infomesh about an "alien artefact." Thrown into the maelstrom of worldwide shared experience, the Artefact is a game-changer.

Science fiction PBK \$22.99

KRAMPUS: THE YULE LORD

BROM
Returning home to his trailer one night, Jesse Walker is surprised to see some goons attacking Santa Claus as he tries to fly away in his sleigh. In the melee Santa's magic sack falls out of the sleigh and through Jesse's roof. Of course, possessing the sack only leads to trouble as Santa and the sack's original owner, the trickster demon known as Krampus, are both trying to get it back.

Dark fantasy HC \$29.99

I SAW ZOMBIES EATING SANTA CLAUS: A BREATHERS CHRISTMAS CAROL

BROWNE, S.G.
Zombie fest(ive) HC \$27.95

CAPTAIN VORPATRIL'S ALLIANCE

BUJOLD, Lois McMaster
Finally, the 'Ivan' novel that Vorkosigan saga readers have been waiting for! (I waited so I could read this in one sitting - great fun! - and 'That Idiot Ivan' turns out not to be such an idiot after all... Ron). Bujold's Miles Vorkosigan series is one of Pulp Fiction's all-time bestsellers - fast, funny and never predictable - it's not just us that think so: Bujold has won multiple Hugo, Nebula and other genre awards. If you haven't tried them then we suggest you start with the *Young Miles* omnibus (\$17.95). Highly recommended!

Science fiction HC \$42.95

STEN OMNIBUS 02: JUGGERNAUT

BUNCH, Chris & COLE, Allan
Science fiction TP \$29.99

DRESDEN 14: COLD DAYS

BUTCHER, Jim
Urban fantasy HC \$32.99

PATHFINDER 02: RUINS

CARD, Orson Scott
YA fantasy HC \$24.99

AFTER MOONRISE: POSSESSED/HAUNTED

CAST, P.C. & SHOWALTER, Gena
Paranormal romance TP \$27.95

HER SKY COWBOY

CIOTTA, Beth
After Amelia Darcy's eccentric inventor father dies, she and her siblings are left penniless. Amelia embarks on a journey to save the family name by investigating one of da Vinci's lost inventions in Florence. But her plans are derailed when her kite-cycle crashes into the airship of former Air Marshal Tucker Gentry. This is getting great reviews.

Paranormal romance PBK \$17.95

DEAD OF WINTER

COLLINS, Lee
Cora and her husband hunt things - things that shouldn't exist. When the marshal of Leadville, Colorado, comes across a pair of mysterious deaths, he turns to Cora to find the creature responsible. But if Cora is to overcome the unnatural tide threatening to consume the small town, she must first confront her own tragic past as well as her present. "A brilliant, bloody, violent dark fantasy - Charlie Huston turned up past 11." - *Andy Remic*

Paranormal thriller PBK \$17.95

HIMMLER'S WAR

CONROY, Robert
With the spectre of a German super-weapon moving closer to completion and the German generals finally allowed to fight the kind of war at which they are masters, the Allies are pushed toward a course of accommodation or even defeat.

Alternate history PBK \$17.95

THE LAZARUS MACHINE

CRILLEY, Paul
In an alternate 1895 where Charles Babbage and Ada Lovelace perfected the Difference Engine and steam and Tesla-powered computers are everywhere, Sebastian Tweed's father is kidnapped by Professor Moriarty, and he is forced to team up with information broker, Octavia Nightingale, to track him down. But he soon realizes that his father's disappearance is just a tiny piece of a political conspiracy that could destroy the British Empire and plunge the world into a horrific war.

YA steampunk HC \$32.95

THE WOODCUTTER

DANLEY, Kate
Deep within the Wood, a young woman lies dead. Not a mark on her body. No trace of her murderer. Only her chipped glass slippers hint at her identity. The Woodcutter, keeper of the peace between the Twelve Kingdoms of Man and the Realm of the Faerie, must find the maiden's killer before others share her fate

Fantasy TP \$27.95

BLOOD AND OTHER CRAVINGS

DATLOW, Ellen (Editor)
Includes stories from Laird Barron, Elizabeth Bear, Kathe Koja, Margo Lanagan, Bill Pronzini, and Kaaron Warren.

Horror anthology TP \$29.95

A COSMIC CHRISTMAS

DAVIS, Hank
Twelve stories of Christmas in very unusual circumstances, from Catherine Asaro, Larry Correia, Mercedes Lackey, Mark L. Van Name, Connie Willis, and others.

Anthology TP \$23.95

KING'S ASSASSIN

DEAS, Stephen
YA fantasy PBK \$19.99

SHINE LIGHT

DE PIERRES, Marianne
The third in De Pierres' YA dystopian trilogy, after *Burn Bright* and *Angel Arias* (\$18.95) each.

YA science fiction PBK \$18.95

A FIGHTING CHANCE

DIETZ, William C.
Science fiction PBK \$17.95

THE MAMMOTH BOOK OF BEST NEW SF 25

DOZOIS, Gardner (Editor)
The UK edition of the year's definitive collection of short SF, including a tale from Brisbaneite Peter M. Ball. Recommended.

Science fiction anthology PBK \$14.99

ANGEL'S INK

DRAKE, Jocelyn
Meet Gage, a magical tattoo artist trying to remain hidden and alive in a world where elves, faeries, trolls, werewolves, and vampires mingle freely with humans, and warlocks and witches rule the roost with merciless cruelty.

Urban fantasy PBK \$19.99

THE SCAR

DYACHENKO, Sergei & Marina
Egert is a brash, confident member of the elite guards and an egotistical philanderer. But after he kills an innocent student in a duel, a mysterious man known as The Wanderer challenges Egert and slashes his face with his sword, leaving a scar that comes to symbolize his cowardice. Unable to end his suffering by his own hand, Egert embarks on an odyssey to undo the curse and the horrible damage he has caused.

Fantasy PBK \$17.95

ORTHOGONAL 02: THE ETERNAL FLAME

EGAN, Greg
Greg Egan's *The Clockwork Rocket* (\$19.99) introduced readers to an exotic universe where the laws of physics are very different from our own, where the speed of light varies in ways Einstein would never allow, and where intelligent life has evolved in unique and fascinating ways. Now Egan continues his epic tale of alien beings embarked on a desperate voyage to save their world.

Science fiction TP \$32.99

MALAZAN EMPIRE 05: BLOOD AND BONE

ESSELMONT, Ian C.
Fantasy TP \$32.95

GRANTVILLE GAZETTE VI

FLINT, Eric (Editor)
Alternate history PBK \$17.95

JANUARY DANCER 03: IN THE LION'S MOUTH

FLYNN, Michael
Science fiction PBK \$17.95

TIPPING POINT 03: THE SUM OF HER PARTS

FOSTER, Alan Dean
Science fiction TP \$27.95

THE BITE BEFORE CHRISTMAS

FROST, Jeaniene & SANDS, Lynsay
Sands continues her Argeneau vampire series in *The Gift*, which finds Katricia Argeneau pleased to be snowbound in an isolated cabin with her heartthrob, while Frost's *Home for the Holidays* has Cat and Bones battling a bad vampire instead of hanging mistletoe.

Paranormal romance anthology PBK \$14.99

A TRAIL OF FIRE

GABALDON, Diana
Fiction TP \$29.99

OTHERWORLD 12: SHADOW RISING

GALENORN, Yasmine
Paranormal romance PBK \$17.95

THE RISE OF RANSOM CITY

GILMAN, Felix
As a child, Harry Ransom was healed from a usually fatal illness by a mysterious light-emitting apparatus, setting him on a quest to replicate it through a means he calls the Ransom Process. During the course of bankrolling his research and the utopian Ransom City, he runs afoul of agents of the forces of Industry

Abbreviations used in this catalogue:

PBK = "A" format (standard size) paperback
TPB = "B" & "C" format (oversize) paperback
HC = Hardcover or cloth binding

Pulp Fiction

Science Fiction & Fantasy November 2012 (Continued)

and Chaos, who are battling for dominance of a newly colonized continent. His technological success also sparks hope that he's found a way to end the constant warfare, particularly out on the Western Rim, where nature's laws become unpredictable and wild. This is a stand alone sequel to the tremendous steampunk-meets-western *The Half-Made World* (\$27.95).

Fantasy HC \$42.95

THE WARD

GREY, S.L.

Lisa is a plastic surgery addict with severe self-esteem issues. The only hospital that will let her go under the knife is New Hope: a grimy, grey-walled facility dubbed 'No Hope' by its patients. Farrell is a celebrity photographer. His last memory is a fight with his fashion-model girlfriend and now he's woken up in No Hope, alone. Panicked and disorientated, Farrell persuades Lisa to help him escape, but the hospital's dimly lit corridors only take them deeper underground - into a twisted mirror world staffed by dead-eyed nurses and doped-up orderlies.

Horror PBK \$19.99

ERRANTRY: STRANGE STORIES

HAND, Elizabeth

Collection TP \$29.95

CLOCKWORK EMPIRE 03: THE DRAGON MEN

HARPER, Steven

Steampunk PBK \$17.95

BLACK LAMENT

HENRY, Christina

Urban fantasy PBK \$17.95

HONOR'S PARADOX

HODGELL, P.C.

Fantasy PBK \$17.95

THE SILVERED

HUFF, Tanya

The Empire's declared war on the small, were-ruled kingdom of Aydori, capturing five women of the Mage-pack, including the wife of the were pack-leader. With the pack off defending the border, it falls to Mirian Maylin and Tomas Hagen - she a low-level mage, he younger brother to the pack-leader - to save them.

Fantasy HC \$42.95

GALES 02: WILD WAYS

HUFF, Tanya

Fantasy PBK \$17.95

FROM THE DEEP OF THE DARK

HUNT, Stephen

Thanks to his father's gambling debts, young Jack Keats finds himself on the streets and trying to survive as a pickpocket, desperate to graft enough coins to keep him and his two younger brothers fed. Following a daring bank robbery gone badly awry, Jack narrowly escapes the scaffold, only to be pressed into Royal Aeronautical Navy.

Fantasy PBK \$17.99

VIRUS: THE DAY OF RESURRECTION

KOMATSU, Sakyo

In this classic of Japanese SF from 1964, American astronauts on a space mission discover a strange virus and bring it to Earth, where rogue scientists transform it into a fatal version of the flu. After the virulent virus is released, nearly all human life on Earth is wiped out save for fewer than one thousand men and a handful of women living in research stations in Antarctica.

Science fiction HC \$39.95

CROWN OF VENGEANCE

LACKEY, Mercedes and MALLORY, James

Fantasy HC \$44.95

THE UNREAL AND THE REAL VOLUMES 1 & 2

LE GUIN, Ursula

The collected short fiction, as selected by the author, in two volumes: *Where on Earth*, and *Outer Space Inner Lands*. Essential.

Collection HC \$39.95 each

TWILIGHT REIGN 05: THE DUSK WATCHMAN

LLOYD, Tom

Fantasy TP \$29.99

SWORDS OF WAAR

LONG, Nathan

Jane Carver, a hell-raising, redheaded biker chick from Coral Gables, Florida, had found a new life and love on Waar, a savage planet of fearsome creatures and swashbuckling warriors - until the planet's high priests sent her back to Earth against her will. But nobody keeps Jane from her man, even if he happens to be a purple-skinned alien nobleman. Against all odds, she returns to Waar, only to find herself accused of kidnapping the Emperor's daughter. The sequel to *Jane Carver of Waar* (TP, \$27.95).

Pulp fiction TP \$27.95

FLESH & BONE

MABERRY, Jonathan

Zombie PBK \$16.99

FALLEN BLADE 03: CROSSED BLADES

MCCULLOUGH, Kelly

Fantasy PBK \$17.95

THE CASSANDRA PROJECT

MCDEVITT, Jack & RESNICK, Mike

In 2019, 50 years after Apollo 11, Jerry Culpepper, a NASA press agent, is caught between his hopes for a better future for the space program and puzzling clues that suggest Neil Armstrong was the fifth man to walk on the Moon. Adding in a libertarian entrepreneur with his own Moon rocket and a president anxious to learn what may be hiding on the far side of the moon, Jerry is

caught in a race to discover a truth that has been buried in bureaucracy for decades.

Science fiction HC \$42.95

SHIP KINGS 02: VOYAGE OF THE UNQUIET ICE

MCGAHAN, Andrew

YA fantasy HC \$22.99

THE SCRIVENER'S TALE

MCINTOSH, Fiona

"In the bookshops and cafes of present-day Paris, ex-psychologist Gabe Figaret is trying to put his shattered life back together. When another doctor, Reynard, asks him to help with a delusional female patient, Gabe is reluctant... until he meets her. At first Gabe thinks the woman, Angelina, is merely terrified of Reynard, but he quickly discovers she is not quite what she seems. As his relationship with Angelina deepens, Gabe's life in Paris becomes increasingly unstable. Soon, Gabe will learn shocking truths about who he is . . . and who he can - or cannot - trust. A fantastic, action-packed adventure starting in Paris and returning to Morgravia." - *publisher's blurb*

Fantasy TP \$32.99

THE HIGHWAY MEN

MACLEOD, Ken

The weather has gone crazy and the war has spread to China. Jase, Euan and Murdo are laggards: forced workers in a future Scotland. The laggards are helping to lay a new power line in the Highlands. Ailiss, a young woman from a secret settlement in the frozen hills, is going to strain their loyalties to breaking point - and beyond. This is an 80 page novella from a small Scottish press.

Science fiction PBK \$15.95

LOVESTAR

MAGNASON, Andri Snaer

"In this outlandish yet poignant dystopian allegory, Magnason imagines a post-technological world in which the relationship between people and information is turned on its head. "Cordless" citizens are freed from gadgets and wires while the drug REGRET renders every choice the right one. At the helm of this carefully monitored and controlled society is LoveStar, a God-like old man with three hours left to live and a mission to "free people from the oppression of freedom." Then there's Indridi and Sigrid, who want to stick together despite inLOVE's calculation of Sigrid as better matched with a Danish man. Orwell, Vonnegut, and Douglas Adams are felt on every page, though Magnason is never derivative. His satire and insightful social commentary sweeten the pot and the sheer wackiness of Magnason's oversized imagination is invigorating." - *Publisher's Weekly*

Science fiction TP \$32.95

THE LANDS OF ICE AND FIRE

MARTIN, George R.R. & ROBERTS, Jonathan

"The centrepiece of this gorgeous map collection is guaranteed to be a must-have for any fan: the complete map of the known world, joining the lands of the Seven Kingdoms and the lands across the Narrow Sea for the first time in series history. But this is just one of many unique maps that aren't available anywhere else. There is an alternate version that tracks the movements of the series protagonists throughout their vast world, along with more detailed versions of the western, middle, and eastern thirds of the world; a full map of Westeros, combining North and South; one of the Dothraki Sea and the Red Wastes; and the Braavos city map. And here, too, are fan favourites detailing everything from urban sprawl to untamed wilds: maps of Kings Landing; The Wall and Beyond the Wall; the Free Cities; and Slavers Bay, Valyria, and Sothorys. Never before has the entire scope of Martin's universe been so exhaustively and fascinatingly depicted." - *publisher's blurb*

Maps \$45.00

WILD CHROME

MELLOR, Greg

Australian Greg Mellor's debut collection featuring ten original stories and others that have appeared in *Cosmos*, *Clarkesworld*, and *Aurealis*. "In these stories of love, loss and redemption, Greg Mellor shows us the human face of the Singularity... At times disturbing, at times inspiring - always on the edge." - Maxine McArthur.

Science fiction TP \$29.99

TEN BILLION DAYS AND ONE HUNDRED BILLION NIGHTS

MITSUSE, Ryu

Ten billion days - that is how long it will take the philosopher Plato to determine the true systems of the world. One hundred billion nights - that is how far into the future Jesus of Nazareth, Siddhartha, and the demigod Asura will travel to witness the end of all worlds. Named the greatest Japanese science fiction novel of all time, and originally published in 1967, the novel was revised and republished in 1973.

Science fiction TP \$27.95

ALLIE BECKSTROM 09: MAGIC FOR A PRICE

MONK, Devon

Urban fantasy PBK \$17.95

TEARS IN THE RAIN

MONTERO, Rosa

Detective Bruna Husky, a "technohuman" bioengineered to perform dangerous, undesirable tasks, has just ten years on the United States of Earth before her body self-destructs. Before that happens, can she solve the mystery of a rash of premature technohuman deaths?

Science fiction TP \$27.95

ORCS BAD BLOOD 03: INFERNO

NICHOLLS, Stan

Fantasy PBK \$19.99

CHICAGOLAND VAMPIRES 06: BITING COLD

NEILL, Chloe

Urban fantasy PBK \$19.99

MAGIC: AN ANTHOLOGY OF THE ESOTERIC AND ARCANES

OLIVER, Jonathan (Editor)

Sixteen stories of magic, featuring some of today's finest practitioners, including Audrey Niffenegger, Dan Abnett, Christopher Fowler, Gemma Files, and Gail Z. Martin.

Fantasy anthology PBK \$19.95

HOUSE OF COMARRE 04: OUT FOR BLOOD

PAINTER, Kristen

Fantasy PBK \$19.99

INHERITANCE DELUXE EDITION

PAOLINI, Christopher

Fantasy HC \$44.95

TOMORROW, THE KILLING

POLANSKY, Daniel

Once he was a hero of the Great War, and then a member of the dreaded Black House. Now he is the criminal linchpin of Low Town. His name is Warden. He thought he had left the war behind him, but a summons from up above brings the past sharply, uncomfortably, back into focus. General Montgomery's daughter is missing somewhere in Low Town, searching for clues about her brother's murder. The General wants her found, before the stinking streets can lay claim to her, too. The sequel to *Low Town* (\$22.99). Recommended for those who like their fantasy dark, along the lines of Brent Weeks.

Fantasy noir TP \$29.99

TURTLE RECALL:

THE DISCWORLD COMPANION... SO FAR

PRATCHETT, Terry & BRIGGS, Stephen

Fully revised and updated - includes Snuff.

Discworld HC \$45.00

CLOCKWORK CENTURY 05:

THE INEXPLICABLES

PRIEST, Cherie

Steampunk TP \$27.95

THE EDUCATED APE AND OTHER WONDERS OF THE WORLDS

RANKIN, Robert TP \$29.99

Fantasy TP \$29.99

ESTHER DIAMOND 04: POLTERHEIST

RESNICK, Luara

Urban fantasy PBK \$17.95

ALL MEN OF GENIUS

ROSEN, Lev A.C.

All Men of Genius follows Violet Adams as she disguises herself as her twin brother to gain entry to Victorian London's most prestigious scientific academy, and once there, encounters blackmail, mystery, and love. "Rosen's lighthearted debut puts a steampunk spin on the Victorian comedy of manners while sneakily critiquing the gender biases of both genres... Decommissioned robots, mysterious mechanisms, strange squid creatures, blackmail, and a number of vivid characters add up to a great deal of fun." - *Publishers Weekly*

Steampunk TP \$29.95

THE EMPEROR'S SOUL

SANDERSON, Brandon

When Shai is caught replacing the Moon Scepter with her nearly flawless forgery, she must bargain for her life. An assassin has left the Emperor Ashrahan without consciousness, a circumstance concealed only by the death of his wife. If the emperor does not emerge after his hundred-day mourning period, the rule of the Heritage Faction will be forfeit and the empire will fall into chaos. So Shai is given an impossible task: to create - to Forge - a new soul for the emperor in less than one hundred days.

Fantasy TP \$27.95

MOSCOW BUT DREAMING

SEDIA, Ekaterina

One of the more resonant voices to emerge in recent years, this Russian-born author explores the edge between the mundane and fantastical in tales inspired by her homeland as well as worldwide folkloric traditions. Jeffrey Ford provides the foreword.

Collection TP \$27.95

SHIFTING CIRCLE 02:

STILL LIFE WITH SHAPESHIFTER

SHINN, Sharon

Fantasy HC \$42.95

MIDNIGHT AND MOONSHINE

SLATTER, Angela & HANNETT, Lisa

When Mymnir flees the devastation of Ragnarok, she hopes to escape all that bound her to Ásgaror — a heedless pantheon, a domineering brother, and her neglectful father-master, Óoinn. But the white raven, a being of memory and magic, should know that the past is not so easily left behind. No matter how far she flies, she cannot evade her family... In planting seeds of the old world in the new, Mymnir becomes queen of a land with as many problems as the one she fled. Her long-lived Fae children ignite and fan feuds that span generations; lives are lost and loves won because of their tampering. Told in thirteen parts, *Midnight and Moonshine* follows the Beaufort and Laveaux families, part-human, part-Fae, as they battle, thrive and survive in Mymnir's kingdom. From fire giants to whispering halls, disappearing children to evening-wolves, fairy hills to bewitched cypress trees, and talking heads to moonshiners of a special sort, *Midnight and Moonshine* takes readers on a journey from ninth century Vinland to America's Deep South in the present day. Signed copies available!

Fantasy TP \$26.99

MR PENUMBRA'S 24-HOUR BOOKSTORE

SLOAN, Robin

A gleeful tale of global conspiracy, complex code-breaking, high-tech data visualization, young love, rollicking adventure, and the

secret to eternal life - mostly set in a hole-in-the-wall San Francisco bookstore. "The perfect nerdish fantasy." - Cory

Doctorow

Slipstream TP \$29.99

PHOENIX RISING

SPOOR, Ryk E.

Kyri: a highborn young woman whose life is shattered by the murder of her kin. But even as Kyri flees her beloved land Evanwyl, she knows that she is her family's only hope for justice, and Evanwyl's only chance to escape a growing shadow of corruption and destruction. Now Kyri must venture across Zarathan, a world on the brink of a long foretold Chaos War.

Fantasy TP \$25.95

APOLLO'S OUTCASTS

STEELE, Allen

Set in the late 21st century, Steele's novel is about a group of kids sent to the Moon following a political coup in America. "Like the best Heinlein juveniles, the science is realistic and the concepts drawn from modern speculation... solid, space-faring fun." - *Publisher's Weekly*

YA science fiction HC \$32.95

EDGE OF INFINITY

STRAHAN, Jonathan (Editor)

Featuring stories by Hannu Rajaniemi, Alastair Reynolds, James S. A. Corey, John Barnes, Stephen Baxter, Kristine Kathryn Rusch, Elizabeth Bear, Pat Cadigan, Gwyneth Jones, Paul McAuley, Bruce Sterling and more.

Science fiction anthology PBK \$18.95

CRANDOLIN

TAMBOUR, Anna

In a medieval cookbook in a special-collections library, near-future London, jaded food and drink authority Nick Kippax finds an alluring stain next to a recipe for the mythical crandolin. He tastes it, ravishing the page. Then he disappears... So begins an 'adventure' that quantum-leapfrogs from Central Asia in the Middle Ages to Russia under Gorbachev, from the secrets of confectionery to the agonies of making a truly great moustache, from maidens in towers to tiffs between cosmic forces. "[W]ith the appearance of her new novel, Crandolin, she will surely register Richter-powerful on the delighted synapses of all patrons of weird, funny fabulism." - Paul di Filippo

Fantasy TP \$35.00

DAYS OF BLOOD AND STARLIGHT

TAYLOR, Laini

In this loosely woven sequel to the hugely acclaimed and much loved *Daughter of Smoke and Bone* (\$14.95), Taylor puts Karou, a chimaera resurrected into the body of a blue-haired human teenager, through severe tests of both heart and soul. Sundered from her seraphic lover Akiva by rage, guilt and a huge blood debt, Karou has led charismatic chimaera leader Thiago, the White Wolf, to a refuge in the Atlas Mountains. With her magical skills, she provides him with a band of reanimated warriors to protect the remaining chimaera back in the world of Eretz.

YA fantasy TP \$19.99

JAGANNATH: STORIES

TIDBECK, Karin

A collection of 13 fantasy stories by a Swedish writer. "By turns brilliant and indecipherably cryptic, this book will capture the imaginations of fans of experimental fantasy and science fiction." - *Publisher's Weekly*

Collection TP \$27.95

FRAIL

TURNER, Joan Francis

Being human is a disadvantage in post-apocalyptic America. Now that the Feeding Plague has swept through human and zombie societies, it seems like everyone is an "ex" these days. Ex-human. Ex-zombie. Except for Amy, that is. She's the only human survivor from her town.

Zombie TP \$27.95

OTHERS 14: DRIVE ME WILD

WARREN, Christine

Paranormal romance PBN \$17.95

CURSE OF THE THIRTEENTH FEY: THE TRUE STORY OF SLEEPING BEAUTY

YOLEN, Jane

YA fantasy HC \$32.95

XMAS BOX SETS

Neil Gaiman's *Sandman*, all 10 volumes, is now available in a slipcase for \$199.95, and the wonderful *Ultimate Neil Gaiman Audio Collection*, featuring *The Wolves in the Walls*, *Crazy Hair*, *The Day I Swapped My Dad for Two Goldfish*, *Odd and the Frost Giants*, *Coraline* and *The Graveyard Book*, is in stock (13CDs unabridged, \$69.99). There is also a very limited, signed (!) edition of *Stardust* in stock (\$169.00), as well as the signed, numbered edition of *Coraline* (\$49.99). George R.R. Martin's *Song of Ice and Fire* B format paperback box set (\$85.00) contains a Westeros and the Free Cities Map. Gail Carriger's *Parasol Protectorate* paperback box set has the five novels published thus far (\$59.95). Scott Westerfeld's great steampunk series, *Leviathan*, also has been boxed (B+ format paperback, \$49.99), as has *The Hunger Games* trilogy (\$49.99). The nicest editions of *The Lord of the Rings*, hardcovers with colour plates by Alan Lee, are in a slipcase for \$149.95, and *The Art of Marvel Studios* box set contains hardcovers of *The Art of Captain America*, *The Art of Thor*, *The Art of Iron Man* and *The Art of Iron Man 2*, plus an *Avengers* movie poster, for \$159.95. There are also a couple of 50th Anniversary editions, both, curiously enough, introduced by Martin Amis: Anthony Burgess' *Clockwork Orange* (HC, \$49.95), complete with orange-edged pages, and J.G. Ballard's *The Drowned World*, in a gorgeous little hardcover for \$39.95.