

Strong Women Strange Worlds

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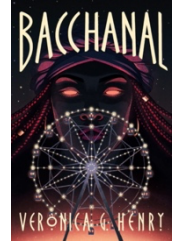
Featuring



Veronica G. Henry author of *Bacchanal*

Evil lives in a traveling carnival roaming the Depression-era South. But the carnival's newest act, a peculiar young woman with latent magical powers, may hold the key to defeating it. Her time has come.

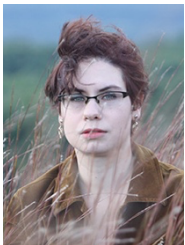
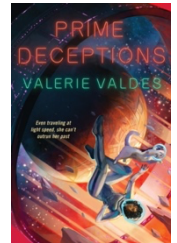
<https://www.veronicahenry.net>



Valerie Valdes author of *Prime Deceptions*

Captain Eva Innocente must confront her greatest failure as she and her crew search for a missing scientist to stop a covert war. Book 2 in the Chilling Effect series.

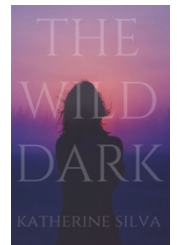
<http://candleinsunshine.com/>



Katherine Silva author of *The Wild Dark*

Ghosts. Soul-eating wolves. World-consuming woods. A friendship that defies death... An ex-cop who must survive an apocalyptic forest merging with her world while being tethered to the ghost of her dead partner.

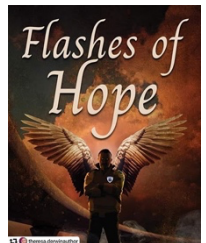
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Amy Grech author of "Perishables" from *Flashes of Hope*

A fallout survivor finds sustenance in an unlikely place.

<https://www.crimsonscreeams.com/>



Britta Jensen author of *Eloia Born*

A girl who's lost her mother. A boy learning about love. Both with a secret neither knows about and a journey that could tear them apart. When half-sighted Leanora catches her father committing a crime she flees her village to travel through the wilderness of Eloia with her blind boyfriend.

www.britta-jensen.com



Karen Osborne author of *Engines of Oblivion*

Natalie Chan gained her corporate citizenship, but barely survived the battle for Tribulation. Now corporate has big plans for Natalie. Horrible plans. Locked away in Natalie's missing memory is salvation for the last of an alien civilization and the humans they tried to exterminate. The corporation wants total

control of both—or their deletion. www.karenosborne.com



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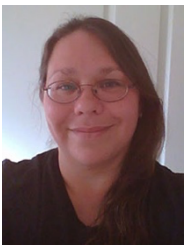
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