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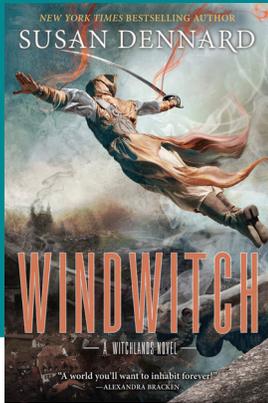
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Book Review

The Witchlands #2: Windwitch

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Rating

Excellent

Level

Young Adult

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384

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2017

ISBN

9780765379306

Publisher

Tor Teen

Safi has chosen to go quietly with the Empress of Marstok, hoping that this will keep others safe. But when the Empress' ship is attacked and the two barely escape with their lives, Safi and the Empress must really team together to survive. Iseult, having been separated from her thread-sister, decides to pursue her and rejoin her side no matter what it takes. Unfortunately, a bounty is placed on her head, and she too is hunted by a bloodwitch, pirates, and others. In order to survive, she strikes a deal with the bloodwitch, still desperate to find Safi, and the two face her hunters together. Back in Nubrevna, Prince Merik is announced dead when his ship explodes in seafire. Though he actually escaped, he lets everyone think him dead and starts a new life.

Dennard continues to capture the interest of readers with the beauty of the world that she created in Truthwitch. The dialogue, text, and inserted poems and songs continue to be rich and enticing. The perspectives and change between characters' stories increase as more characters are explored and the main characters are separated. The depth of characters is expanded as they are faced with more difficult realities and lose the things they valued. The hardcover book is beautifully bound with nice thick paper and an easy-to-read font size that isn't too small. The dustjacket is full color and a portrays a high-resolution picture of one of the main characters, Prince Merik.

*Contains moderate language.