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# Wizard Gaea 2 John Varley

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The Haraway Reader  
Independently  
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Three separate  
alien societies  
have claimson  
Cavanagh's Star.

But the new arrivals -- the gethes from Earth -- now threaten thetenuous balance of a coveted world. Environmental Hazard Enforcement officer Shan Frankland agreed to lead a mission to Cavanagh's Star, knowing that 150 years would elapse before she could finally return home. But her landing, with a small group of scientists and Marines, has not gone unnoticed by Aras, the planet's designated guardian. An eternally evolving world himself, this sad, powerful being has already

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obliterated millions of alien interlopers and their great cities to protect the fragile native population. Now Shan and her party -- plus the small colony of fundamentalist humans who preceded them -- could face a similar annihilation... or a fate far worse. Because Aras possesses a secret of the blood that would be disastrous if it fell into human hands -- if the gethes survive the impending war their coming has inadvertently hastened.

Press Enter

Open Road Media  
"Filled with fast-paced action and well-conceived characters." -- Booklist  
Kylara Vatta is the only daughter in a family full of sons, and her father's only child to buck tradition by choosing a military career instead of joining the family business. For Ky, it's no contest: Even running the prestigious Vatta Transport

Ltd. shipping concern can't hold a candle to shipping out as an officer aboard an interstellar cruiser. It's an adventure, not commerce, that stirs her soul. And despite her family's misgivings, there can be no doubt that a Vatta in the service will prove a valuable asset. But with a single error in judgment, it all comes crumbling down. Expelled from

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the Academy in Vatta stop Ky from  
disgrace—and Transport turning the  
returning ship. It's a routine  
home to her simple mission into  
humiliated assignment: a risky  
family, a escorting one venture—in  
storm of high-of the Vatta the name of  
profile media fleet's turning a  
coverage, and oldest ships profit for  
the gaping on its final Vatta  
void of her voyage . . . Transport, of  
own future—Ky to the course. By  
is ready to scrapyard. snapping up a  
face the But keeping lucrative  
inevitable it simple has delivery  
onslaught of never been contract  
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even pity. though her company, and  
But soon father has using part of  
after provided a the proceeds  
opportunity's crew of to upgrade  
door slams seasoned her condemned  
shut, Ky veterans to vehicle, Ky  
finds herself baby-sit the aims to prove  
with a ticket fledgling she's got  
to ride— and captain on more going  
a shot at her maiden for her than  
redemption—as milk run, just her  
captain of a they can't family's

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famous name. But business will soon have to take a backseat to bravery, when Ky's change of plans sails her and the crew straight into the middle of a colonial war. For all her commercial savvy, it's her military training and born-soldier's instincts that Ky will need to call on in the face of deadly combat, dangerous mercenaries,

and violent mutiny. . . . "Compelling . . . a superior novel . . . Trading in Danger [has] originality and intelligence."—SciFi Fantasy Newsletter Ace A science fiction epic from "the best writer in America" (Tom Clancy)—Hugo and Nebula award-winning author John Varley. Fleeing Earth after an alien invasion, the human race stands on the

threshold of evolution. Their new home is Luna, a moon colony blessed with creature comforts, prolonged lifespans, digital memories, and instant sex changes. But the people of Luna are bored, restless, suicidal—and so is the computer that monitors their existence... The Ophiuchi Hotline Penguin A collection of science fiction stories from "the best writer in America"

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(Tom Clancy)—Hugo and Nebula award-winning author John Varley. John Varley's unique blend of startling technology and genuinely human characters has won him every major science fiction award several times over for both his novels and his short fiction. Blue Champagne collects eight thought-provoking stories from one of the genre's undisputed masters, including the Hugo Award-winner "The Pusher," and the Hugo and Nebula award-winner "Press Enter." Penguin  
"This is an engrossing novel by one of the genre's

most accomplished storytellers."  
--Publishers Weekly  
All the universe is a stage...and Sparky Valentine is its itinerant thespian. He brings Shakespeare--a version of it anyway--to the outer reaches of Earth's solar system. Sparky can transform himself from young to old, fat to thin, even male to female, by altering magnetic implants beneath his skin. Indispensable hardware for a career actor--and an interstellar con man wanted for murder...  
*Demon Penguin*  
Alternate history master John Birmingham unleashes an astounding new installment in his *Axis of Time*

series: an original eBook novella that begins when the future and the past collide. The year is 1955, ten years after a battle fleet from 2021 exploded through a wormhole in space—straight into the Battle of Midway. A staggered, war-torn world catches its balance. Uptimers, with their extraordinary technology and strange styles, mingle with the real timers. Universities study the effects on the future. And men like Prince Harry of England find themselves playing

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pivotal roles in a history that has already happened. Or has it? In the starkly partitioned city of Rome, spies, killers, and mafia foot soldiers cross the dividing line between Allied and Russian Zones. Somewhere in the ancient, underground catacombs two men hunt for one another. One is Stalin's personal assassin, the other a murderous, disillusioned acolyte of the Communist ideal, allied by fate and history with the OSS, MI6, and England's swashbuckling

Prince Harry. Harry's own mission takes him to a glittering dinner party and a prize over which the two Russian killers are fighting—a factory owner with a terrifying secret. As the forces of West and East are locked in a stalemate, what this man knows could change everything: Josef Stalin, hiding in a Siberian bunker, is ready to hit the world with a thunderous blow. Red Lightning Penguin  
A collection of short stories from "the wildest and most original science

fictional mind" (George R.R. Martin) of Hugo and Nebula award-winning author John Varley. The *Persistence of Vision* collects nine amazing fiction stories—including the Hugo and Nebula award-winning title novella—that could only come from the mesmerizing imagination of one of science fiction's most renowned and respected writers. *Trading in Danger* Penguin  
Despite wars with Iraq and Afghanistan, as well as 9/11, the United States' dependence on foreign oil has kept the nation tied to the Middle East. A scientist has developed a cure

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for America's addiction—a slow-acting virus that feeds on petroleum, turning it solid. But he didn't consider that his contagion of an Iraqi oil field would spread to infect the fuel supply of the entire world... In Los Angeles, screenwriter Dave Marshall heard this scenario from a retired U.S. Marine and government insider who acted as a consultant on Dave's last film. It sounded as implausible as many of his scripts, but the reality is much more frightening than anything he can envision. An ordinary guy armed with extraordinary

information, Dave hopes his survivor's instinct will kick in so he can protect his wife and daughter from the coming apocalypse that will alter the future of Earth—and humanity...

The Thunder and Lightning Series

Open Road Media

Not content with investing his fortune and watching it grow, multibillionaire Howard Christian buys rare cars that he actually drives, acquires collectible toys that he actually plays with, and builds buildings that defy the imagination. But now his restless mind has turned to a new obsession: cloning a mammoth... In a barren province of Canada, a mammoth hunter financed by

Christian has made the discovery of a lifetime: an intact frozen woolly mammoth. But what he finds during the painstaking process of excavating the huge creature baffles the mind. Huddled next to the mammoth is the mummified body of a Stone Age man around 12,000 years old. And he is wearing a wristwatch. It looks like Howard Christian is going to get his wish—and more...

*Anthropocene or Capitalocene?*

Pan

One of the greatest science fiction epics ever written, John Varley's Titan, Wizard, and Demon comprise a groundbreaking

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trilogy that will live forever. Human explorers have entered the sprawling mind of Gaea. Now they must fight her will. For she is much too powerful...and definitely insane."These books are going to be around for a long time."

--Locus

*Titan* Penguin

A collection of short stories from the Hugo and Nebula award-winning author who "has the imagination of six ordinary science fiction writers" (George R.R. Martin)—John Varley. *Picnic on Nearside* includes nine astonishing stories from an author whose imagination has

changed the genre and the way that people envision the future.

*A Slice of Murder*

Berkley

Junior Executive

Brent watches as their new boss

seduces and marries his friend

John. Before

Brent's very eyes,

she begins to

feminize his

friend. So why

doesn't Brent stop

her? Well, it's

complicated. See,

he wants her for

himself. This can't

end well.For

Mature Audiences

Only. This 32,500

word story

includes female

domination,

forced

feminization,

cross-dressing,

spanking, small

penis humiliation,

pegging,

cuckolding, erotic

humiliation, and so

much more.

**Wizard** Penguin

This work is the

only

comprehensive

guide to sequels in

English, with over

84,000 works by

12,500 authors in

17,000 sequences.

*Irontown Blues*

Penguin

First Published in

2004. Routledge is an

imprint of Taylor &

Francis, an informa

company.

**Titan** Psychology

Press

..David

Valentine's loyal

Lieutenant Alessa

Duvalier disobeys



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his orders--and finds herself uncovering a betrayal..."--Amazon.com.

**Stalin's Hammer: Rome (An Axis of Time Novella)**

GuildAmerica Books

The sequel to Red Thunder is “a cosmic coming-of-age novel . . . [with] enthralling everyday heroics” from a Hugo and Nebula Award–winning author (Paul Di Filippo, SciFi.com). It doesn’t matter that Ray Garcia-Strickland’s father was one of the first men on Mars. The now overdeveloped planet has lost its hip factor, its luxurious hotels—like the one

Ray’s father manages—overrun with gravity-dependent tourists from Earth. Ray is over the Red Planet. Soon he gets his own chance at interplanetary adventure, when an unknown object hits Earth and causes a massive tsunami. Ray heads back to Florida to help family and friends who’ve survived the devastation—and soon learns the so-called natural disaster could have unnatural consequences . . . “The book Robert A. Heinlein would have written if he lived in George Bush’s America.” —Cory Doctorow, Boing Boing “A

highly satisfying sequel to Red Thunder . . . Much more than a simple adventure story, full of poignant moments and relevant social commentary.” —Kirkus Reviews, starred review “Drawing unabashedly on current events from 9/11 to Hurricane Katrina, the author mixes space opera–esque adventure and merriment with uncensored images of disaster areas and teenage sex. At his Heinlein-channeling best, Varley preaches the gospel of individual responsibility with all the fervor of a space-age libertarian

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revival preacher.” —Publishers Weekly  
“John Varley blends past fiction, current events and future tech to create a story all his own, but with classic roots in at least a half dozen of Heinlein's juveniles.” —SF Site  
*A Fire Upon The Deep* PM Press  
In the midst of spiraling ecological devastation, multispecies feminist theorist Donna J. Haraway offers provocative new ways to reconfigure our relations to the earth and all its inhabitants. She eschews referring to our current epoch as the

Anthropocene, preferring to conceptualize it as what she calls the Chthulucene, as it more aptly and fully describes our epoch as one in which the human and nonhuman are inextricably linked in tentacular practices. The Chthulucene, Haraway explains, requires sym- poiesis, or making- with, rather than auto-poiesis, or self-making. Learning to stay with the trouble of living and dying together on a damaged earth will prove more conducive to the kind of thinking

that would provide the means to building more livable futures. Theoretically and methodologically driven by the signifier SF—string figures, science fact, science fiction, speculative feminism, speculative fabulation, so far—Staying with the Trouble further cements Haraway's reputation as one of the most daring and original thinkers of our time.  
Baltic Gambit  
Penguin  
Twenty years ago, the Gaeian Trilogy dazzled critics and readers. Now a new

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generation will discover that brilliant world--beginning with Titan. The Golden Globe Penguin Eighteen essays plus four examples from the ninth annual J. Lloyd Eaton Conference on Science Fiction and Fantasy Literature at the University of California, Riverside. The concept of mindscape, Slusser and Rabkin explain, allows critics to focus on a single fundamental problem: "The constant need for a relation between mind and some being external to mind." The essayists are Poul Anderson, Wendy Doniger O'Flaherty, Ronald J. Heckelman, David

Brin, Frank McConnell, George E. Slusser, James Romm, Jack G. Voller, Peter Fitting, Michael R. Collings, Pascal J. Thomas, Reinhart Lutz, Joseph D. Miller, Gary Westfahl, Bill Lee, Max P. Belin, William Lomax, and Donald M. Hassler. The book concludes with four authors discussing examples of mindscape. The participants are Jean-Pierre Barricelli, Gregory Benford, Gary Kern, and David N. Samuelson.

### **Mammoth Open Road Media**

A collection of stories describing the adventures of such superheroes as Captain Cosmos and Captain

### **Housework**