

Book Read

Bobbi:

- Finished: The Bonds That Tie series
- Listening: *Lakesedge* by Lyndall Clipstone
- Reading: *Mistborn* by Brandon Sanderson

Kristin:

- Chestnut Springs Series, small town romance; So dang cute.

Chat/News

Title and Show Description:

Scholastic Book Fairs Cancelled? Plus, how to train like a warrior...on Booktok

We Rebranded to Unbound Book Babes! In this week's news chat, we discuss how to train like a Valkyrie on TikTok with creators @bodysamantix and @annapenbrooke. Learn how to fight and wield swords then march up 10,000 steps. A fun realistic way to bring our favorite *A Court of Thorns and Roses* and *A Court of Silver Flames* characters to life. We also discussed the attempt to cancel Scholastic book fairs. A new Christian company has stepped in to say no more. Where do you stand on this hard topic?

Bobbi:

- Scholastic vs BRAVE book fairs
- <https://bravebooks.us/pages/about-us>
 - <https://bravebooks.us/pages/brave-book-fairs>
 - Some schools have parent meetings where they decide what comes in the Scholastic fairs - the community votes.
 - We should have a mix - they have the classics still.
 - Nobody likes having impressions pushed on them. In either direction, I feel like the world can be too polar right now.

Kristin:

- Tiktok creator @bodysamantix, created a virtual training based off of A Court of Silver Flames. She had a huge turnout of women that wanted to train that way, and then they met in Colorado and hiked a mountain!
 - Tiktok creator @annapenbrooke - Another group of ladies trained like Nesta for a 10,000 stair challenge!
 - I absolutely love that this book had such a profound impact on women and their desire to train like Nesta! It made me emotional watching these women really harness their inner Nesta, let's be honest she's in all of us, but we keep her on a short leash because it's not a personality that is widely accepted by society.

Topic

Title and Show Description:

A Why Choose, But You Have to Maasaverse Addition

Spoilers for TOG, ACOTAR, & CC

In this episode Kristin and Bobbi play This or That and Would You Rather using characters and scenarios from the world of Sarah J. Maas!

And oh boy! Are some of these choices hard...especially the last choice Kristin prompts Bobbi with!

Books Series Mentioned:

Throne of Glass

A Court of Thorns and Roses

Crescent City

Did you miss Wednesday's Episode? We talk about training like a warrior on Booktok and an attempt to cancel Scholastic Book Fairs! Be sure to check it out and let us know your thoughts.

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Bobbi to Kristin:

- Aelin or Nesta
- Chaol or Dorian
- Steal something from the weaver or face the midgard wyrm
- Marry Eris or live under the mountain with Amarantha

- Swim in the pool of starlight or be at Velarous form starfall
- Terrisan or Velarous
- Night out with Mor or House of wind reading
- Tea with Suriel or Ask the Bone Carver a Question
- Be part of an evening with Rhys and Feyra or Nesta and Cassian
- Rowen or Rhys
- Rowaelin or Feysand
- The Court of Terrasen or the Inner Circle
- Manon or Amren
- Lysandra or Morrigan
- Chaol or Lucien
- Cadre or Bat boys
- Be part of the The thirteen of The Valkyrie
- Mort or the Suriel
- Erawan or Amarantha
- Maeve or King of Hybern
- Branagh and Dagdan or The Weaver and Bone Carver
- Rhys or Hunt
- Cassian or Azriel
- Anisl or Gwen
- Emery or Nehemia
- Would you rather be a witch or fae
- Bryce or Aelin
- Danika or Lysandra
- Daddy Archeron or Autumn King
- Be tortured by the Hind or Amarantha
- Be an assassin or Starborn
- Be a Wyvern rider or Pegasus rider
- Tamlin or Eris

Kristin:

- Rowan or Lorcan
- Lorcan or Lucien
- Lucien or Fenrys
- Cassian or Dorian
- King of Hybern or King of Rifthold
- Maeve or Erawan
- Arobynn or Amarantha
- Aelin or Feyre
- Cadre or the Thirteen
- Sam or Rowan
- Rown or Rhys

- Cassian or Lorcan
- Dorian or Azriel
- Rownelin or Feysand
- Keep of the Silent Assassins or the Southern Continent
- Dorian or Chaol
- Lysandra or The Morrigan
- Yrene or Elide
- Terrasen or Velaris
- Court of Nightmares or Rifthold
- Sam or Nehmia
- Adeion or Chaol
- Hunt or Rhysand
- Bryce or Feyre
- The Bat Boys or the Cadre
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